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BUCHANAN, BERRIEN CO., MICH., TUESDAY, APRIL 26, 1904.

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Special Sale For April \$

Geo. Wyman & Co. offer a vast amount of merchandise very much under price.

SILK SALE

A table full of fancy silks for waists and suits 50c a yard. One lot 75c, also 27 inch silks for shirt waist suits 75c. One lot pongee silks. 50c, one lot 36 inch pongees, 85c, all way under price. Black taffeta silks, 27 inch 69c, 24 inch 60c, 19 inch 45c.

LAWNS

One lot lace stripe batiste 121/4c, worth 25c; one lot 10c, worth 20c; one line plain black, also colors India line remnants worth up to 35c, 5c yd. Full pieces 103, worth 25c.

RIBBON SALE

One lot fancy printed satin taffeta ribbons, 35c yard, worth up to 75c. One line laces 3c and 5c.

One sample line Mexican drawn work, one-third off regular prices. New line of embroideries 1c, 2c, sc. 5c and 10c—all way under price.

CLOAK DEPT.

We offer new lines of ladies' waists, skirts and suits, also jackets. Calico wrappers 75c, percale wrappers \$1 00.

We offer in our trunk stock, 24 in. alligator suit cases \$2.00; good line of bags 35c and up. Trunks \$1.75 and up. Our prices on trunks are much under regular price.

DOMESTICS

We offer one line Cheviots and Ginghams at 10c, about half price; one lot ginghams 121/c.

One line short length Batists, 10c, way under price; one line Percales, 12½ c quality, for 10c; Bleached Sheets, 81x90, 49c; 42 and 45 inch Pillow Cases, 121/2c; Standard Prints 4c and 5c—all the same quality; 5-4 Table Oilcloth, 121/2c and 15c.

You can depend on getting the goods advertised. We have the right kind of goods; the right kind of prices and the right kind of clerks;

COME AND SEE US GEO.WYWAN&Co. SOUTH BEND, IND ...

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***** * * The Elkhart Bank Looters.

The misfortunes of Walter Brown and the other two Elkhart men con victed of looting the bank at Elkhart create pity for them and real sympathy for the innocent families who see themselves thrust from homes of plenty and luxury, pride and leisure to a plane of deepest sorrow and crushing disgrace. The bankers themselves can claim no sympathy, for their methods could not fail to lead otherwise than to prison. Nearly all the property crimes of the moral law were committed by Brodrick. Collins and Brown. They were capable men, able to appreciate the enormity of their acts and the ultimate certainty of discovery and punishment. They took all risks, like a burglar, with their eyes open. They were not content in risking merely their own money, but must recklessly put the money of confiding depositors and friends in peril. The sum of their pare with the sum of the misery the losses to the hundreds of depositors brought about. The law has been vindicated, it is true, but the losers have not been compensated. The bank wreckers must drink the dregs to stupify their morals and to obliterate their caution. The people of Elkhart will breathe easier-the moral atmosphere of the city's business interests has been purified by the court's action.—Fort Wayne News.

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A Love Letter Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed salve for Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best salve on earth. 25c at W. N. Brodrick's drug store.

DIED WHILE YOUNG.

Miss Ida Newsome Succombs to Spinal Disease.

death of their daughter, Ida Bell.

old. For over two years she has been | tered and mangled. afflicted with spinal meningitis, which, with pneumonia, caused her p. m., Rev. Chas. A. Shook officiating. o'clock, a. m.

* * * * Criticism Better Than Compliments.

The Times reporter has discovered that people who have never read his paper in their lifetime will do so just as soon as an item they do not like appears on its pages. Columns of compliments, kind words and laudation may be printed, but they'll never them this evening and you will have see nor speak of it. Let the reporter to pay the express when you receive write one sentence they don't like and them, they'll be after him inside of an hour after the paper is issued.—South Bend Times.

* * * Wreck at Galien.

Galien, Mich, April 23-A break of a drive wheel on an engine on the Three I R. R. last night, threw eleven present misery, together with that of freight cars off the track here. Six their innocent families, cannot com- were loaded with merchandise, and were demolished. Estimated loss is \$10,000.

* * * MILLINERY.

We have made a fine selection of pattern hats and street wear for our of the cup they called success as well store, and invite the ladies to call as the beaded wine which served only and select a fine hat for \$3.00-\$3.50. We are going to make these hats a speciality during the entire season.

MRS. E. PARKINSON.

Saves Two From Death

"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Havi- five cents." land, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies failed, we saved pres, burns cr piles. Otto Dodd, of her life with Dr. King's New Discov-Conder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with ery. Our niece, who had consumption an ugly sore for a year, but a box of in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for coughs and Geo. Wyman & Co. are making colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles, guaranlower prices for April. See advertise- teed by W. N. Brodrick. Trial bot-

MAN KILLED **NEAR NILES**

Struck by Inter Urban Car and Fearfully Man-

YOUNG MAN WAS A MUTE

The First Death to Occur on the Trolley Line.

Saturday morning about 8 o'clock a deaf and dumb man, who was later identified as Maurice Miller, 28 years old, of South Bend, was struck by a South Bend and Southern Michigan Railway car about one and one half miles south of Niles. The Star of Saturday evening, in reporting the sad affair, contains the following:

The car was in charge of Conductor Smith and Motorman Barnes and the latter says that he whistled several times, but that the man ahead, who was walking toward Niles, seemed to pay no attention; that he-Barnes —put on the brakes, but just as he did so, the man ahead looked around and started to leave the track, all of which the footprints in the sand at the scene of the accident corroborate. However, before the deceased got out of harm's way, he was struck and dragged about two car lengths.

Conductor Smith hurried to a farm house and telephoned news of the accident to F. W. Richter, the company's local agent, who lost no time in notifying Coroner Platt and a phy- balmers' licenses. Saturday morning at the home of sician, both of whom hurried to the Mr. and Mrs. John Newsome, who scene. Dr. Carr made an examinalive on a farm of the Wm. Pears tion, which revealed the fact that estate, north of town, occurred the the dead man's skull was terribly fractured, there being a gaping hole She was born at Buck Creek, Ind., in the forehead; that several ribs were May 23, 1884, and at her death was broken; right foot was broken and 19 years, 10 months, and 29 days left arm and shoulder terribly shat-

Coroner Platt impanelled a jury, after which the remains were placed death. She leaves a father, mother, on board of a car and brought to sister, and four brothers. Funeral | Paul Skalla's undertaking establish services were conducted from the Ad- ment, the jury being notified to convent Christian Church Monday at 2 vene at the council rooms at 11

> The following letter was among the documents found on the dead man's person:

Chicago, April 9, 1904. Dear brother Maurice: On account of sickness we are a little backward in sending your clothes but I sent Goodbye, Walter.

A single and double hand alphabet of four pages was also found on the body, the following appearing on page 3: "Good Luck to All. I am Deaf and Dumb."

To My Friends. 'What boon shall I ask for? A few friends to assist me, The green earth around me, A bright sky above me, Give me the true friends Who wili assist me In the winter's dark hours As the summer's bright days."

Having no employment, and in order to make a living, I offer my friends and the public this card containing the single and double hand alphabet for the amusement and convenience of those who wish to speak with the hand and hear with the eye. Hand performs the part of the tongue.

"Will you please buy this card for

***** * * FOR SALE.

I desire to sell my Brick and Tile Yard which is thoroughly-equipped with nearly new machinery, has fine large kiln, and every thing complete for the busiess. The property will be sold at a bargain price.

MRS. HENRY BLODGETT, SR., Buchanan, Mich.

Subscribe to the Record, only \$1 per

Entire System Attacked in the Supreme Court at the National Capital.

STATE POSTMASTERS TO MEET

Examination of Enbalmers Is Coming -Suicide's Race with Death Michigan Notes.

Lansing, Mich., April 26. — Deputy Attorney General Chase has started for Washington to argue before the federal supreme court the case of Merrit E. Chandler vs. auditor general, in which Michigan's entire tax system is attacked. The arguments will be on the state's demurrer, which Judge Swan at Detroit sustained, Chandler appealing.

State Postmasters' Association.

Lansing, Mich., April 26.—The executive committee has decided that the meeting of the state Postmasters' association will be held during the week of July 11 at the Agricultural college. One of the assistant postmaster generals will be present and Representative Hamilton will be another speaker. Postmaster Linton, of Saginaw, will give some of his observatoins on foreign postal systems, having made a tour of Europe in the interests of the postoffice department. The state board of agriculture will pass out a banquet.

License for Embalmers Next. Lansing, Mich., April 26. — A state board for the licensing and examining of embalmers may be a creation of the near future. This work is now in the hands of the state board of héalth, which finds its regular business interfered with by the great amount of convespondence in the matter of em-

Lansing, Mich., April 26.—The semiannual apportionment of primary school money will be made May 10. The disbursement will probably be on a basis of 60 cents for each child of

school age, the same as last year. RACED WITH DEATH AND WON

Wanted to Die at Home After Taking Carbolic Acid and Just Made His Point.

Belsay, Mich., April 26. — Arthur Phelps, of Burton township, had a race with death and death won. He had been ill for several months and while in a despondent mood swallowed an ounce of carbolic acid. Before taking the drug he went to the Glenwood cemetery, half a mile from his home.

Taking off his overshoes he took a position in the road, swallowed the acid and started on a mad race toward home. By the time he reached the dooryard the drug took effect and he fell prostrated to the ground and died in a few minutes.

Baby Boy Was Cremated.

Copemish, Mich., April 26. - The house belonging to Samuel Thomas, a farmer living in Pleasanton township, eight miles from Copemish, burned. Mrs. Thomas was in the woods gathering sap, and had left her three children in the house alone. The two older ones, girls, aged 5 and 3, got out safely. The baby boy of 9 months was burned to death in the building.

Firebug Is Probably Mad.

Jackson, Mich., April 26.-The sheriff has in custody here a fire bug who has been terrorizing farmers east of this city. He fired a school house, barn and resort hotel, but all were discevered in time to prevent their destruction. He refuses to give his name and tore his clothing in pieces. The officers believe him insane.

Michigan Man Dies in Europe. Saginaw, Mich., April 26. - News has been received here by cable of the sudden death at Vienna, Austria, of W. C. McCllure, a well-known lumberman of this city. He was touring Europe with his wife and daughter when stricken down with heart failure. The body will be brought home by the first steamer.

Michigan Militia Is All Right. Lansing, Mich., April 26:-Major C.

Vernon, inspecting officer of the war department, has found the Michigan National Guard to be in excellent condition, both as regards training and equipment. He has but four more companies to visit and will complete inspection April 28.

Work Train Jumps the Track. Adrian, Mich., April 26.-A work train on the Lake Shore jumped the track at Sutton, en route to Manches ter, and was partly wrecked. The engineer, fireman and conductor were badly bruised, but not seriously. The

Detroit Southern.

Talking About Chairs ---

We will be glad to show you some nice new things in Reed Rockers Saddle Wood Seat, and Cobbler Seat Rockers. There's a lot of "good looks" in them; the low prices on them are attractive and better still, there's "solid comfort" in them. Solid comfort makes us think of those couches of ours, do you know our couches with guaranteed steel construction are not dust collectors?

Richards & Emerson

FURNITURE

TORNADO KILLS SEVEN PERSONS

Wounds Others, Three of Whom Are Fataliy Hurt, and Destroys Much Property in Indian Territory.

Fairland, I. T., April 26. — Half a by a tornado that swept through here, Houck, and Elijah Russell, and his wife and child.

It is estimated that the tornado the tornado was even more severe. Farm houses and barns were completely demolished, and farm stock was

Near Needmore Bert Delay's house year-old son killed and Delay seriously hurt. At Clear Water, I. T., James Russell, Miss Russell (his daughter, a ously injured, and many others hurt. Twenty residence and business houses at Clear Water were wrecked.

LUXURIOUS TRAVELING

How the Methodists East Will Go to the General Conference at Los Angeles.

Philadelphia, April 26.—The first tem of the Pennsylvania railroad. Six other trains will leave on the 27th under the same auspices, each with a complement of 120 persons. The trains are equipped with sleeping and ist agents, chaperons, and special baggage agents.

The party includes all the official delegates of this and adjoining states, including a number from New England, besides many passengers not officially connected with the conference.

even popular winds of so-called re-GIVEN AWAY-BY THE WOMAN

Strikers Arraigned for Murder Plead Not Guilty; Their Female Companion Pleads the Other Way.

Kanslas City, Mo., April 26.-Will iam Moon, Edgar G. Bailey and William Forshe were arraigned in the criminal court charged with murder in the first degree for having killed Albert Ferguson, a non-union hack driver, during the recent strike. They pleaded not guilty and their cases were set for of the primary laws of other states,

Mrs. Catherine G. Biggs, who ac companied the men on the night of the murder, was arraigned as an accessory. She pleaded guilty, but the judge changed the plea to not guilty and set her trial for June also. All were remanded to jail.

THE REAL PROPERTY. branch trains were transferred to the or equal to it. Price 50c at at Dr. E. my heartiest support." S. Dodd & Son's,

Just a Plain Citizen.

I have not the pleasure of Homer Warren's acquaintance and, of course never dined with him at the Detroit club. In fact very few of the sturdy dozen business blocks were destroyed | yeomanry of Berrien county have had an opportunity to don their swallow killing seven persons outright and in- tails and form Detroit club acquaintjuring a number of others. Three of lances, and as a rule they do not care the injured will die. The lead are to have their governors' surrounded Mrs. Mary Lamar, Mrs. John Lemas- with any such aristocratic halo. They ter, Arthur Brought, child of N. J. had rather find him in a calf pen or goose patch with a pole fence for a halo. There it was they found John caused property damage to the extent | T. Rich, Cyrus G. Luce, and Edwin of \$10,000. Four miles south of here Winans. They were picked up as candidates for governor from the farm and they rounded out into three of the best governors the state ever had. I know Fred Warner, I met was wrecked by a tornado, his 12- him, as did thousands more last fall, when he took in the fairs around the county. I never saw a man more at school teacher), Mrs. Keller, Mrs. J. | home than Fred Warner was when D. Thomas and daughter were danger- | dropped down in a crowd of farmers; or more deeply interested in all that concerns the material welfare of the great basic industry. True enough, Fred is just a plain farmer and cheesemaker, but a truer gentleman never grasped an honest yeoman's hand, nor does he lack, any more than Rich and Luce and Winans, all essential train of a series of seven bound for the graces to do honor to the high office general conference of the Methodist of governor. He has made a success church at Los Angeles has left here of farming and cheesemaking, just under the "personally conducted" sys- as Rich and Luce did, he is fully as good a citizen as either, and as governor I believe he will be fully their equal. He is built upon good square manly lines and their isn't dining cars, and have stenographers the slighest taint of the demagogue and ladies' maids, in addition to tour- about him. He spends no time to the gallaries. He is just as frank and explicit in defining his position on pri-

In an interview in The Free Press he plants himself squarely upon 'homerule'' and says: "I would adopt primary election reform at such times and in such places as the voters are ready for it." He declares his adherence to the primary voting system and says: "I have for months been making a careful compilation to the end that their merits and defects before the legislature, the best laws obtainable may be drafted and passed." This is the hard common sense with which he has always been credited—close study of what is best and then sure sailing. In this he shows the sturdiness and conservatism whice always comes from being close to the soil, and those who know Wine Lo-Ti (Coonley's beef, iron him will never question his integrity and wine with nervine) is the perfect when he says: _"If elected, any prifood tonic. There is no other like it cause of clean government will have

mary election reform as one would

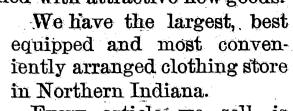
expect such a man to be. He doesn't

change for every varying wind that

blows nor does he set his sail to catch

Isn't It A Satisfaction

to enter a store that has only the newest, best and freshest stocks? A store that weeds out all the odds and ends at the finish of every season and keeps its counters and shelves filled with attractive new goods?



Every article we sell is backed by the Spiro guarantee and that means the quality is there, the style is right and that it must come up to your highest expectation.

Good clothes are always worth what they cost, but paying the price doesn't get

The reasons for buying Spiro suits are: First, they are good clothes; second, they cost enough to be good, and no more; third, if you don't think they're as good as they cost, you can have your money back.

We are now receiving new spring suits and overcoats from eastern markets, and we will be glad to see you and to show them to you.

We won't bore you to buy if you should not be ready to.

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South Bend, Indiana.

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\$1.25 per year, 65c for 6 months and 35c for 3 months. If paid promptly in advance when due the following rates will be made: \$1.00 per year, 50c for 6 months and 25e for 3 months.

APRIL 26, 1904.

Brilliant Record of a Newspaper Man-

The success which has attended William E. Curtis, the famous correspondent of The Chicago Record Herald, is rarely attained by newspaper writers. Beginning his career in 1872 as reporter, he rapidly rose to the position of managing editor. He resigned that position on receiving a government appointment as secretary of the South American commission. Mr. Curtis traveled extensively in Central and South America while in this position, producing several popular volumes as the result of his literary labors. Afterward co-operating with Secretary of State James G. Blaine, Mr. Curtis organized the work of the bureau of American republics, with the result that he was placed in charge of that organization, and at the World's Columbian Exposition he distinguished himself by his labors as the executive head of the Latin-American department. As corres pondent of The Chicago Record-Herald, Mr. Curtis' travels have carried him into every section of the United States as well as into all quarters of the globe. His China aud Japan letters were published in book form; likewise his letters from England, Germany and France, as well as those written during his travels in Mexico and South America.

No newspaper correspondent possesses the facility shown by Mr. Curtis in writing on any of the diversified subjects embraced in his correspondence and making it luminous. Nor is any correspondent followed so closely year after year by the thousands of readers of The Chicago Record-Herald. On his recent trip to the Holy Land Mr. Curtis' letters have and colorless, sure and safe, stopping been read more closely than ever, and the pain at once and curing in a few his descriptions of that interesting days. Price 15c, two for 25c at Dr section of the globe as it appears to- E. S. Dodd & Son's. day have been quoted everywhere.

A daily letter from Mr. Curtis ap-

Admiral Dewey's Dog "Bob."

If there is one thing in this world that Admiral Dewey is proud of, it is his dog "Bob." This is not the chow dog "Bob" who came into fame with his master on the Olympia, and had the bad grace to die just after they reached the United States. The present "Bob" once belonged to Mr. Secretary Moody, and the Admiral made his acquaintance on his Caribbean cruise a year ago last winter. The sailors called him "Bill McKinley," but that name was too venerated in the Admiral's mind for such an asso Bob," in memory of his lost pet.

Dolphin," said Admiral Dewey in were being sown. giving "Bob's" history. "In some way he soon detected the bond of sympathy that existed between us. He would come and put his head against my leg and look up into my face with the full realization of how sorry I was for him that he was so miserable. Secretary Moody noticed it, and one day he said, 'I declare, Admiral, that ungrateful pup is more fond of you now than he is of me. I'll just have to give him to you. So I brought him home with me, and he has been absolutely happy ever since his feet struck dry ground. Aren't you, 'Bob?' 'Bob,' I say, ren't you happy?''

"Bob" pricked up his ears, and wagged his stump of a tail in a vigorous affirmative. Then he ran to his master's side and planted his feet on his lap, wagging his short tail rapturously.—May Woman's Home Com-

GOSPEL SERVICES

At the Presbyterian Church During the Week.

Each afternoon at 2:30 except Satorday, Bible reading; boys and girls services Wednesday and Friday afternoons after school; evangelistic services each evening at 7:30, opening with illustrated song service.

Everybody is invited; come and you will be benefited.

U. S. Corn Cure for ladies is clea

Benton Harbor Abstract Co.—Abstracts of citle. Real estate mortgage loans. Of pears in The Chicago Record-Herald. L. 3104 Water St., Benton Harbor, Mich. Flyer" is due here soon.

DEATH OF DR.D.W.BURT

Veterinarian Ends Life in South Bend.

Daniel W. Burt, formerly of this place died Sunday afternoon at his home 329 N. Main St., South Bend, Ind., ffom heart trouble.

He was 44 years of age and was considered an expert veterinary surgeon. He leaves a widow and two daughters.

The funeral will be held from his late residence at 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. The remains will be taken to Canada for interment, accompanied by Mrs. Burt.

* * * Climate and Crop Report.

This is the initial issue of the Weekly Climate and Crop Bulletin for the year 1904; the Bulletin will be issued each Tuesday noon during the planting, growing and harvesting seasons, and will discuss the weather conditions of the state, the effect on staple crops and their general condi

For the week ending Monday, April

The mean daily temperature for the week ending April 18 was 30 9 degrees, or 11.4 degrees below the normal; the average total precipitation was 0.57 of an inch, or 0.05 of pils. an inch above the normal; the sunshine averaged 44 per cent of the possible amount.

The season has continued very backward during the past week Correspondents' reports indicate that there is much frost in the ground in the southern and central counties, and considerable snow and surface ice still prevail in the Upper Peninsula and portions of the northern counties in the Lower Peninsula. Last week's heavy snow storm further retard the beginning of spring field work in the southerly counties and plowing has been done.

The condition of wheat and rye is uneven and it is still too early to determine just how well it has wintered. Wheat, rye and meadows are greening up very slowly and vegetation generally has hardly made a

Fruit buds are still very small and it is too early to determine their condition or prospect.

Last year at this time plowing was quite well advanced in all sections of the Lower Peninsula, oat seeding was general and early sown oats were ciation, and he promptly named him germinating. In 1902 spring farm work had generally begun in all sec-"Bob' didn't like the sea. He tions by the middle of April, oat was a miserable sailor and a sad little seeding was in progress in nearly all doggie when I first met him on the counties and some barley and peas

C. F. SCHNEIDER, Section Director.

Box Social.

The Royal Neighbors announced that they will hold a box social in the Woodmen Hall on Friday evening, April 29. Everybody is invited; the ladies are expected to bring a box of

There will also be a voting contest as to who is the handsomest young lady and gentlemen in town. The votes will cost one cent, and as many can be cast as desired.

Will be Missed.

Our pleasant and accommodating friend, Homer N. Hathaway will be missed from his old haunts. Yesterday he came in and informed us that he was going to Van Couver, Washington. It seems like a long journey for the old gentleman to be taking alone, but we have no doubt he will be fully able to do it; and his friends will no doubt soon hear from him through the RECORD, as he has always been one of our most valued contributors

Attractive Restaurant.

Some repairs, in the way of a new coat of paint and pretty new wall paper, have been made in the portion ferred stock. On June 1 11/2 per cent. of the Redden block occupied by will be paid to stockholders of record Mrs. Nettie Lister's City Restaurant. May 1.

When one wishes a good meal and comfortable accommodations, he can find them at this neat restaurant.

A trial will cause one to be a constant visitor at the well filled tables * * * * Clear the track, the "Midnight

School Notes. HIGH SCHOOL

The county examination for pupils in the eighth grade will be held in the high school building May 12 and 13. The chemistry classes are begin-

ning their qualitive analysis. The Michigan Traveling Library the State course of Study. has been returned to Lansing.

Special preparations are being made for the county examination.

The fifth grade have been making a study of the horse chestnuts.

Andrews of the third grade, are in school again.

Clyde Treat and Winnie Blogett have returned after an absence of several days, caused by the measles. Pupils of the third grade have been interested in studying the rainbow, he past week.

Ellis Southerton, of the fourth grade is back in school after several weeks'absence on account of sickness. Mrs Gawthrop visited the third grade Friday.

WARD SCHOOL.

Sorry to announce that chickenpox is with us, eight absent from the

Grace McFallon brought a fine bouquet of daffodils Monday.

Harold Jenks and Sarah Eisele were the winners in the spalling contest Friday.

A number of bouquets of wild flowers were brought Monday and were much appreciated by teachers and pu-

Distressing News for the Wife. New York, April 26.-Mrs. F. V. Martin, of Attica, Ind., wife of the late United States commissioner of immigration for Porto Rico, has arrived here on the steamship Caracas from San Juan. She sailed on Wednesday last, two days before her hus band committed suicide.

Eight Hundred Men Are Idle.

Pittsburg, April 26.—All but two mills of the American Sheet Steel company's plant at McKeesport have closed, throwing out of employment at the present writing hardly any 800 men. Other departments are expected to close later in the week.

> Benny Yanger Gets the Decision. Chicago, April 26.—Benny Yanger.

of this city, was given the decision over George Decker, of Philadelphia, after six rounds of fighting.

THE WEATHER

The following is the official weather forecast up to 8 o'clock tonight:
Illinois and Indiana—Fair; cooler; high northerly winds.

Lower Michigan—Threatening with rain in east portion; cooler in east portion; high northerly winds.

Wisconsin—Fair, with warmer in west portion; high northerly winds diminish-

Iowa—Fair and slowly rising temperature; brisk northerly winds.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain Chicago, April 25.

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Boar	d of Tra	ide to	day:		-					
Wh	ieat (open.	High.	Low.	Close.					
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July	(old)	.843/4	$.85\frac{1}{2}$.831/4	.83%					
	(new)			.821/8	.821/8					
Sept.	(cld)	.811/4	.82	.801/4	.801/4					
	(new)		.80%	$.79\frac{1}{8}$	`.791/8					
Corn										
Mav		.47%	.473/4	.45%	.46					
July		.481/4	.48%	.471/8	.47%					
Septe	mber	$.47\frac{3}{4}$	-48	.47	.47					
May	.s	.37	.371/8		.361/4					
		.361/2	$.36\frac{1}{2}$	35%	.35¾					
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Por	·k									
Max		$1.92\frac{1}{2}$	$12.12\frac{1}{2}$	11.921/2	$11.92\frac{1}{2}$					
July		$12.12\frac{1}{2}$	12.37 1/2	12.171/2	$12.22\frac{1}{2}$					
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May		6.65	6.70	6.60	$6.62\frac{1}{2}$					
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May		$6.32\frac{1}{2}$	$6.42\frac{1}{2}$	$6.32\frac{1}{2}$						
July		$6.52\frac{1}{2}$	6.65	$6.52\frac{1}{2}$	$6.57\frac{1}{2}$					
Chicago Live Stock.										
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Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 48,000; sales ranged at \$4.10@4.60 for pigs. \$4.65@5.00 for light. \$4.70@4.95 for rough packing, \$4.70@5.10 for mixed, and \$4.90@5.12½ for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading within the range of \$4.90@5.05 for fair to good everges.

ing within the range of \$4.90@5.05 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day. 26,000; quotations ranged at. \$5.15@5.70 for choice to extra steers, \$4.50@5.25 good to choice do., \$4.15@4.70 fair to good do., \$3.40@4.20 common to medium do., \$3.90@5.40 fed western steers, \$2.00@4.30 stockers ad feeders, \$1.25@4.20 cows. \$2.60@4.45 heifers, \$2.25@4.15 bulls and oxen \$3.50@4.30 stags. \$3.00@4.30 cows, \$2.60@4.45 heifers, \$2.25@4.15 bulls and oxen, \$3.50@4.30 stags, \$3.00@4.30 Texas steers, and \$4.00@6.75 veal calves. Sheep and Lambs—Estimated receipts, for the day, 25,000; quotations ranged at \$2.65@5.40 western lambs, \$2.55@6.55 natives, \$4.35@5.75 yearlings, \$3.25@6.70 native lambs.

Farmer Who Saves His Cash. Galien, Mich., April 26. — Patrick King, a farmer from Lakeside, this county, went on a spree there; and as a result, went to the county jail for ten days. King had plenty of money, but preferred going to jail to paying

To Pay Its First Dividena.

Detroit, April 26. — The Michigan State Telephone company has declared its first quarterly dividend on pre-

A meeting of the North American Bee Inspectors' association, a new organization of the state inspectors of the United States and also Canadian inspectors, has been called for May 1 in

The National Bee Keepers' convention is to be held in St. Louis about the beginning of October,

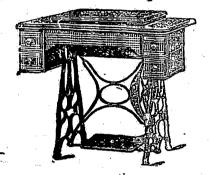
The next teachers' examination will be held at the St. Joseph high school room June 16 and 17. Reading based upon "The Cotter's Saturday Night"-Burns. The following notice thas been sent out by Supt. Fall. "Beginning with June, teachers will be required to pass a examination, upon

Special sale on art squares, rugs and couch covers · Elsie Southerton and Winifred D. L. Boardman's, Saturday, April 30

Broke Into His House

S. LeQuinn of Cavendish, Vt., was cobbed of his customary health by invasion of chronic constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pirls broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They are guaranteed to cure, 25c at W. N. Bredrick's drug store.

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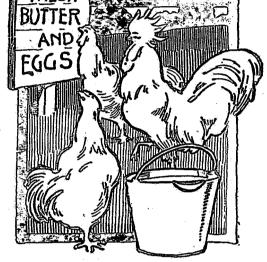
and the time for sowing Garden Seeds. We have the most complete line of bulk and package seeds ever brought to Buchanan.

Use Garbelle Flour, the demand is increasing every day. We have 5 brands of the best flour to choose from. We can please you.

House cleaning time is the time to use Ammonia. We have a good supply.

String beans per can......10c Choice baked beans...........05c Extra large can baked beans. 10c Lima beans......10c A good corn......10c

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We are headquarters for Watches, Clocks and Silver Ware, Sewing Machine Needles, Oil and Supplies. We carry Cuff Buttons for a quarter. Solid Silver Spoons for a haif dollar-

Also the widely ad-

LAUGHLIN FOUNTAIN PEN Your choice of these two styles, equal to any other \$3.00 kind, for

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Fine line of fresh candies Bertha Roe The Cottage Bakery

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Kept out and Cough cured. La Grippe Cough cured by Dodd's Cough Balsam guaranted to give satisfaction or money back.

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An attractive meal of well-prepared food, go to

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Mrs. Nettie Lister, Proprietor.

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Now is house cleaning time. Bring in your Woolen Blank-in first class condition. Apply to ets and Lace Curtains. Remember we guarantee satisfaction.

BUCHANAN STEAM LAUNDRY

LOCAL NOTES

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Mirrors and brooms. See the Racket Store ad.

Star & Richmond Pianos on easy payments, at Elbel Bros', South Bend.

Rose Curran, who has been ill with rheumatism and heart trouble, is rap idly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Howe, who have been spending the winter in Al ababama, have returned to Buchanan.

Special Sale next Saturday, April 30th, at Buchanan Cash Grocery, leaders in low prices and first class

Dr. E. S. Bell, oculist, will be at Dr. Emmons' office Buchanan, Thursday, April 28. Glasses fitted and all diseases of the eye treated.

Mr. C. A. Westgate and wife are preparing to move into the Morgan property, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Peacock. The house will be papered and painted previous to their going in.

Now is the time to paint and patch that rusty and leaky roof of your's will make it absolutely water proof, and preserve it for many years. Leave orders at Del Jordan's grocery, helps at once. 25c and 50c at Dr. E. phone 16.

Elmer Hawblitzell, Lakeville, says "Wine Lo-ti" (Coonley's beef, iron and wine with nervine) brought my wife out and done her more good than any other medicine we gave her. Give me two more bottles for my - father." Price 50c a bottle at Dr. E S. Dodd & Son's.

The Pan American wheel barrows for ale, inquire of C. Kent.

Lo-tus Pellets you will find are the will leave Chicago 7:30 p. m. and best family pills, curing indigestion | Michigan City 9:20 a.m. Fare from and constipation and all diseases of Buchanan to Michigan City and rethe liver and stomach. Small and | turn 50 cents, Chicago \$1.30. easily taken, particularly intended for ladies and children. Large boxes, fifty pellets for 25c at Dr. E. S Dodd and & Son's.

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week anding Apr. 26. Subject to Butter 20c Lard 9½c 14c Eggs Potatoes. Apples Onions,

1.25 The Pears-East Grain Co., report the following prices on grain to-day: Wheat No. 2 Red and White. Oats No. 3 white. Rye;

Closing of Mails.

GOING EAST

9:15 a. m., 12:15 and 4:45 p. m. GOING WEST

7:45 a. m., 12:15 p. m., 3:15 p.m., 6:00 p. m.

GOING NORTH 7:45 a. m., 5:45 p. m.

Choice tomatoes and celery. W H. Keller.

Graniteware, chinaware, glassware at the Racket Store.

New line of fresh garden seeds a the Buchanan Cash Grocery.

Now is the time to play marbles; we have them. W. H. Keller.

Kerosine Oil 11c per gal., 5 gals. 53c. Buchanan Cash Giocery.

The great Weber Pianos at the o.a eliable music store of Elbel Bros. South Bend, Ind.

FOR RENT-Fine pasture after May 10th. Apply to Mrs. E. B. Smith,

Beaumont Station. FOR RENT-8 room house corner

of Portage and River streets, Inquire of B. S. Crawford. FOR SALE—Cheap, a buggy, har-

ness, leather net and halter? In quire at RECORD office.

FOR SALE-Good gasoline stove Mrs. E. B. Smith, Beaumont, Station.

Walter Wahl, age 20, wants light work on a farm for small wages, or board and room, 505 Belden Ave

Parkinson and Coveney are doing fine busieess for a beginning. Step n and see the cosy room and new

FOR SALE-About half a dozen Pekin Drake Ducks, premium ducks from last Poultry Show at Chicago Apply to Mrs. E. B. Smith.

Miss Callie Richardson, who has been teaching at New Buffalo, has been engaged for next year at Baro da in an advanced position, having been given the intermediate grade.

FOR SALE-Pansy, astor and coxcomb plants, raffia in natural and colors for basket work, also early cottage and tomato plants at River St

FOR SALE-4 acres of land with good house, having well, cistern etc. A good orchard on the place. Locat ed 5 miles north of Buchanan, and a most desirable place. Inquire at RECORD office.

FOR SALE—Forty acres of land with a comfortable house and barn five acres of timber and a small or chard, situated one mile north o Dayton, Mich. For particulars in quire of Enos Holmes.

Coonley's Cough Balsam, made of wild cherry, horehound, spikenard and with "Jordan's Roof Enamel," which | honey, is a perfect remedy for coughs and colds, particularly recommended for children. Pleasant to take and S. Dodd & Son's.

> Oranges raised in Michigan are quite a rarity, but Mr. Newton Batchelor has, for two or three years, had a tree that is in a flourishing condition. One of the twelve oranges produced on the tree this year, was kindly brought to the RECORD office as a sample of what this cold climate can do, even along this line.

> The Michigan Central R. R. Co. will run a special excursion from Battle Creek to Michigan City and Chicago on Sunday, May 1st, passing Buchanan at 9:10 a.m., arriving at Michigan City at 10:10 a.m., and Chicago 12 noon. And returning

> > M. L. JENKS, Agent.

Bring your printing to the Record

********** PERSONAL.

Frank Devin spent Sunday here. Wallace Riley was a Niles visitor,

S. C. Cook went to Chicago Monday morning.

Miss Clara Williams of Niles spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berry spent Sunday in Cassopolis -Attorney A. A. Worthington spent

Monday in Niles, on business. Mrs. C. W. Hawley left today for

a four weeks' stay in Chicago. Miss Nina Pattee of Coldwater is

the guest of Mrs. M. L. Jenks. Mrs. S. A. Wood and children of Chicago are visiting here this week.

Mr. Adney Sherwood of Mishawaka was a Buchanan caller the first of the week.

John W. Beistle and John McFallon were in South Bend, Monday, on business

Mr. Jack Bishop has returned to Knox, Ind., after spending a few days at home.

Miss Mattie Brown, who is employed in Dowagiac, spent Sunday in Bu chanan.

Mrs. H. Daw and daughter, Marion, of Chicago, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Graham.

W. W. Bower of Reading, Mich. spent Sunday in town with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Carmer and other rela-

Mrs. F. W. Bosworth and children, of Plymoth, Ind, were the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. French over Sunday.

Mrs. R. N. Haslett returned Monday, from Chesterton, Ind., where she has been spending a few days with Chas. Haslett and family.

Mr. Fred Readell and Mr. Axtel Readell of Chicago spent Sunday a the home of W. W. Waterman. Miss Blennie was also there for the day.

Mrs. Clara Richards left yesterday morning, via the Michigan Central for Detroit, where she will spend some time, later going to Cleveland which was a very pleasurable surprise for a protracted stay.

Elmer Swisher has moved into the Crawford house.

Have you secured your seats for the "Midnight Flyer?" If, not, why

Mr. Charles Heidman, of Chicago, has accepted a position in the RECORD job printing department as binder.

Elder Paton will preach in the Larger Hope Church on Sunday, both morning and evening, at the usual

There is only one way to appreciate Ed Anderson's big production of the "Midnight Flyer," and that is to see it at the opera house Monday.

Elder Royer returned yesterday, from the upper part of the state where he has been spending several days. He expects to remain at home for

Wine Lo-Ti.

Made of beef, iron, wine, nervine, cascara and Aromatics, is the most perfect food tonic in existance. It agrees with all other medicines and never fails to give permanent strength and vigor. Pleasant to take, it increases the weight and improves the appetite. Large bottles, 50c at Dr E. S. Dodd & Son's.

JUST ONE NIGHT

Mon. May

ED. ANDERSON'S Massive Scenic Production

The Midnight Flyer

The Storm at Sea The Realistic Ship Wreck The Adirondacks in Winter The Thrilling Railroad Scene

PRICES-25-35-50-CENTS Reserved Seats at Van Meter's

The 30 Club banquet will occur at Clear Lake Farm on Thursday evening of this week.

The RECORD job printing department will be complete and up to date, with the latest and most improved machinery. Bring in your job work, and once you have work done, you will take it no where else.

Mr. M. C. Chamberlin, after spending a couple of days in Chicago attending to his business interests there and looking up the additional needs of the RECORD job office, returned to Buchanan on Friday evening.

Now that there is practically no more victims for measles, the next thing in order is chicken pox, mar y cases of this disease having been re ported the past week. It is to be hoped that it will not be like the measles, in its lack of respect for age.

Mrs. Caroline Bowes and son Chas. arrived from Los Angeles Cal. on Saturday and are visiting at the homes of Drs. Brodrick and Dodd. Mrs. Bowes is the eldest sister of Mrs. Brodrick and Mrs. Dodd and will remain the summer with them. Her son Charles leaves tomorrow for New York, later taking a steamer for London, England, where he will spend six months in perfecting himself in

The basket ball game Friday night between the High School and Maple Leaves, proved to be one of the most interesting games played here this year. The teams could not be more evenly matched. The result of the first half was the score of 8 to 10 in favor of the High School The second half resulted in a tie 18 to 18. The tie was played off and the game resulted in the score of 20 to 18 in favor of the High School.

Mrs. Helen Straw of Chicago, and Mrs. Ella Haynes of Edwardsburg, are here, the guests of Mrs. Chas. Snyder. They came to enjoy with her, her 77th birthday, which occurred yesterday. In remembrance of the occasion, the Eastern Star sent her 77 beautiful red and white carnations to Mrs. Snyder. The flowers are fragrant, luxuriant and greatly appreciated by Mrs. Snyder, especially as she has been in ill health so long, and unable to get out.

Manager Rough of the opera house has an iron-clad contract with Ed Anderson, of "The Midnight Flyer" Co., that every piece of scenery carried for this big production will positively be used. This includes the grand illuminated scene "Brooklyn at Night," "The Mammoth Ship Scene," "The Realistic Ship Wreck," "The Storm at Sea," "The Adirondack Mountains in Winter," and the thrilling "Railroad Scene." With such a contract as this our theatre going people are assured a perfect per formance in every detail. At the opera house on Monday, May 2. Prices 25c, 35c, and 50c.

L. Boardman will have a special sale on art squares, and rugs couch Sat. covers April

County News.

Benton Harbor is to have a mammoth department store, in the near future; the firms of Young & Co. drygoods and clothing, C. P. Peck & Co., furniture and household goods, will combine and have a capital stock of \$100,000. A new fire proof structure costing \$30,000 will be erected for the new firm's occupancy.

Graham & Mortan have made a 50c. ate on tickets to and from Chicago, by purchasing a commutation book of twenty rides, which will be good on either day or night boats.

Report says, that "Big Ben" the sea lion, which escaped from Chicago Zoo and was seen at different places on the lake shore during the winter, is dead, and that the body floated ashore north of New Buffalo.

When a man is converted it effects the purse strings as well as everything else in his life, as has been demonstrated by the raising of \$173 in collections during eight days meeting at Benton Harbor.

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This Tea is Packed in Japan. Why?

BECAUSE it costs less than here, and you are the gainer by it, are you not? You get what you buy, both in flavor and weight, full 16 ozs. to the lb.



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An exclusive line direct from three factories and at factory prices.

No trouble to show samples, whether you buy

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Non-breakable fronts are found in all our coats, regardless of price. We guarantee them never to twist up or break and they are soft, easy and comfortable on wearer at that. We are the only tailoring house who have succeeded in making a soft front coat that is non-breakable.

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Parkinson Coveney Merchant Tailors and Haberdashers.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from yellow jaundice, I consulted a num ber of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for liver and kidney trouble,

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Testimony of a Minister

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Ex-Member of Congress from Georgia Contributes to a **Color Line Dispute**

AS TO CLEVELAND'S POSITION

Requests for "Leave to Print" Entertain the House - Hale Doubts the Value of Battleships.

Washington, April 26.—The question of ex-President Cleveland's treatment of negroes came up in the house, Hardwick of Georgia reading a letter from Thomas Watson, of Georgia, repeating his charge that Cleveland had favored mixed schools; that he had appointed a negro, C. N. J. Taylor, minister to Bolivia, and that he had included Fred Douglass in the list of guests at a reception closely following his wedding Watson, in his letter, said he wished it read in the interest of fair play, "in order that it shall be known upon what I based statements which Mr. Cleveland so insultingly denied."

Some Fun Over "Leave to Print."

Some amusement was created by the numerous requests for leave to print, most of which were granted amid applause, although no remarks were declared. A request for such permission from Grosvenor was objected to by Wiliams, the minority leader, and threw the house into some confusion. Grosvenor remarked that things had come to a pretty pass, because many Democrats had been given such permission. "We are trying to catch up with the gentlemen from Ohio," hotly interjected Gaines of Tennessee, "who printed everything on earth Roosevelt didn't do."

Spoke All That He Printed.

"And plastered the present occupant of the White House," added Williams, with union labels in every position he has held for twenty years." Grosvenor came back with the statement that Williams up to date had contributed 208 columns to the Congressional Record. There was loud Democratic applause when Williams declared that every column he contributed had been contributed on the floor of the house.

EXPECTS TROUBLE WITH CHINA

Says We Have Sown the Wind and Will Reap the Whirlwind.

preme court an opinion was delivered in the case of Sing Tuck and thirtyone other Chinese persons held for deportation on the order of an inspector. The men claimed to be citizens of the United States and sued out writs of habeas corpus, declaring they were entitled to a review of their cases by the courts before exhausting the remedies prescribed by the exclusion treaty of 1894. The court did not take this view, but held that Chinamen must pursue the course outlined in the law, exhausting the remedies there provided before applying to the courts.

The opinion was by Justice Holmes. Justice Brewer rendered a dissenting opinion in which he characterized the proceedings of the inspectors as a starchamber process and said that a Chinaman claiming to be a citizen of the United States is entitled to as much protection as an Anglo-Saxon who makes that claim. Justice Brewer said that he did not consider it strange that China had demounced the treaty and that with the growing importance of China that country could be counted upon to show increasing resentment against this country. Having sown the wind, he predicted the United States would reap the whirlwind. Justion Peckham concurred in the dissenting opinion.

HALE CRITICISES BATTLESHIHS

Doubts Whether We Have Not Thrown \$150,000,000 Away.

Washington, April 26.—Whether the president shall order the construction of the battleship provided for in the naval appropriation bill, or wait until the war in the Far East demonstrates the comparative utility of the big sea fighter and the torpedo boat or submarine craft was a question raised in the senate by Hale on the adoption of the conference report. It was developed that the language of the bill was permissive and that the president and secretary of the mavy could defer

action if they deem it advisable. Hale declared that if he were secretary of the navy he should not dare to go on now and commit the government to the building of an immense battleship, for it would not surprise him if events of the Russian-Japanese war demonstrated that the \$150,000,000 paid for big battleships were a bad investment for this government. Several other senators counseled delay. The numerous serious accidents in our navy were referred to in the course of the debate.

PRINCE VISITS THE PRESIDENT

Bearer of a Letter on Slik from the Em-

peror of China. Washington, April 26.—His imprial highness Prince Pu Lun, nephew to the emperor of China, and his personal representative at the St. Louis exposition, was officially received by Presidnt Roosevelt at the White House The ceremonies occurred in the Blue room and were attended by the members of the suite attending the prince; the Chinese minister, Sir Chenlung Liang-Cheng, the members of the lega-

tion staff and Colonel Thomas W. Symons, who was detailed by the president to attend Prince Pu during his stay in Washington.

Prince Pu brought to this country a letter to President Roosevelt from his royal uncle, Emperor Hwang Su, which was written on a strip of beautifully woven silk four feet long and two feet wide. It was folded in three folds, with the upper end handsomely embroidered. The letter, which was in a magnificent, lacquered box on the top of which was the imperial dragon of China, was full of expressions of

friendship for the United States. Prince Pu Lun, accompanied by Sir Liang Cheng, and several members of his suite, attended a musicale given by the president and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House. They were the recipients of much attention.

GRUM'S FATE HANGS FIRE Negro Whom the President Has Appoint ed to an Office South.

Washington, April 26.—Strong pressure is being brought upon the senate to act definitely at the present session on the appointment of Dr. W. D. Crum as collector of the port of Charleston, S. C. The appointment has been pending for nearly two years, and again and again has been sent to the senate after failure of that body to act upon it. The president renewed the appointment last November at the beginning of the extraordinary session, and when congress convened in regular session in December again sent Crum's name in.

Throughout the session the appointment has been pending. It has been postponed from time to time on account of the illness of Senator Tillman, who is insistently opposed to its confirmation. The president has expressed to members of the senate his desire that the appointment be acted upon one way or the other at the present session.

Permitted to Do Outside Ensiness.

Washington, April 26.—In the agreement of the senate and house conferrees on the postoffice appropriation the house provision permitting rural free delivery carriers to carry merchandise for hire upon the requests of the patrons of their routes, which was struck out by the senate, is restored to the bill, and the senate provision granting certain privileges to newspapers, magazines and periodicals with respect to receiving subscriptions therefor and the delivery of the same is eliminated.

Odell Confers with Roosevelt.

Washington, April 26. — Governor Odell, of New York, arrived here from Washington, April 26.—In the su- Old Point Comfort, Va. He was joined. soon after his arrival by Representative Littauer, of New York, and William C. Warren, editor of the Buffalo Commercial. Soon after 10 o'clock the three drove to the White House, where Odell remained with the president until after noon.

Bacon Talks of the Trust.

Washington, April 26.—In a speech by Senator Bacon, replying to a recent speech by Dolliver, the southern senator devoted the greater portion to conditions which make it possible, he said, for United States products to be sold abroad for a less price than home consumers are required to pay.

Accuses the Armenians. London, April 26.—The Turkish embassy here issued a report Sunday that Armenian malefactors had attacked the Mohammedan village of Latchghian, in the sanjak of Mush, Asiatic Turkey, and had committed horrible crimes on the inhabitants, men, women, and children alike.

Bills That the House Passed. Washington, April 26.—Among the bills passed by the house were the following: Extending to Peoria, Ill., the privileges of the law governing the immediate transportation of merchandise without appraisement; constituting Coal City, Grundy county, Ill., a sub-port of delivery.

New W. R. C. Geremony.

Toledo, O., April 26.—Mrs. Sarah D. Winana, national president of the Womens Relief Corps, has sent out to the corps of the country a bulletin regarding a new service for the sailors to be observed by all posts where there is ocean, lake, river or stream. It provides for the placing of flowers upon the water.

Ten Days for Henry Crawford. Indianapolis, April 26. — Henry Crawford, at one time president and general manager of the Chicago and Southeastern Railroad company, was fined \$100 and sentenced to ten days in the county jail by Judge Leathers, of the superior court, on a charge of contempt.

That Legislative Chestnut.

Columbus, O., April 26.—Although the hands on the clocks in the legislative halls pointed to noon it was nearly 4 p. m. when the Ohio legislature adjourned sine die.

SCORES ON THE BALL FIELDS

Chicago, April 26. — Following are the base ball scores:

League: At New York — Brooklyn 2, New York 9; at Boston — Philadelphia 0, Boston 5; at Pittsburg and Chicago-Weather. Amrican: At Washington — New

York 4, Washington 1; at Cleveland — Chicago 7. Cleveland 4; at Philadelphia -Boston 0, Philadelphia 2; at Detroit -St. Louis 2, Detroit 4.

Association: At all scheduled points -Weather. Western: At Colorado Springs-Om-

aha 6, Colorado Springs 15; at Denver-Des Moines 3. Denver 9; at Sioux City—St. Joseph 5, Sioux City 4.

Japs Busy Preparing for a Forward Movement, According to Russian Advices.

GEN. KUROPATKIN'S STRATEGY

Makes Use of a Body of Cossacks-Vladivostok Torpedo Boats Cap-

ture a Japanese Steamer. Tokio, April 26.—The foreign mili tary observers assigned to the Japanese first army in Korea have been ordered to leave for the front next Satur-

St. Petersburg, April 26. — The emperor has received the following telegram from General Kuropatkin: "General Sassulitch reports under date of April 24 that during recent days the Japanese have been observed landing



MAJOR GENERAL RENNENKAMPFF. pontoon material and collecting boats in preparation for the construction of bridges in the reighborhood of Wiju, and also near the village of Sigou, ten miles farther up the river.

Jap Detachment Crosses the River. "On April 23 a Japanese detachment, consisting of two companies of infantry and a small body of cavalry, crossed the Yalu ten miles below Siaopoussikhe. General Sassulitch immediately reinforced the cordons on our front. Small parties of the enemy were seen preparing to cross elsewhere in that vicinity. All is quiet south of the Yalu."

Kuropatkin Does Some Strategy.

St. Petersburg, April 26. — General Kuropatkin has played a strong card in the game of strategy. A large portion of General Rennenkampff's Cossack cavalry division has been thrown across the upper reaches of the Yalu, and a considerable force of cavalry which crossed the Tumen some time ago is moving down to the southwest to effect a juncture with it. Together with this force, which it is believed totals 2,000 men, he will threaten Lieutenant General Inouve's left flank when the Japanese are ready to cross lower down on the Yalu.

Gives the Russ the Advantage. Being composed of cavalry, with a few mountain guns, Rennenkampff's force is extremely mobile. Unless it should be dislodged it will compel the Japanese to leave a very strong airmy to guard the communication, whereas if a Japanese force should be sent to drive it out it would have to move directly away from the main army,

while the Russian army, if compelled to fall back, can recross in the direction of the Russian troops concentrated in Manchuria.

VLADIVOSTOR FLEET LOOSE

Sails Into Gen-San and Destroys a Small Steamer.

London, April 26.—The Japanese legation has given out the following dispatch received yesterday from Tokio: 'The Japanese consul at Won-San (Gen-San), Korea, reports, under today's date, that two Russian torpedo boats entered that port and sank a small Japanese steamer, the Goyo Maru. Her gross tonnage was 600. The Russians immediately left." The boats were part of the Vladivostok squadron, it is stated.

Tokio, April 26.—The cruisers Rossia and Gromobi, of the Vladivostok squadron, participated in an attack on Gen-San. They were accompanied by a third cruiser not yet identified and by two torpedo boats. Later they entered the harbor, ordered the crew of the Goyo Maru ashore and then sank her. A detachment of marines was landed, but was recalled and the warships steamed outside of the harbor. The Japanese and Many Koreans fled when

the Russians appraoched. Seoul. April 26.—The steamer Govo Maru, which was sunk in the harbor at Gen-San by the Russian Vladivostok squadron, was an old coasting steamer of 576 tons, and was owned in Chemulpo by a Korean company which chartered her to the Japanese. The Japanese community at Gen-San numbers 2,500 and owns much property there.

The Japanese garrison refrained from firing on the enemy during the sinking of the steamer, because it did not desire to draw a retaliatory bombard-

RUSSIA LAYS DOWN THE LAW

Is Going to Run This War to Suit Herself -"Powers Be Blowed."

St. Petersburg, April 26.— The Associated-Press is enabled to announce authoritatively that the talk of mediation in the Russo-Japanese war is

founded upon the personal desires of King Edward and King Christian of Denmark to avoid further bloodshed and end the conflict, but that the steps initiated have utterly failed. The emperor, with the full concurrence of the imperial family and his advisers, has decided not only to reject all proposals looking to intervention, but to prosecute the war with all the resources of the empire until victory crowns the Russian arms, and when the time comes for peace to make terms directly with the enemy. The interference of outside powers will not be tolerated. There is to be no repetition of the Berlin congress. The powers must keep their hands off both during the war and during the peace negotiations at its conclusion...

MESSAGE FROM THE POPE Received by the Editor of a Negro Journal in Kansas—Replies to a Plea

Sent Him.

Topeka, Kan., April 26. - Nick Chiles, editor of the Topeka Plain Dealer, a negro paper published in this city, has received a letter from Pope Pius X. The Western Negro Press association, of which Chiles is president, at the annual meeting adopted resolutions urging the pope to use his good offices for better treatment of the ne-

gro race in this country. Chiles gave a copy of the resolutions to Senator Burton, who sent it to Cardinal Gibbons, and he in turn forwarded it to Rome. The letter from the pope, which came through Cardinal Gibbons, declares that he must necessarily use his "good offices" to urge all Roman Catholics to be friendly to negroes. His holiness also hopes that when negores commit crimes in the United States they may be given the same justice given to other men by the laws of the land.

GRANT'S GRANDSON WEDS

Marries by the Civil Ceremony Miss Noufflard, an Anglo-French Girl of Notable Family.

Paris, April 26.—Captain Algernon Sartoris, eldest grandson of General U. S. Grant, and Mlle. Germine Cecile Noufflard, were married by civil ceremony in this city. It was one of the most notable weddings of the year in Paris, both of the contracting parties being conspicuous in society as descendants of world-famous grandpar-

Mile. Noufflard is the granddaughter of the late Sir Charles Halle, a celebrated English musician, and a niece of Charles F. Halle, who has achieved triumphs in the world of art and is now director of the New gallery in London. The religious ceremony will not be performed until noon tomorrow. when it will be solemnized at the Church of St. Honore d'Elyau.

DESECRATION OF THE TOMB

Vault of the Historic Livingston Family Broken Open and Shocking Deeds Done by the Vandals.

New York, April 26.—A special dispatch to The World from Hudson, N. Y., says that the Livingston tomb has been robbed, the body of the wife of General Henry Livingston ("Fighting Harry") with the casket, having-been carried entirely away. She had been dead forty-five years.

General Livingston's coffin was broken up and his remains scattered over the floor of the tomb, and a third casket was carried away, but the identity of the occupant is not known, and all the other caskets were broken open and the bones scattered over the floor.

Fought Ten Fast Rounds.

Indianapolis, April 26.—At the Auditorium Otto Sieloff and George Memsic fought a snappy ten-round bout. The contest was fast and vigorous through-

Death of John K. Cowen. Chicago, April 26.—John K. Cowen, former president of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad, died last night.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

It is said that if Judge Parker is nominated for president Gorman will be asked by him to take the chairmanship of the Democratic national committee.

King Edward and his queen have started on a visit to Ireland.

Secretary Taft will attend the St. Louis fair opening to represent the president.

A complete agreement has been reached between the house and senate conferees on the postoffice appropriation bill.

The alien immigration bill has passed its second reading in the house of commons.

Flood or wind continues to play havoc in Texas, Kansas, North Dakota and Missouri. An affray between Turkish gen

d'armes and Greeks is reported from Smyrna, in which M. Delyannis, secretary of the Greek consulate, was slightly wounded. Gems valued at \$15,000 have been

stolen from the home of Mrs. Paul Cavi, a wealthy widow who is promi; nent in Brooklyn society. A wholesale arrest of striking miners in Carbon county is reported from

Price, Utah. The charge is resisting

an officer. The first international congress of master cotton spinners will meet Zurich, Switzerland, May 23, and continue until May 28.

J. J. Douthitt, a wealthy citizen of Erind, O. T., was shot and flatally injured by his wife during a quarrel. The official weapons of the Jeffer-

son guards at the World's fair will be short swords and whisties

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