

CORRESPONDENCE

GENEVA

Eliza Crosby was recently home from Clinton, Iowa.

F. W. Kreger was over from the city for a few days.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson and son Carr of Chicago are visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blaudow have been entertaining a sister and little nephew from Hammond, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Abbott have a little girl, born Labor day.

Mr. Hamburger and family have gone back to Chicago.

Mrs. Esther Harrison and A. J. Roundy of Paw Paw have been visiting at the homes of Mrs. W. W. Tyler and J. B. Southwell.

BASE LINE

E. A. Post, wife and daughter of Allegan and Mrs. Anna Post of Almond, N. Y., spent Wednesday at the home of C. Post.

Riley Beedle is on the sick list.

Mrs. Dannenberg was called to Allegan, Saturday, to make the acquaintance of the new granddaughter that came to live with Mr. and Mrs. W. McAlpine.

Ila Woodruff began her school at the Brown school house, Monday.

Mr. Davenport is erecting a silo.

E. Taylor is moving from the Healy house.

Bessie Leverage was home from Kalamazoo several days last week.

Maud Baker and children of Grand Rapids visited her sister, Mrs. R. Beedle, and brother, Will Holmes, last week.

Harry Sackett and family of Kendall visited Mrs. Sackett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Holmes, Wednesday.

Wayne Leverage, who has had several attacks of appendicitis, was operated upon Tuesday to avoid further trouble.

Warren Goble is erecting a bungalow on the farm he recently purchased, known as the old Dougal farm.

Vet Healy started for the coast several weeks ago. When first heard from he was in Montana at the home of J. Shindall and later Miss Mollie Shindall had become Mrs. Healy, and their wedding trip was to the exposition.

BERLAMONT

Bernice Moore is visiting her sister, Mrs. Will Sibole, in Jackson.

Mrs. Anna Cooley of Kalamazoo has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Corning.

Frances Moon of Lawton was the guest last week of Goldie Hoyt at the home of Mrs. Carrier.

Mrs. Hoyt and son Stanley and Miss Waters of Lawton were Sunday callers at Mrs. Carrier's.

Born, September 12, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Godfrey, a daughter.

Mr. Bastien and family moved to Chicago last Friday.

Mrs. Reiser is spending a few days in Kalamazoo, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. U. A. Carrier.

GLENDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Griffin and M. O. Babcock drove to Kalamazoo, Sunday and brought Mrs. Babcock home from the hospital.

Although the weather was unfavorable, the party given by the losing side in the league was fairly well attended and enjoyed by those present.

Miss Leah Dodge began school in Bloomingdale, Monday.

Eddie Chase visited his sister, Mrs. Allie Treat, at Shelby last week.

Henry Wakeman from Ohio has been visiting his uncle, Tobias Beach, this week.

Floyd Orton has been visiting relatives in Traverse county for a few days.

Some of the young people attended services at Covey Hill, Sunday evening.

Mrs. L. M. Olmstead and children have returned from a visit in Detroit.

Sam Griffith drove to Grand Rapids, Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Emmick. They took little Irma to have her foot treated.

An Appreciative Listener. "Henrietta," said Mr. Meekton, "that was a wonderfully appealing and persuasive speech you made." "The audience seemed to like it." "Yes. And I was proud to be one of the audience. It's the first time that you have talked in that confidential and respectful tone to me in years."—Washington Star.

Riverside

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moll and children, who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Frey, have returned to their home near Kalamazoo.

The Gleaners will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phineas Cole, Wednesday evening, September 22. Several new members are to be initiated and all are urged to be present.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stanton entertained her mother and sister, Mrs. W. G. Truitt of Decatur, and Mrs. Andrew Brunk and baby of La Junta, Col., Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Deaner are the parents of a 9 pound boy, born August 28 at the home of her mother in Kalamazoo. Mrs. Deaner and the baby are doing nicely and expect to come home about October 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper have sold their farm to people from Chicago.

Mrs. Anna Blanchard of Kendall and Mrs. Jennie Aldrich of Gobleville came Tuesday to visit their sister, Mrs. Eli McDougal.

We are sorry to hear that Mrs. John Dillon, who was taken to Borgess hospital several weeks ago, is in a critical condition. Her family were called there on Monday.

Mrs. Smith, who has been very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Dayton, is much better.

Rev. Shape will preach at Riverside school house next Sunday.

Eli McDougal was called to Pipestone last week by the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Ben Chamberlain. Mr. McDougal returned Saturday and reported Mr. Chamberlain much better.

WAVERLY

Rev. Shape of Paw Paw will preach at Riverside next Sunday at 3:30 p. m.

Louis Loyle of Chicago is spending the week with Mat Gost and family.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Butler and Mrs. Mat Raleigh of Paw Paw spent Sunday at the home of Guy Colburn.

The Riverside school opened last Monday in charge of Miss Helen Cragen, with 29 pupils in attendance.

John Dillon was in Kalamazoo, Sunday, to visit his wife who is at Borgess hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Earl of East Decatur visited Sunday at Elmer Owen's.

Miss Ruth Owen is attending the Paw Paw high school.

Mrs. Mabel Dillon spent Saturday in Kalamazoo.

COVERT

Robert Beattie was quite painfully injured last Monday night by falling from the platform at the packing house, breaking three ribs.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beardaley have rented the hotel here and will try their luck at keeping boarders.

Max Tripp and wife of Oklahoma arrived here last Friday for a visit with his parents.

Miss Emma Lang, who has taught in the Jackson schools for the last three years, left Saturday to resume her old position, after spending the summer here.

Mrs. Grace Lee of Coloma is helping care for her father, Robert Beattie, while suffering from his fall.

The Covert Producers' Exchange loaded four refrigerator cars with peaches last Monday.

Mrs. Andrew J. Lang of Paw Paw is visiting friends here this week.

A 10 pound baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. Doolittle of South Covert, September 10.

Mrs. James Enlow has been entertaining her cousin, Mrs. Helen Meachum, of Bangor.

Lester Baker got a bad bump last week, when he jumped from the top of a box car. Fortunately no bones were broken.

Mout Spivey and family of Dowagiac spent Sunday with friends here.

Chas. Sherburne of Hartford spent part of last week with relatives here.

BANGOR

Elmer Hahn recently moved here from Washington state, has purchased the E. Randal property on the north side and will move there when it is vacated.

Rev. Rouse filed the M. E. pulpit Sunday morning and Rev. Kent in the evening in the absence of the pastor, Chas. Kelsey at conference.

Mrs. Toppau has returned from a week's stay in Grand Haven.

Corabelle Dibble is an apprentice in Mrs. Perry's millinery shop.

Mrs. Almema Gheigher of Gull Lake has been a guest of her niece, Mrs. J. Bigelow.

Eral Crosby of Otsego was in Bangor, Friday, on business and took back 60 bushels of peaches from the Low orchard.

Modern Farming. "How many head of live stock you got on the place?" "Live stock?" echoed the somewhat puzzled farmer. "What do ye mean by live stock? I got four steam tractors and seven automobiles."—Judge.

ALMENA

Harry Miller was home from Hartford over Sunday.

The Misses Hazel and Mabel Bixby of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Brown.

Mrs. Nettie Marshall returned to her home in Cass county last Saturday after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. D. A. Hoodemaker.

Mr. Sutherland is building a new house on the Theodore Irons place.

School began in district No. 2 this week with Miss Iris Warner teacher, and last week with Mrs. Fred Overacker in the Solomon district and Miss Mullinix in district No. 5.

A temperance program will be given Sunday, September 19 at the M. E. church by class 2 immediately following Sunday school.

Miss Hattie Waite of Kalamazoo was a guest at the home of John Solomon this week.

Don't forget the date of the Gleaner fair Saturday, September 25. Warm refreshments will be served at noon. Entertainment in the evening.

The community was shocked to hear that W. K. Miller and two daughters had been taken to the Kalamazoo State hospital, but was much relieved to learn that they were only canning corn.

PICKED UP ABOUT THE COURT HOUSE

CIRCUIT COURT PROCEEDINGS NEW SUITS FILED

Warran A. Potter vs. Alford D. Robinson, Trespass on the case.

Norman D. Murphy vs. Wm. S. Myers Attachment.

People vs. Frank Bigelow, Violation of Local Option Law.

People vs. Reuben Parrish, Burglary.

People vs. Harold Vail, Burglary.

Hugh E. Smith vs. Dorance Lockard & Esther Ashbrook, Injunction.

Wallace P. Mano et al vs. Charles S. McDonnell, et al, Bill to quiet title.

Charles Upfield, et al vs. Samuel Sherwood, et al, Bill to quiet title.

Pearl Frink vs. George Frink, Bill for Divorce.

No decrees or opinions filed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED

Rowland Curtis Beebe, 24, Otsego to Mabel Adelle Runyon, 23, South Haven.

Carlton M. Vining, 24, Decatur to Cecil E. Hedges, 24, Dowagiac.

Elmer Floyd Morse, 22, Breedsville to Mildred E. Northrup, 17, Breedsville.

Michael Sindona, 24, Bangor, to Anna Corradini, 19, Bangor.

Chas. J. Hawkinson, 23, Chicago, to Violet Josephine Gregory, 20, Covert.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Minnie Ray to Guy Lewis & w lot 200, Bangor, \$500.

Chas. J. Jackson & w to Wm. E. Bailey, 2 a. sec 6 Hartford, \$200.

Hazel Madsen & w to James Neville & w, p. cl. lots 5, 6, blk 2, Hartford, \$200.

Sallie E. Huribut to L. V. Harrell et al, p. cl. lots 1, 2, 7, 8, blk 24, Grand Junction, \$500.

James Barkle & w to Urick Major, p. cl. sec 7, Bangor, \$500.

Rebecca Blackman to Theodore J. Schallhorn & w lot 3, blk 24 Grand Junction, \$100.

Gage Buell et al. to Richard Randall et al p. cl. sec 22, Almema, \$950.

PROBATE COURT PROCEEDINGS

Estates of:— Lilly E. F. Smethels, d, proofs on probate will filed, and hearing adjourned to Sept. 17th.

Marvin Hinkley, d; Julian Sheldon, d; Newton E. Hooper, d; William Wallace, d; Della E. Fitch, d; Florence Butler, d; no claims filed and estates closed to creditors.

Leslie Phillips, d; order allowing claims and closing estate to creditors. Harriet E. Russell, d; hearing on claims adjourned.

Byron S. Carney, d, hearing on petition to probate will adjourned to September 21st.

Laura M. Webb, incompetent, Order confirming sale of real estate, Monday October 11th, set for hearing claims.

James Shipley, d, petition for license to sell real estate filed. Hearing Oct. 11 A. E. Bessey, deceased, Petition for license to sell real estate filed, hearing October 11th.

Tina Mullinex, d, bond filed and letters of Administration issued to Floyd A. Mullinex, order for hearing claims, last claim day, Jan. 17, 1916.

Rachel M. Baldwin, d, bond filed and letters Testamentary issued to George Lambert, order appointing appraisers and hearing on claims, last claim day Jan. 17.

Harry E. Hunt, d, testimony of freeholders filed and license to sell real estate issued.

Geo. W. Darling, d, petition for appointment of administratrix filed, waiver of notice of hearing filed, order appointing Cornelia Darling administratrix Order appointing appraisers and hearing on claims, claim day September 17.

YOUR WORK

You must be sure of two things—you must love your work and not be always looking over the edge of it, wanting your play to begin; you must not be ashamed of your work and wanting to be doing something else.—George Eliot.

ALL WEARING COLLARS

COSTUME NOT CONSIDERED COMPLETE WITHOUT ONE.

Picturesque Adornments for the Neck Are All the Rage in Paris Just Now—Hints of Dress Style for the Summer.

Parisiennes seem to have gone crazy over smart collars.

No dress is considered complete without the addition of an elaborate collar of curious design. And of course the same holds true of blouses and shirt waists, writes Idalia de Villiers in the Boston Globe.

I have sketched this week a collar of this order. Here you have a picturesque arrangement in white muslin, which has been carefully stiffened with starch. There are no artificial supports in this collar.

It remains in correct position if properly dealt with by the laundress. This style of collar is specially suitable for morning shirt waists, and it would give good results if combined with mauve or pale blue muslin.

Mme. Cheruit has this season introduced a novel and effective combination of unexpected materials, silk voile and white linen. A home dress recently created by this admirable artist was made of Bordeaux-red silk voile ceinture and a square collar of sailor outline.

An unexpected touch of black was introduced on the smart little waistcoat and there were ball buttons made



New Blouse Collar of Stiffened White Muslin, and a Becoming Coiffure.

of old-rose quartz, the shoe buckles being made to match.

The dull rose quartz buttons looked charming on the deep red voile and then the pure white collar and ceinture supplied a touch of studied simplicity which was full of charm. I have seen white lings combined with heavy blue voile and fine serge chez Beer, also in Redfern's showrooms.

Indeed, I am of the opinion that dress linen is going to play an important role in the world of fashion this summer, in vivid colors as well as in white.

A new and very practical dress trimming consists of a ceinture, collar, etc., made of printed silk, which has been carefully outlined with fine gold threads and partly filled in with very tiny porcelain beads.

This style of embroidery is very easily achieved at home by clever fingers, and the loveliest things can be made of it. Now that sleeveless bolero jackets are again fashionable such embroidery might be used to compose one of these little garments, the blouse and sleeves being of the most prominent color in the printed silk.

Fine gold and silver threads are being introduced on brocaded and printed silks by our leading dressmakers and I throw out the hint that lovely things may be done at home, at small cost.

CHECKERBOARD HOSE A FAD

Idea Comes From Paris and Seems to Be Taken Up by the Women of America.

Owing to the craze for black and white check ideas, Paris has advanced hosiery of black and white check design in lisle thread and in silk. The squares are rather small and go excellently with the checked trottour or the little frock of shepherd plaid in tafeta or lousine.

To complete the stockings, there are low shoes or white kid, with black vamps laced on the outside of the ankle. Like nearly all the fashionable footwear of the spring season, these shoes are cut high in Oxford effect and show a diamond tip of the patent leather.

Patent leather is likewise employed to tip high and low shoes of champagne or putty-color kid.

Sand Shades Hard to Get. There is no abatement in the demand for the putty and sand shades in materials, but the foreign buyers are having some trouble in procuring these colors, so that there may be some difficulty later in satisfying the popular taste.

VARIETY FOR WINTER EGGS

Best Results Secured From Laying Fowls by Using Ground Food, Meat and Green Stuff.

Variety of feed is what makes the winter eggs. Corn three times a day as a rule builds up fatty tissue, makes hens lazy and reduces profit.

"Animal food, ground food and a generous supply of green stuff produce the best results for laying fowls," says J. G. Halpin, head of the poultry department of the University of Wisconsin.

The exercise so needful for poultry can be provided in winter by working the grain ration well into the litter of fresh straw that should be provided as a carpet on the feeding floors. A good variety of grain should be provided; some corn, wheat, oats and barley mixed together, or fed alternately, makes a satisfactory ration.

A grain ration for winter use that has given good results at the experiment station farm consists of two parts corn, two parts wheat, one part oats and one part barley.

It is recommended that the ground feed be placed in a small mash box or trough where the hen can have ready access to it. The following mixture of ground feeds is considered to be quite satisfactory: One hundred pounds bran, 100 pounds middlings, 100 pounds ground corn, 50 pounds malt sprouts, 50 pounds meat scraps, and sufficient salt.

Green Bone for Fowls.

Green bone can be fed advantageously to fowls intended for different purposes and kept under different conditions. It is a great help in hastening the growth of young birds, but the greatest help of this food to the average poultry raiser is in feeding it during the winter months to supply animal food. When fed to laying hens the yield will be increased wonderfully, and the poultry raiser will be well paid for the labor expended in cutting. It is a food which all fowls eat readily, and one that must be fed judiciously.

Care of Details Important.

As a rule it is the taking care of the little things that goes furthest toward making a success of any business.

This is especially true in the poultry business. Until one masters this feature of the work he cannot hope to be a real success. This is one reason why many women are really successful in the raising of chickens. They have the inborn faculty for detail in their work.

Increase the Meat Ration.

Remember, in cold weather to increase the meat ration, as the hens need it to keep up the heat for the body.

MOLDY FEED BAD FOR HENS

Cause of Many Deaths Among Poultry, Particularly Among Young Chicks, Can Be Prevented.

Don't give poultry moldy feed. It causes aspergillosis and chickens afflicted with this are "lungers."

"Moldy feed and moldy litter in poultry houses are the cause of many deaths among poultry, and particularly among young chicks," says J. B. Hayes of the poultry department of the University of Wisconsin. These molds taken into the body of the fowl cause a disease known as aspergillosis which is as fatal as the name sounds. Among poultry men, the chicks affected with this trouble are commonly spoken of as "lungers."

The chick stands around in a drowsy manner and shows little desire to eat. The wings hang down, the breath is rapid, and white diarrhea is present. Indeed, the disease is many times mistaken for white diarrhea. Older birds, when attacked, are inactive and sleepy. If forced to run, they will fall from exhaustion. The breathing is rapid, the appetite is diminished and more or less catarrh is present.

An affected chick will be found to have soft yellow growths from the size of a pinhead to that of a pea, mainly in the lungs but sometimes in the intestines and mesentery. These growths clog the air passages of the lungs and so cause the death of the birds. In mature fowls there are two forms of the disease. The membranes lining the air sacs and tubes may be covered with a membranous formation which is soft and yellowish and has an offensive odor. Or there may be white or yellowish nodules imbedded in the tissues of the lungs. In either case the disease is incurable.

But since it is caused by moldy feed or moldy litter it can be entirely prevented by cleaning up the poultry house once in a while and keeping moldy feed and litter away from the flock. This is only one of the many poultry troubles that can be avoided by clean feed and clean pens and yards.

Indication of Fowl's Health.

The condition of the bowels is the best indication of the fowl's health. When the droppings are more or less hard, of a dark brown color, capped with white, we know the fowl is enjoying the best of health. But when they are watery and yellow, indigestion, if not liver trouble, is the cause.

Persistence Makes Success.

Those who become discouraged at a few failures will seldom succeed with poultry. Failures are often met in any line, and poultry is no exception to this rule. It takes persistence to make a success at anything.

Straw Hats.

When the straw hat first appeared in 1784 it was worn exclusively by women.

REAPING BENEFIT

From the Experience of Paw Paw Citizens.

We are fortunate indeed to be able to profit by the experience of our neighbors. The public utterances of Paw Paw residents on the following subject will interest and benefit many of our readers. Read their statement. No better proof can be had.

Mrs. Laura Webb, Paw Paw, says: "I have never used Doan's Kidney Pills myself, but I know of a case where they have been found very successful. Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at Longwell Bros' drug store, gave prompt and thorough relief from backache and other troubles caused by weak kidneys. I will gladly give full particulars of this case to anyone who calls on me."

Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Webb recommends. Foster Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Five lines or less 25c. All over that amount, 5c per line extra.

FOR SALE—Nice canning peaches, 75 cents per bushel at the orchard. H. C. Hays, 31st Farm 2 1/2 miles east of Paw Paw.

FOR SALE—A potato digger in good condition. Inquire of G. E. Johnson, Paw Paw. Phone 290 F 14.

FOR SALE—All kinds of stove wood. Pulp at \$1.25 per cord, soft wood, mixed, at \$1.50. Mixed hard wood \$2.50. Delivered in Paw Paw. 2113 W. H. Baugher. Phone 15 F 14.

FOR SALE—Two lots at Three Mile lake. Mrs. G. W. Lee.

FOR SALE—By E. H. Miner at Almema Mills: A Superior disk drill in good repair at \$20. Three section 90 tooth smoothing harrow at \$70. Potato crates at 10 cents apiece or 8 1/2 cents if you nail them yourself. E. H. Miner. 3214

FOR SALE—SOME BARGAIN in heating and cook stoves. New and second hand bugies—at the rink building. 2917 Bailey & Kenyon.

FOR SALE—Good upright piano, cheap. Bailey & Kenyon 3313

FOR SALE—A good 8 year old mare, weight about 1175. Will sell cheap. Inquire of 3313 F. T. Tarnell at Waters & Co. store.

FOR SALE—Two Durham cows, coming 5 and 7 years. Due fresh November 1. Chas. Johnson, R. 5, Paw Paw, 1 1/2 miles north of Wilday cemetery.

WANTED—Fourteen foot fruit rack, in good repair. Frank Fuller, Route 3, Phone 9 F 13.

WANTED—Four young mink cows. Must yield 20 quarts Gomersey, Holstein or Jersey grade. Send price and description. 3311 F. F. Water, Route 5.

FOR SALE—Work horse. Mrs. A. L. Allais, Route 6, 3 1/2 miles northeast of Paw Paw.

FOR SALE—About 20 fine shafts, also some pigs. Mary F. Menig, Lawton road. 3311