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Local and Miscellaneous.

F. H. Maxwell is building a new barn. W. J. Jones of Dowagiac was in town Tuesday.

Rev. Fr. Wall was here from Dowagiac yesterday.

The first ice of the season was frozen Wednesday night.

E. H. Hockley of Kalamazoo was in the village Wednesday.

W. P. Traphagen of Hartford was in the village Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. N. Wakeman spent Sunday in Lawrence.

E. Winter of Kalamazoo was the guest of A. H. Dodge, Tuesday.

Miss Mai Hoyer is learning the millinery trade of Mrs. C. A. Van Fleet.

Mr. and Mrs. Beach of Decatur were guests of Miss Lula Rickard, Monday.

Mrs. Robt. Dillon and little son Joseph of Kalamazoo were in Paw Paw yesterday.

B. L. Sowle has been sick and confined to the house, but is now able to be out again.

Fred Brown of Chicago, who has been in Paw Paw some time, will return home within a few days.

The French coach stallion Ugolin can be found at Ed. Bilsborrow's place during the fall and winter.

Mrs. Dennis Cooper left Wednesday evening for a few days' visit with her daughter in Kalamazoo.

All sir knights are requested to be at K. O. T. M. hall Friday night; "a good time" doughnuts and coffee.

Evening services in the various churches, commencing next Sunday evening, will begin at 7 o'clock.

The little five-year-old son of L. Q. Ocobock fell off a porch, the forepart of the week and broke his collar bone.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Myers of Hillsdale announce the marriage of their daughter Bertha to Clinton H. Kempton.

Orders have been issued for one new rural mail route from Paw Paw and two from Mattawan, service to commence November 1.

Mrs. W. J. Ellis will go as a delegate to the district convention of the women's foreign missionary society to be held in Flint next week.

H. H. Curtiss of Charlotte, editor of Michigan Knighthood and grand outer guard of the Knights of Pythias, was in town Monday in the interest of the endowment rank of that order.

Walter Kilrain will give his lecture, illustrated with cinematograph pictures of the Passion play as given at Oberammergau, at the opera house, Tuesday evening, October 8, at 8 p. m.; admission, 25 cents.

A new time table went into effect on the S. H. & E. Monday morning, September 30. The evening train for Lawton now leaves Paw Paw at 7:15 and the evening mail closes at 6:45—a half hour earlier than before.

Cyrus P. Buckley died at his home in this village Sunday morning, September 29, about 6 o'clock, aged 76 years, 7 weeks and 6 days. Mr. Buckley had been a resident of Paw Paw and vicinity for the past 12 years. He leaves to mourn a wife and daughter, Mrs. Anna Lynch of San Luis, Cal., a brother, Nathaniel A. of Paw Paw, and a sister, Charlotte Buckley of Smyrna, N. Y., and other relatives and friends. Short funeral services, conducted by Rev. E. O. Mather, were held at the house at 4:30 Sunday afternoon. His remains were taken by his wife to their old home in Waterville, N. Y., for burial. In four weeks, Mrs. Buckley will return here to settle her affairs, and will then go to the state of New York to make her home.

Right Rev. Bishop Foley of Detroit, assisted by Frs. Grace and Lindeman of Kalamazoo and Rev. Fr. Clarkson of Paw Paw, administered the sacrament of confirmation at St. Mary's Catholic church yesterday afternoon to the following class: George S. Sage, Charles E. Creagan, Henry A. Creagan, John W. Desmond, Francis Z. Donovan, Mary L. Slie, Katherine F. Desmond, Agnes M. Fitzgerald, Mary M. Dillon, Maria M. LeDuke, Ellen C. Conway, Maria F. Sharkey, Harriet M. Cody, Margaret L. Donovan, Agnes G. Murphy, Marguerite M. Doyle and Myrtle E. Bean. Matthew Murphy acted as sponsor to the boys and Miss Hattie Rooney to the girls. Before the confirmation, Right Rev. Bishop Foley preached an eloquent sermon, a large congregation being present, who listened to the bishop with the closest attention.

A. H. Dodge attended the state convention of undertakers at Lansing last week.

Geo. Kessler is enjoying a vacation, and went to Milwaukee, Saturday night, to remain a few days. Dana Smith takes his place at the electric light plant.

INTERESTING CASE.

IS ACTION OF TOWNSHIP BOARD FINAL ON DRUGGIST'S BONDS?

One Phyl C. Bailey resides at South Haven and he desires to enter into business as a druggist. The drug business is somewhat overdone at the famous Van Buren county resort town, there being few desirable locations in that burg not already occupied by druggists and registered pharmacists. Probably there is not a town in Michigan that has as many druggists per capita as has our sister village.

So it was but natural that Mr. Bailey should seek a more eligible location, some place in which competition in the drug business would not be likely to be as keen as in his native town.

The thriving little town of Covert is located but a few miles from South Haven, and as there is but a single drug store in that burg, Mr. Bailey decided to enter into business at that place.

Accordingly he and his lawyer, A. L. Hammond, presented a bond to the township board of Covert and asked that the board give it the stamp of its approval.

This bond was given by Mr. Bailey as principal and by Joshua Stuller of South Haven and Andrew Donovan of Arlington as sureties.

After making due investigation the township board declined to approve this bond on the ground of insufficient surety. Mr. Stuller and Mr. Donovan were each on a South Haven druggist bond, and Mr. Stuller was surety on some of the Napier bonds in the circuit court, and the board concluded their liabilities were getting too heavy.

Mr. Hammond petitioned Judge Carr for a writ of mandamus to compel the board to take further action. An order was made for the board to show cause why such writ should not issue. The petitioner charged the board with bad faith and caprice and alleged that his bondsmen were wealthy and that the proffered bond was ample security. The board returned that its action was taken in good faith and after due and thorough investigation of the financial standing of the sureties.

Mr. Hammond asked the court to frame an issue of fact, on the trial of which a jury should pass upon the question of the good faith of the township board. After listening to the arguments of counsel, L. H. Titus appearing for the board, the court denied the petitioner's request.

Mr. Hammond applied to the supreme court for a writ of mandamus to compel Judge Carr to frame such issue of fact, and that court made an order to show cause why such writ should not be issued.

Judge Carr has made his return to such order, stating in full the proceedings that have been had, and the matter now stands for hearing in the supreme court.

This is a case of importance, especially to the people of Van Buren county where drug stores are so abundant, and the decision of the higher court will be awaited with much interest.

We, the jury, find that the deceased came to his death from heart failure caused by not taking Rocky Mountain Tea made by Madison Medicine Co. 35c. E. B. Longwell. [m]

Justice Court.

BEFORE JUSTICE ROWLAND.

On Wednesday last, Harry Hoard pleaded guilty to the larceny of a bicycle belonging to David Sherburn. The bicycle, which was stolen the last of August, was found in the river with the tires removed. Subsequently the tires were found on Hoard's wheel. The magistrate imposed a fine of \$25 and \$6 costs and 60 days' imprisonment in the county jail. In case of non-payment of such fine and costs the jail sentence was extended to 90 days.

BEFORE JUSTICE KILLEFER.

Wm. Brown of South Haven, whose trial was held last week Tuesday on a charge of assault with intent to rob one John Fitzgerald of South Haven, was discharged on account of insufficient evidence.

Luther Haynes of Paw Paw was brought into court Wednesday, charged with the larceny of a gold watch August 15, from Miss Lena Russell of Paw Paw. He pleaded not guilty. His trial was fixed for to-day at 10 o'clock.

When suffering from racking cough, take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. The soreness will be relieved and a warm, grateful feeling and healing of the parts affected will be experienced. E. B. Longwell. [m]

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You don't and can't if your stomach is weak. A weak stomach does not digest all that is ordinarily taken into it. It gets tired easily, and what it fails to digest is wasted.

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Among Our Advertisers.

Call at Mrs. O'Dell's, Friday and Saturday.

E. B. Longwell has a seasonable adv. this week.

Attention is called to the new adv. of J. McIntosh, the blacksmith.

R. W. Broughton has a new adv. this week, offering late and seasonable goods.

Mrs. N. M. Spaulding has a new adv. this week, announcing the fall millinery opening, October 4, 5 and 7.

W. R. Sellick has a new adv. this week, announcing some especially attractive carpets, linoleums, oil cloths and lace curtains.

H. C. Waters & Co. have sold furnaces the past week to Hoyt Bros. for Dr. Ferguson's new residence and to Robt. Johnson of Prospect Lake.

Mrs. Van Fleet has a new adv. this week. She especially invites visitors to-day and to-morrow, to see her new and up-to-date millinery.

"Conspicuous inconspicuousness" describes black tinged with white, "Oxford," the prevailing color of the new Kitchener yoke and Ryton long overcoats shown by E. Smith & Co.

E. G. Butler & Co. are among the True Northerners' steady advertisers, and grocery buyers can always depend on finding the choicest and freshest goods at their store.

H. L. Charles has built up a fine news business in this place, especially on daily papers and magazines. He makes prompt delivery anywhere in the village. Read his adv. in this paper.

Long overcoats will be worn this fall and the coming winter. Showman Bros.' will wear as long as you want them to. They will sell you a suit to suit you, and give you a hat or cap to suit the suit.

There isn't a skimp or a shortcoming, there's no false economy such as using faulty stuffs; everything is perfect; there's an air of gentility, a positive rightness about the garments of "the great whale clothing success." See their bulletin in this issue.

E. P. Mills is having his old furnace taken out and a new Snow Bros.' double diving, return flue, combination furnace put in its place. Andrew Shepard has bought a Snow Bros. furnace for his new house in Gliddenburg. Read what C. G. Hagerman says about their fuel saving qualities in Snow Bros.' adv.

The Hawaiian woman's club at Honolulu debated the question: "Is it better to take Rocky Mountain Tea hot or cold?" Either way it magnifies your pleasure. E. B. Longwell. [m]

The Coterie.

SCANDINAVIA—OCTOBER 9.

Leader..... Mrs. Clara S. Woodman

Instrumental Music..... Mrs. Mabel McFarland

Contour and Geography of the Scandinavian Provinces..... Mrs. Louetta Glidden

Flora and Fauna..... Mrs. Eugene O'Leary

Song..... Miss Ione Reynolds

Mythology and Legends..... Miss F. Allene Warner

Roll call..... Current events

Hostess..... Mrs. Imogene Lund

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