

## Blanket Sale for August.

Geo. Wyman & Co. offer at special prices the greatest lot of Sample Blankets, slightly soiled, we have ever shown. These blankets have visited most of the large cities—if they could talk they might give you a history of the fine hotels and how they were furnished and which they liked the best. We are sure the Oliver Hotel of South Bend would be at the top, or along with the Waldorf-Astoria, New York and the Auditorium Annex, Chicago.

This lot of Blankets did not cost us much of anything and we will part with them for a small consideration. Baby Blankets in all cotton, cotton and wool all wool, in colored as well as white, commencing with 10-4 Cotton Blankets at 85c pair; 11-4 at 65c; 12-4 and 13-4. White Wool Blankets, \$1.00 and \$6.00 blankets, for \$3.50. If you are interested in blankets **Come and See us.**

**Grocery Dept.**

We offer four tables of Fancy Sample China from Germany and Austria, at about half price, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.00.

**GEO. WYMAN & CO.**  
South Bend, Indiana.

**BUSINESS CARDS**

**DR. L. E. PECK, Homoeopathic Physician.**  
Surgeon, Office and Residence on Main St. Buchanan, Mich.

**WILLIE CURTIS, M.D. Physician and Surgeon**  
Office over Roe's Hardware. Telephone 32 Buchanan Mich.

**Frank A. Stryker, Co. Drain Commissioner, office corner Front and Main Sts., Buchanan, Mich. Belle phone 29.**

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OFFICE—POST OFFICE BLOCK.  
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Diseases of Women a Specialty.  
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Residence corner Lake and Front streets, formerly the Hubbard residence. Calls promptly attended to day or night.  
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**Perroll & Son Funeral Directors**  
108-110 Oak Street,  
Phone 118. BUCHANAN, MICHIGAN

**RICHARDS & EMERSON UNDERTAKERS,**  
FRONT ST., BUCHANAN, MICH.

**Franklin Breadmaker**  
A family that uses Wheatlet, Franklin Mills Flour or Franklin Flour will find communication a Franklin Universal Breadmaker free of charge. Full instructions in every package. Sold by FRANKLIN MILLS CO., Lockport, N. Y.

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**MUNN & Co. 361 Broadway, New York**  
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**THOS. S. SPRAGUE & SON, PATENTS**  
Wayne County Bank Bldg. DETROIT

## Domestics.

We offer the finest Cotton Battine, hand rolled, 1X at 5c per roll; 2X 8 oz at 8c; 10 oz. for 10c; 3X, 12 1/2c; 4X, 15c. Antiseptic, pound rolls, 25c.

Machine rolled pound batts, 10c. In this connection we offer Simpson's 10c Silkolines at 7 1/2c yard, 36 inches.

We offer the best quality Carpet Warp in skeins, white 20c, colored 22c lb.

Stack's 2 bushel Grain Bags, 19c each.

## Underwear and Hosiery.

We are cleaning out our Summer Underwear cheap. \$1.00 quality 50c; 50c quality 25c; 25c quality 15c. Ladies' men's and boys'.

We offer for August the best stockings for 19c and 15c we ever had for ladies, children and men. You won't be able to go barefooted much longer with comfort, so, **Come and see us.**

## CHURCH NOTES AND NOTICES.

**UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH**—Rev. W. J. Tarrant, pastor. Sunday services; preaching, 10:30 and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school, 11:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

**PREBYTERIAN CHURCH**—Rev. H. N. WAGNER, Pastor. Sabbath services; preaching 10:30 a. m., Bible school 11:45 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30. All are cordially invited.

**METHODIST CHURCH**—Rev. W. J. Douglass, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Epworth League 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

**ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH**—Rev. Chas. Shook, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Royal Workers' prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m. Mid Week prayer meeting and Teachers' meetings, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.; Monthly Covenant meeting Saturday afternoon before the first Sunday in each month at 2:30 p. m. Strangers always welcome.

**EVANGELICAL CHURCH, corner Oak and Second Sts.**—Rev. J. A. Hahnhuber Pastor. Residence 315 Main St. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Young People's Alliance every Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All cordially welcome.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE**—Society hold services at Grand Army Hall every Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening service at 7:30 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

## Lodges and Society Meetings and Events

**BUCHANAN LODGE I. O. O. F. No. 75** meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m.; E. Mittan, N. G.; W. P. Cauffman, V. G.; H. Cadioux, Rec. Sec.

**PATRICIANS COURT No. 5** meets each 2nd and 4th day sday evenings of every month.

**MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA.** Meetings 1st and 3rd Friday evenings of each month. W. F. Runner, Clerk.

**KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.** Meetings 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Wilson Leiter, Record Keeper.

**LADIES OF THE MACCABEES** meetings 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. Miss Carrie Williams, R. K.

**ROYAL NEIGHBORS.** Meetings 2nd and 4th Friday evenings of each month at M. W. A. Hall. Recorder Mrs. Fred Smith.

**BUCHANAN LODGE No. 68 A. F. & A. M.** holds its regular meetings on or before the first full moon of each month. B. H. Desenberg, W. M.; E. S. Roe Sec'y. Visiting members cordially invited.

**BUCHANAN LODGE No. 98. A. O. U. W.** meets the 3rd and 4th Saturday evening of each month.

**DODGE LODGE NO. 40 D. OF H.** meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday afternoons of each month.

**WILLIAM PERROTT POST NO 22 G. A. R.** meets 1st and 3 Saturday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Post Com., Wm. Powers; Adjutant, F. R. Richmond

**HOOK AND LADDER O.**—Meets 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 at the Hose House.

**BUCHANAN HOSE Co. No. 1**—Meets 1st Wednesday of each month at the Hose House at 7:30 p. m.  
FRANK SANDERS, Sec'y.

Bring your printing to the Record.

## SEVERE STORM

### Passed Over This Locality Yesterday Afternoon

## MUCH DAMAGE WAS DONE

### Wash Out On Michigan Central Delayed Trains Several Hours

A severe electrical storm passed over this county yesterday afternoon causing considerable damage to property.

The rain began early in the afternoon and continued in a steady down pour until nearly six o'clock. The electrical display was extremely severe, and as flash after flash spread across the heavens, one could but gaze with wonder upon it grandeur. The streets and gutters were filled to overflowing.

The most damage done in this immediate vicinity was a washout on the Michigan Central, about 1 1/2 miles east of the depot, and at the same place where the wreck occurred but little over a year ago, in which an engineer lost his life. When it began to rain so severely yesterday, the section crew, went to this place as they were expecting trouble, at this point. At about 4:30 o'clock the water began to cut through under the track and section foreman Wm. Trout-fetter at once came to the depot and notified operator Gnyberson to hold all trains.

The section men started at once to repair the break and service was only delayed a few hours.

The large barn on the Amos House place, about five miles south of town, was struck by lightning during the storm. The hay was set on fire and only by prompt action on the part of Mr. Wilson, who lives on the place, was the building saved. The damage was small.

At South Bend a bad washout on the Niles division of the Michigan Central is reported.

## MORE NEW FACTORIES

### How to Obtain and Retain Them for Buchanan.

## IDEAS OF OUR CITIZENS

### A Series of Articles Contributed by Buchanan People.

Buchanan with its green hills and valleys is beautiful for situation. Nature has done her part, furnishing beauty and utility. It is left for man to say what use shall be made of it. It is a delightful place to live and an ideal place for factories. We know of no place in southwestern Michigan its equal. We have water power and room. What do we need to make things go, to bring people and factories here?

We should have more comferable, moderate sized dwellings with modern conveniences. People coming from the cities, justly complain of the lack of up to date accommodations. The modern skilled workman must be well housed.

When factories locate in the place whether they be big or little keep our advertised word with them, and also see that they live up to their part of the contract. Square dealing is necessary. Let it be known that they will have square deals every time.

A united town spirit. We have it in baseball, and we have succeeded. Put the same unity, energy and more money into booming the place as a residence and factory town and keep at it one, two, three or even more years and you will see results, new dwellings built, the busy hum of machinery, and a growing prosperous community.

In closing we may say that good school and church privileges mean a great deal to the welfare of a community, and are great inducements to locating and retaining factories. Buchanan has these advantages. Let us keep them up to the standard.

REV. W. J. DOUGLASS.

## IN MEMORIAM

**ASAHEL A. KELSEY**  
Asahel A. son of Abner and Nancy Kelsey, was born near Cassopolis, Cass Co., Mich. April 21, 1845, and died in Buchanan township, Berrien Co. Aug. 18 1905, age 60 years 3 months 17 days. He was twice married; by his first wife one son was born to him, who lives in Missouri. June 25, 1896 he was married to Margerie Copper in Otley, Iowa, two sons and three daughters were born to them, of these one daughter died in infancy. Of his father's family there remains three sisters and two brothers. For twenty-seven years he has lived in this state and the last nineteen years in his home where he died. The funeral services under the direction of Rev. John C. Beach, were held at the Calvin school house August 20, at 2 p. m. The interment was at Buchanan.

A large number of relatives and neighbors attended.

## Time-Worn Bill Recalls Stirring Days

Back in the civil war days, old No. 7 engine house, corner of Riopelle and Larned, was a famous resort. In Ben Karrar's place, on the main street of Port Huron, hangs a framed bill, recalling stirring days in the old house. It reads:

**GRAND PLEASURE EXCURSION**  
Through the Southern States  
1876 1892

No Ladies Allowed

The excursion party being exclusively for young and middle-aged men, rush up and secure a position while you have a chance, for Uncle Samuel needs your service now. All you hold dear is in danger, so rush to the rescue. Join at once Col. James I. David's.

**NINTH MICHIGAN CAVALRY**  
which is to be the most perfectly equipped regiment of any organized in the state Do not wait to be drafted. Every person enlisting will draw from the government the following:

Government bounty, paid down.....	\$25
Government bonus.....	2
One month's advance pay.....	13
Government bounty on being discharged.....	75
	\$115

Ward and county bounty extra. Col David has seen service with the First Michigan cavalry, so come one, come all.

Recruiting office at No. 7 engine house, Larned and Riopelle streets.

**LT. BEN J. KARRER,**  
Recruiting Officer.

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## CLOSE CALL FOR LITTLE GIRL

### St. Joseph Natatorium Came Near to Being Scene of Tragedy

St. Joseph, Aug. 23—Frances, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wilkinson, narrowly escaped drowning Monday afternoon in the bathing tank at Silver Beach. The presence of mind of Mrs. A. L. Church saved the child's life. A number of children had been bathing in the lake near the pavilion and had gone into the natatorium to watch the bathers. Three of the little girls were seated on the floor with their feet in the tank. Suddenly Mrs. Church, who was standing near, noticed that Miss Francis was missing and asked the other children if they seen her. They were puzzled. A search was immediately instituted. Mrs. Church saw a blue hair ribbon floating in the tank and, knowing that the little Wilkinson girl wore this color of ribbon, called for assistance from men. A diver went to the bottom and brought to the surface the prostrate form of the missing girl. The ladies worked over the child and in a short time she was able to be taken home. Today Miss Wilkinson has recovered from the effects of her experience.

## BANANA COFFEE

**DON'T BOIL IT.**  
It is a pure fruit drink made from bananas and need not be boiled.

**IT STRENGTHENS AND CHEERS but does not stimulate.**

**ASK YOUR GROCER**  
or send ten cents stamps for package.

**BANANA COFFEE & FOOD CO.**  
1101 Stock Exchange, Chicago.

## NEW FALL Stoves, Ranges and FURNACES

On exhibition by

# E. S. ROE,

The Hardware Man

**SEE THEM!**

## EL LUCILE!

## EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

**LABOR DAY EXCURSION**  
Tickets on sale to stations distant not more than 50 miles Monday, Sept. 4th, at rate of one fare plus 25 cents for the round trip, good for return not later than Tuesday, Sept. 5th.

**TO TORONTO, ONT.**  
Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto Canada, August 28th to Sept. 9th. Tickets on sale August 27th to Sept. 6th., inclusive, good for return until Sept. 12th. One fare plus 25 cents for round trip.

**G. A. R. AT DENVER**  
For the National Encampment G. A. R., at Denver, Colo., Sept. 4th to 7th inclusive, tickets will be sold August 29 to Sept. 3rd, exclusive, at very low rate for round trip. Good for return Sept. 18th., or limit may be extended to October 7th, if desired. Ask local Pere Marquette Agent for information.

**NORTHERN RESORT EXCURSION**  
Via Pere Marquette Railroad Sept. 5th. Annual low rate excursion good for ten days' trip to the resort country. Excursion tickets will be on sale at all of the principal offices of the Pere Marquette R. R. Co. on dates above mentioned, for regular and special trains.

Tickets will be sold to following points, but may be used to intermediate stations north of and including Baldwin, where regular trains are scheduled to stop. Ludington, Elk Rapids, Petoskey, Traverse City, Charlevoix, Frankfort, Manistee, Bay view and Mackinac Island. For particulars as to rates, time of trains, etc., see large bills or make inquiry of Pere Marquette Agent.

Excursion August 27, South Haven, Ottawa Beach and Grand Rapids on account of Annual Saubenfest at Grand Rapids. Fare to South Haven \$75, Ottawa Beach, \$1.00, Grand Rapids \$1.00, Benton Harbor, 50c. Train will leave Buchanan at 7:00 a. m. See posters, or ask Agent for particulars.

H. F. MOELLER, G. P. A.

Sam'l Spiro & Co.  
beg to announce the arrival  
of complete Fall stock  
of Boys' Suits.  
Peter Thompsons, Eaton Sailors,  
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and stylish clothes for boys  
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A new showing of the latest  
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AUGUST 25, 1905.

A short time ago the Record announced that it would publish a series of articles contributed by Buchanan citizens upon the subject "How to Obtain and Retain Factories in Buchanan." The first of this series appears today, and others will follow from time to time. They will be interesting to our readers and beneficial to the town.

**A Trip to the Ideal Scenery  
Farm of Washington**

Now this morning at 8:20 a. m. we will take the cars which leave Vancouver at that time, for the up river boats for Portland have usually passed before this time, and had they a passenger who wanted to go north by railway they are there and ready to go. When the boat is a few minutes late the cars are held until they get a signal, when there are no railroad passengers aboard. Eight o'clock is the railroad time for leaving, only when the boats are carrying the most passengers, which is in the months of May, June, July, August and September, for the rainy season begins in October, and the days are shorter and the sight seeing for the season up the river or by railroad to Kalama is over. At this place the N. P. has a line of large steam ferry boats onto which they run full trains of both passenger and freight, and ferry over to the Oregon side of the river, to run into Portland.

The line from here to Vancouver was built when the great railroad man, Villard was making fortunes for Wall street Capitalists by building railroads in the west and getting government land grants as an inducement to capitalists of the east to put their money into western railroads. For when these roads were first built they were expensive and could not be made to pay more than running expenses, but as the country settled up the passenger and freight business both increased, and also the price of land held by the companies until they have by the sale of land alone, got nearly double the cost of building the road and have the road left, and making fortunes for the present stock holders every year, and they have land grants for sale yet. Here was the last chance to build this short line on the land grant laws and build a bridge across the Columbia at Vancouver, and thereby shorten the distance into Portland some twenty to thirty miles, I will tell more about this at the latter part of this article. The railroad men bought the right of way, and got a bill passed in Congress granting a right to bridge the river, and bought the land for an addition to Portland and named it St. Johns. It was on the east side of the Willamitt river and

four miles from the center of business in Portland. The town of St. Johns was soon platted and lots held at such high figures that only the smart set bought the most choice lots. While this was going on they were constructing the 35 or 40 miles of road and building a pier for the bridge (for one was all they ever done any thing with) and that was never finished, for when they come to dig for a rock foundation it was down 70 feet below the bed of the river and that made it very costly work to build the whole number needed, and by boaring they found that it was deeper in some places than that, where it was necessary to set a massive stone pier. They got the one they started, just about up to high water line when they abandoned it, and the embankment of dirt that was thrown up as far as the north side of the highway, shows that it had to go some 20 to 25 feet higher and have a stone wall on the north side of the highway 20 feet high, to hold the embankment and help support the bridge, (if it is ever finished it will be just about the same as where River street of Niles passes under the M. C. R. R.)

They had the cars running to Vancouver, and had disposed of the city lots in St. Johns at a reduction from the first prices, yet they were fabulous prices when compared with what they are now selling at, although St. Johns is now building up rapidly on its own foundation of progress and improvement. It has two or three large sawmills, each of which cuts some 2,000,000 feet of lumber each year. Then there is a floating dock for the repair of the largest vessels ever entering Portland, and they claim that they have some of the largest there are on the Pacific, if not in the world, in their harbor every year. They must have some large ones and quite a number, to do the business represented as being done there. The Portland Oregonian, the leading newspaper in the city, reported that there was \$1,000,000 worth of lumber and merchandise shipped from the city of Portland to foreign countries in the month of March 1905, of course that includes all of St. Johns products, as that is a suburb of Portland and they have but one board of trade. They also have a large box factory, shingle mill and woolen mill. They have excellent electric car lines in Portland which run out to St. Johns, fare 5c each way.

Well we took the cars for the Ideal Scenery farm and while running out 5 miles to Felida station I have been telling of the building of the road and of St. Johns. Now pay your fare 15c, and we will leave the cars at the side tracks where they unload the sawlogs I wrote of last week, and take the highway up a hollow between high hills for about 100 rods and up about 120 feet, when we come to the upland farming country, through which the roads are not hilly, and when we have gone 100 rods farther we come to the county road running north and south (we had come 200 rods from railroad,) here we turn north and go about 50 rods to the Felida postoffice and store. There was a store at the railroad station once, but the people had rather go to Vancouver to trade than up and down the 100 rods of road up the hollow, so the whole thing was moved up there and does a paying

business. Now we will take a good look at the prune orchards.

We now go on north 10 rods and part of the way up an incline. We are one mile from the railroad, and at Hial B. Hathaway's Ideal Scenery farm. There is no more elevated spot of land than where his house stands, within miles of it. The house faces to the west and when you stand on the front porch and look off to the southwest, you can see the Willamitt river, where it empties into the Columbia nearly two miles up stream, and the Columbia up stream only onehalf mile, but down stream for nearly 8 miles, and boats are in full view for 5 miles. Between seven and eight o'clock a. m. each pleasant morning, we are sure to see four to six steam boats at the mouth of the Willamitt, and a number of times we have seen nine at one crew. Those going down the Columbia may be seen for nearly one hour, for the river runs nearly west for about 2 miles below the Willamitt, then curves around to dive north and while making the curve the boat is hid by timber, but the steam and smoke is to be seen all the time, and the boats come into plain view again for three miles. In that delightful climate you can set and look at them by the hour and not feel tired. Here is where I was to speak of the railroad again, you see it had to run on north the same as the river runs, when on the Oregon side, while the short line we come upon cuts across and saves a good many miles.

Now we will go onto the back porch for the house is an up to date farm house, with porches and water, supplied by hydraulic ran, to bath room and kitchen, by only turning the faucet. Now we will look first to the southeast 70 miles to Mount Hood, which is in plain sight, and like all other large objects seems to be only 12 to 15 miles away, owing to the clear atmosphere out there. Then next we look northeast 50 miles and see snow capped Mt. Adams, it is not near as high as Hood. Then look north of northeast 35 miles and see the perfect beauty, Mt. St. Helen with a perfect shape, as nice as a large apple, higher than Mt. Adams and below Mt. Hood.

Now I am going to leave you there to look until satisfied, and assure you that you will be called in at meal time, and I do not think you will be tired of gazing, so bye, bye.

H. N. HATHAWAY.

**Edwardsburg Elevator With 12000 Bushels of Grain Destroyed**

The large elevator belonging to McLane Swift & Co., at Edwardsburg, containing 12,000 bushels of grain was totally destroyed by fire at an early hour Tuesday morning. The loss is estimated at \$35,000.

The loss is partly covered by insurance. Two cars on the Grand Trunk railroad siding at the elevator were also burned. It is believed that the fire was started by a bolt of lightning striking the building. The town has no fire protection and the flames could not be successfully fought.

**The Simple Life**

President Roosevelt says: "I commend this book to the nation."

Beyond question, the most talked of book today, whether in the pulpit or out of it, is "The Simple Life," by Rev. Charles Wagner. It has caught the nation like wild fire, and is constantly alluded to everywhere, backed by the endorsement of public men, literary critics and the press. President Roosevelt preaches it to his countrymen. The well known publishers of popular-priced books, Hurst & Co., 395-399 Broadway, New York, have just issued a tasty edition which they will mail to anyone sending 35c. This firm will also forward a complete catalogue of books upon request.

Attention is called to the large display ad of the South Bend Commercial College on this page of Record. This college is the oldest and best business college in Indiana. Any one expecting to take a business course should read the ad carefully.

The Parkinson building on Main street, occupied by F. J. Banke & Co. with their tailoring business, is being given a general overhauling. A new steel ceiling has been put on, the woodwork has been re-finished and the building is being rewired for electric lights. When all is completed they will have a fine place.

A meeting of the stockholders of the South Bend Machine Mfg. Co., was held in South Bend Tuesday, and the following officers were elected: D. McHenry, president; H. H. Hutson,

Mgr., C. L. Millhouse, secy. and treas.; Wm. F. Koeller, supt. of factory; Geo. Brown, supt. of engineering dept. The general offices will be in South Bend.

**Church Notes**

M. E. CHURCH  
Services at 10:30 a. m. Sunday morning, sermon by Rev. Stauselt. Sunday School 11:45. No services in the evening. The pastor Rev. W. J. Douglass will conduct quarterly meeting on the Galien charge Sunday.

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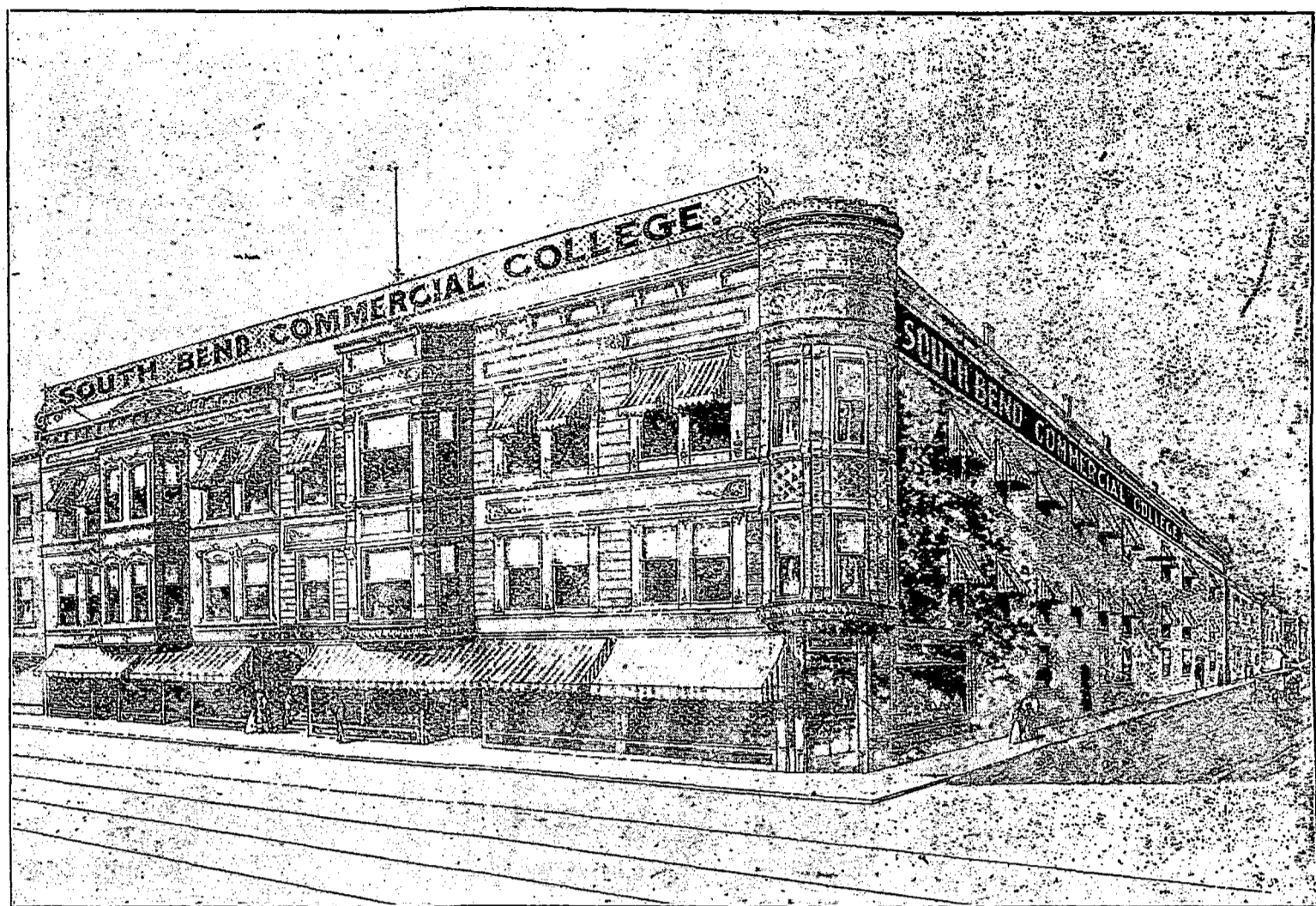
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Investigate our school and you will be convinced that we can give you the best training.

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**Railroad Rates.**

Reduced rates on all railroads of one fare to Grand Rapids and return. Write S. J. Weber, Sec'y, for all information. 89 Pearl St., Grand Rapids, Mich.

**Racing.**

Trotting, Pacing and Running Races every day. No extra charge for admission to the Races.

**West Michigan State Fair**

GRAND RAPIDS, MICHIGAN

Sept. 18-19-20-21-22, 1905.

S. J. WEBER, Secretary,  
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Horses, Cattle, Swine, Poultry.

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TIME TABLE—June 25, 1905

Trains leave Buchanan as follows: For Hartford, Holland, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Bay City, and the north; also New Buffalo, Michigan City, Porter, Chicago and the south and west, at 8:35 A. M. and 5:00 P. M.

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#### MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."  
In effect June 18, 1905.

West	East
No. 15 + 7:40 a. m.	No. 6 * 12:42 a. m.
No. 43 + 10:28 a. m.	No. 46 * 8:11 a. m.
No. 45 * 2:38 p. m.	No. 2 + 10:10 a. m.
No. 5 + 3:05 p. m.	No. 14 * 5:19 p. m.
No. 47 + 5:27 p. m.	No. 22 + 5:39 p. m.

\* Daily + daily except Sunday.  
St. Joe, Benton Harbor Division.

STATIONS		p. m. p. m.	
7:30	1:00	7:35	1:20
7:57	1:27	7:58	1:27
8:06	1:36	8:07	1:36
8:18	1:48	8:19	1:48
8:31	1:56	8:32	1:56
8:35	2:05	8:36	2:05
8:42	2:12	8:43	2:12
8:53	2:23	8:54	2:23
9:05	2:35	9:06	2:35

All trains will be run daily except Sunday.  
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#### LOCAL NOTES

Subscribe for the Record.

Peaches for sale, John Searles. S. 1 p.

Try an On-est John cigar. A good 5c smoke.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Manistee, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

Fred Setchell took a party of friends to Niles, yesterday, in his automobile

Get your reserved seats at once for "A Country Kid" Monday, Aug. 28

FOR SALE—Eight hound puppies. Inquire Chas. Tiedge, on Burbank place 2 miles northeast of town, a 29

Lost—A pair of gold-bowed spectacles, near M. E. church. Finder please leave with C. B. Treat and oblige the loser.

C. L. Sherwood of Buchanan claims to have the highest corn in the state, to get this record his corn has grown from the crotch of an elm tree and is fully 20 feet from the ground.—Niles Sun.

#### Closing of Mails.

GOING EAST  
9:35 a. m., 12:00 and 4:40 p. m.

GOING WEST  
7:20 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 2:35 p. m., 5:00 p. m.

GOING NORTH  
7:40 a. m., 4:20 p. m.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Petoskey, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Mackinac Island, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

Word was just received from Redland Cal., announcing the death of Frank Myler.

"A Country Kid," the finest show here last season. Don't miss it, Monday, August 28.

A six pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Head last night. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Willie Sweet entertained twelve of his friends last Friday evening at a marsh-mallow toast in honor of Miss Grace Anderson.

Rip Van Winkle with Joseph Jefferson in 8 scenes of moving pictures at the M. E. Church Friday evening Sept. 1st.

Wm. Beardsley of Minneapolis, Minn. has moved his family from that place to Buchanan. They will live in Mrs. Julia Pierce's house on Detroit street.

The Riverside Campmeeting has proven very successful the past week and is being largely attend. Rev. L. H. Seager, of Cleveland, came Thursday and will preach every afternoon.

### Skeet's Ice Cream

Morning, Noon And Night.

Miss Lula Broceus entertained about twenty-five of her friends Tuesday evening, at Pedro. Eben Geyer was the prize winner. Refreshments were served, and a pleasant evening passed by all.

Unclaimed letters remaining in P. O. at Buchanan, Mich., for week ending Aug. 22, 1905:

POSTALS.  
Miss Effie Houseman, Chas. D. Stevens. G. W. NOBLE, P. M.

The M. C. R. R. will sell round trip tickets at reduced rates to certain points not more than fifty miles from selling station on Sept. 4th good returning Sept. 5th. Account of Labor day.

M. L. JENKS.  
The South Bend Machine Mfg. Co. is a decidedly busy place these days. A large new plainer was put in place Wednesday, and three more men have been put to work, this makes 17 that are now being employed there.

Rev. A. C. Johnson of Boston, Mass. Secretary of the American Advent Christian Mission Society, will deliver an address in the Advent Christian church Tuesday evening Aug. 29 on the subject of Foreign Mission. All who are interested in Foreign Mission work are invited to be present.

Mr. E. L. Miller, who resides one-half mile west of the Dutch Corners on Portage Prairie, will sell at Public Auction, on Wednesday Sept 6, a quantity of farm implements, 1 span of horses, 1 Herford bull, 4 milch cows, a quantity of hay, stove wood etc. Frank Starkweather will be the auctioneer. Sale begins at 1 o'clock sharp.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Traverse City, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Elk Rapids, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Frankfort, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

FOR SALE—A quantity of household goods Mrs. Esther Hahn, River Street. t.f.

### Skeet's Ice Cream

The Best.

Sacred Hymns illustrated by highly colored pictures at the M. E. church Friday evening, Sept. 1st.

LOST—A small pocket ledger. An order for \$2.00 was enclosed in the book. Return to Dr. E. S. Dodd.

Beistle & French are making two fine large granite monuments, to be placed in the Cassopolis cemetery.

Don't miss the entertainment given by the Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church Friday evening Sept. 1st.

"A Country Kid," the big funny show, Monday Aug. 28. Seats are selling to beat the band at Skeet's for 50c.

Louis Runner has accepted a position in the band with Gentry Bros. Dog and Pony show. He joined them Saturday at Cadillac.

The Chirograph or invisible artist to be seen is worth more than the price of admission at the M. E. church Friday evening Sept. 1st.

Mrs. Fred Setchell, of Chicago who is visiting her parents here, gave the Happy-Go-Lucky club an automobile ride Wednesday, which was greatly enjoyed by the young ladies.

The band concert Wednesday night was very much enjoyed by a large crowd of people. Since director E. E. Wilson has taken charge of the band a very noticeable improvement has been made in their playing. The people notice this improvement and appreciate it.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell round trip tickets to Denver, Colo. Aug. 29 to Sept. 3 inclusive, good returning not later than Sept. 12th. Fare from Buchanan to Denver, Colo. and return \$22.25 for further particulars enquire at ticket office. Account G. A. R. Encampment.

M. L. JENKS.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will run a special excursion train from Battle Creek to Michigan City and Chicago, Sunday, Aug. 27th, passing Buchanan at 8:35 a. m., arriving in Chicago at 11:30 a. m. Returning, leave Chicago at 7:30 p. m., Michigan City 9:00 p. m. Fare from Buchanan to Michigan City and return, 50c, Chicago \$1.30.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Charlevoix, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

WANTED—Girls and women to work in the Lee Paper Company's mills at Vicksburg, Mich. Work clean, pleasant and profitable. Work rooms light, clean, airy and absolutely sanitary. Previous experience not necessary. Apply at once to the Lee Paper Co., Vicksburg, Mich.

For the present tour of "A Country Kid" the management has engaged one of the best companies ever seen in a comedy drama of this class, with a half dozen or so of high class vaudeville acts, headed by Berg, the daring cyclist in his famous unicycle act. Mr. Whittaker's motto is "If you are not satisfied, your money back." The above attraction will be at Rough's Opera House, Monday, Aug. 28. Prices 25, 35 and 50c. Seat Sale now open.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Ludington, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

### ROUGH'S OPERA HOUSE

Monday Aug. 28

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#### PERSONAL.

Geo. H. Black was a Chicago visitor Wednesday.

Ransse Calvin, of Dowagiac, was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Sunday, was a South Bend visitor yesterday.

Miss Carrie Williams is visiting in New Carlisle, this week.

Geo. McCoy, of Oswego, N. Y., has been visiting in Buchanan the past week.

Mrs. D. C. Bragg and grandchildren spent Wednesday with friends in Dayton.

Mrs. J. W. Broceus and daughter, Miss Ada, were South Bend visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Wm. Watson, of Three Oaks, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Mead.

Miss Helen Weymoth will go to Elkhorn, Wis., Sunday for a visit of several weeks.

Miss Fannie Mead will return to Chicago Sunday, after a two week's visit in Buchanan.

Miss Jennie Anderson, of Benton Harbor, is visiting with Miss Maude Sweet for two weeks.

Miss Winnifred Blake, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Long, this week.

H. C. Schuh, of Cairo, Ill., returned home Wednesday after a short visit at the home of S. W. Redden.

Mrs. W. B. French and Mrs. Elmer Butts, visited with Dr. and Mrs. E. R. Butts, at Three Oaks, Wednesday.

Mrs. E. G. Pangborn and sister, Miss Cora Allen, of Chicago, visited at the home of F. A. Stryker, Wednesday.

Mrs. Miller of Niles and daughter Miss Mattie Schant of Chicago were the guests of Mrs. Mac C. Chamberlain today.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Conrad started today for Wyanet, Ill., where Mr. Conrad is employed as superintendent of the schools.

Mrs. Jennie Russell came to Buchanan Wednesday and spent the day. She returned to Three Oaks again that evening.

Mrs. Sherwood Pennell, of Hartford, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Zerby, from Sunday until Wednesday, this week.

Miss Gertrude Berry returned to her home in Cassopolis, Wednesday, after a week's visit with her brother, Harry Berry and family.

Dr. and Mrs. C. M. Steele and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gimes returned to their homes in Battle Creek after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carothers.

Mrs. Victor Gore, of Benton Harbor, and Hon. and Mrs. David Gore, of Cartersville, Ill., were guests of Mrs. S. C. Cook, at Clear Lake farm, Wednesday.

Miss Millie Rehm, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Berger and daughter Mildred, of Sturgis are visiting their brother, J. C. Rehm and wife, and attending campmeeting.

Chas. Hehlen, of Monroe, Wis., has accepted a position with the Mac C. Chamberlain Co. He is a first class clarinet player, and will be a good addition to the band.

Mrs. C. H. Ingalls, of Galien, was in town Wednesday. Mr. Ingalls spent the winter in Central America and had some rather interesting souvenirs from that country, with him.

Pere Marquette Excursion to Bay View, Sept. 5. Ask agent.

The Passion Play 17 scenes 50,000 pictures at the M. E. church, Friday evening Sept. 1st.

### Skeet's Strawberry Ice Cream.

The Up-To-Date Quarrel  
A man, dictating a letter to another man with whom he quarreled, wrote thus:

"Owing to the fact that my stenographer is a lady I cannot say to you what I think of you; and as I am a gentleman I would not. But you, being either, can readily guess what is in my mind."

First Publication, August 25, 1905.  
Notice of Sale of Real Estate

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.  
In the matter of the estate of Anna Foster, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of an order of said court, made on the 9th day of August A. D. 1905, I shall sell, at public auction, on the 9th day of October A. D. 1905, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the premises herein after described in said county, the interest of said estate in all that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the village of Buchanan, Berrien County and State of Michigan, and known and described as follows, to wit:  
The East Five (5) rods of lots thirty-four (34) and thirty-five (35) in Hamilton's plat of the village of Buchanan.  
Dated this 21st day of August A. D. 1905.  
DAVID MURPHY, Administrator.  
Last Publication, October 6, 1905.

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#### PROGRAMME

## Berrien Co. Battalion

# ENCAMPMENT

AUG. 29th, 30th, & 31st, 1905

AT BUCHANAN, MICH.

On evening of 1st day Campfire at Camp on School Ground

2nd day

All Ex-soldiers and Sailors are invited to meet at post room and march to Depot to meet Comrades at 8 o'clock A. M. A Picnic Dinner will be served on the ground at 12 o'clock.

Programme of Exercises at 1:30 p. m.

- 1st Music by Band
- 2nd Song from Glee Club
- 3rd Prayer by chaplain Rev. Douglass
- 4th Address of welcome by Mayor Chas. F. Pears
- 5th Music by Glee Club
- 6th Address by W. A. Fry, D. D.
- 7th Music by Band
- 8th Business meeting and Election of Officers.

3d day Breaking Camp

All Citizens are earnestly requested to bring baskets of provisions and take part with the Comrades.

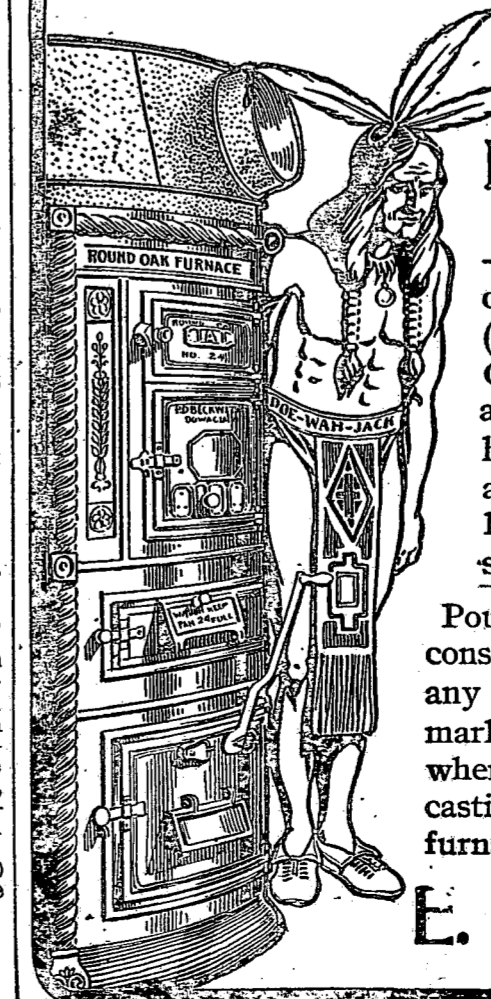
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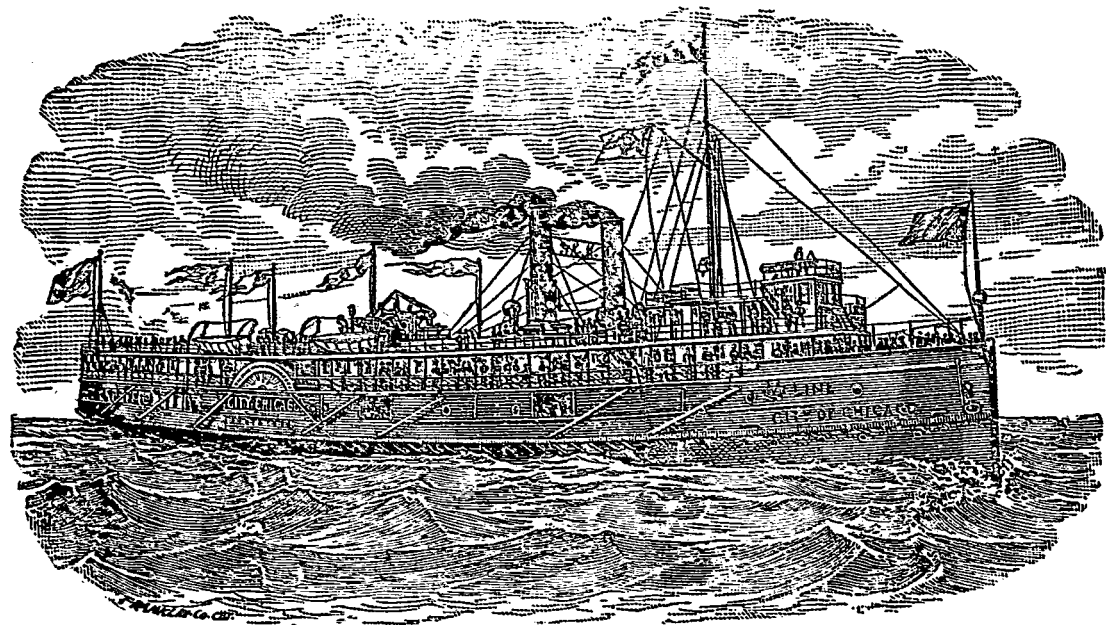


every bite you eat, from soup to dessert and without any "after effects" if you will just keep your Stomach, Liver and Bowels in good condition. If you are one of the countless sufferers, whose appetites gone, whose food doesn't taste good, whose every meal is a painful duty, whose Stomach is sour, whose digestion and assimilation is bad—then you need

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### The Wedding at St. Ann's

By EDWARD MARSDEN COOKE

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Just as the party hurried in their places before the chancel rail the doors of the church were pushed open to admit the last guest. To judge of him by the slinking manner of his walk and the evident desire to be unseen as he made his way into the nearest pew, he was an uninvited guest. But all eyes were to the front now, and no one said him nay. He produced a singular spot of unattractiveness in the throng of well dressed, well looking men and women about him. It was not to be wondered at that the young woman beside whom he seated himself drew her gown a little closer about her for fear of the effect upon her from touching this uncouth creature. He was tall, but physical and mental disease had worn away the flesh, if it had ever been there, which was necessary to give the massive frame its proper proportions. His clothes, like his garment of flesh, were too small. His boots had long been without the attentions of a shoemaker or blacking and brush. They were laced in places with bits of once white string. His trousers, barely reaching to the tops of his miserable boots, were baggy and threadbare and variously patched. His coat, which had once been black, was gray with dirt and shiny from long wear and buttoned so closely about him as to give the familiar and pitiful appearance of having nothing underneath. A grimy, ragged collar about his neck was the only bit of linen in his costume. His hair was long and unkempt. In his hand he held a dusty, greasy, old felt hat, which he fingered nervously. And his face crowned right well this picture of fallen manhood and misery. Some mishap had terribly disfigured his face. Great livid scars ran down his cheek and neck until lost from sight under his rags. One of his eyes was fixed and white and sightless, and in the other, bloodshot and wild, and the bloated flesh about it were the unerring signs of the dissipated manner of his life, only emphasized by his harsh little cough and breath redolent with the sickening odor of liquor.

And yet there was something, had any one taken the trouble to notice it, in the delicate structure of his hands, the queer proud little shake of the head and the timid courtesy with which he found his sitting, which might have made the close observer wonder whether these things were only phenomena in their companionship with dirt and meanness or the flickering rays of a bright light just going out. But no-

body did take notice, unless it was to casually comment mentally that one of the city's great army of half frozen vagabonds was taking advantage of a few moments' grace in the warmth of the church.

The service was about to begin. The charming, sacred notes of the "Narcissus" came softly from the organ. The deep and musical voice of the bishop arose from the altar side, reaching distinctly to the most distant member of the hushed congregation. Slowly the bishop uttered the opening words of the wedding service, concluding still more slowly and impressively with the sentence, "If any man can show just cause why they may not lawfully be joined together, let him now speak or else hereafter forever hold his peace." As the last words died away the

bishop, pastor, bridal party and congregation instinctively bowed their heads waiting. Not a move or sound broke the stillness for a moment; even the flowers seemed to stop their waving and to wait and listen.

Then there came a slight, shuffling sound from the rear pew, and the unbidden guest stood in the aisle, erect in his garments of rags and dirt. His one hand clasped convulsively the old hat and his other was raised high above his head, trembling, as was his whole frame, with excessive emotion. His face was uplifted and ashy pale, save where the scars drew livid lines across it; the muscles around his mouth were strained and set, his lips were open slightly and his tongue moved, but his voice seemed gone. Then two men, attendants at the entrance, moved quickly to the figure in the aisle and, grasping him by the arms, forced him through the doors.

It was all over in a moment. Few, save those nearest to the scene, had time to turn about before the doors swung together behind the men and their prisoner. A faint sound of the disturbance reached the party in the chancel, and Miss Fielding turned quickly toward the entrance only to find Hopkins close behind her, ready to reassure her with a few hurried words, "Only a fainting woman." But he knew it was false, and tomorrow he would add to the falsehood by telling those who gossip about it that an insane patient had somehow escaped from Blockley and got into the church.

The wedding was over, and the bride stood with her husband under the awning while they were opening the door of the carriage, when above the hum of voices and the din of rolling wheels they heard a sharp cry and in the stillness that followed a few muttered words of protest, and something beside the misery in the tones startled the woman, and she looked hastily and anxiously across the street to where two policemen were forcing an apparently drunken beggar into a patrol wagon, and there was a curious mix-

ture of pity and relief in her face as she turned from the ugly scene, and she pressed close to her husband as they drove away.

#### Arsenic Eaters.

Arsenic, as is well known, is a deadly poison, two grains only being, as a rule, a fatal dose. Yet, strange to say, it has been well authenticated that the human body can become arsenic proof. Over a large area of southern Austria this is quite common. Peasant girls eat it to increase their attractions, as it is known to improve the complexion. Laboring men take it regularly and yet attain a healthy old age. The drug has a beneficial effect on their digestive organs and so strengthens the respiratory organs that these bearers of heavy burdens find it easier to climb steep mountain roads. Often taken at first in secret, one small dose a week is enough, but the craving increases till in some cases six grains a day is eaten, enough to poison three men. A penalty, however, awaits the user, for once begun it is impossible to give it up and live.

#### Where the Ballot Came From.

Where did the ballot come from? Like Topsy and most other human institutions, it "grewed." And in its growth it has taken such varied forms it will make an interesting study. Of course in the good old times when all civilized countries were governed by kings there was no use for a ballot. A primitive, self governing tribe like those of the ancient Germans were satisfied with viva voce voting. The Jews before they had kings might be called a self governing people. Strictly, however, their theory of government put everything in the hands of God and in technical terms was a theocracy. If a public officer must be chosen he was named by God's representative, the priest or prophet, or else lots were cast, and it was expected that God would send the right lot to the right man. It is not unlikely that such casting of lots gave the first hint of a secret ballot.

#### Modest Wordsworth.

Wordsworth was present at a public dinner one night when he was informed that Stephenson, the celebrated engineer, was present. While the latter was building the Skerrievore lighthouse he had been in the habit of swinging in a hammock during the evenings reading "The Excursion." This was told Wordsworth, who was delighted. At the end of the dinner he was called upon for a speech. He rose and said: "Gentlemen, I cannot make a speech. I never did and am afraid I never shall. But there is a gentleman here present, Mr. Stephenson, the great engineer, and if you call upon him to speak he will doubtless tell you something that will interest you more than anything I could say. He will tell you how he passed the long summer evenings when he was building the Skerrievore lighthouse."

#### A Matter of Veracity.

The Rev. John Allen, a Methodist preacher of Farmington, Me., grandfather of Mme. Nordica, was a zealous attendant of camp meetings throughout the state. Indeed, his reputation for attending more of these open air meetings than any one else in the country gave him the name of Camp Meeting John.

One day as he was walking down the main street of Farmington he met High Sheriff Luther Curtis, from New Sharon, known throughout the county for his quick wit. As they shook hands the sheriff said, "It gives me great pleasure to grasp the hand of an honest man."

Camp Meeting John replied, "I wish I could say the same."

Quick as a flash came the retort, "You could if you told such a lie as I did."—Boston Herald.

#### Teaching the Teacher.

In their efforts to teach children parents are often surprised by the original views which the youngsters take and by their presentation of views which, while they may be but partial, are at least correct and discriminating so far as they go.

It occurred to a father who noticed a carpenter hammering upon the roof of a distant house that he would give his little son, eight years old, a lesson in physics by calling attention to the fact that the blows of the hammer could be seen before the sound made by them could be heard and explaining that the difference in time between the seeing of the blows and the hearing of the noise was due to the fact that light travels much faster than sound. He sought to introduce the subject by asking the boy if he understood why it was that he could see the hammer fall before he could hear the noise of the stroke. He was astonished to receive the reply, "Yes, it's because my eyes are nearer to the hammer than my ears."—St. Nicholas.

#### A Large Order.

Artists sometimes find that persons who are abundantly able to buy pictures are not so well able to appreciate the possibilities and the aims of art.

The artist Hoppner related that a wealthy stockbroker, with his wife and five sons and seven daughters, once called upon him. The gentleman said: "Well, Mr. Painter, here we are, a baker's dozen. How much will you demand for painting the whole lot of us, prompt payment for discount?" "Why, that will depend," replied the artist, "upon the dimensions, style, composition and—"

"Oh, that's all settled!" replied this person, who evidently followed the excellent plan of knowing exactly what he wanted when he went shopping. "We are all to be touched off in one piece, as large as life, all seated upon our lawn at Clapham and all singing 'God Save the Queen.'"

#### Comforting News.

It takes a good deal to upset the New Englander's equanimity. A New Hampshire farmer was driving past a country house and witnessed the tragedy of a child falling into a well. Instead of rushing, appalled, to the scene he observed that plenty of help was at hand and joggled stolidly on. About a mile below lived an aunt of the little girl whom the accident had befallen.

"How do, Mis' Faith?" he drawled to the woman shelling peas by the kitchen door. "I jus' seen your sister's little gal fall down the cistern. I guess she's drowned." Then, having delivered his news, he drove on.—Lippincott's Magazine.

#### Where Martha Washington Died.

Martha Washington did not die in the same room as her husband, but in a room in the garret, under whose sloping roof the heat was insufferable in summer and the cold not slight in winter, lighted only by a dormer window. The lower corner of the door of this attic room is cut off. This was done for the convenience of the cat which was Mrs. Washington's sole companion in her lonely vigil of eighteen months after the general's death, a companion which the old general himself had often petted. It was the custom of the family to shut up for two years a room in which a death had occurred, and this was the reason why Martha and her cat moved to the shabby and stuffy little garret.

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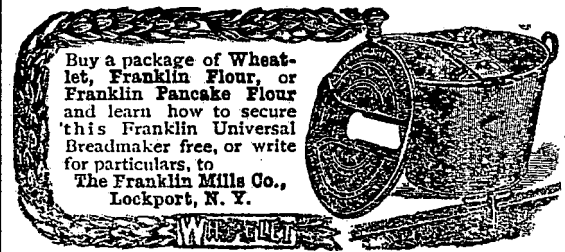
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First publication August 11, 1905.  
Estate of Barbara Susan, Deceased.  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

In the matter of the estate of Barbara Susan 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 7th day of August A. D., 1905 were allowed by said court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment, and that we will meet at the First National Bank, village of Buchanan, in said county, on the 7th day of October A. D. 1905, and on the 8th day of December 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 August 7th A. D. 1905.

HENRY F. KINGERY,  
CHARLES F. PEARSE,  
Commissioners.  
Last publication August 25, 1905.



## NEW LIVERY..

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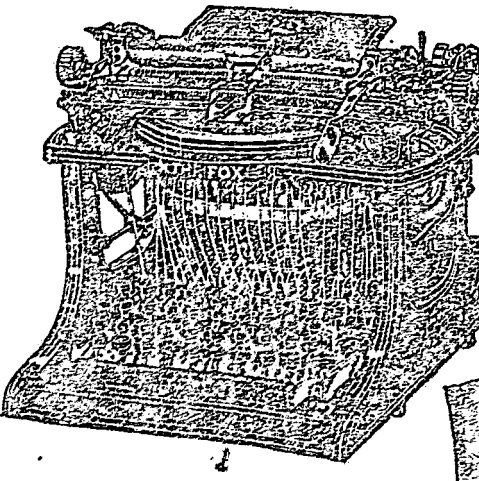
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