

Vernon Inter-Lake: A. Garrison and family, with the exception of Miss Minnie, started home yesterday. Miss Minnie will remain some time longer.

Chesaning Argus: B. A. Snow was retained yesterday in the case of Jacob Estey vs. C. S. Richardson, another Bohemian oat case, to be tried in the circuit court. Married March 17, by Rev. W. H. Millar, at the residence of Frank Greenfelder, Mr. Chas. O. Quigley of Owosso to Miss Clara L. Perrott of Chesaning.

Bancroft Advertiser: At a meeting of the board of trustees of school district No. 3 Antrim and Shiawassee townships, held Wednesday night, Homer E. Dean was elected to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Director H. M. Billings. The graduating class of the Bancroft high school will be composed of nine members this year.

Flint Globe: Ed. Redmond of the firm of Redmond & McIntyre of Perry, was in the city Saturday and reports that during the past winter they have cut at their mill 20,000 railroad ties for the C. & G. T. R. R. and 600,000 feet of hardwood lumber mostly for the Estey Manufacturing Company at Owosso. They have employed 35 men and a number of teams. They have 800 acres of land, one section, or 640 acres, being in a body. On the other 160 acres they have 100 acres of excellent wheat. The coming season they will fence in the section with wire and picket fence, cutting the pickets in their mill, and will clear off a good slice of it and sow it to wheat in the fall.

Morrice Sentinel: The many friends of Dr. H. P. Halsted will be glad to learn that he intends to start for home March 26. Last Saturday evening while Radson Wilcox was at Bancroft, he had his horse and cart stolen from the street, about six o'clock. As Mr. Wilcox isn't a man to sleep much while his property is being run off, he immediately began to trace the matter up, and Sunday noon he found the property about 3 1/2 miles this side of Corunna, in the barn of a Mr. McIntee. This gentleman man admitted having taken the property, but said that he was so drunk when he did it that he did not realize what he was doing. He paid Mr. Wilcox \$25 and the Sheriff \$5 to settle the affair, and no legal steps were taken. The horse had been lamed some by hard driving.

Ovid Register: About twenty G. A. R. friends of Lester J. Kenney, surprised him with a party on Saturday night last. It was his birthday. A. H. Warren has gone to the eastern part of the State to purchase a Durham to head his herd of shorthorns. It is said Bert knows a good animal when he sees one, and it is safe to say he will bring back a good one. Chas. A. Hagadorn who has been attending to his gold mine in Arizona since last October returned home on Friday last. He is looking well and enjoyed his western trip hugely. He brought with him some fine specimens of Arizona mineral wealth also several specimens of peculiar articles of pottery, dug by himself from a distance of four feet from the surface, show strong indication of a prehistoric race which evidently inhabited the west thousands of years ago. He says that country is full of such curiosities and the bones of a race prior to the Indians.

D. M. Christian holds one of his Popular Consignment Sales of Silks and Plushes the next two weeks.

Whereas my wife, Mary E. Burk, has left my bed and board without my consent, therefore this is to notify all persons that I will pay no debts of her contracting. ELIAS D. BURK.

For Sale—Draft stallion six years old, weighs 1,600 pounds, black in color, good style, price low. Write for particulars, address, H. C. Bailey, Tecumseh, Mich.

Stock Notes.

J. W. Hubbard reports the following sales from Mound Spring herd and flocks: Shorthorns: To Perry Brown, Vernon, the high bred bull Oxford Prince, sired by Knightly Prince 2d 63283; dam Oxford Vanquish 16th by Waterloo Duke of Howell 41248, tracing to imp. Oxford Vanquish 4th by Baron Oxford 2d 23376. This bull is 17 months old and weighs 1110 pounds, is a very promising youngster and will head Mr. Brown's valuable herd. To H. A. Elles, Owosso, the bull calf Prince of Mound Spring, by Knightly Prince 2d; dam Jessie Lewis by Cambridge Duke 28758, tracing to imp. Stapleton Lass by Sailor 3532. Berkshire Swine: To A. Crofoot, Chesaning, 1 boar; Perry Brown, Vernon, 1 sow; A. Crickmore, Easton, 1 sow; R. L. Nichols, Jefferson, pair pigs; W. D. Underwood, Easton, pair pigs; W. C. Delaney, Washington, Mich., 1 sow; S. C. Goodyear, Swartz Creek, 1 sow; W. J. Bartow, Saginaw, 1 sow; Decatur Bros, St. Johns, pair pigs. Sales made since Jan. 1.

Several cases of twin foals are reported thus far this spring. E. E. Bunting lost a pair, sired by M. W. Willoughby's stallion, Richard Abdallah; R. B. Garrison a pair by L. P. Gould's stallion, Ben Hurr; E. L.

Fitch saved one of a pair by Louis Napoleon.

A TIMES man dropped down on the farm of E. Burlingame, of Burns, on Saturday and looked over his stock with a good deal of satisfaction. Mr. B. has a flock of about 100 Merinos—bred for strong constitutions and fleeces that will cleanse a large per cent. Last year the average fleece was a little over 12 pounds of wool that would command a large price in the market. Mr. Burlingame has his ideas of breeding and for years has followed them with good success. He also keeps some good Shorthorn cattle, at present having a bull nearly two years old that is a "dandy." Some calves seen on the farm would do credit to any breeder.

Perry Sun: P. Dunn went to Chicago and purchased 40 two year old steers and shipped them to this place. They arrived yesterday and 22 of them left their horns in Chicago or some other place as they were minus when they got here.

Governor Stanford has refused \$100,000 for Electioneer and \$35,000 for his daughter, Hinda R. Se.

Jas Miller, of Paris, Ky., has refused \$12,000 for a 1/2 interest in Bourbon Wilkes, sire of Dewey & Stewart's Bonnie Wilkes.

W. S. Kirby, of Galesburg, recently sold to Geo. Zeller, of Milwaukee, the three year old colt Frank B., a pacer, sired by Frank Noble, (brother of Jerome Eddy) dam by King Champion. Price \$500.

G. A. R.

The most successful of all the state encampments of the G. A. R. was the one held at Lansing last week. The veterans were present to the number of about 2,000. The following is the list of officers elected:

Department Commander—Washington Gardner.

Senior Vice Commander—Loren Roberts, Traverse City.

Medical Director—Well B. Fox, Bancroft.

Chaplain—W. H. Millar, Chesaning.

Assistant Adjutant General—Col Geo M. Devlin of Jackson.

Assistant Quartermaster General—Albert Dunham, of Ionia.

Judge Advocate General—Captain B. F. Graves of Adrian.

Committee on Soldiers' Home—Col. O. A. Jones of Ionia, L. N. Beagle of Flint.

Delegates—At large, Col John Atkinson, Detroit; Associates, J. C. Wheeler, Detroit; G. F. Smith, Jonesville; L. B. Smith, Dundee; R. L. Warren, Albion; Hamilton Carveth, Middleville; A. A. Halcomb, Fulton; T. J. Edwards, Dowagiac; V. P. Fales, Wayland; W. E. Maxwell, Ionia; Cyrus Akdord, Lansing; W. H. Morgan, Lansing; E. B. Taylor, Port Huron; Rudolph Papst, Lexington; N. B. Bradley, Elm Hall; V. B. Rattiers, Birch Run; G. A. Hart, Manistee; R. B. Hughes, Big Rapids; H. O. Merrill, Bay City; James J. Potter, Alpena; M. P. Carver, Traverse City; Lot Nevins, Chase.

W. R. C.

The gathering of the Relief Corps was also a large, enthusiastic and harmonious one. Officers elected are:

President—Mrs Louise A. Robbins, Adrian.

Senior Vice President—Mrs Hattie R. Murray, Homer.

Junior Vice President—Mrs Abbie Flagg, Battle Creek.

Treasurer—Mrs Phoebe J. Curtis, Adrian.

Chaplain—Sarah J. Potter, Potterville.

Executive Board—Mrs Josephine Turner, Coldwater; Mrs Lucy R. Armstrong, Corunna; Mrs Carrie E. Stevens, Stanton; Mrs M. Fanny Tower, Greenville; Mrs Carrie Leland, Hillsdale.

Delegates to the national meeting: At large—Mrs S. B. Daboll of St. Johns; associates—Sarah A. Brown of Ithaca, Hattie P. Thomson of Flint, Emorette Reynolds of Hillsdale; Frances Watkins of Grand Rapids, Laura Merrill, Alice Wallace, Mary Arnold, Maggie Austin.



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