

## SPECIAL SALE FOR OCTOBER

Geo. Wyman & Co., prepare to make October the banner month in sales for the whole year. We have accumulated large lines of goods for this sale, most of them way under the mark. We do not marry our goods and are willing to part with them for a small consideration.

### Domestics

Our Domestic Department is Filled With Bargains

- Standard Prints 4c and 5c
- Standard Gingham 5c and 6c
- Standard Challies for Comforters 3 1/2c
- Lonsdale 4-4 Bleached Cotton, cut lengths 6 1/2c
- Hope 4-4 Bleached Cotton, cut lengths 6c
- Zodiacs 4-4 Bleached Cotton 5c
- Grand Republic 4-4 fine Brown Cotton 6c
- Washington 4-4 Brown Cotton 7c
- Avalon 4-4 Brown Cotton 5c
- 5-4 Table Oil Cloth fancy, 19 1/2c and 15c
- Printed Flannelettes, good quality 7 1/2c
- Twilled and Huck Crash 3c; Linen Cash 5c
- 10-4 Cotton Blankets 45c; white, gray and tan.
- 11-4 Cotton Blankets 75c; white, gray and tan
- One lot North Star Wool Blankets 11-4 \$4.75

### Cloaks, Suits and Millinery

Second Floor

We offer the newest designs in ladies' Cloaks and Suits up to this date. The new styles are coming every day, come and see them.

We offer a lot of last year's 27 in. coat back, fine quality, ladies' Cloak suitable to ride in, very cheap \$8 and \$5. Children's long winter Cloaks \$1.50

Ladies' Walking Skirts, \$2 way under price

Ladies' Wrappers percale 84 picks to the inch, in mourning, silver gray and red \$1.00

Flannelette Wrappers, one line dollar quality, 75c, \$1.50 quality \$1

Kimonas 30c; children's kimonas 25c

Our Milliners are all busy making Dress Hats, to sell principally at \$3 to \$5 and Street Hats that sell for \$1 to \$2. The higher priced goods come to us and they look as though they were not made with hands. We can suit you in millinery.

COME AND SEE US  
**GEO. WYMAN & CO.**  
SOUTH BEND, IND.  
Closed evenings except Saturday

## VALUABLE INDUSTRY

Is the Irving Jaquay's Nursery Company

### A HALF MILLION TREES

Is the Size of Their Immense Stock.

The RECORD representatives had the pleasure of being shown some of the inside workings of a fruit tree nursery last week. The occasion being a visit to the place of the Irving Jaquay Company about four miles north of town.

Mr. Jaquay took us over the place and explained the growth of the peach trees. The peach pits are gathered in the mountains of Tennessee, where the peach grows wild, these pits are shipped in bags and after soaking in water for 24 hours are planted by a machine similar to a corn planter. When the trees are a year old they are budded to some good variety, and when we say they are budded, the word does not explain the operation, which only an expert can perform. After the trees are budded they grow another six months and then are cut back so that only the budded sprout will grow.

When these trees are two years old they are ready to be planted in the orchard.

The company have 300 acres in their two farms, and about a half million trees including peach, apple, pear and cherry trees. 200,000 of which are peach trees.

The company is making a great success of the business and is one of the valuable industries of Buchanan.

### Elect Officers.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church held their annual election of officers, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. DeViney, Friday evening Sept. 30. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. L. Mercer; 1st Vice President, Mabel Currier; 2nd Vice President, Mrs. John Fydel; 3rd Vice President, Mrs. W. J. Douglas; 4th Vice President, Mary Keller; Secretary, Lura Keller; Treasurer, Riley Zerbe; Chorister, Earl Crossman; Asst. Chorister, Ruth East; Organist, Elsie Antstiss; Asst. Organist, Nina Holliday. Eleven new members were taken into the Epworth League. After the business meeting, refreshments were served and a cob web social and other amusements enjoyed by those present.

### CARS KILL ANOTHER

Michigan Central at Gallen Caused Death of Horace Sebring.

Horace Sebring, paroled from Jackson a month ago, was killed by a Michigan Central train Thursday night about 150 feet from the crossing where two women met their death a short time ago.

A dozen years or so ago Sebring was sent to Jackson on the charge of trying to poison his father and mother so that he might gain possession of their farm and marry a girl whom he loved. Four or five weeks ago he was paroled from Jackson and since his return home he has made a few trips to Michigan City, which is in Indiana, and the conditions of parole was that he could not leave the state. The pardon board learned of the matter and sent him a reprimand once or twice, and a few days ago he announced that no one would ever reprimand him again.

The Central here has a double track. Thursday night Sebring was walking along the track and stepped from one track to another in order to escape a train, but was struck by a train on the other track. He was thrown 150 feet and death was instantaneous.

Sebring was about 50 years of age and a carpenter by trade.

## WRECK ON THE P. M.

Open Switch at Jaquay Station Was the Cause

### SECTION MEN RESPONSIBLE

Engineer Slightly Injured and Passengers Shaken up.

Carelessness on the part of the Buchanan section crew, on the Pere Marquette, was the cause of a wreck at Jaquay's Saturday morning.

The section men in charge of Vernon Case, were working at this place and had opened a switch to push their hand car onto the siding, but they failed to close the switch.

At just eight o'clock the train pulled into sight of Jaquay's station, running about eighteen miles an hour, when engineer John Hoban, of Benton Harbor, sighted the open switch. He called to his fireman to jump, and after releasing the air breaks, reversing his engine and throwing open the sand box, jumped from the engine himself. He struck on his feet and was then thrown, striking on his head and shoulders. He was quite badly bruised but not seriously injured. The fireman also jumped and escaped injury.

In the mean time the train had reached the end of the short side track, and finding only a few old ties and a hand car in its way, decided to cut up a few pranks of its own. The engine run off the end of the siding and plowed its full length into the soft dirt, being buried up to the top of the drive wheels. The cars did not leave the track but stopped at the extreme end of it.

The wrecking crew were quite badly shaken up but none were injured. Conductor H. P. Johnson came to town with Irving Jaquay and sent Clint McCollum down after the passengers. Fortunately the main track was not torn up and a relief engine pulled the train into Buchanan about noon.

The wrecking crew arrived at the scene Saturday evening, and by the aid of a large derrick the disabled engine was gotten onto the track after working all of Saturday night.

### SCHOOL NOTES

The heat was turned on nearly all the rooms Monday a. m. In a few days the furnace will be in full operation.

The 10th grade will soon begin "Silas Manner."

The pictures in the high school building were hung last Saturday.

The classics "Evangeline" have come and; the class is engaged in reading the poem for the story; after this a critical study will follow.

Higher eighth chose their own subjects for composition, Friday. Some splendid ones were written.

Max Foster ranked highest in the civics test last week. Mildred Roe following a close second.

The pupils are rapidly learning the proper use of the reference library.

Class meeting this week to elect officers and chose colors, motto, and class yell.

Seventh graders are very much enthused over their "experience day" which is to take place the last Friday afternoon of this month. They are to earn as much money as they can to buy new pictures for their room. The last half hour is to be spent in telling how each earned his money.

In nature study the 6th grade is observing the caterpillar.

We are glad to welcome back Harry Samson in 6th grade after an absence of a week.

Floyd Antisdell has left school to take a trip in central Michigan.

Last Friday afternoon the 6th grade enjoyed a program rendered by Glen Moyer, Freda Hershenow, Florence Keller and Glen Salisbury.

The spelling contest between the A

## ELLSWORTH'S STORE

### WHEN YOU INTEND TO BUY DRESS GOODS

Compare style, quality and prices. This store has always made a special effort to show the best and most complete line of Dress Goods the world's markets produce. This store carries the following famous lines of Black Goods.

Priestly's. Wm. F. Read's. Wm. Broadhead's as well as many other foreign and domestic makes. Here are a few numbers specially priced:

- 40-inch All Wool Granite Cloths.....50c
- 46-inch All Wool Granite Cloths.....75c
- 52-inch All Wool Broadcloths.....\$1.00
- 54-inch All Wool Cheviots.....\$1.25
- Broadcloths are very much in vogue this fall for gowns and tailored suits, we have a complete range of colorings, 34 in. wide, prices per yard.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
- Mannish Effects, these hard twisted cloths that wear so well. A complete line to be found here. 40 in. wide, per yard 50c. 45 and 50 in. wide per yard 75c, 50 and 54 in. wide.....\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
- Cravanette Cloths and Rainproof Cloths are in great demand, we are showing these creations at, per yard.....75c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50
- Scotch Checks in blue and green, brown and green, red and green very stylish this season, per yard.....\$1.00
- Silk Wrap Crepes, soft, clinging goods for dressy gowns, in new onion brown, new blue, mole skin, cadet and many other new shades, 44 in. wide per yard.....\$1.00, \$1.25

This store has long been noted for its Dress Goods. I am keeping up its reputation.

### Glove Department News

Never before has our glove department been in such flourishing condition. This season we have planned to surpass all previous seasons and we have the gloves to do this. We invite you to inspect this stock even though you are not ready to buy. You will be interested to know that we have a complete stock of Men's High Class Gloves. This is the finest and most complete glove stock in South Bend.

Men's Dress Kid Gloves in tan, brown and grey, self and color stitching, one clasp, some pique, some over seams, prices.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

Men's Street Gloves, Paris point backs, one button, tan and brown.....\$1.50

Browns are the leading Gloves for ladies this season. The swell things in Ladies' Street Gloves are brown and tan with pique seams, stitched in white with one button. Some come in pretty shades of grey with white and black stitching, one pearl clasp, price.....\$1.50

## John Chess Ellsworth

113-115 NORTH MICHIGAN STREET SOUTH BEND, IND.

and B divisions in the 5th grade closed Friday night, the B division receiving ten more one hundreds than the A division.

Inez Seybert will soon go with her parents to Dowagiac to live. We are very sorry to lose her from our grade.

The A class won in the spelling contest Friday.

The Three Kingdoms, was the subject of the Friday afternoon talk in the 3rd grade.

Seeds and grains will be studied this week in the nature study class.

Doris Riley is spending some time in St. Louis.

Enrollment in second grade is larger than for several years past, 37 to date, with 24 boys and 13 girls.

During September the second grade memorized Helen Hunt Jackson's "September."

We find an old friend, the squirrel, still in our walnut tree and all eyes are watching to see where he stores his winter food.

The enrollment in first grade is 57.

**Climate and Crop Report**

The mean daily temperature for the week ending September 26 was 55.1 degrees, or 3.2 degrees below the normal; the average precipitation was 1.31 inches, or .71 of an inch above the normal; the sunshine averaged 46 per cent of the possible amount.

Heavy to killing frosts occurred in nearly all counties of the state during the middle of the week doing considerable damage to late corn, very late beans and some late potatoes. The damage to buckwheat was not general because most of the crop had matured and much of it had been harvested. Corn cutting has been general, but much of the late plant-

This will be the last bulletin of the season.  
C. F. SCHNEIDER,  
Section Director.

The members of the J. C. Club, met at the pleasant home of Mr. Ben Gyer, Saturday evening, Oct. 1, for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year.

For President, Mrs. F. A. Tichenor; Vice President, Mrs. F. F. Rough, Treasurer, Mrs. John Wells, Secretary, Mrs. F. H. Andrews.

Mrs. Gyer then treated the members to a dainty two course supper and the club adjourned to meet with Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Wells, Oct. 14.

Makes A Clean Sweep.

There's nothing like doing a thing thoroughly. Of all the Salves you ever heard of, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best. It sweeps away and cures Burns, Sores, Bruises, Cuts, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. Its only 25c and guaranteed to give satisfaction by all Druggists.

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The Hardware Man  
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**Round Oak Stoves and Ranges**

### September

Full line of School Tablets  
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- Monday morning soap 2 bars.....5c
- 4 cakes good toilet soap.....10c
- Big Maple soap.....05c
- Vermicelli for soups.....10c
- Maple syrup per bottle.....10c
- 1 lb. Keller's baking powder.....10c
- Coaco cream flakes.....10c
- Juicy and sweet oranges, sweet potatoes cabbage and celery

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U. S. Corn Cure for ladies is good for men too. I travel all over the United States but have found nothing equal to it, one bottle took the soreness out of two very bad corns and took the corns out in a few days." Mr. M. P. Fox, New York City. Price 15c or two bottles for 25c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son.

Bring your printing to the Record

First publication Sept. 30, 1904.  
Estate of Isaac Long, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.  
In the matter of the estate of Isaac Long deceased.  
Having been appointed commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, we do hereby give notice that four months from the 26th day of Sept. A. D., 1904 were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment, and that we will meet at the office of Pierce & Sanders in the village of Buchanan, in said county, on the 26th day of November A. D. 1904, and on the 26th day of January A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.  
Dated 26th day of September, A. D. 1904.  
JOHN GRADAM,  
E. W. SANDERS,  
Commissioners.  
Last publication Oct. 14, 1904

First publication Sept. 30, 1904.  
Estate of Jesse S. East, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.  
In the matter of the estate of Jesse S. East, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that four months from the 26th day of September A. D. 1904, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the city of St. Joseph in said county, on or before the 26th day of January A. D. 1905, and that said claims will be heard by said court on the 26th day of January A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.  
Dated September 26th, A. D. 1904.  
FRANK H. ELLSWORTH,  
Judge of Probate.  
Last publication, Oct. 14, 1904.

A Thoughtful Man.  
M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble, physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c, at all Drug stores.



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**REPUBLICAN TICKET**

**NATIONAL**

- For President—**THEODORE ROOSEVELT**
- For Vice President—**CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS**
- CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION.
- For Representative in Congress—**EDWARD L. HAMILTON.**
- REPRESENTATIVE
- For Representative 1st District—**NATHAN V. LOVELL,**  
of Eau Claire.

**STATE TICKET.**



- For Governor—**FRED M. WARNER,**  
Of Farmington
- For Lieutenant Governor—**ALEXANDER MAITLAND**  
Marquette
- For Secretary of State—**GEORGE A. PRESCOTT**  
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- For State Treasurer—**FRANK P. GLAZIER**  
Washtenaw
- For Attorney General—**CHARLES A. BLAIR**  
Jackson
- For Auditor General—**J. B. BRADLEY,**  
Eaton
- For Commissioner State Land Office—**WILLIAM H. ROSE,**  
Clinton
- For Supt. Public Instruction—**PATRICK H. KELLEY**  
Wayne
- For Member State Board Education—**LUTHER L. WRIGHT,**  
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COUNTY TICKET.
- For Judge of Probate—**FRANK H. ELLSWORTH,**  
Benton Harbor.
- For Sheriff—**ROY CLARK,**  
Pipestone.
- For Clerk—**SAMUEL B. MINERS,**  
Royalton.
- For Register of Deeds—**I. L. H. DODD,**  
Buchanan.
- For Treasurer—**ALVA SHERWOOD,**  
Three Oaks.
- For Prosecuting Attorney—**CHARLES E. WHITE,**  
Niles.
- For Circuit Court Commissioners—**MILLARD A. SEITZ,**  
Benton Harbor.
- WILBUR A. BURNS,**  
Niles.
- For Drain Commissioner—**JOHN A. BURBANK,**  
Lake.
- For Surveyor—**WILLIAM A. CLEARY,**  
St. Joseph.
- For Coroners—**CHARLES A. COLLIER,**  
Benton Harbor.
- A. W. PLATT,**  
Niles.

or not, love him and trust him, while his meanest and most merciless enemy can find nothing in his conduct to impeach his worthiness. From his boyhood until now he has been trusted and respected so far as he was known, and only malice has ever assailed him. He has been honest, intelligent and progressive in all relations and positions, and faithful always to whatever trust was committed to him. He will go into the governor's office with clean hands and free hands, not tied up by the pledges or obligations to any man or faction or interest, and will administer the office according to his own best judgment and his own sincere purpose. He will not be spectacular, he has never been that; he will not be selfassertive, that is foreign to his nature; but he will be firm, self-respecting and respectful, considerate, but independent.

**DIFFERENCE OF PLATFORMS ON PRIMARY ELECTIONS.**

The republican party stands pledged to place on the statute books of the state a rational, sensible, primary election law. Democracy has no definite ideas regarding the matter. It simply favors anything that will bring about the defeat of the republican ticket. The republican party favors a measure that will give to every county the right to decide for itself its position in regard to the law. Our democratic friends call this a forgery, a fake and many other hard names that democracy has become accustomed to by reason of long continued usage, yet this identical measure has been adopted in twenty-nine of the thirty-three states having primary law in force. The only states having laws of the brand favored by the democrats of this state are Florida, Mississippi and Texas. Michigan's rank in the union is somewhat above any of the three and the people of this state do not care to be saddled with a law of that brand.

**Warner Will Save State \$30,000**

Detroit, Oct. 3.—Arthur C. Bird, supervisor of the state census, was in Detroit Saturday and said: "Returns from our census of Michigan manufacturers are now being tabulated, and tell you the growth of industrial institutions in this state is simply marvelous. The figures will show that during the past four years the growth of manufactures in the twenty-four largest cities of the state has been from 25 to 75 per cent. I believe that Lansing will make the best comparative showing of all."

"The figures as to manufacturers will show also that our statistics as to population are right in line with the increase in manufacturers. For instance, Jackson people kicked because their population according to our census had increased only 5 per cent., while Kalamazoo had jumped 22 per cent. Our factory census shows an increase in business for Kalamazoo of 47 per cent. while the increase for Jackson on the same line was 7 per cent."

"In spite of all the talk about politics, I believe the people of this state will find that we took the best census ever obtained in Michigan and I believe that Fred M. Warner will turn back into the treasury \$30,000 of the \$100,000 appropriated for the work."

**Dowagiac Mystery is Cleared Up**

After a lapse of twenty-three years to the exact day, Miss Julia Michael, a pension agent at Dowagiac, has succeeded in solving the mystery surrounding the death of Mrs. Matthew Brimistingool of Cass county. From the tales told by her children it was thought that Mat Brimistingool had killed her in the woods while they were on one of their long wagon trips, which it was their custom to make two or three times a year.

Miss Michael has found that Mrs. Brimistingool died a natural death. When Brimistingool died his second wife applied for a pension, but was unable to obtain it, as she could not furnish proof of the death and burial of the first wife. She employed Miss Michael to search for evidence. After years of search Miss Michael has found a brother to Mrs. Brimistingool who says she died a natural death. Mrs. Brimistingool No. 2 will now receive a small fortune in pension money, and a mystery has been solved.

**See Boardman for your new Cloaks. Every garment this year's design.**

**IN MEMORIAM**

**ELDER CHARLES W. SMITH.**

Elder Charles W. Smith was born in Rutland, Vt., July 24, 1827 and died near Buchanan Mich., September 30, 1904. Brother Smith was raised by christain parents, his father being deacon of the Baptist church in his native town. In his early youth he heard William Miller preach the doctrine of Christs imminent second coming and earth's redemption, and afterwards accepted of the same. He was ordained to the gospel ministry by Elders Shelbon and Deys in 1862 and has ever since been connected with the work of the Advent Christian denomination in the west, building up two churches, at Aurora and Elgin Illinois. For some time Brother Smith had been troubled with disease. He fell asleep peacefully at his late home, surrounded by his loved and loving family, awaiting the voice of the archangel and the trump of God. Funeral services were conducted from the Advent Christian church Monday Oct. 3, 1904, by Elder Chas. A. Shook assisted by Elder J. C. Royer.

**BURTON W. HIPPI.**

The subject of this sketch Burton W. Hipp was born in Penfield near Rochester, N. Y., July 16, 1835, and died in Buchanan Mich., Sept. 26, 1904, being in his 80th year.

He first came to Michigan Allegan Co. in the spring of 1844, returning in the fall of the same year to N. Y. where he was married Oct. 2, 1845 to Phoebe A. McCumber.

In the summer of 1848 he came the second time to Michigan locating temporarily at Niles. In the spring of the following year he came to this vicinity where, with the exception of 2 years, 1856-8 he resided till 1874, when he moved to Benton Harbor and shortly afterward to Almena, near Paw Paw, Van Buren Co. He remained there till April of the present year when he removed to Buchanan to spend the rest of his days. But the infirmities of age were upon him. The strong constitution was broken, the end was already near. For many weeks past his condition was critical till at last the final summons came and he passed peacefully away.

"His count of years was full, his allotted task was wrought. He passes to his rest from a place that needs him not."

The oldest but two of a family of seven children he survived them all but one sister Mrs. Jerusha Buckley, of Chicago.

His first wife Phoebe A. Hipp died Nov. 23, 1888 and was buried in Morton cemetery Benton Harbor.

He was married again to Mrs. Nancy Enos, of Cass county who died May 1, 1903, and was buried at her former home near Edwardsburg. He was the father of four children. The oldest Eugene M. Hipp died in the year of 1875. Three survive him, O. B. Hipp, of Benton Harbor, Prof. Hipp, of this place and Mrs. Hattie A. Stapleton, of New Castle, Delaware.

For many years he was prominently identified with the interests of this community and with his demise has disappeared one once so prominent in its affairs.

The funeral services were held at the home of O. B. Hipp, of Benton Harbor being conducted by Rev. Lenox, pastor of the M. E. church of that place. The interment was in the Morton cemetery.—Eau Claire Enterprise.

Takes the burn out; heals the wound; cures the pain. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil, the household remedy.

One of nature's remedies; cannot harm the weakest constitution; never fails to cure summer complaints of young or old. Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry.

The Buchanan Gun Club held a shooting match, last Friday, at the park grounds. Thirteen events took place, six of them being won by Smoke Laushbaugh, of South Bend. Two were won by J. M. Strdebaker of South Bend, Three were won by Wm. Miller and one each by Frank Rowley and C. Riddle.

The Methodist choir met with Mrs. E. S. Dodd, their leader, last night and had a very enjoyable time. Mrs. Dodd thought it was on account of the departure of Dr. Garland, the organist, but before they went away they presented Mrs. Dodd with a very fine plate as a token of their appreciation of her services. Refreshments were served during the evening.

**Monday Club**

The M. L. Club met Monday, Oct. 3, at the home of the president, Mrs. E. S. Dodd.

The sun smiled a joyous welcome to the opening day of the club year 1904-5.

The president gave an address in which she spoke of the year's work before us, thanked the program committee for their very excellent work and welcomed our new members, Mrs. Will East and Mrs. Emma Knight. The secretary read the report of the last meeting which was accepted.

Mrs. Roe gave an interesting talk on "The Outlines of Japanese History," bringing out the more important points of earlier times. This was followed by a discussion.

Mrs. Weaver gave some very profitable and instructive thoughts "On the Study of Shakespeare."

After a five minutes recess Mrs. E. S. Dodd favored the club with a solo "For all Eternity" with violin accompaniment rendered by Mr Clarence Stryker, Mrs. Emma Knight presiding at the piano. The music was warmly received.

Roll call was responded to by twenty-three out of twenty-five members. At the close of the session dainty refreshments were served.

The ladies departed feeling it was good to meet together again and that Mrs. Dodd had done much to make the afternoon enjoyable.

The club will meet with Miss Samson Monday, Oct. 10. All are requested to bring their copies of Shakespeare.

**The Glowworm's Light.**

The luminous organ of the glowworm is a rounded area on the abdomen, under which is a fatty substance that gives out a phosphorescent light as the result of slow chemical change. We may regard this as a "love light," which attracts the active winged males during the hours of darkness, for glowworms are of nocturnal habits. The eyes of the male are unusually large and well developed. no doubt in order to help him in the search for his shining but more sluggish mate. In some other species, such as the fireflies of south Europe, it is the males which give out light, and the reason for this is not clear. Possibly it promotes rivalry in courtship, and it has also been suggested that it may serve as a means of amusement.

**Reading the Bible.**

It was the meeting of the Christian Endeavor society. Near the close the leader suggested that each one should tell what part of the Bible he read the most and give the reason.

The last one to speak was a lad who said, with a little hesitation, that he read the first chapters of Genesis more than any others.

A look of surprise and curiosity was manifest in all the listeners as he went on to give his reason.

"You see I always resolve every new year that I will begin and read the Bible through, but I never get very far, and of course I always have to make a new beginning."

**Stony Cities.**

In Jaffa and Jerusalem, as in Malta, everything is of stone. Even the very cisterns or tanks on the housetops are of stone. But in those stony cities the stone does not stop with the street level. The dwellers descend and burrow into the earth beneath. In many of the Jerusalem and Bethlehem buildings there are basements, subbasements, crypts, subcrypts and dungeons. One may descend several stories into the bowels of the earth amid the dampness and slime, where ooze trickles on the stone steps.—Argonaut.

**Had Her Own Impressions.**

"Your husband says he established his hotel by honest toil," remarked the woman who hears all that is said in the village.

"Yes," answered the tired looking woman, "but he didn't say whose toil did he?"—Washington Star.

**No Fear.**

Borrowings—I'm afraid I've got heart trouble. Lenders—Oh, you needn't be afraid that you'll ever die suddenly. Borrowings—Think not? Lenders—No, you'll pay the debt of nature slowly, just as you pay all your other debts.—Philadelphia Ledger.

**One Blessing.**

"Well, it's either muddy or dusty all the time," growled the pessimist. "But," pointed out the optimist, "what a blessing it is that it is never both muddy and dusty at once!"—Detroit Free Press.

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**Progress is our Motto**

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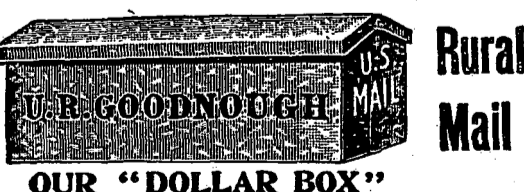
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**Closing of Mails.**

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**GOING WEST**  
7:45 a. m., 12:15 p. m., 3:15 p. m., 6:00 p. m.  
**GOING NORTH**  
7:45 a. m., 4:45 p. m.

**LOCAL NOTES**

Gasoline 13c per gallon at Buchanan Cash Grocery.  
Adam Rogers living north of town died Sunday morning.  
Special Glassware Assortment this week 5 cents at The Racket Store.  
Walter Metz has taken Jesse Spent's place in C. E. Treat & Co's. place.  
Call at the RECORD office and inspect our new line of Souvenir Postal Cards.  
Flour retailed at wholesale price. 5c buy a sack for which others charge 75c.  
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bishop have moved from their farm into their pleasant home on Day's avenue.

Persons desiring visiting cards in the latest styles and newest type faces will find them by inquiring of the RECORD.

Wm. Putman, of Niles filled the pulpit at the M. E. church, Sunday morning, in the absence of Rev. Douglass.

Great demand for telegraph operators. A chance to learn this business, for terms and particulars, apply this week to, F. W. RAVIN.

Rev. W. J. Douglas preached the funeral of Mrs. Herman Andrews, east of Pokagon, Sunday morning. Interment was made at Niles.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a farewell social. In honor of Rev. and Mrs. Cole, at the home of Mrs. W. S. Wells, Wednesday evening. All are cordially invited.

Coonley's Tonic Ext. Sarsaparilla is the best Blood Purifier made and it costs only half the price of other medicines of this kind. Large bottles 50c with full directions for using, at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son.

Rev. W. J. Douglass will preach a special sermon to the old folks, at the M. F. church Sunday morning Oct. 23. Special music will be provided for this service.

The M. C. R. Co. will sell tickets on Thursday, Oct. 20, from Buchanan to Chicago and return for one fare for round trip. Good returning until Oct. 24.

M. L. Jinks.

Repairs are being made on the Buchanan road, about three miles west of Niles road, which was formerly notoriously bad, is getting to be one of the best in this section and it is now a real pleasure to drive from Niles to Buchanan. Let the good work go on, Niles Star.

A new roof is being put on Mrs. Geo. Parkinson's building.

Fresh candy received today, 10cts pound at The Racket Store.

All latest designs in Souvenir Postal Cards at the RECORD office.

The republicans of Three Oaks will meet tomorrow night and organize a club.

P. L. Chiles and N. J. Neill, from Chicago, are here finishing the new heating system at the school house.

Preparations are being made at Three Oaks for the County Sunday School Convention, which will be held there in the near future.

John R. Rough, who resides south of Buchanan, brought some fine black raspberries to the RECORD office Saturday. They were a second crop.

Preaching at Advent Christian church changed from 7:30 to 7:00 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:00 p. m. CHAS. SHOOK, Pastor.

Mr. J. B. Sturtevant, the Niles real estate man, was in town Monday. He has joined the RECORD family of advertisers. See his ad in this issue. It will pay you.

Lo-tus Liver Pills are the great Pills for Ladies, curing constipation and giving a clear, fresh complexion. Large boxes, 50 pellets, for sale by Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son.

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Geo. R. Zimmerman had the misfortune to quite badly cut his right wrist, last week, while loading stone in Niles. It was a very painful wound and required several stitches to close it.

Mr. Myron Murphy, Lester Snively, Vergal Blanchard, of Berrien County and Mr. Snively, of Enghaut Penn. had a pleasant trip down the river Saturday and Sunday.

**Go to Boardman's for your Rain and Tourists Coats.**

The display of colts last Saturday, at the Joe Burch barn, drew quite a crowd. There were nineteen colts on display and they were fine animals. Mr. Dempsey is very much pleased with the outcome of his advertising.

The colored settlement in Cass county is said to be disappearing, over 800 people having left Calvin township within the past four years. This township was made famous in years past by the fact that there was not a white officer in the township, the colored people having a monopoly in everything.

Fire, Sunday night, destroyed the horse barn, corncrib and wagon sheds of Henry Miller, residing about two miles south of Berrien Springs on the Niles road. Three horses and a lot tools and implements were burned. The loss is estimated at \$1,200 to \$1,500, partly insured in the Berrien county Farmer's Mutual.

Special meeting of business men Thursday evening at 8 o'clock sharp at the club rooms, for the propose of organizing a local office of the Commercial Credit Exchange. Representatives of the Exchange at Niles and South Bend Ind. will be present to speak. A full attendance of all business people requested.

Bill Thieme, the court house attache, who had a fearful fright from a moccasin snake that he encountered while trimming the grass, explains his feelings in the following language: "I sometimes usually have some calmness of axshun, but I tell you straight from my mind without any prejudice springing thereafter, dat I was about nearly so scared as I think Joe Tennant and the rest of dem fellers in the sheriff's office be over the threatened colapsation of dat dere deputy sheriff machine after the votes have been figured out for Roy Clark next November. For sure that is the nearest reproduction of me feelings after dat snake jumped plump at me."

**PERSONAL.**

Tom Brown was a Niles visitor, Saturday.

O. S. Taylor spent Sunday in Elkhart, Ind.

Lee Jones, of Dowagiac, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Geo. I. Westgate was a Benton Harbor visitor yesterday.

Miss Blanch Spaulding, of South Bend was home over Sunday.

Miss Blennie Waterman, of St. Joseph, spent Sunday at home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ohmer were South Bend visitors, Saturday.

Wm. Bohl and Wm. Koons went to Detroit, Friday, for a short visit.

Fred Stephens of Dowagiac called on friends here Thursday evening.

Miss Alma Atzel, of Chicago, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mac C. Chamberlin.

Isiah Ryncarson and two boys of Three Oaks, spent Sunday in Buchanan.

Robert Wood and mother, of Benton Harbor spent Sunday at Hotel Listers.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bunts, of Chicago, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. P. N. Weaver.

F. A. Ravin, of Laport, Ind., spent Sunday at the home of F. W. Ravin in this place.

Mrs. Emma Wood, of Benton Harbor, is spending the week with her sister Mrs. D. C. Bragg.

Rev. W. J. Tarrant went to Grand Rapids today, to attend the annual conference of the U. B. church.

Mrs. Wm. Klute, of Three Oaks, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Spaulding, several days last week.

Miss Valaria Begole, of Fargo, N. D., started for her home Monday after a two week's visit in Buchanan.

Mrs. Davenport, of Sawyer, and Mrs. Ada Stevens, of Chicago, were the guests of Mrs. M. K. Spaulding last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Pratt, of Chicago, came to Buchanan Saturday for a week's visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hamilton.

Dr. J. A. Garland and Jesse Spennetta started this morning for Los Angeles, Cal. for an extended trip. Dr. Garland will be back Nov. 1st.

Mrs. Hattie A. Stapleton, who has been at the bedside of her father, B. W. Hipp, for many weeks, has returned to her home in New Castle, Delaware.

Elmer Swisher has moved into the house on Berrien street, recently purchased by him from Gus Vetter.

The homeopathic medical department at the University of Michigan will establish a sub-department to be known as the "drug proving" department. The work will be done at the homeopathic laboratory under able assistance, to be named later, and will be to test drugs and food products. While these investigations will be along the line of tests by the government, the real object will be to get at remedies for poisons.

At the annual business meeting of the Advent Christian church held Monday evening the following officers were elected for the coming year: Clerk, C. S. Preston; Treasurer, C. B. Treat; Deacons, F. R. Harding, Jay Glover, J. K. Woods and Henry Bradley; Deaconesses, Mesdames Preston, Irwin, Glover and Woods; Trustees, John Sheldon and Dr. J. W. Emmons. The treasurer reported the church in a flourishing condition and steps were taken toward the securing of a parsonage. Rev. Chas. A. Shook was retained as pastor for the coming year.

Next Tuesday, Oct. 4, Mrs. Elizabeth Wood, the aged mother of Col Wood, will celebrate the 100th anniversary of her birth in the presence of her children and grandchildren. Col. Wood is the youngest of 8 living children of Mrs. Wood and he is 58 years of age of age. The oldest surviving child is Chas Wood, of Unity, Wis., who is 81 years of age. All the children are expected to attend and it will be a momentous event in the Wood family. The aged lady is still quite smart for a person who has lived a whole century of time.—Niles Sun. Mrs. Wood is the grandmother of Mrs. Harry Scott, living south of Buchanan.

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Yeast Foam we sell for 4c; others charge 5c	Teas we sell for 60c; others charge 70c
Walter Baker's Chocolate we sell for 45c per lb; others charge 50c	Coffee we sell for 13c; others charge 15c
German Sweet Chocolate we sell for 8c; others charge 10c	Coffee we sell for 17c; others charge 20 to 25c
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## AFTER THE SPOILS

Democrats Are Not Sincere In Their Pledges.

BOSS CAMPAU FOR SENATOR

is Ambition of Party Managers—Republicans Will Not be Led Into the Trap.

Hon. Fred M. Warner, who heads the Republican state ticket, is selected as the special target of the enemies of the party in this campaign, and they are seeking by every means to create the impression that he is unworthy of the high trust for which he has been named. Two years ago Mr. Warner was on the ticket as nominee for secretary of state, and there was perhaps no other name on that ticket so generally conceded to be unassailable in its popularity. It was everywhere said that he was the ideal candidate, for whom the full party vote should be polled, and the result proved that true. Now what, we might ask, has occurred since to justify a different estimate? Mr. Warner was elected by one of the highest majorities recorded, and the record of his administration for two years is open to any who would assail it. Has it been assailed? No. Has any corruption, any dereliction, any incapacity, any fault whatever been found in his conduct of the secretary's office? None—none whatever. He has gone about his duties modestly, faithfully, intelligently, efficiently, and has given the state an administration of merit never surpassed in that office. It is not pretended to convict him of any fault as a servant of the state, and his detractors cannot deny that he has given his time and his talents to the public service, and has nowhere betrayed the public interest nor in any manner compromised the good name of the state or of the party that chose him. But, they say, he would do so as governor, and they bring forward the nonsensical and meaningless allegation that he is a creature of "the machine," and would be a puppet in the hands of unscrupulous bosses—just as the very same papers that are saying this used to caricature McKinley as a contemptible puppet in the hands of a horrible ogre labeled Mark Hanna. They asserted that Mr. Warner is in some way mortgaged and will be controlled by some such evil influences, as they continually declared that McKinley was. They show no evidence, of course, of any pledge or obligation from him, and Mr. Warner for himself has earnestly declared his absolute freedom from any obligation or implication whatever affecting his official action, other than those in the platform upon which he was nominated. The voters will judge whether the man who has a record so clean and honorable in the public positions he has filled, is likely to show himself a different kind of a man when the more serious responsibility of the chief executive is laid upon him.

Republicans in Michigan who, for whatever reason, are disposed to look with favor upon the Democratic blandishments to vote against Fred M. Warner, or any legislative candidates, should remember that there is much more at stake in this campaign than the adoption of any particular system of nominating candidates for office. In this connection the Saginaw Courier-Herald very wisely says: "The Democratic managers' plan is to induce disaffected Republicans to vote against the Republican legislative candidates as well as for the Democratic candidate for governor. They are wise in this, according to their plans, because they know that a Democratic governor would be as helpless as a woggle bug if he were elected governor with a Republican legislature. Indeed, such a partisan division of the legislative and executive departments would defeat the purpose which they are inciting Republicans to imagine is the real object of their plans. Primary reform, in fact, would have a better show were Mr. Warner elected in such case, because he has declared his purpose of signing any bill passed by the legislature, whether for local option or for state-wide adoption.

The "independent" or any other sort of voter will search in vain the Democratic speeches, newspapers, and other sources of outgiving, to find any reference to the fact that the next legislature will reapportion and redistrict the state, both as to congressional and legislative divisions, and will elect a United States senator to succeed Senator Burrows, Republican. And right here is the meat in the cocoon.

Now it is assumed that nearly every one of the Republicans disgruntled on state issues intends to vote for the Republican candidate for president. The Democrats foster this assumption, in order not to alarm the dissatisfied voter and make him suspicious of the real purpose of the Democratic managers. That purpose is not to secure primary reform, for which they care little or nothing, but to secure control of the legislature, redistrict the state and elect a United States senator.

They can secure this control only by the votes of the Republicans, who are importuned to vote against Fred M. Warner and for the Democratic legislative candidates. These Republicans, sound on the national ticket, anxious for the continuance of a Republican congress, who could not be induced, under any circumstances, to vote to cripple the national administration, are in reality asked—under the guise of an alleged non-partisan state movement—to place the executive office and the legislature in the hands of the Democrats so that they may have an opportunity to gerrymander the state against the Republicans, to send a Democrat from Michigan to sit six years in the United States senate, and to juggle the districts so that they may have a chance to in-

crease that party's representation in the lower house from Michigan from one member to half a dozen or more.

Such an outcome might easily result in turning over congress to the Democrats in the middle of President Roosevelt's administration, and prove a serious setback to the country's present satisfactory condition.

Do the Republicans of Michigan desire to become party to such a political condition?

Roosevelt Republicans, the kind that are true blue and rock-rooted in national affairs, as all these men are whom the Democratic managers are endeavoring to persuade to help them gain control of Michigan by this "non-partisan" trick, may well think twice before they fall in with their wiles, by voting against the Republican candidate for governor and the legislative candidates.

They certainly do not want the state gerrymandered for ten years to come by the D. J. Campau crowd. They certainly do not want to see D. J. Campau occupying a seat in the United States senate. They certainly do not want to see the most of our present strong delegation in congress swept out two years hence. If they do not they should support Fred M. Warner, clean, honest, capable, without a flaw in his private and public character, and the legislative nominees. They should emulate Hon. Geo. B. Horton, master of the State grange, who declares that the division of sentiment in the party upon the question of the best method of reforming the nominating system is not so wide that it cannot be bridged by a Republican legislature and a Republican governor.

At any rate, they have opportunity to ponder the seriousness, in a party sense, of giving the state into political charge of the present Democratic organization.

### FRED M. WARNER'S RECORD STANDS FOR ITSELF.

Although a young man, Fred M. Warner has been in public life for a number of years. He was the youngest member of the state senate during the two terms he was a member of that body, and the youngest man ever elected secretary of state of Michigan. His official acts are known to his fellow citizens. They, more completely than anything else possibly could, give the lie to the charges now being made by newspapers that have assailed the character of every public man since their establishment, that he is the tool of the machine and the corporations. We have the testimony of these newspapers, recorded in their editorial columns at the close of two sessions of the legislature of which he was a member, that his vote was on the right side of every question affecting the people's interests. Mr. Warner's record in the senate at a time when the question of corporation influence was strenuously in evidence is an open book, which may be scanned from cover to cover without disclosing an instance of failure on his part to vote and act independently in the interest of his constituents.

His record as secretary of state is equally commendable. In all matters growing out of the litigation with the railroads he has stood steadfastly by the attorney general, upholding the latter's hands in every effort made by the companies in their fight to defeat the tax law and recover damages for the repeal of the special charter of the Michigan Central. From the beginning the railroads have cunningly sought to set the public against the further defense of the suits by making it appear that the expense would be ruinous. Notwithstanding adverse criticism due to these tactics of the railroad companies, Mr. Warner, as chairman of the board of state auditors, before which all these items of expense come for allowance, has never for a moment hesitated about voting to give the attorney general all the assistance asked for. His record both in the state senate and as a member of the board of state auditors has been one of honesty and independence. And we have the voluntary testimony of the Scripps newspapers to prove that he was never controlled by the machine or the corporations.

### THE "NON-PARTISAN" DODGE.

Strange thing this: The Democrats are making their fight for governor and the legislature on a "non-partisan" basis. And yet they filed the supreme justice vacancy on their ticket last week with a Democrat, when they might have left it blank or named one of the Republican nominees.

As we understand this "non-partisan" dodge the Campau organization wants all the Republicans to be non-partisan and vote for the Democratic candidate for governor and the Democratic legislative nominees, but all Democrats must vote their party ticket straight. They hope, in fact, that the "non-partisan" trick may fool enough Republicans to elect their whole state ticket, supreme justices and all.

The real object of this "non-partisan" campaign, this throwing of Parker overboard, is the control of the state administration and the legislature, the election of Boss Dan Campau to the United States senate in place of Senator Burrows, and the gerrymandering of the legislative and congressional districts of the state.

They may fool some of the Republicans some of the time, but we hope not all of the time. It's clever, but will it last to November 8?—Saginaw Courier-Herald.

The fact that many of the workers in the Republican ranks throughout the state were found to be lined up for Mr. Warner for governor, has given rise to the charge that he was in the hands of the "machine." There is nothing further from the truth. The fact is that these workers were brought in by Mr. Warner instead of the workers bringing him in. He made his own canvass, and by his good fellowship and clean record won his own nomination.—Judge Lamb, Cadillac.

The Democratic cry to Democrats in this campaign is "Vote 'er straight," while to Republicans they dishonestly talk non-partisanship, but the game won't work.



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