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W. J. SELLICK & SON--DRY GOODS, BOOTS AND SHOES.

Cloak and Jacket Sale

EXTRAORDINARY!

Having added a large number of new garments to our Cloak Department, we make astonishing and telling prices on the entire line:

Ladies' Black Cloth Jackets,		@$4.30.	Worth $ 5.50.
do	do	Stripe Cloth Jackets,	@$4.80. Worth $ 6.00.
do	do	Cheviot Reefers,	@$5.50. Worth $ 8.00.
do	do	Blazers, extra value,	@$7.90. Worth $10.00.
do	do	Cheviot Blazers,	@$7.95. Worth $12.50.
do	do	Astrach'n trim'd Jackets,	@$9.90. Worth $12.50.
do	do	do do do	@$12.00. Worth $16.00.

Ladies' Tan Jackets, light Fur trim'd, @$15.00 and $16.50. Worth $18.00 and $20.00.

Elegant Plush Jackets and Sacques, @$15.75, $18.00, $20.00, $25.00 and $28.00. Regular price $20.00, $22.00, $25.00, $30.00 and $35.00, respectively.

50

Per Cent. off on our entire line of

Newmarkets.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY OF PROCURING A NEWMARKET AT HALF THE REGULAR PRICE.

CHILDREN'S and MISSES' GARMENTS at CORRESPONDINGLY LOW FIGURES.

READY-MADE CLOTHING

22

Per Cent. Discount.

W. J. SELLICK & SON.

TO BE GIVEN AWAY SATURDAY, JANUARY 30, 1892.

THAT ELEGANT FOLDING BED IN GOODALE'S WINDOW.

With every Cash purchase of Three Dollars you get a souvenir card.

You do not have to invest twenty-five dollars in order to get something worth two.

Call and see me, as I am headquarters for Furniture in Van Buren County.

E. L. GOODALE.

YOU will keep close to the stove these days, if it's a poor one. We don't sell that kind, but have the good old honest heater, the ROUND OAK, which gives plenty of warmth with a small amount of fuel. It's a winner always. And prices! We have kept hammering away at them until they are very, very thin. Greatest chance for you! Just look in and see. The needs of the hour make a well regulated Hardware stock conspicuously necessary, and our store is a perfect "poem" in Hardware these days.

Yours truly,

Fred Bilsborrow.

THE TRUE NORTHERNER.

A. C. MARTIN, PUBLISHER.

Largest Circulation in the County.

SUBSCRIPTION, $1.50 A YEAR.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

M. E. Whalen, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon. Office in Longwell block. Office hours, 2 to 5 p. m., and 6.30 to 8 p. m. 1819ly

Heckert & Chandler,
Attorneys and Solicitors. Do a general law business. Paw Paw, Mich. [78

Millinery---Mrs. H. B. Odell.
At the busy millinery store on Kalamazoo street, (Grange store), hosts of elegant Fall goods of all kinds. Agent for the famous Corticelli silks

Absolutely the best place to purchase Monuments is of I. A. Whitman, in Paw Paw. You are guaranteed a large saving on your purchase. No agents' fee. Fifty beautiful Monuments, in Marble and Granite, to select from. 1911-1y1

A. W. Hendrick, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon, Paw Paw Mich. Office at residence. Special attention given to diseases of the Lungs, Liver and Kidneys, Private Diseases, Piles and Female Complaints---to all Chronic Diseases.

Paw Paw Savings Bank.
Capital $50,000.00 F. W. Sellick, Pres., E. A Crane Vice Pres., John W. Free, Cashier. Board of Directors,
J. J. Woodman, Geo. E. Burch,
John Lyle, William Lyle,
John W. Free, W. R. Sellick,
F. W. Sellick, William J. Sellick,
Edgar A. Crane. 1888ly

W. C. Y. Ferguson, D. D. S.
Dental Parlors.
Painless extraction of teeth by the use of Nitrous Oxide Gas.
Single extraction, twenty-five cents. Special attention given to the preservation of the natural teeth.
Satisfaction guaranteed.
Rooms over Savings Bank, Paw Paw, Mich. 1884ly

Bert P. Bryar,
General Insurance Agent---Life, Fire and Accident. Office in Manning block, Paw Paw, Mich. 1875ly

Insurance.
Insure your property against loss by fire in the reliable companies represented by the undersigned. Losses will be promptly and equitably adjusted. Life, Fire and Accident policies issued. Office over Broughton's store.
1878f. Wm. Killefer.

Joel D. Monroe, Pension Att'y.
All claims prosecuted successfully for less cost to claimants than any other agency in Michigan, and on the plan of "no duck, no dinner." Come and see, it costs nothing to find out.
Also, Real Estate and Insurance Agent, Notary Public and Conveyancer. Call and get my terms for anything you wish to buy or sell, either real or personal property. I mean business and will do you good. Try me.
Office opposite the court house, upstairs. [35tf

W. R. Hawkins.
Broker. Money loaned. Office opposite the Dyckman House, Paw Paw, Mich. 1388ly

City Hack and 'Bus Line.
Orders for private houses should be left at the Post Office. We never miss the train. G. E. Butler, Prop. 52tf.

For Sale.
Turned butcher blocks, all sizes and styles. For further information address B. W. Hipp,
1876tf] Paw Paw, Mich.

Land for Sale.
Forty acres of good land for sale at a reasonable price. Inquire of F. W. Sellick, Paw Paw Savings Bank. [79tf

Paw Paw Mills.
We are giving 28 lbs. of our best flour per bushel for good wheat, notwithstanding the reports to the contrary.
1873tf] Wise & Tuckey.

"A Word to the Wise," etc.
Get your colts broken by an experienced man. A few dollars paid to have a colt well broken is a good investment. A well trained colt is not liable to form any bad habits, while one improperly trained is a dangerous animal. For particulars and price inquire of
69tf C. Fox, Paw Paw, Mich.

Teachers' Examinations
The following is the schedule of dates for examinations during the school year:
Bangor, Saturday, Nov. 28, 1891.
Paw Paw, Thursday, March 3, 1892.
Gobleville, Saturday, April 30, "
Paw Paw, Thursday, Aug. 4, "
All examinations begin at 8:30 a. m., and you must be on time.
1905ly E. H. Hinckley, Co. Com.

Music.
I will be in Paw Paw on Mondays and Tuesdays of each week to give instruction on either piano or organ, and also voice culture.
10tf Gertrude M. Snow.

Money to Loan.
Several sums to loan on farms.
1115o15 Address, E. A. Crane,
Chase Block, Kalamazoo, Mich.

Fine Tailoring.
Go to Miller, the fashionable tailor, for a fine suit of clothes. Rooms in Longwell block, Paw Paw, Mich. [73tf

My whole family had been suffering from terrible colds on their lungs. I called at my druggist's and procured a bottle of Dullan's Great German 25 Cent Cough Cure, and I can safely recommend it as the best cough remedy that I ever bought.
Rosman Cowden, Liverpoan, Flint, Mich.
Don't Cough! Cough! Cough! but get a bottle and try it. For sale by Longwell Bros.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF PAW PAW.
The oldest and only National Bank in Van Buren County

Capital..... $100,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits. 15,000
Additional Liability of Stockholders 100,000
E. Smith, President. E. F. Parks, Cashier.
A general banking business transacted.
Interest Paid on Certificates of Deposit. 1903y

Lincoln H. Titus,
Attorney and counsellor. Collections made. Office over Abstract Office, Paw Paw, Mich. [1883

Wanted!
Wheat, Clover Seed, Beans and Bean Pickers. [1312o14] [A. Van Auken.

Local Department.

Fred Koons is in the employ of E. L. Goodale.

Mrs. C. F. Young was on the sick list last week.

Hon. C. J. Monroe of South Haven, was here last Monday.

Miss Cora Hinckley entertained a few friends last Saturday evening.

The Methodist society has its pleasant church lighted by electricity.

Irving Clapp of Allegan, has been with his brother J. T. for the past week.

J. F. Barrows of Lawrence, was called to town this week to act as juror.

Spafford Tryon of Dowagiac, is trying 'em on at the Circuit Court this week.

Hon. J. J. Woodman and wife are in attendance upon the National Grange.

Frank Buck of Dowagiac was in town last week, called hither by his mother's illness.

J. C. Goodale and daughter of Kalamazoo, spent Sunday in town with E. L. Goodale.

Junia Warner and wife of Oakland, California, are spending a week with relatives here.

Mrs. C. L. Eaton has been spending part of the week with her sister in Bloomingdale.

Advertised letters: Mr. Wm. H. Paul, Mr. George Darby, Mrs. Mary Earle, Miss Susie Marburay.

Archibald Bilbo has purchased E. R. Annable's residence for $1200, and will soon take possession.

John Sherman has been suffering from quite a severe attack of inflammation of the bowels.

Miss Lane, preceptress of the Decatur high school, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Miss Hinckley.

On the morning of Nov. 10, a nine-pound boy arrived at the home of Mrs. Willard Huyck in Chicago.

A. F. Hayes has got back to his old stamping ground, arriving from Chicago last Thursday evening.

The genial P. H. Carroll of Grand Rapids, was shaking hands with his many friends here last week.

Mrs. Kimball, mother of Mrs. C. R. Avery, is spending a week at Battle Creek with Mrs. Amos Stevens.

Quite a little fall of "the beautiful," yesterday, necessitated the first tour of the snow-plow for this season.

If you get any kerosene that smokes your chimneys in a single evening, you may be sure you are burning low-test oil.

A. F. Hayes has some interesting California specimens, the most curious of which are a tarantula's nest and shark's egg.

J. H. Bryar is home from Kansas City, for a vacation, and will divide his time this winter between White Pigeon and Paw Paw.

Diamond and pearl solitaires are becoming so common among our young ladies, that we predict a run on marriage licenses soon.

The ladies of the 6th division of the Coterie will give a social tea at the home of Mrs. L. A. Whitman on this (Wednesday) evening.

There will be a select party at Longwell's opera house on Friday evening of this week. Buck & Geer's orchestra will furnish the music.

Mrs. L. C. Hurd returned on Wednesday from a short visit to Benton Harbor, bringing Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Kent of that city home with her.

Geo. Mutchler of McDonald, was in town on business last week. He is a hustler, and one of the best drain commissioners this county ever had.

Miss Ruth Gleason of Gliddenburg, has been dangerously ill with pleuro-pneumonia, but under Dr. Whalen's skillful treatment is now on the gain.

A. E. Aseltine of Gobleville, was elected president of the Northern Van Buren County Teachers' Association, at their recent meeting in Bloomingdale.

Hon. A. C. Glidden left on Saturday for a week's tour through the state making arrangements for Institute work of the State Board of Agriculture.

A. S. Prentice of Kalamazoo, has been spending a few days in town. He has nearly recovered from his sickness, though still showing traces of its ravages.

Mrs. Leroy Osborne and Mrs. Fred Bassett returned on Friday from their five weeks' sojourn with their husbands at St. Louis, and report a very enjoyable time.

Mrs. Ida Mowry of Three Rivers, and Mrs. Nellie Francisco of Grand Rapids came to their father's last Wednesday, immediately upon learning of his sudden prostration.

The selection of seats for the Leland Powers' entertainment and sale of tickets for the same, will take place at 10 o'clock Thursday morning, Nov. 19th, in Grange Hall.

A valuable Jersey cow belonging to J. E. Phillips, broke its halter the other day and gained access to the grain, eating its full before discovery, the result being that Ed. is minus a cow.

A fac-simile of the New York *Herald*, dated April 15, 1865, heavily draped in mourning and containing the startling announcement of President Lincoln's assassination, is being sold as a literary relic.

Seth Allen of South Haven, who is convalescing from a severe attack of pneumonia, was in town Monday on his way to Lawton, where he will spend a few days with his father-in-law, J. C. Bishop.

John T. Clapp's three sons, Julius, Willis and Frank, arrived from the West last Friday. Reaching Lawton at one p. m., they procured a team and hastened at once to the bedside of their stricken father.

Elam Warner was trying to mitigate the wintry appearance of yesterday's snow-storm by passing around a fine Black Spanish watermelon, but somehow it had a belated, melon-colic aspect in the sunny air.

On Sunday night the very heavens seemed to weep over the dark mantle that obscured sweet Luna's beauty, and those who had anticipated a fine view of the eclipse, found the conditions rather unfavorable.

David Anderson, who has been reading law in Judge Heckert's office for the past seven months, has exchanged Blackstone for pedagogical lore, and will wield the ferule at Berlamont during the coming winter.

The death of Monroe Stevens of Oshtemo, occurred on Monday, Nov. 9, and the funeral was from the house on Wednesday following, at 10 a. m., the remains being interred in what is sometimes designated as the Fitch cemetry.

The most undeniable proof of the value of newspaper advertising is furnished by a Jackson man who advertised in the local papers for a girl, and was presented with twins by his wife next morning, both of the female persuasion.

Miss Jennie Cook, well known as a former Paw Paw girl, has decided to abandon the millinery trade for "a school with one scholar." The ceremony is to occur to-morrow evening at her father's, and she will hereafter be known as Mrs. Slayton.

Next Sunday evening the services at the M. E. church will be in the interest of education and partake of the nature of Mich. College Day exercises. Rev. A. C. Jones and others will make short addresses. On Sunday, the 29th, quarterly meeting will occur, and Presiding Elder Carlisle will preach in the evening.

The following were successful at the Teachers' examination held at Decatur, Oct. 21: W. G. Bessey, Marcia Beattie, Chas. Boughton, J. D. Bennett, Anna Creagan, Mary Dyer, Anna Fort, Kate Hills, Minnie Hawks, Annie Haney, F. E. Lindsley, Swaby Lawton, Lena Little, H. A. Martin, Maude Parmenter, R. B. Taylor, Emily Warner, Burdette Whipple.

Harry Longwell has been wonderfully busy of late superintending the repairs on his new house, which include the putting in of a grate, with new paint and paper throughout, and when the elegant new furniture and beautiful presents are all in place, Harry can congratulate himself that his nest is a fit setting for the fair mate he proposes to occupy it. The young couple hope to be well settled by next week.

For the past five months H. W. McCabe has been assisting B. F. Warner in the disposal of his large herd of western horses, and it may surprise the community to learn that their business relations recently terminated in a somewhat unexpected manner by Bangs giving McCabe a regular caning; but as it was done with a handsome gold-headed stick, engraved with Mr. McCabe's name and post-office address, the latter smilingly declares that he holds no ill will whatever.

Friends to the number of thirty-five or forty came from different directions through the rain on Tuesday evening, Nov. 10th, to the home of Frank Harris to witness the marriage of Miss Myrtle Harris to Mr. Frank Goeche, of Kalamazoo. The ceremony was performed by Mrs. Anna Barton, and every one seemed to enjoy the occasion, especially the supper, which was very bountiful and of a first-class order. The young couple left that evening for their new home in Kalamazoo.

On Wednesday last John T. Clapp, who has been in poor health for many weeks, suddenly fell from the chair in which he was sitting and was taken up in an unconscious condition, in which state he remained until Saturday, when he fell sufficiently to recognize his children. From that time he gradually failed, until yesterday at noon he quietly passed away, leaving a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn his loss, though they cannot regret his release from suffering.

E. R. Annable vacated his former residence on Monday and started the car containing his household goods that same afternoon. His family are now at the Dyckman, awaiting the close of court to set him free from his duties as prosecutor, at which time they will immediately start for their new home on the Pacific coast. Mr. Annable's legal ability is such as will make him an acquisition to any place, while his wife is a sweet, womanly woman, and we are sorry to lose them from our community.

The hunting party composed of Messrs. Engle, Thayer, Rawson and Hawkins, have met with great disappointment in the shape of the serious illness of the last mentioned gentleman. It seems that they had just gotten nicely settled in camp and had enjoyed but one day's sport, Seward Hawkins having made happy by bringing down a fine deer, when he was suddenly taken so ill as to require constant attendance. Cole Rawson having volunteered as nurse, they remained in camp for some time, when it became apparent that he must be brought home, and Mr. Rawson started with him on Nov. 12, reaching Kalamazoo two days later. At last accounts Mr. Hawkins was no better. [Later---As we go to press, news is brought of his death.]

L. H. Titus and family moved to Paw Paw this week. We congratulate the County Seat on their accession to its citizenship. As Mr. Titus has won most of his legal victories at the county court we do not presume to give Paw Paw people any pointers in this direction. As a man they will find him an active, earnest advocate of temperance and moral reform; and Mrs. Titus is a most womanly woman whose accession to any society will be to its gain. Hartford is very sorry to part with them.—*Day-Spring.*

Covetous Claimants.

The Probate Court is the arena for a great many fierce conflicts among relatives of deceased persons over property left, and the smaller the estate the more acrimonious seems to be the contest.

On Monday last the claims against the estate of Edward Forman, deceased, were heard before Judge Heckert, at which time a brother-in-law and wife, and the divorced wife of Forman, presented claims for taking care of deceased during the three weeks preceding his death, in the enormous sum of over sixteen hundred dollars.

The estate was so small that the state buried Forman as an indigent "old soldier."

The court-room was packed to its utmost capacity with the parties and their witnesses and the scramble was so disgusting that all honest claimants were put to shame.

The court allowed them the munificent sum of sixty-eight dollars, remarking that such unconscionable demands tainted the whole claim with fraud and branded the whole proceeding with discredit.

The deeds of honorable service of the old veteran with his badges lying upon his bier, had no restraining influence upon the ghouls that hovered above his small remainings, like so many buzzards over a rotten carcass.

Truly we live in an age of sordid grasping after plunder.

Leland T. Powers.

All lovers of elocutionary attainments may expect a great treat on next Friday evening, and especially all admirers of Dickens' works, as Leland T. Powers will give a life-like representation of thirteen characters in "David Copperfield."

The following clippings will show in what estimation Mr. Powers is held by the public, and we are told that he was called back again and again at last week's entertainment in Ann Arbor:

"Mr. Powers' personations from David Copperfield were the perfection of art."—*Brooklyn Union.*

"Powers is a genius. He has wonderful gifts. No person of cultivated taste should miss hearing him."—*Rochester Democrat and Chronicle.*

"The entertainment was indeed marvelous, while being very pleasing. The actor was recalled at the close of each act."—*Bay City* (Mich.) *Press.*

Business Brevities.

W. J. Sellick & Son are offering great inducements this week to purchasers of cloaks and jackets. A fifty per cent discount on newmarkets.

Freese & Rohde are having their second ten per cent discount sale on cloaks and jackets. It will pay you to look over their stock.

H. E. Shaefer, of the ground floor gallery, will give away, on January 8, 1892, an elegant twenty-dollar toilet set. Read what he has to say about it in another column of this issue.

R. W. Broughton is now issuing profit-sharing coupons to his customers, and otherwise doing business on the co-operative plan. For full particulars, see his new adv.

H. W. Showerman has just received a large invoice of rubbers which he warrants to give the best of wear.

Circuit Court Proceedings.

The following business has been disposed of in the circuit court up to hour we go to press:

The People vs. Taylor Hance; lewd and lascivious cohabitation. Nol. pros.

The People vs. V. O. Harrison; incest. Convicted.

The People vs. John Brooks; larceny. Over the term.

Chas. Duncombe vs. J. C. Barrows; assumpsit. Settled.

Edwin H. Coons vs. Chas. H. Cady; appeal from justice court. Over term.

W. M. Couch vs. J. E. Chandler; assumpsit. No cause of action.

Moses Fulk vs. Wm. O. Packard; appeal. Settled.

L. A. Rogers vs. O. J. Freer; trespass on the case. Stricken from calendar.

Jas. C. Parsons vs. Thos. C. Parsons; slander. Over the term.

Probate Court Proceedings.

Following are the proceedings in Judge Heckert's court for the week ending Tuesday, Nov. 17:

Estate of Esther C. Nelson, deceased; William H. Nelson appointed administrator.

Estate of Mary A. Hopping, dec'd; license to sell real estate granted.

Estate of Angeline Danielson, dec'd; license to sell real estate granted.

Estate of Edward Foreman, deceased; order allowing claims entered.

In the matter of Lora P. VanAuken, minor; petition for appointment of guardian filed; bond filed and letters of guardianship issued to Lodema Van Auken.

Estate of Henry W. Rhodes, deceased; petition of widow for household goods and allowance during settlement of estate filed; order granting same entered.

New Suits.

Ithiel P. Farnum vs. Edwin Howard & Co.; attachment.

Geo. H. Rinker et al. vs. Edwin Howard & Co.; attachment.

Siegmund Guthmann et al. vs. Edwin Howard & Co.; attachment.

T. J. Shay & Co. vs. Wm. P. Sirrine; replevin.

Jacob Oppenheim vs. Nathan Thomas; replevin.

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