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Special Sale for July

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Mercerized Waistings, 121/c. Remnants Wool Suitings, 25c. Huck and Twill Towelings, 3c and 31/4c. 17-inch half linen bleached Huck, 10ch

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yard.

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MICHGAN'S NEW

THE STATE ROADS

of Completing the First Mile

law creating it, with a deputy and

department are a little farther under

way. He went last Eriday to inspect

the first mile of road submitted-

though Dickinson county competes

for the honor of completing the first

mile under the new law, and is await-

ing the commissioner's visit. An-

other job of two miles is in progress

in Wairen township, Macomb county

in extension of four miles of macadam

Earle inspected the four miles of old

repair, ruled that, although the fown

on that portion, it would all be rated

as a state rewarded road, and it must

be put in good repair, with culvert

juards and complete drainage, and

supplies of stone every half mile for

keeping rutt filled, before their ap-

pilcation for reward on the two miles

of new road could be entertained

This the fownship board obligated

themselves to do. The incident sug-

gest the thoroughness that maybe

looked for in the services of the com-

missioner, who is an enthusiast in

that line of effort. There is consider

able ginger in his makeup, but no

starch. When sought for early one

morning last week, he was found at

the basement stairway with a big

waste basket full of paper which he

had borne down two flights with his

own official hands, looking for the

rubbish repository. Montcalm coun-

ty has two miles of food in construc-

tion under the department supervision

quarter, be side the three and a half

College, to be aided by the national

government, which is expected to be

at least partially completed this sea

son; and there will no doubt be other

illustrations of the value of this new

departure in the policy of the state

Tax Notice

before the season closes.

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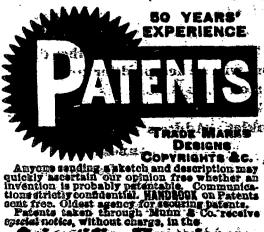
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The tax roll for the willage of Bufor collection. I will be at Lee Bros. At every drug store; Only 25c. bank on Tuesdays and Fridays until July 21st to receive same. B. F. Fisk, V .. Village Treas!

TWO SPECIALS FOR PICNIC Governor Hanly Commutes to Life Term

P. M. Prepares to Handle a Big Crowd

Walter Banyon Will Deliver Principal *** Address

The Pere Marquette will run two special trains from Benton Harbor to Berrien Springs for the Young Peo ple's picnic August 2 Word was rethe association officially announcing that this arrangement had been made Every preparation will be made by the company for handling a mammoth growd from the twin cities.

z. The regular train, will leave that city at 7 a. m. It will be followed by the first special at 12:30 p. m. and the extra special at 3 p min The last train will leave Berrien Springe at midnight. Last trip to Buchanan at 10:30 p. m.

wiWalten Banyon; sthere Michigan James Whitcomb Riley Wwill deliver the principal address at the picnic His great oratorical power and wonderful capacity as an entertainer have made him one of the most; popular of the platform speakers of southwestern Michigan.

Two Counties Compete for the Ronor Addresses will be made by other prominent young people of the coun

The program for the day abounds The new state highway department. with novel features; enumerated as is organized in conformity with the

Australian Israelite band of Bento one clerk, and is temporarily housed, Harbor, headed by Benjamin, the in the speaker's room adjoining the angel"."
Baseball, game between Berrien

hall of representatives until permanent quarters can be assigned by the Springs and Star Athletics, Michiboard of auditors. The commissioner, gan's champion amateur team in 1904. Hon. Horatio S. Earlo, of Detroit, is Minstrel troupe giving three per-

in personal command when not cut formances in the state on the business of his 24 Hal, the boy wonder, in daring office, which will probably very often high wire feat. be the case when the operations of the

High dive by Jack Piper from nev interurban bridge into St. Joseph

Horse race for all classes. Automobile races.

Concerts by three well known bands Fireworks display in the evening. President Ben Curry and Secretary G. A. Wilkinson of the association have been working hard in rushing arrangements for the big event.

road and finding it somewhat out at 22ND ANNUAL REUNION

would be entitled to no atate reward Co. "D," --- Sharp Shooters

> ers, will be held in Pross Bowe's governor refused to interfere in the Orchard Groye, at Paw Paw Lake, near Watervliet, on Wednesday and Thursday, August 2nd and 3rd, 1905. Let there be a full attendance of the boys, their mothers, wives, daughters and sons, as important business is to come before the association in the delivery of the books on the History of the Company. Send the name and address of any comrade that you, may know of to be. Also when you change your post office address, send to me the name of your new address. This is important.

Capt. Wm. S. Boyd, of Danville, Ill.; Mace Vermett, of Crede, Colo.; Ebin Hardy, of Eagle, Nebraska; "Dad" Ogden and others are expected to be present. Any relative of a member of Co. "D," can purchase a copy of this history if he wishes to from Lansing to the Agricultural

"REN." BARKER, Adjutant.

Forced to Starve.

B. F. Leek, of Concord, Ky, says: For 20 years I suffered agonies, with a sore on my upper lip, so painful, sometimes, that I could not eat. After vainlytrying everything else, I cured it; with Bucklen's Arnica Salve." It's great for burns, cuts and wounds.

Benton Harbor Abstract Co.—Abstracts of tle. Real estate mortgage loans. Of 1 122 Water St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

DONAHUE WILL NOT BE

Indianapolis, July 19,—Considering the circumstantial evidence upon which he was convicted; the allegations concerning insanity, that, were not admitted through legal technicality and the poor defense put up by his attorneys, Edward Donahue's sentence of death has been commuted by Governor Hanly to one of life imprisonment.

Donahue was to have been hung immediately after midnight Friday morning, having been convicted in the Lake county courts for the murder of Aminter Northrup of Benton Harbor, Mich., Oct. 5, 1904. The case was passed upon by the appellate and the supreme courts of the state and the sentence allowed to stand, hence Donahue's last hope was centered in executive clemency.

In speaking of the commutation Gov. Hanley said: "The evidence W does not justify the extreme penalty imposed as it is wholly circumstantial. Also there is a question as to the sanity of the defendant. Defense made for him were more nominal than actual. The issue of insanity was neither tried nor presented in trial court. It was not raised at all until after the trial and sentence, in

a supplemental motion for a new trial. On appeal to the supreme court the evidence was not presented and that tribunal could not do otherwise than affirm the judgement of the trial court. The defendant, penniless, 4 friendless, an ex-convict, incarcerated in jail without opportunity to procure counsel or witness, was brought into court to answer to a retiging of murder. Upon request he was permitted to defense as a poor person, and he was placed on trial the day his counsel was appointed. No time for the preparation of his defense was asked or given."

. After commenting on the poor defense of the case the governor concluded: "I would not be doing my duty to permit this man's life to be taken under the circumstances disclosed by the records in this case, and I therefore have commuted his sentence from death to life imprisonment in the state prison."

The crime was committed near Ho bart, Lake county, Oct. 5, 1904. Aminter Northrup was the victim. Dona hue coming back to Tolleston, thence to Kalamazoo, where he found that he was suspected. He went east and was captured near, Syracuse, N. Y. Dec 24, 1904. He was brought to 66th Ill., Birge's Western Crown Point for trial, convicted and sentenced to be hanged.

At all times he has protested that The 22nd annual reunion of Co he believed executive clemency would 'D," 66th Ill., Western Sharp Shoot- be extended to him. Even after the case of Berkley Smith, the Indianapolis negro wife murderer. Donahue contended that the governor would not let him hang.

LaPorte County Will Have a Great Fair.

Sept. 12-15th.

b have the best bands that money had been a helpless invalid but had with Judge Ellsworth. vill get, for music every day, to have every attention that loving hands numerous fine attractions daily, and in could furnish. The brothers and fact to widen the scope of the fair in sisters surviving are, Moses B. Quint,

be given over to spectacular and Carroll, and Flavilla B. Spaulding, scenic events, such as fireworks, acrobatic and other performances, fancy races, etc., making a grand program every night, and with but one charge in Buchanan township. Brief serat the gate of 25 cents.

The Floral Hall will be especially attractive, they tell us, with the many lights, and better exhibits than ever

FOR SALE—One double barrel, breech loading shot gun, number 10 thought the occasion marked the physicians could reach the scene the gauge, also a double door refrigerator triumph of one of God's saints, and woman died. all in first class condition.

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ELEANOR H. QUINT

Eleanor H. Quint was born in Somerset county. Maine: July 28, 1820. She was the oldest child of John and Abagail Quint. In 1745 she was married to Edmund Spaulding, who died etery;

To them were born nine children, only three of whom are now living, Dr. Oliver Spaulding of Toronto, Kansas; Dr. Llewellyn Q. Spaulding of Ida Grove, Iowa; and Dr. Chas. Spaulding of Carroll, Iowa.

. In early life she became a christian

and united with the Methodist Episs copal church. For many years she was in the Presbyterian church, being a member of the Presbyterian church at Ida, Grove, Jowa, at the time of her death. Mrs. Spaulding was a most devoted Christian, her faith was proven by her holy life, by her constant a thoughtful kindness in The LaPorte County Agricultural her home and in the community. She Association are arranging for a big passed away Saturday evening, July time during the week of their fair, 15 at the home of her son, Dr. Chas. Spaulding, Carroll; Iowa where she They have arranged to illuminate had made her home for the past year of Barlow, Oregon; Esther D. Atwood, In addition to this, the nights will of Carroll; Bolomon C. Quint, of of Buchanan.

Deceased was one of the pioneers of Berrien County settling on a farm vices were held at the residence of Dr. Spaulding, Sabbath afternoon, conducted by Rev. W. H. Jordan, the we should rejoice in her victory. Inquire of J. M. HUBBELL This is the victory that overcometh Bring your printing to the Record

the world, even our faith.

The ladies quartet furnished the

Michigan.

A briefeservice was held at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. P. Spaulding, of this city Tuesday, July 18, at 9:30 a. m. Rev. Chas. A. Shook officiating, after which the remains were interred in the Oak Ridge cem-

WOMAN IS DROWNED

Wife of Mr. Campbell, Concrete Man With Townsend, Meets Death

Berrien Springs, July 19.—Mrs. Campbell, wife of Barney Campbell, superintendent of the concrete work on the trolley line, was drowned today in the St. Joseph river at Berrien Springs. Her body was recovered this afternoon.

It is thought here that Mrs. Campbell committed suicide. It is generally thought that she was mentally unbalanced, and the opinion prevail here that she took her own life.

While her husband was in St. Joseph making petition to have her declared insane, Mrs. Barney Campbell committed suicide by leaping into the grounds nights, to have better and a half. Mrs. Spaulding had the St. Joseph river at Berrien and more premiums than ever before, reached the ripe age of 85 years lack- Springs. The husband received the to have more races on better tracks, ing 8 days. For several months she awful news while yet in consultation

> Mrs. Campbell recently came to Berrien Springs to visit her husband, and stopped at the hotel.

> The unfortunate woman had given evidence of an unbalanced mind for some time. Under constant watch of her young son, she eluded him shortly after dinner yesterday, went directly to the river, and a short time afterward the steamer May Graham, in making a landing, stirred up the body.

Albert Martin, fishing in a rowpastor of the Presbytertian church, boat, discovered the human object who spoke from the first Epistle of floating, hauled the body into the Corinthians, fifty fifth yerse, of death, boat and brought it to shore. There where is thy sting? The speaker were some signs of life but before

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Every straw hat in stock is being sold at a discount, even the Panamas.

All children's straw hats are sold at just half what they are marked. We want to close them out quick.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Korn and

Mr. Frank Rhoades and Ira Reog-

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rough and Mr.

and Mrs. L. B. Rough were guests of

BENTON HARBOR

Eastman Springs last Saturday.

The Industrial school picniced at

The Seventh Day Adventists are

holding tent meetings at the corner

The Epworth lengue gave a delight

ful moonlight excursion up the river

During the hot wave this week the

Benj. S. Carpenter died last Sun

day at the age of 81. He had been

a continuous resident of this county

for 60 years. What will have the

Rev. John Robertson D. D.

Edinburgh, Scotland, delivered a very

helpful address Monday night at the

S. S. Convention at the M. E church.

C. W. Whitehead is attending the

national conference of corrections at

Portland, Ore, as representative from

Miss Julia Murphy, of Buchanan,

stopped in this city on her way home

from Milwankee, to visit Mrs. Dick

Three or four hundred Germans

from Cincinnati are in St. Joe to en-

joy a week's outing in our famous

Sunday evening's services.

The W. H. M. S. of the M. E.

church a entertained the Sabbath

school Wednesday evening, at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. Oren Nash at

a reception, serving ice cream and

Two racing autos, the Red Devil

and White Ghost, were used in races

at the driving part this afternoon.

There is not much difference in their

speed which is about 1.16 a mile,

Owing to a loosened fire the Chost

jumped the track and crashed into

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last night on the Pourist

mercury, went as high as 98 in the

shade and 121 in the sun.

of Britain and Columbus avenues

nes have been on the sick list from

over work in the hot sun.

Lakes, Ind. Sunday.

Bennet and Ella Higgins spent Sun

day at St. Joe.

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The Russians say the Japanese soldiers want peace, and the way they have been fighting for it gives color to the rumor.

The Standard oil company is spend- in-law, Mrs. E: Wyman, who has been ing less for advertising and getting sick for some time and is slowly more of it than any other corporation growing worse. in the country.

The eagerness with which Japan's new loan is being taken indicates a general belief that she is certain to get a large indemnity from Russia.

There is still another doubt coming to people who, two weeks ago, were certain that Russia was on the verge of revolution. There are countless millions in Russia patiently waiting to hear of the surrender of Tokio.

The statement made by the New York World, as the result of investigations made in every state in the union, that Michigan is one of only eleven states in which no state scandal or grafting scheme exists, is certainly true so far as it relates to the state government of Michigan and its present state administration. Such a statement could hardly be specifically made in behalf of the cities of Detroit and Grand Rapids, but fortunately the state of Michigan is not responsible for conditions existing in these cities.

A Michigan law of much import ance, for protecting shippers against oppressive freight charges, was sustained in a decision of Judge 'Coolidge of the Berrien circuit, last week. The law regulates rates for short hauls to prevent unreasonable charges, and was passed by a republican legislature fruit belt. in 1877, and approved by Gov. Croswell. The case was that of an arbitrary charge by the Pere Marquette; for hauling a car of canned goods a dozen miles, from Watervliet to Benton Harbor, in disregard of the law, which the shippers refused to pay and replevined the car which the company was holding. Upon defeat in the circuit court the company has appealed to the supreme court, con-cake. testing the constitutionality of the law, and the principle will now be determined.

The Diamond Cure.

The latest news from Paris, is, that they have discovered a diamond cure for consumption. If you fear consumption or pneumonia, it will, how-the fence, but the driver had his ever be best for you to take that great nerve with him and was not injured. remedy mentioned by W. T. McGee, of Vanleer, Tenn. "I had a cough, for fourteen years. Nothing helped: me, until I took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and taking a medicine which will relieve Colds, which gave instant relief, and effected a permanent cure" Unequalled quick cure, for Throat and Lung Troubles. At every drug store, price 50c and \$1.00, guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

BERRIEN COUNTY BATTALION

Will Hold Reunion at Buckanan, Aug

A meeting of the executive committee of the Berrien County Battalion was held in Buchahan Wednesday and arrangements were made for the coming reunion.

We give below the minutes of the meeting, which will give its full details:

Buchanan, Mich., July 21,1905. Meeting of committee of Berrien County Battalion was held in Wm Perrott No.: 22, Postroom, July 21, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Officers, present, John Graham, president; J. J. Drake, vice president; and John C. Dick, secretary.

Delegates; W. F. Kimball, Geo. H. Thomas, Post No. 14, Benton Harbor, J. J. Drake, A. W. Chapman, Post No. 21, St. Joseph, William Powers Wm. Perrott, Post 22, Buchanan, J. H. Booth, Geo. S. Mead, Post No. 38, Berrien Center, A. W. Harkins, Kilpatrick, Post No. 39, Berrien Springs, Alonzo Goodenough, Geo. A. Carter, Post No. 208, Galien and Charles Misner, Frank A. Daniel Post No. 437, New Troy.

It was moved and supported that the county re-union be held at Buchanan August, 29; 30 and 31. Motion adopted. On seperate motions. duly made, supported and adopted the following officers were chosen.

A. W. Haskins, Berrien Springs, Lieut colonel, Alonzo Goodenough, Galien a beautiful lady, clevair, dis-Major, Rev. W. J. Douglass, Buchanan: Chaplain Dr. A. H. Scott, St. Jon a man, an American. I go to him. seph, surgeon Dr. F. F. Sovereign, I say: Pardon, monsieur, what is Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rough visited Three Oaks, asst. surgeon; O. F. ze lady's name?" The gentleman Mr. and Mrs. Robert Main at Chain Richmond, Buchanan, quarter master, he say: 'That's my business!' Bah! Officers of the day:

Wm. H. Bullard; Niles, second day; C. C. Hodges, New Buffalo, third Mr. and Mrs. Oss Rhoades, Sunday. Emory Rough was at Eau Clair day. The colonal to appoint the adjuster of

the Quartermaster Sergeant. It was moved and supported that each comrade provide his own rations 2 Doubt lt

Motion adopted A. H. Rowe, St. Joseph; Wm. H. Bullard, Niles and Wm Beach, Ga-

lien were appointed a committee on transportation. John Graham, Buchanan on printing; J. J. Drake, St. Joseph, commit-

tee on speaker.

grounds, vocal and instrumental A. Rowe, treasurer being absent,

W. F. Kimbatk made verbal, report back often quite severe, more espec for him, \$35.73 on hand. Moved rally if I overexarted myself or fool and supported that we adjourn, motion adopted.

John C. Dicks Sec.

Making a Wonderful Run.

Victor Herserts music and the clever comedy of "It Happened in Nordland !! the Grand Opera House, Chreago, at every performance State Remember the name Doan's It is what may be termed a ratifing good show, blight and hugely igreeable in every detail. Such magnificence of costuming, is, in the words of Kirke LaShelle, the best ever, having the merit of newness, as well as an artistic harmony of olor scheme. The famous song, Absinthe Frappe," takes off its hat to none other, and May Naudain's vocal hif. "The Knot of Bive." still touches the right cherd in the heart The debt on the Christian church of the anditor. Find a comedy bus has been raised and the burning of iness provokes roars of laughter, the mortgage will take place at next there are new lines and songs interpolated and the work of the comedians is better, brighter and more: clever as the weeks go by.

Every musical comedy has its much advertised chorus faction, bu for splendor, beauty and voluptuous charms of the stunning women that go to make up the chorus of Nordland there is no equal. Inis the money's worth just to catch a glimpse of the stage when it is ornamented with these chorus beauties, in magnificent, gowns that become the symmetry, of their perfect figures, and enhance the attractiveness, of their beautiful faces that have nothing to fear from the spot light or even the daylighter It is said that the selection of these chorus girls was the work of Julian Mitchell. Mr. Mitchell is an artist.

Nordland may be commended without hesitation to all desirous of clean, artistic, tuneful comedy, with a laugh in every line.

" fmos. s. spracue & son. Wayne County Bank Bldg., DET'S MP. ISPIÈRCE PRANES

Harry O. Pierce, 'former' deputy sheriff, who; has been so journing at his mother's farm near Buchanan for the past week, was taken to the county sent resterday where he will remain in the custody of Sheriff Tennant until a hearing, on an application to have him adjudged insane, is had in the probate court. The hearing is slated to take place tomoerow, and if adjudged insane, Mr. Pierce probably will be taken to the Michigan State Asylum for the insane, ai Kalamazoo.

For the past several months Mr. Pierce has been rapidly on the des cline, the marked symptons of his ailment being loss of memory: and difficulty of speech. However, it was not until a few days ago that the ailment gained complete control of his mental equipment, thus causing him to become violent.

Harry has for years been very popalar with a wide circle of friends and his misfortune is profoundly regretted on all sides by people who hope for his ultimate recovery. Niles Star..

Gaston's Point of View.

"Ze American, ah mon Dieu, he iss a very funny man. He know nothing but ze dollar. He have. no love of beauty or art. He do W. A. Preston, St. Joseph, colonel; not comprenz." "What's on your mind, Gaston?" "To-day I see tingue, magnifeecent. She is with Beesness, beesness, all de time. Wm. Powers, Buchanan, first day; He was a rude man." Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

CAN'T DENY IT Sunday where he visited his mother tant the Quartermaster to appoint This Had Happened in San Francisco Instead of Buchanan More Than One Reader Might

> The avarage many is the from the transfer of the public line of the pu been humbugged so frequently they are skeptical. Proof like the follow-

ing will stand investigation. It cannot be disputed. Mrs. M. Grittin, of West Front Buchanan says: 1 Mb ... used Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at V Wm. Perrott Post to secure the N. Brodrick's drug store, and I think them an excellent remedy for Back ache and kidney-complaint AL we troubled for some time with a d aching feeling in the small of a slight cold. Fused as great many remedies, of which some were worth

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D L. BOARDMAN.

Word was received by Mrs. Fannie Devin, this morning, announcing the death of her mother, Mrs. Margaret Fawcett, which occured at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Etta Hovey, in Marietta, Ohio. Mrs. Devin left today for that place.

Mrs. C. H. Fuller, Mrs. Frank Kean and children, Mrs. H. S Roughs and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. French. Mrs. Eben Gage and children were the guests of Mrs. Florence Kean and Miss Mary Blackford and brother, daughter Miss Edna, at: Clear Lake Neil; of Sycamore, are visiting at the vesterday . A picuic dinner was one home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Miller. feature of the day's pleasure

The band concert Wednesday night was enjoyed by a large crowd The streets were filled with people and it is safe to say that, it, was the largest crowd out to a band concert this season. The resorters came in from Clear Lake in full force, and from all appearances fiad a jolly time. Quite a number of people from nearby towns were also present:

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TERSONAL.

W. F. Kimball, of Benton Harbor, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Chas. Bishop went to Benton Harbor yesterday morning.

A. W. Hawkin s of Berrien Springs was a Buchanan visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Troutfetter and Mrs. Geo. Leno were Galien visitors Thurs-

M. P. Estes, of Salt Lake City, has been visiting relatives in Buchanan

Miss Helen Glidden returned home Wednesday from a three weeks visit in Chicago

Mrs. W. E. Colemen spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Galien and New Troy. Mrs. Harry Stowe and children, of

Niles, were the guests of Mrs. Chas N. East, Thursday. Mrs. H. C. Bliss and children start-

ed for their home in Council Bluffs, lowa, yesterday morning after month's visit in Buchanan. Mrs. Frank-Bosworth returned to her home in Plymouth, Ind.; yester-

day after a visit with her parents, Miss Belle Miller, of Three Oaks,

Mrs. Emma Estes, who has living in Traverse City the past three years. returned to Buchanan Wednesday;

and expects to remain here this sum

Mrs. Wm. Ingleright has returned rom South Bend where she visited her two daughters. Mrs. Lillie Cripe and Mrs. Minnie Harbaugh.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Fraser, of Ellis, Kas, came to Buchenan Wednesday vening for a month's visit with Mrs. Fraser's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Glidden. From here they will go to Zanesville, Ontario, and spend a month before returning home.

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n Mishawaka, suffered a stroke of paralysis Tudday afternoon. At his writing she is some better.

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The M. C. R. R. Co. will run 4:10 a. m. Aug. 4th. good returning not later than Aug. Gih; unless deposited with Joint Agent at Niagara Falls not later than 11;00 p. m. Aug oth, an extension can be had until at time of deposit. Rates from Bu-\$6.75, Alex Bay N. Y or Clayton N.

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the services.

Rowe and Richards Delegates to National-Convention

Grand Rapids, July 20 16 O. Rowe of Benton Harlor, has won out in his fight for the presidency of the Miss Religion Bracken died at her Michigan Undertakers and Embalmhame in Niles esterday morning at ers' association. The other officers the age of 60 years Bracken was of the state association elected to employed as a telegraph operator day are: Vice president, Charles for the Michigan Central for forty Gordon, Sand Lake, and J. W. Vogyears. See was the first operator that disang, Freeport: secretary, James B: the County of Berrien.

ever held office in Buchanan starting McInnes, Grand Rapids; treasurer, Line County of Berrien. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Court for the county of Berrien.

The County of Berrien. The County of Berrien. The County of St. Joseph in said County, on the office for six months, when she the national convention, C. E. Singwas transferred to Niles where she er, Hillsdale; Charles Wetherbee, In the matter of the estate of Susan H Smith deceased Joseph L. Richards, having filed in said Court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will when she was retired on a pension G. Vanderline, Muskegon; George B. years. She was the first operator that elsang, Freeport; secretary, James B: when she was retired, on a pension G. Vanderline, Muskegon; George B. by the railroad. Miss Bracken, was Richards, Buchanan, E. L. Webb, known by many Buchanan citizens. Jackson; J. O. Rowe, Benton Harbor. The next meeting of the association

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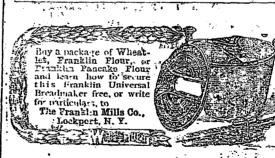
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Present Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate Probate,
In the matter of the estate of Anna Foster,
deceased, David Murphy, having filed in said
court, his petition praying for licence to sel

office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition and that all persons interested in said testate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why afficence to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Frank H. Ellsworth, A true copy

Rolland E. Bark,

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and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to the executors named in the will or to some other suit

It is ordered, that the 7th day of August, A. D. 1905, at tellock in the forenoon at said prowill be in Kalamazoo and the date bate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing will be the third week of next July. It is further order that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspa-

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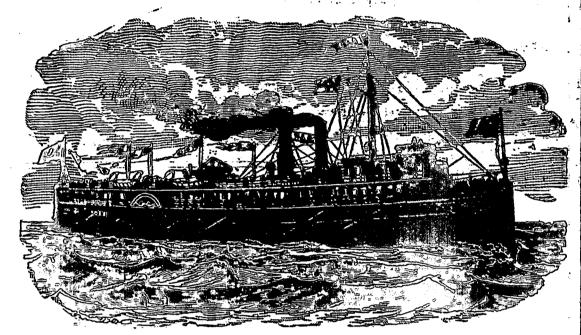
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Grand Rapids, Mich., July 18, 1605. week July 17 was 66.3 degrees, or 3.7 nesday, August 9th, 1905, will be a degrees below the normal, the average most delightful and inexpensive trip. precipitation was 1.01 inches, or 0.54 of an inch above the normal, the sun- gust 20th, 1905. shine averaged 51 per cent of the possible amount.

very showery and greatly interfered | Alexandria Bay, Thousand Islands, with all field work, especially having | Montreal via St. Lawrence river, and | would say, no more. She said you and the harvest of wheat and rye. | the highlands of Ontario. Cultivation has also been considerably retarded so that all hoe crops between Cleveland and Buffalo, via are rather weedy. The warm showers Boat line, or all rail. have, however, been very beneficial to corn, which has made rapid growth | made at so little expense. and is generally in excellent condition Oats are filling nicely and beginning dinner on Wednesday, August 9th to mature in the southern counties. Potatoes, beans, sugar beets and garden truck are in good condition and are generally promising. Buckwheat has germinated well and is ed. It will run through solid, withmaking a splendid stand.

The hay crop this year is generally L. S. & M. S. and N. Y. C. & H. R. heavy, the early cut has been somewhat damaged, but the bright, warm weather of the latter part of the week has been very beneficial, so that a very large amount of good hay is now being secured. Wheat and rye harvests are becoming general and in from South Bend, \$6.75. Equally most cases good yields have so far been fairly well secured. There is some complaint of rust in wheat and some sprouting in the shock has been reported from the extreme southern counties. Barley is about mature ing car reservations, or other informand some has been cut.

Reports regarding apples are more discouraging because much fruit has fallen, so that the present outlook is for a yield below the average. Peaches, plums and pears continue promising.

C. F. SCHNEIDER. Section director.

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The Niagara Falls Excursion, to be The mean daily temperature for the run by the I. I & I. R. R., on Wed-Good to return on, or before Au-

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SAINT MARGARET

13 BYNDEREK VANE

Copyright, 1905, by American Press Assoc "Saint enough for me," he said tenderly, holding out his hands to her. "Bernice my St. Margaret"—

But she flung up her hands to her face, shrinking away from him. "Have I startled you, dear one

Didn't you know, couldn't you feel that I loved you? I thought you understood me. At first it was all my St. Margaret—you were only the woman: who could give me her face; then gradually it changed, and I forgot the saint in the woman: Do you wonder that this is so dear to me?—pointing to the picture. Do you wonder that I have painted it as I never painted anything before? You were my inspiration. There is the genius of love in every stroke. It is yours far more than mine.

"And now," with a little happy laugh, "I want to come down out of the clouds; I want you, Bernice, nothing and no one else—not even St. Margaret. I want a wife just like any ordinary man who has not vowed that art shall be his only mistress and spent half his days in dreams and visions. Won't you speak to me? I have thought you cared for me a little. Don't say I have been mistaken."

The happiness died out of his voice girl as you could wish to find; and face as she still held herself away you my word of honor for that." from him and gave no sign.

Presently she looked up, and he uttered a cry of dismay, when he saw her face. It was white and cold-frozen. it seemed, into a look of stony despair -all its beauty gone, the starry eyes dull and heavy with pain.

"What is it? What have I done?" he asked breathlessly. "You are ill suffering. Bernice, for God's sake speak!" 'I am going away," she said, and each word cost her an effort. "Have mercy and don't stop me. Go to Mr. Earrell; he will explain everything—I can't." And she turned to go.

Cold with undefined fear, too bewildered to speak, he-made no effort to detain ber.

"Forgive me," she murmured, dropping at his feet and passionately kissing his hand. "I didn't know what I was doing. Try and forgive me—by and by." The next moment she was

in the same place, his arms thrown on the easel that bore the picture of his caint, his head buried in his hands, when the door opened and come one came in. It was guilte dorn in the room now, and he could not see who it was. The intruder struck a light and, looking up mechanically when the gleam caught his eye, Adrian saw, Jas-

per Farrell.

Oh, there you are!" Jasper cried rather bolsterously. "What! Worship ing at the shrine, end. Lot me have a look." And he stationed himself bebind Adrian.

"Well, she's a beauty and no miscske. I congratulate you, old man. Don't your feel grateful to me? You could never have done that if I hadn't found you such a peerless model."

"Have you come to explain? Has she fold you?" Adrian asked, speaking for the first time. "There has been some villainy at work. Make haste and explain if you don't want me to choke it out of you." His voice was scarcely raised above a whisper, but his hands were twitching, and Jasper moved à little farther off.

"What do you mean? I don't understand you. I give myself some trouble to help you out of a difficulty and in re- you? I couldn't keep away—I was turn you abuse me. I think it is for me to demand an explanation."

"I am waiting," Adrian said boarsely. Tshouldn't advise you to play with Low rates of fare from Niagara me too long. I asked Miss Kerr to be my wife, and she turned from me in horror and dismay—not because she does not love me; of that I am sure. She asked me to forgive her, but she would explain. Now do so,"

"Her conscience is too tender," Jas-per said, with a sneer, but he did not seem quite at his ease. "I suppose she was worrying over a little deception— No trip of equal distance can be a harmless little joke-we practiced on you, all for your own good." He waited a moment; his lips were

uncomfortably dry. 🐪 You want the little mystery cleared up—the little mystery that has been of such benefit to you, which has produced this beautiful picture—far the best thing you have ever done, by the way: If I were not such a generous man I should be inclined to be jealous. .Wory well, by all-means. Miss Bernice Kerr, fills quite a distinguished role at night, almost as distinguished

as the one she filled with you by day, and far more famous. "To be brief, she is a living picture of the Pelace theater. Her 'Ariadne' has been much edmired, also the 'Will-o'-the-Wisp:' Her strange beauty and admirable agure make her emiliently suited for this form of entertainment."

Adrian gave a stifled cry; it was as though a knife had been plunged in his beart. His St Margaret poised about in the eyes of the multitude; her grace and loveliness at the mercy of their brutal gaze of their toerse lips! For the one that would see merely a beautiful picture and admire it as that there were a hundred who would see the woman behind it. "He shivered as be thought of it. He looked upon his art cu is eacred thing. His would have raised her bigh above the crowd, he would never have changened ber in ony way: however much it mirat bave Down to his advantage—ind now he bid done this think he lied force to

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his St. Margaret the form and face of a woman who made a public show of her beauty night after night.

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"You seem distressed. I was afraid you would be; your ideas are so ultra refined," Jasper continued in a more confident tone. "This is why I asked Miss Kerr to conceal her identity; if you had known who she was you would not have had her, and as she was so eminently suitable, that seemed a pity. I knew there was no danger of your recognizing her, as you never patronize music halls. She was very hard up, some time ago, giving a few lessons at starvation prices, and I persuaded her to go in for the tableaux vivants, which are much better paid and not nearly such hard work. She didn't like it at first, but her mother and I together induced her to go on. Where was the harm? It is a perfectly proper performance—even an elevating one, some people say—and she was 'treated with every respect." Still Adrian did not speak.

"She didn't like coming to you under false pretenses—it is only fair I should tell you that—but she thought she was under some obligation to me, and as I wished it she consented. I told her I was very anxious to find somebody to sit to you for St. Margaret and that she could look the part to perfection, but that as you were very particular it would be as well for her not to say anything about the palace. Perhaps she did not think the gulf between a saint and a living picture as broad as it seems to you. I do not see what there is to make such a fuss, about 3 Miss Kerr is as good a girl as you could wish to find; I give

"I do not need it. You understand me well enough to know what such a thing as you have done would mean to me, and you are only wasting your words. How I have offended you that you should seek such a revenge I do not know, but you may be content; it is all—and more—than you could have foreseen. New go. I would not soil my hands by touching you.

And Jasper Earrell went, conscious that he cut but a sorry figure. He would have given a great deal to have made a dignified and imposing exit. but he felt like a whipped hound. And Adrian sat on alone at the feet

of St. Margaret. Presently he looked up, and the slow color dyed his face as he gazed. He had done her a wrong, and she seemed to reproach him. She was no longer a saint, no longer a heavenly vision; he had dragged her down to the dust; he had exposed her to laughter and derision. The cross—the martyr's crown Some hours later he was still sitting he winced as he saw them; to his excited nerves it seemed as if he had

been guilty of actual irreverence. Send a St... Margaret to Stonebaven made in the likeness of a living picture a picture known far and wide, no doubt! It was impossible. And he could not bear the silent reproach of

her constant presence.

He took up a knife and made a step toward the canvas, but before he could strike his arm was selzed. He looked round with wild eyes, scarcely consclous of where he was or what he was doing and saw Bernice at his

"Not that!" she cried. "Not that! Kill me rather. It is my fault, not hers. I didn't realize at first all the wrong I was doing, but when I learned to know you and saw how you reverenced her-that you would not have a coarse thought associated with herthen I began to understand. O O And then I was afraid to speak. How could you bear to think that a girl who decked herself nightly for the crowd to admire should sit for your St. Margaret?

"I have found it all out now, and it was a cruel thing to do how cruel I did not know. You believe that, don't obliged to come back. I felt I must hear you say you forgive me, though I kneel at your feet all night. Xou hate and despise me so much that you cannot bear to look at her. I under stand that—but I—I cannot bear to see her destroyed. She is mine as well as yours, and she means all the happiness of my life."

ess of my life."
She was kneeling at his feet now,

and her tears were failing fast. "You are shocked and horrified that should have done such a thing. - It was not the life L should have chosen. but we were starving, and what could I do? It is so hard for a woman to earn a living. I don't want to make excuses. I know all you must think



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you hate me so much that you camnot A even say a word of forgiveness? I will never trouble you again, but before I go just say. Tiknow you did not mean to burt me, Bernice, and I forgive you. Only that As she spoke a great cloud seemed

to roll away from Adrian's soul. Those tender words had pierced through the darkness, and he knew that though he steamers Eastern States or Western had lost much be had not lost oil. i'l know you did not mean to hurt me, troit and Buffalo - Stateroome and perlors reserved in advance. Send

Bernice," he said slowly, "but i shall not forgive you, because I love you, and love has nothing to forgive. If I have lost my St. Marghret I have found you." - And he releed her in his arms. You don't want to go iway now? ... to the state of th

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