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We may not have the biggest store on earth, but write it down, in bargains we will give you more than any store in town.

OUR STOCK!

Our stock is fine and large and new. In every line complete. It's just the stock, my friend, if you want goods that can't be beat.

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For quality we rank A 1. In style and prices too. And better bargains, there are none. Than those we offer you.

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At Central Hall, Yale.

By every evening this week.

Its a daisy. See Ballentine's ad.

Today (July 1st.) is Dominion Day across the line.

We have a fine large line of sporting goods. H. J. Doelle.

Wanted, a girl for general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. G. Wight.

"Remember the Maine" and also that Ballentine has the best selection of goods in town.

Don't miss the monster trade procession and calithumpian parade in Yale at 10 a. m. July 4th.

A marriage license has been issued to Joseph Boucher of Greenwood and Catherine Carroll of Kenocook.

It is easy for a man who has no credit to keep out of debt. This in no wise stops him from trying to get into debt.

Putney & Chamberlain have a change of adv. in this issue and present some pointers for the careful buyer. Read what they have to say.

R. S. Campbell, commissioner of schools, dropped into our office Wednesday afternoon and made us a pleasant visit. He was on his way to attend the graduating exercises in school district No. 4, Miss Lizzie Evans teacher.

Mrs. Barrett wishes to inform the people of Yale that she is still manufacturing home-made bread, pies, cake and cookies. She has placed them on sale at the grocery store of Mrs. M. J. Slight. Bread 5 cents a loaf instead of 8 cents. 5-5

Mr. VanVleet has opened a bazaar in the Hart building lately vacated by Holden & Plank. To be known as the Racket Store. He will keep a good assortment of bazaar goods and solicits a share of the trade. The formal opening will take place Saturday, July 9th.

Lost—One promissory note given by Edward Sheehy and dated November 22, 1897. Amount of note about \$17.00. I hereby notify all persons against negotiating for the purchase of said note. Finder will please return same to the undersigned and receive reward.

Dr. Howell, Yale.

Among the fortunate postmasters in our immediate vicinity who have had their salaries increased of late we find the following:—Yale from \$1,100 to \$1,200; Port Huron, \$2,700 to \$2,800; Romeo, \$1,400 to \$1,500; Marlette, \$1,100 to \$1,200; Lapeer, \$1,700 to \$1,800; Yassar, \$1,300 to \$1,500; Cass City, \$1,100 to \$1,200. The salary of the postmaster at Caro has been reduced.

Never send a dollar away from home when the article that dollar can purchase can be obtained at home. Money is our financial blood. Its circulation keeps the body alive. Bled the body by sending the money away and business will put on a look of lethargy and inactivity. Always trade at home. Watch the bargains offered by our enterprising advertisers in the columns of The Expositor and you will learn the best places at home to spend these home dollars.

Preparations for the 4th of July are taking a prominent part with our merchants, citizens and the small boy. The merchants are arranging their store windows very prettily and they all expect to take part in the monster trade procession. We hear it hinted that some of our citizens and also outsiders are quietly concocting horrible, hideous rigs to appear in the calithumpian parade. The gipsy wagon that passed through town last week, together with all its attachments will be here, so we are informed. The committee expects some outsiders to take part in the athletic sports. The bicycle drill will be a feature not only beautiful but interesting. In the evening C. F. Michaels will give a grand ball and those so inclined may enjoy themselves till morning. Come and spend your 4th in Yale.

Be sure and buy your fireworks of H. J. Doelle.

Get your red, white and blue ribbon of Ballentine.

Regular meeting O. E. S. Wednesday evening July 6th. Initiation.

To stick things use Major's Cement. Beware!! Don't take a substitute.

Born to Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Rowe on Saturday, June 25, 1898, a daughter.

A pet dog of Chas. Michaels was killed by the excursion train on Sunday.

Next Monday is July 4th, and everybody is preparing to spend the day in Yale.

A Denyer girl wears a shirt waist made of a national flag. A case of Old Glory on a bust.

Friday last was the last day of the summer term of school in Yale and now the small boy is happy.

H. J. Doelle has a fine line of fireworks for the 4th, and he is selling his goods away down. Read his ad.

Remember and come to Yale on the 4th, and don't forget to call on Ballentine while in town.

Regular meeting Companions of the I. O. F. Tuesday evening, July 5, at 7:30. Election of officers and initiation.

Good haying weather this week and the farmers are busy. About next week they will be up to their eyes in harvest.

Girl Wanted—To do general housework in a small family. Apply to Dr. V. A. Lacy at his dental rooms in the Rapley Block, Yale.

Leslie Menzies while playing upstairs in the barn at his home on Mechanic street fell out of the door to the ground dislocating his right wrist.

Annual meeting of school district, No. 1, Yale, one week from next Monday, July 11th. You who are interested in the welfare of our schools should attend. It will be held in the high school building.

Dr. V. A. Lacy has been busy the past few days putting down carpets and arranging the furniture and fixtures in the Wm. Williams house north of the R. R. station. The Dr. expects his wife and infant son here in a few days.

The lawn social given by the Ladies' Benevolent Society of the Presbyterian church at the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. McLaughlin on Main street Monday evening, was largely attended. Ice cream, strawberries and other refreshments were served in abundance.

The young people for miles around are making preparations to attend the grand ball at Michael's hall, Monday evening July 4th. Mr. Michaels is arranging for a grand good time and those who attend will not be disappointed. Lawrence's orchestra will be there and the best caller in the world has been engaged.

J. H. Carter and crew at the second well are down about 78 feet. They find in boring this well about the same elements as in the first. Everything points towards another well of fine water. Tuesday morning Felix Marquette, of near Crosswell, began work on a third well with a machine. Thursday night he had gone down about 24 feet.

Considerable complaint has been made to the village council during the past month in regard to bicycle riders using the sidewalks of the village and the council has ordered the nuisance stopped. Those who have made a practice of riding their wheels on the sidewalks in the past will read the notice in another column and govern themselves accordingly.

Nellie Shaw, who has held the position of assistant post-mistress in the Yale postoffice for the past few years, has severed her connection and is now clerking in the bazaar store of Robt. Paul. Miss Shaw was always very pleasant and accommodating and every patron of the postoffice has nothing but good words to say of her. Mrs. Mary Hennessey takes her place.

Wm. Ruh, miller for the Yale Milling Co., informs us that in order to produce flour of as fine a quality as they have been making, the best grade of perfectly clean wheat is required. The first grade flour is justly celebrated in the most discriminating markets of the state. This reputation cannot be maintained except by the use of first-class grain. Wheat mixed with rye brings only a low price in any market. It is a well known fact that the growing of rye deteriorates the quality of wheat, creating a mongrel or hybrid variety. If we desire to improve the grades and varieties of our wheat we must keep it absolutely pure and free from rye. Farmers cannot spend a little time to better advantage than to go through the wheatfield and cut the rye out clean.

Married, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Murphy, in Watertown, on Wednesday evening, their daughter, Viola O., to George Barrett, of Watertown. The bride was attired in a suit of white satin, overlaid with silk chiffon, and wore white kid slippers. Her hair was trimmed with white roses. At 7:30 p. m. it was announced that all things were ready, when a line of march was formed. The bride was accompanied by Miss Georgia Gleason, the groom by Glenn Saville. The pastor, Rev. E. G. Gordon, acting as captain, led them into the parlor, where a beautiful arch of myrtle and roses had been built, under which the happy couple stood while the ceremony was performed, after which a sumptuous supper was served. About 30 relatives and friends were present. The young people will continue to live in Watertown.—Sanilac County Republican.

Annual School Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of School District No. 1 of the township of Brockway for the election of school district officers and for the transaction of such other business as may lawfully come before it, will be held at High School Room on Monday the 11th day of July, 1898, at 7:30 o'clock p. m.

Further, that those qualified to vote upon the question of raising money in said district, shall vote at such Annual Meeting to authorize said District Board to purchase and provide Free Text Books for the use of the pupils in said district.

Further, to vote whether or not said district shall come under the Uniform Text-Book Law.

Signed, Harvey Tappan,
Director.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.



PERSONAL.

MOVEMENTS AND DOINGS OF PEOPLE YOU MAY HAPPEN TO KNOW.

Mrs. L. H. Armstrong was in Port Huron Tuesday.

Miss Laura Baxter is visiting at Highbanks this week.

Harvey Tappan did business in Port Huron Tuesday.

J. A. Rapley was in Port Huron Sunday and Monday.

N. B. Herbert has been spending the week in Port Huron.

Frank Baxter took a wheel trip to Port Huron Wednesday.

G. G. Burt, station agent at Melvin, was in Yale Wednesday.

Joseph Elfrick did business in Port Huron and Sarnia Tuesday.

Judge Stevens, mayor of Port Huron, was a Yale visitor Friday last.

Charles Thornton of Romeo, was in Yale Tuesday on legal business.

Wm. Mason, wife and daughter, spent Friday last with Yale friends.

Mrs. Jacob Reichard, John Holmes and wife spent Sunday at Minden City.

Frank Coulter was down from Sanilac Centre visiting his parents Sunday.

Mrs. Eva Black and Mrs. L. M. Ardiel, of Avoca, visited in Yale Sunday.

Mrs. J. Q. Koode and daughter are visiting at their home in Hillsdale county.

Mrs. W. A. Holden, of Brown City, is visiting relatives and friends here at present.

Mrs. F. P. Currier sr., of Almont, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Currier jr., at present.

Dufferin Hanna, of Sarnia, visited this week with his brother Dr. Hanna at Roseburg.

Mrs. E. R. Beecher and daughter Bertha attended the S. S. Rally in Port Huron Wednesday.

Frank Lennon has been at Star Island this week attending pharmaceutical examinations.

Mrs. A. Mitchell and daughter Lulu of Kingston, have been visiting friends in Yale the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pennel of West Branch, were guests of Geo. W. Allen and wife the past week.

Moses Graybill and bride visited relatives and friends in Yale and vicinity the latter part of last week.

Mollie Brown is visiting relatives in Detroit this week and expects to go to Monroe and other places during the summer vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Griswold of Toledo, Ohio, former residents of Yale, were calling on old acquaintances in town the latter part of last week.

Mrs. C. F. Michaels, accompanied by her daughter Nellie, has returned home after a two weeks visit with relatives and friends in Saginaw and Bay City.

Prof. J. Q. Koode started Tuesday for Niagara Falls. He expects to make the trip on his wheel and will visit friends in the southern part of this state on his return.

Commissioner R. S. Campbell, of Port Huron, attended the graduating exercises here Saturday evening. Mr. Campbell has many friends in Yale all of whom are ever pleased to meet him.

The report that Fox & Rounds had closed out and shipped their stock of binder twine to wholesalers is decidedly wrong. This firm has a good supply and will meet the demand at any time.

McIntyre & Harris wish to inform the farmers that they will handle Armour Fertilizer again this season. Those who used this fertilizer last year are well satisfied and will use it again.

Our old friend, Barney Hall, of Buel township was married June 8th in New York state to a Miss Gore. Barney has many friends in Yale all of whom join with The Expositor in wishing him and bride many years of happiness and prosperity.

Dr. Warner Cornell, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, 229 Huron Ave., over Knill's Central Drug Store, Port Huron, will not make his regular visits to Yale, as usual, but will devote his whole attention to his office in Port Huron, where he can be found at any time.

Township highway commissioners should insist upon every pathmaster making the earth level and smooth that is drawn in the center of the road. Gravel should be placed on the highway whenever it can be obtained at a reasonable distance. A course of gravel now and then will make a vast improvement in a few years.

On account of not being able to obtain railroad iron as fast as was expected, this branch of the F. & P. M. will not be widened until about July 10th. This short delay is thought by the officials not to make very much difference to the freight traffic as this is the season of the year when the shipment of hay and grain is rather light.—Croswell Democrat.

Monday, June 20th, was the sixty-first anniversary of the ascension of Queen Victoria to the throne of Great Britain. Her Majesty has entered on the sixty-second year of her reign in health decidedly robust for her age, and with every prospect that the wishes of her many millions of subjects—that she may be spared to them for years to come—will be gratified.

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OUR NEW, FRESH AND CLEAN STOCK OF SEASONABLE GOODS.

Bought close, selected with good judgment as to quality, and in good taste as regards style and appearance. You will find many popular attractions in the line of

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WASH GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES.



Which for variety and completeness is the very best, and affords a wide range for satisfactory selection of the best goods to be found in the leading markets. We guarantee that every article in our stock has got the value in it and is worth every cent of the price asked. We sell the kind of goods that improve on close inspection and stand by you like a brother. We make every price just as low as it can be made for an honest article. You will find us on the rock-bottom basis and our goods all and always very low in price.

BALLENTINE'S DOUBLE STORE.

Business is Brisk!

Why does this store uniformly ask less prices for choice goods? Because we get more business that way—make more store friends—more people save—and we make just as much as if a less number paid higher prices. We could easily advertise to sell a child's suit for fifty cents, and we could buy one to sell you for that price—but you wouldn't buy it. There's the catch to so many cheap sounding suits. Any store can buy a shoddy suit and advertise to sell it for almost nothing without a profit. That's called advertising by some stores. Those suits are not advertised for the purpose of selling those suits; they're advertised to get you in to look at them and sell you another suit at a profit. We want to sell all the goods we've got, and we want to make a little profit on every sale. We don't want to sell anything at a loss and make it up on something else, for we'd get too greedy and never know when we had "made it up." We are doing a legitimate business and would be pleased to have you call and see us.

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To furnish you the finest quality of Roller Flour manufactured in the State. Our mill is running and we make a specialty of grinding, and all farmers and others who bring their grain to our mill can rest assured that they will get just returns, besides a first-class quality of Flour.

We Guarantee Our Flour.

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