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BUCHANAN, BERRIEN CO., MICH., TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1905

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Our entire store is filled with goods suitable for Christmas presents, we have goods from nearly every country on the globe. We offer you this year a more complete assortment throughout, than any previous year.

embroidered and plain, 10c, 25c, 50c, 75c

and \$1.00. Hand embroidered up to \$7.00,

\$10.00 and \$12,00 each. Lace handker-

chiefs 5c, 15c, 25c, 50c, up to \$10.00 each

\$3,00, \$2.00 and \$1.00.

initial 10c, 15c and 25c.

very inexpensive.

\$4.50 pair.

CHRISTMAS FANS. One entire lot of

HOSIERY, in cotton, wool and silk, 10c to

KID GLOVES, gift gloves, mittens, driving

MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, 5c and upwards

CLOAKS, Furs and Suits, you will find

MILLINERY, trimmed and untrimmed

BUCHANAN LINE AGAIN.

Niles Will Likely be Asked Again for a

Franchise West.

line through St. Joe the S. B. and

S M. will again ask for a franchise

for a right of way from this city to

Buchanan, and from that village will

extend their lines west again, with

Michigan City, Ind., as the projected

terminal. The proposed line would

take in the villages of Three Oaks,

Michigan Central most of the way.

From Michigan City east to La-

porte, Ind., a trollev line owned by

the same people is operated and will

Bend. With the completion of these

lines the company will build on to

Editorial From Breeders Gazette On

International Live Stock

Exposition.

evidences of confidence which others

seek a sign, One of the most comfort-

ing things in this world is a sign.

the sky. Evidences of discourage-

that has been flowing steadily mar

ketward for weeks. Outlets have

been clogged by their unwonted vol-

ume, prices have dropped and confi-

dence has been shaken. It is idle for

the moment to say that if our foreign

markets had been open to us much

who took a part of the loss. But

that there is confidence of the future

opening of those markets will bring

comfort and encouragement to many

a feeder. That the industry is bound

again to flourish is felt, is known, to

those who have knowledge of the

past and understand its relations to

the future. And one of the most

significant signs of this confidence is

found in the large outlay now being

made by the Union Stock Yard Com-

pany in the erection of the Inter-

national amphitheatre. The full

meaning of this fact should be stud

ied by every farmer who uses his

meaning he should lend his individ-

ual aid in the work it is destined to

do for the cattle industry by planning

* * *

Card of Thanks.

friends and acquaintances for their

kindness and sympathy shown us in

our recent bereavement, also give our

sincere thanks to the Rev. Halmhuber

and Frye, and also the ladies quar-

MR and MRs. WM. PROUD.

to be present at the International.

With the completion of the trolley

what you want and at the right price, our

cloaks at \$10.00 to \$25.00 are matchless.

CROCKERY. We offer an importer's sam- HANDKERCHIEFS, 1c. 2c, 3c, 5c and upple line of fancy china under price. Table wards. Beautiful all linen, hemstitched, No. 1—10c. table No. 2—25c, table No. 3— 75c, table No. 4-\$1.00. CUT GLASS in pleasing variety at less than the usual prices. We offer special

8-inch American cut glass bowl at \$2.50 samples from one of the largest importing each while they last. TOYS AND DOLLS. We offer a much houses, much under price, \$1.00, \$2.00,

larger line than last year, they will be \$3.00 and \$5.00 each. found on second floor. CARPETS AND RUGS for Christmas are \$10.00 each, a superb selection at \$5.00,

sensible presents. We offer a choice se-CURTAINS and PORTIERS. Our new

drapery department is well equipped at all

JEWELRY at popular prices.

PERFUMES. We offer \$1.00 holiday and street gloves, lined and unlined. packages of perfumes at 50c; 50c quality at 25c.

LEATHER GOODS, trunks, bags and suit cases, second floor; traveling cases, hand bags and pocket books in jewelry dept.

SILKS and DRESS GOODS, silks for waists and dresses, special at 50c yard and up; hats, the correct patterns at much less mina silks, 50c quality at 25c yard.

price than sold generally. Santa Claus is expected to arrive at our store Dec. 11th and will sort out the beauti ful Christmas presents for children in our show window, every afternoon at 3 o'clock each day until Christmas. COME AND SEE US.

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tette and for the beautiful floral toys. offerings.

WINDOW

DISPLAYS

The Merchants in Our Village Have Beautified Their Windows

PLEASINC APPEARANCE

CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS, from 30c to Christmas Gifts of all Descriptions are Displayed by the Various Stores RIBBONS in the most beautiful shades

While out doing our Christmas shopping, our attention is drawn to the window decorations in the various stores. We feel proud that our merchants take such a pride in artistically displaying their goods.

Mr. Boardman's windows are more than beautiful. One window is a picture in itself being most elaborately decorated in art squares, portieres, tapestry curtains, rugs, etc. while the other window shows a display of everything imaginable in linen,

Will Van Meter has a fine display of box candies in his window. From the ceiling two beautiful Christmas bells are suspended, which also add much to the beauty of the various kinds of boxes.

The various grocery stores, Kent's, Buchanan Cash Grocery, Del Jordan and Treat's show the usual display of nuts and fruit.

The west window of Desenberg's has a very handsome display of cut glass, beautiful handkerchiefs and Galien, and Buffalo paralelling the pretty dolls. The back ground is draped with fine lace curtains, mirrors and a handsome wax begonia, Mrs. Worthington. Club adjourned which is an added attraction. The east window shows a very pretty line be extended from Laporte to South of pillows, pillow tops, smoking sets and other articles too numerous to

E. S. Roe has his window decorated with nickle plated ware, silver ware, carriage heaters, carving knives and a large assortment of carpet In trying times even those whose sweepers.

souls are not shaken appreciate the W. N. Brodrick has his window entertain. Men are sure of a turn in made beautiful by showing a fine line the tide; they are rock rooted in their of toilet sets, jewel boxes, ink stands belief of better things; they hold the perfumery, etc. future in high confidence, but they

The Magnet Store has the west windows draped in fancy crepe tissue It has been thus eyer since the rain- paper, showing a fine line of cut bow of promise was flung athwart glass, jewelry of all kinds, and other various articles. The east window ment are found in the glut of cattle shows just everything a child wants.

> John Morris' windows are made beautiful by displaying an up-to-date line of men's shirts, necktie's, etc.

Mrs. E. Parkinson is showing an elaborate display of art statues, in loss would have been escaped. It is all sizes, which are more than beautiall true, but it does not help the man ful.

> M. B. Fitch, the jeweler has made his window beautiful by displaying various articles of the fully equipped stock he carries

> The H. L. Keller window shows beautiful line of parlor lamps, dishes dolls, besides the sweet m' ats.

Mr. Carmer is showing an up-todate line in slippers for men, women and children.

E. J. Elson is displaying cut glass, hand painted china, jewelry of all

ards & Emerson's is filled with uniroom outfit, iron beds, rockers, otto- gave Berglund a severe beating. We desire to thank our many man's, etc.

latest toilet sets, smoking sets, perfumery, etc., now on exhibition in their window.

We would be pleased to call attention to the other enterprising merchants, but as they have not as yet, decorated their windows, we are unable to do so.

* * * Elect Officers.

The following is a report of the election of officers of the Patrician

Court of Buchanan:-Past Senator Cephas Glover. Cora Sunday. Senator Myrtle Beck. Consul Scribe Harry Beck. Quaesitor Helen Fowler. Flaman Anna Cox. Elsie Anstiss. Praetor Mrs. Almeta Spenetta. Patron Interrex Martha Wade. Guard G. L. Zimmerman. Sentinel Frank Wade. Cephas Glover 1 yr 1st. Counselor 2nd. Counselor Anna Cox 2 yr. 3rd Counselor Ella Lough 3 yr. Med. Examiner Drs. Peck, Knight,

♦\♦ ♦ M. L. CLUB

and Curtis.

The Monday club met at the home of Mrs. M. Redden, Dec. 18.

Mrs. Runner's "Life of Raphael" was read by Mrs. Johnson.

A paper ou his "Modonnas, was read by Mrs. Emery.

"The Transfiguration" his master piece, described by Mrs. Johnson. Roll call, "Earliest Recollections of Christmas" was both interesting and amusing.

Music, A solo entitled "Jerusalem" was rendered by Mrs. Jennie Dodd. Mrs. Emma Knight presided at the

Paper, The Haunts and Homes of Shakespeare was read by Mrs. Rose. The Shakespeare lesson was led by to meet after the Holidays. The

next meeting will be Jan. 8 at Mrs.

* * * Sad News.

The following is a letter from Mr. Fred Stoddard to Mrs. Wm. Birdsoll, relating the sad accident that befel his mother.

Interlochen, Fla., Dec. 10, 1905.

Mrs. Wm. P. Birdsoll

Dear Friend:-I will try and write you a few lines to let you know how we all are. Sis is down with the rheumatism and has been for a couple of weeks, Last Friday evening mother fell and crushed her left hip. She was coming down stairs and had got to the next to the last step, when she said something seemed to role under her foot and she fell. Dr. said it had jammed the oall into the socket, and splintered the socket. She will have to lay still for six weeks. She is resting easy and doing fine for the pain she is in.

> Fred Stoddard. * * *

State Items

The tower at the Grand Trunk station has burned at Schoolcraft Jesse Beebe, the night operator at the tower, went outside to fill his lamps and when he returned to the tower. found it was in flames. He put a ladder to the building and tried to enter by the upper window to procure some papers, when an explosion occurred and he was knocked to the ground below. He was injured. It is not known how the fire originated anless from the stove.

Temporarily deranged it is thought by the loss of his nets in recent storms, Oscar Berglund of Menominee brains, and when he has mastered its kinds, besides a line of his studio victously attacked his 18 year-old daughter last Friday and attempted to choke her. She seized a revolver The large window space at Rich- and was about to shoot him when he wrested it from her. She escaped to que Japanese scrap baskets, dining a neighbor's. Men who intervened

> Miss Frances Crysler, of Pontiac John Rehm has purchased and is has been convicted on her second displaying an elegant line of china trial of abandoning an infant. The in one window, while in the other he verdict was returned by a circuit has a large assortment of children's court jury Thursday afternoon, but a stay of sentence has been granted until Jan. 10 and Miss Crysler has been E. S. Dodd & Son have some of the released on bail. Last May Miss

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 pack= age.

—FOR SALE BY—

Banana Coffee & Food Co., 1101 Stock Ex., Chicago.

THE BEST INVESTMENT



The most potent business getter that we know of is a stylish looking, easy feeling pair of shoes on a pleased customer.

That customer will come back, hardly anything surer than that, and will induce others to come.

We will do our best, so will our stock, to please all customers, the old and the new. Those who spend dollars and those whose needs go no further than cents.

Carmer & Carmer

Crysler took a baby in a basket from a home conducted by Mrs. Mary Allen in Detroit and left it on the steps of the Benjamin residence in Orion. Then she took a car and proceeded to Oxford. The infant is now said to be at the Oakland county home in this city. On her first trial the judge advised the jury not to bring in a verdict, as he held the complaint to be defective.

Forty-five cases of diphtheria have been reported to the secretary of the board of health at Grand Rapids. Congress street and Henry street pupils of which have been exposed, it is said, are closed as precautionary measures. There are five cases of diphtheria in the Children's Home. The board of health has ordered 50,000 units of antitoxin. While the condition is not held to be alarming by the board of health, it is quite as menacing as the smallpox epidemic of last spring.

DOOM OF WINDY CITY.

Mrs. Gail, Negress and Secress, Says Earthquake Will Destroy City.

Mrs. Gail, the negress who predicted the assassination of President Mc-Kinley as well as the Baltimore fire. is visiting relatives in Chicago. She asserts that Chicago before long will be destroyed by an earthquake because of its wickedness. Among other things she predicts a race war before Roosevelt leaves his seat.

Her home is in Pittsburg and she asserts that God spoke to her and urged her to come to Chicago and warn the people of the earthquake which is to occur.

One of those fine screens or easels, would make an elegant present.

Richards & Emerson.

Great Offer

The Chicago Daily papers recognize that the BUCHANAN RECORD is the best local paper in Berrien county and consequently have singled it out for their great clubbing offers this year. We are now able to offer the Chicago Daily Chronicle and the RECORD, to NEW subscribers for Renewals one year, both papers, \$3.00. This offer has a limited standing so improve the opportunity while it lasts.

* * * Christmas will soon be here. Remembér your friends among the deserving poor by sending them a sack or two of the famous Blended Patent 'GERBELLE." For sale at Keller's.



A Gibsony Effect

Ever notice the sturdy shoes with which Gibson, Christy, Wentwell and other artists clothe their fascinating,

They have become typical of the womanhood of today, and rightly so, for it is a place where good sense and style meet.

Artistic effect in all leathers at prices

\$2.50 to \$5.00

114 W. Washington St.

South Bend. Ind.

From now until January 1st we will furnish the Chicago Daily Tribune and the Buchanan Record both one \$1.50. year for \$2.50 to new subscribers, and \$3.00 for renewals. Come at once.

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MAC C. CHAMBERLIN PUBLISHER. O. P. WOODWORTH

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President Roosevelt's message has swept the country by the old-time majority.

Berlin has passed the 2,000,000 mark in population. It reached 1,000,000 in 1876 and 1,500,000 in 1890. The town on the Spree grows as if made in America.

President Roosevelt seems to realize that the government can not land a blow on any of the little trusts without damaging the wind of the Standard oil monopoly.

There is danger that Mayor McClellan's second term will have expired before the recount of the disputed ballots can be concluded. Mr. Hearst should put on more pressure.

Within the past few days the RECORD has been sending a number of sample copies of Chicago Dailies to the patrons on the Buchanan Rurals. We are today sending to the same people, sample copies of the RECORD. We would ask that you read these papers over carefully and then read the exceptionally low clubbing offers that we are making with these papers and the RECORD, and then come in and subscribe. These offers are only good for a short time. Take advantage of them now,

GRANGE HALL

The Ladies Aid will meet all day with Mrs. Amos Spaulding.

The Sunday School will have Christmas exercies Saturday evening at the Hall. Come out and enjoy the evening with the children. 44

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell round trip tickets to Chicago Wednesday Dec. 20th, account International Live Stock Exposition, limited to return not later than Dec. 23. Fare from Buchanan to Chicago and return \$1.75.

M. L JENKS. V

Make Your Grocer **Give You Guaranteed**

Cream of Tartar Baking Powder

Alum Baking Pows ders interfere with digestion and are unhealthful.

Avoid the alum.

Subscribe for the Record.

40 A 40 The Record is the oldest newspaper Daily Inter Ocean to new subscribers \$2.50, and renewals for \$3.50

A Looker-On in Gotham.

is so much poverty in the city. I seen

the cause of it all the other day when

Mrs. Meadow-Idleness. Never saw

the thermometers, and the other half

was rushin' around huntin' for stand-

in' room near some other thermometer.

THE GOURMAND.

"Ah, strawberry jam! I'm so fond

Well Bred.

"Our cook's a wondrous actress."

My wife exclaims to me; Perplexedly I ask her,

'How can the case so be?"

Quite perfect in her roles."

The Golden Rule Applied.

"Certainly," she replied; "always."

"All right. Here goes!" he cried,

Used to It.

stand the arduous duties of a variety

actor? You know in our play we find

"I think I can manage it," said the

Spoke for Itself.

Strongitharm in a crowd in the neigh-

borhood of a fire)-Don't be alarmed

my dear Miss Strongitharm, there's

Miss Strongitharm (sweetly)-Oh

'm quite sure of that, Mr. Whipper

No Tact.

Mistress-Why did you leave your

Mistress-Ah, I see. That is often

Domestic-Yes, mum. She was al

He Wanted a Re-Seat.

The Girl's Father (angrily)-What!

you come here again after the way I

The Young Man (interrupting)-

Ample Recompense.

"You can hear the piano in the nex

"Oh, but we can hear 'em quarrel,

Perfectly Fresh.

"Well, Tommie, I hear that you have

too."-Louisville Courier-Journal.

That's just it. I want the piece of

askin' me to.-N. Y. Weekly.

the dog on you-

or's in the town.

"Why not?"

flat."

My lifetime partner answers,

As she the coffee doles: "A very wondrous actress,

of it!"-Lustige Blaetter.

-Town Topics.

unto you."

and kissed her.

Neighbor-What did you notice?

I was there.

-N. Y. Weekly.

Save \$2.50 by taking advantage of our clubbing rates. Regular price of Chicago Daily Chronicle \$4 00. Regular price of BUCHANAN RECORD, (Semi Weekly) \$1 00. Both papers to NEW RECORD Subscribers \$2.50. Mrs. Meadow-I don't wonder there

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

The Blended Patent Flour "GER-

BELLE" For sale at Keller's. .

holders at the RECORD office. Price

combined with perfect milling pro-

We wish to again call attention to

the quarter page ad, offering the

BUCHANAN RECORD and the Chicago

world, For sale at Keller's. 🦯

D19p

Tomlinson, Buchanan.

Can't look well, eat well or feel well with impure blood feeding your body. Keep the blood pure with Burdock Blood Bitters. Eat simply, such idleness. Bout half the people take excercise, keep clean and you was loafin' on the corners lookin' at will have long life.

> The best wheat, the best machinery and the most approved methods of milling are used in the manufacture of the "GERBELLE." No wonder that it is today the best flour on the market. For sale at Keller's.

"Miss Gotrox, I never speak of anything that I am not thoroughly posted on."

"Ah! You must feel awfully annoyed at never having anything to

sermon from the text: "Thou are weighed in the balance and found wanting." After the congregation had listened about an hour some began to get weary and went out; others soon followed, greatly to the annoyance of the minister. Another person started, whereupon the parson stopped his sermon and said: "That each month. Miss Carrie Williams, R. K. is right, gentlemen, as fast as you are weighed pass out." He continued his sermon at some length after that, Arney. but no one disturbed him by leaving.

Officer Bretschneider at 1 o'clock this morning found a horse running loose through the streets, and caught it. Attached to it were the ends of the shafts of a buggy, but the bridle was broken off. He turned the animal over to Liveryman Zwergle, and Liveryman/Batchelor of Buchanan "Really, Mr. Hansom," said the fair girl, "I'm shocked to hear you concame over and identified the anifess such behavior in your business mal and took it home. The horse dealings. You should always 'do unto was driven here last night by a others as you would have others do young man whose name is said to have been Bracelin, from Buchanan, "You wouldn't have me do that alwho brought a young lady here to a dance. After the dance they got the horse from the stable where they put it up, and drove to the Central depot to get a lunch. The horse, which Manager-So you think you can was left tied at the depot, became frightened and ran away, breaking from the buggy. Bracelin and the occasion to throw you down a 32-foot young lady went home on the flight of stairs into a barrel of scrap train.—Saturday Niles Star.

> It has always been the policy of the RECORD the oldest newspaper in Ber-

Another reason for this is that we have the material, the machinery and These qualification combined place treated you last night? Didn't I set us in a position, not only to give the people of Buchanan the best news. paper that can be produced here, but cloth that he tore out of my best trous. also to execute the highest class of

> The progressive policy of the RECORD was demonstrated a short ident's message within but 'a few hours after it was read, and was the Towels first paper in the county to have the

We wish to thank our friends for their appreciation of our efforts to please, and assure them that it will

We wish you all a Merry Christmas

CHURCH NOTES AND NOTICES.

Christmas pipes at Van's from 25c CHRISTAIN CHURCH-Lord's day services. Preaching at 10;30 a. m., Sunday school at 12:00, Prayer meeting, Thurs-Highest price paid for furs. J. A. day evening 7:00.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH-Rev. L. A Townsend pastor. Sunday services; preaching, 10:30 and 7:00 p.m.; Sunday school, 11:30 a.m. Prayer meeting Thurs-Don't forget to look at the Kodak day evening 7:30.

PREBYTERIAN CHURCH.—Rev. H. N. WAGNER, Pastor. Sabbath services; Great care in the selection of wheat preaching 10:30 a. m., Bible school 11:45 a.m. 7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting 6:00 p.m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00. All are cordially invited. duces "GERBELLE" the flour in the

> METHODIST CHURCH.—Rev. W. J. Douglass, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a.m. 7:00 p.m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Epworth League 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:00 p. m.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Rev. Chas. Shook, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Royal Workers' prayer meeting at 6:00 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting, Tuesd y at 7:00 p. m. Mid Week prayer meeting and Teachers' meeting, Thursday at 7:00 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. Halmhuber Pastor. Residence 315 Main St. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday School 11: 45 a. m. Young People's Alliance every Sunday at 6:00 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 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 7:00 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. Cadieux, Rec. Sec.

PATRICIANS COURT No. 5 meets A clergyman once preached a long each 2nd and 4th Wednesday evenings of every month.

MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERIA 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

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

BUCHANAN LODGE No. 68 A. F.&A. M. holds its regular meetings on or before the first full moon of each month. B. R. 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, C. E. Sabin

HOOK AND LADDER.-Meets on 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 at the

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

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending Dec. 19 Subject to

change: 12c Veal Pork Mutton

Above quotations are on live weight only.

The Pears-East Grain Co,, report the following prices on grain to-day: No. 2 Red Wheat

Yellow Corn 72fbs

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.

Clean

For everyone at

Sunday & Boone's be our constant aim to maintain our Barber Shop and Bath Room Give us a call

Gift Umbrellas

Men's and Women's, \$1 to \$10.

The kind of Umbrellas that once received are not forgotten and left somewhere. The men's have Cape and Stag Horn, Natural Wood and Gun Metal Handles. Women's have Pearl and Gold, Silver, Natural Wood and numberless other attractive combination handles.

Sweaters

Make healthy, happy boys—healthy, happy, because they can play out of doors in one, and run no danger from the cold—happy, because every boy longs to be a man, and a man wears a sweater.

50c to \$2.00

Open Every Night Until Xmas.



The One Price Clothiers. The Big Store SOUTH BEND, INDIANA

To the

Churches and Societies

of Buchanan

WHEN buying your supplies of confections for the holidays, we want to impress it firmly on your minds that this big factory is the place to come to, both for quality and price.

It is a sin to feed children on some of the adulterations being put on the market, all made from the lowest grades of materials and in unclean factories.

For practically the same price we offer you fresh, home made candies in great variety and can GUARANTEE THE QUALITY.

Come and see us or write before you contract for your holiday

All school teachers who need candy for their schools are invited to call and see us before making their purchases. A special reduction on all goods.

The Philadelphia v

South Bend

Indiana

"My child was burned terribly about the face, neck and chest. applied Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. The pain ceased and the child sank into a restful sleep."-Mrs. Nancy M. Hanson, Hamburg, N. Y.

A new line of low priced pictures at Richards & Emerson's.

The Record is the oldest newspaper in Berrien county. Read it

All Run Down

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a new baby at your house." buy anything that was shop worn."-- 1 100 h in Berrien county. Read it,

hungry man who had applied for a job. We have received many words of "I was a debt collector for three praise upon the appearance, size and style of the Christmas edition of the RECORD. A number of our readers Whipper-Snapper (meeting Miss have told us that it was the finest Beef edition of any paper ever published in Buchanan. While there was a not the slightest danger, I can assure great amount of work and expenses connected with the publishing of this special edition, we feel repaid for our efforts, by the kind words of Snapper, or else—you wouldn't be here. commendation we have received. RECORD to be progressive, to be in Domestic-Th' missus had no tact, the lead. Others may try to imitate Rye and follow our ideas, but it is this progressive policy that has made the

ways tellin' me to do things, 'stead of rien County.

the proper knoweldge of their use ers, 'cos I can't match it at any tail- job printing as well.

"Shouldn't think you'd like those time ago, when it published the Pres message in print.

"Sure, it's new. My pa wouldn't progressive policy.

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They Got There. John (sheepishly)—I—I s'pose you'll

be gittin' married some time. Betty (with a frightened air)—Oh, I

-I guess not. "Mebby I'll git married some time." bit you."

"Mebby." "Mebby we might both git married a forced effort to be cheerful.

at the same time." minister should make a mistake an' marry us to each other?"

"I-I shouldn't mind." "No-neither should I."-N. Y. Weekly.

The Doctor's Sad Blunder. First Young Doctor (to second ditto) Halloa, old man, what's the matter?

You're looking very glum. "No wonder," was the reply. "I'm

"Indeed! Is it a very serious blun-

"Very serious. The medicine I've sent him will cure him in two days."

At Sunday School. Sabbath School Teacher-How many

Commandments are there? Bobby Thickneck-Ten. ma'am. Sabbath School Teacher-Do vou snow what would be the result if you

should break one of them? Bobby Thickneck-Sure! There'd be nine.—Town Topics.

The Doctor's Blunder. "Is it true," asked the caller, "that your husband ordered Dr. Smoother

"Yes. Poor Jack had been carrying the baby all night for a week, and was run down to a thread. I called the doctor and he told Jack that be must take more exercise."

out of the house?"

Made Her Anxious. Husband (impatiently)—If the foolkiller would strike this town he woul. find plenty of work to do.

Wife-Is there such a person, dear? Husband-Of course there is. Wife (with anxiety)-Well, I do

hope, John, that you will be very care

He Was Incorrigible. Mrs. Underdone-My husband is complaining again of your cooking, Mary.

Mary (reassuringly)-Oh, mum, I don't take anny notice of him, for 'tis the nature of him to find fault. Ain't he forever complainin' of you, mum?-

Nervy Willie.

Mrs. So-and-so-I hear you have taken little Willie out of the office where he is working.

Mrs. Rodd-We really had to, he was acquiring such bad habits. Why, do you know, only last week ne borrowed 33.500.000 from the firm.—Town Topics.

Made the Dog III. Smithers," she said, "to learn that y' know.—Puck.

when you called the other day Tiger "Oh, that's all right," he said, with

"No, it isn't," she sobbed; "the poor "Wouldn't it be awful, John, if the little fellow has been ill ever since."

> Why He Didn't Read. Boswell-Do you ever read anybody

Eminent Novelist—No; I don't. I've ble. tried to do so, but I found that if they while if they were better, they made Topics.

Why She Lost.

me savage. So I leave them alone.

Fred-And you mean to say that Juliet. Eh-what? attending that wealthy Mr. Golding, Jack has not married Miss Payn? Why you know, and I've sent him the wrong the girl was just throwing her

Ted-My dear fellow, did you ever know a woman who could throw straight?—Cassell's.

Regard for Appearances.

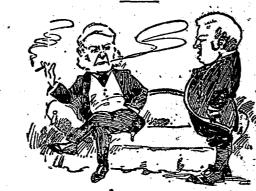
Mrs. Gotham-Why do you always carry that tin pail with you when you go fishing on Sunday?

Mr. Van Blunt, of Hoboken-I put me mein fish vat I catch in dis pail, mit de cover on, und den ven I go me home de neighbors dink it is noddings but a kettle off beer.-N. Y. Weekly.

When the Choir Quarrels. Mrs. Benham-Our church is to have a quintette, instead of a quartette

Benham-That's very good; the extra one can act as referee when the others have their differences and are evenly divided.—Town Topics.

THE TAG UP-TO-DATE.



James-My lord, the carriage waits without.

My Lord-Without what, James? James-Without any 'osses, my lord. It is the motor carriage.—Half Holi-

An Impression.

In all this great and bustling land Two kinds of citizens we see; The men who are in office and The men who think they ought to be. -Washington Star.

At the Evening Musicale. Gladys-Don't you detest rag-time,

Ferdy-Oh, twemendously! The mere "I am inexpressibly sorry, Mr. thought of wags makes me shudder,

> Was This in Boston? Ella-You shouldn't say "consump-

tion of food." Stella-What should I say? Ella—Tuberculosis of edibles.—Town

Matrimony.

Topics.

Enpec-Matrimony is a sea of trou-

Nagger-Yes, the wife is often overwere worse than mine they bored me; come by waves of emotion.—Town

> Awful to Contemplate. Bachelor-Sweet thing Romeo and

Spinster—Yes; but so awfully sad.

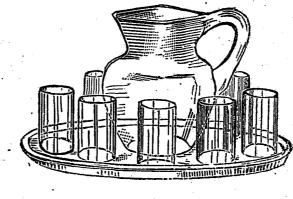
Bachelor-Suppose they'd been mar



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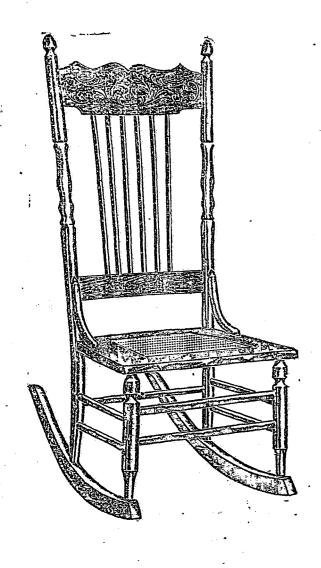
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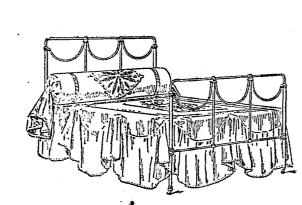
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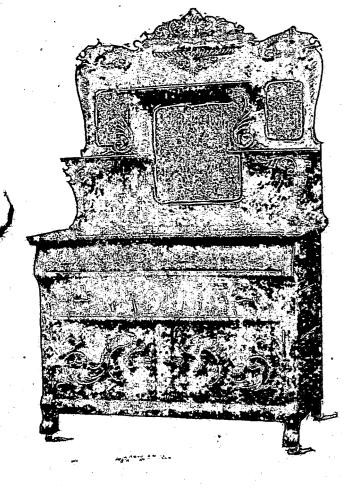


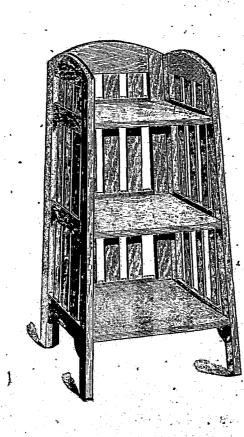


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And, filling it with night's dark wine,
He drinks from it that he may shine.
—Town Topics.

THE LADIES-GOD BLESS THEM.



"This is our fighting deck!" "Ah, but where is your dancing deck?"-N. Y. Herald.

Leading Up to It.

Mrs. Sharpe—There are certain times when I wish I were a man,

Mr. Sharpe—For instance? "When I pass a milliner's shop window and think how happy I could make my wife by giving her a new hat."—Cassell's.

Fierce.

Miss Steno-Why did Grace leave her last place? Miss Typist-Oh, she made a fierce

Miss Steno-Gracious! What was it? Miss Typist-Why, she married the boss.—Puck.

Could Give Fits, Too. The Bachelor-Say what you please, but I don't believe there was ever a man that could size a woman up.

The Benedict-My brother can. The Bachelor—How do you know? The Benedict—Because he is a ladies

"Yes, I was defeated, and he didn't make a speech, while I spoke in every county in the state. I can't account for it." "Perhaps that accounts for it."-

Likes It Even Above Himself. Eugenia-Jack says he loves his automobile above everything else. Randolph—Yes; I've noticed he

Houston Post.

spends most of his time under it.-

Near a Match. Tom-I've been taking in phosphorus iuring vacation. Dick-Well, you'll soon meet your

match.—Town Topics. Overtook Him. Hetty-So George is actually engaged to Mabel? I thought Charlie

was ahead of him there. Ethel-So he was until George got a

Best He Could Afford. "Aren't you ashamed to go around begging with a breath like that?"

"It's the best I can afford. Beggars can't use champagne for a breath perfume."-Judge.

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Notice of Letting of Drain Contract

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That I, John E. Burbank County Drain Commissioner of the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, will on the 29th day of December, A. D. 1905, at the Drain in the Township of Niles, in said County of Berrien at 9 o'clock in the forencon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as "Whelan Extension of Spring Valley Drain," located and established in the Township of Niles in said County of Berrien and described as fol-

located and established in the Township of Niles in said County of Berrien and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing 6.85 Chs. E. and 0.65 chs. N. from the N. W. corner of S. E. 4 of S. E. 4 of Section 5 T. 7 S. R. 17 W. Thence N. 79° 30' E. 14 chs Thence N. 54° E. 6 chs. to terminus. Total length of drain 20 chs. The line as surveyed shall be the center line of the drain. All grade stakes are set six feet to the right of the line as surveyed. The line as surveyed extends upon lands of are set six feet to the right of the line as surveyed. The line as surveyed extends upon lands of Geo. Foster 13:50 chs. crossing line between lands of Geo. Foster and lands or James Whelan at station 13 x 50. Thence upon lands of James Whelan 6:5 chs. The extreme depth of drain will be 20:49 feet. Said Drain to be a tile drain of 8 inches, tile 15 feet will be required on both sides of the line as surveyed for construction and deposition of excavation.

Said job will be let in one section. In accordance with the diagram now on the with the other papers pertaining to said Drain, in the office of

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Restaurant ing adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and place of letting.

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Notice is further hereby given, that at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, the County Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Whelan Extension of Spring Tallow Drain Special Assessment District," and prised within the "Whelan Extension of Spring Valley Drain Special Assessment District," and the apportionments thereof will be announced by me and will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon.

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the special Assessment District of said drain, viz: The W. 4 of Sec. 4 T. 7 S. R. 17 W. Also N. E. 4 of the N. E. 4 Sec. 5

the S. E. 4 and the S. E. 4 of the N. E. 4 Sec. 5 T. 7 S. R. 17 W.

Now, therefore, all unknown and non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you, George Foster, James Whelan, Jacob B. Ullery, Mrs. Emeline Porter, Mrs. Wm. Rice and Alfred F. Martin are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which said heaving may be adjourned. I shall to which said hearing may be adjourned, I shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said "Whelan Extension of Spring Valley Drain," in the manner hereinbefore stated; and, also, that at such time of letting from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, the assessment for benefits and the lands com prised within the Whelan Extension of Spring Valley Drain Special Assessment Districts wil

ne subject to review. And you and each of you, owners and persons interested in the aforesaid ands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of such letting as aforesaid, and be heard with respect to such

as at oresaid, and be neard with respect to such aspecial assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Dated Buchanan, Mich., November, A. D. 1905.

HN E. BURBANK,

County Drain Commissioner of the County of Berrien.

Last Publication, Dec. 22, 1905.

REPORT OF LIQUOR LICENSES County Treasurer's Office, Berrien County, Dec. 1, 1905

TO THE AUDITOR GENERAL: The following is a full and complete Report of Taxes Collected or Received by me at my office upon the Business of Selling or Keeping for sale, or Manufacturing Distilled or Brewed or Malt Liquors, during the year ending December 4, 1905.

Name of Persons, Corporation, Associa- tions, Company, or Cobartnership	Residence	Kind of Business	Place of Doing Business	Amount of Tax Paid	Date of Pay ment
Paying a Tax				1ax 1 aiu	
Charles W. Stretch	Benton Harbor	Selling or offering for sale spirituous or intoxicating liquors			•
		or mixed liquors by retail or any			
		mixture or compound except pro- prietary patent medicines which			
	st.	in whole or in part consist of			* *
		spirituous or intoxicating liquors and any malt brewed or ferment-	•	, 1	
James Dwan et al		ed liquors.	132 6th street, Benton Harbor 108 Water street,	\$500 00	April 29
W. Scott Burkham			Water street in Hotel Benton	500 00° 500 00	**
John Donahue Adam Weber.			131 West Main street 120 Territorial street	500 00 500 00	
Ashley Smith			112 Water street	500 00	
U. A. McAuley & T. Holcomb			183 Water street 116 East Main street	500 00 500 00	•
George Meunch Elmer S. Wald	en de de de la companya de la compa La companya de la co		111 Pipestone street 129-131 Colfax avenue	500 00 500 00	
Peter Scherer			115 Water street.	500 00	
Grant Aldrich William H. Harper			Corner 5th and Water streets 106 West Main street	500 00 500 00	• .
Julius Muchling			119 West Main street	500 00	
Resorters Supply Co. Maylan Osgood & George Schairer			112 Territorial street 112 W. Main street	500 00 500 00	٠.
Jacob M. Schwenk	New Buffalo		(N. 1 lot 11 blocks 13) New Buffalo	500 00	: .
Emil Kruger Albert Lord	Eau Claire		(S. ½ lot 7 blocks 13) New Briffato Eau Claire	500 00 500 00	
Luke Eagan	Watervliet		Building on Main street, lot 32	458 34	· 6
Daniel Muth John Burke			Pleasant street, Watervliet Pleasant street, Watervliet	500 00 500 00	
John Lattridge Adam Bodjack	Stevensville	1.3	Building (N. 1/2 lot 37) Watervliet Robert Liskey Building, Stevensville	500 00 500 00	
Timothy Taibot	Benton Harbor	Selling or offering for sale		500 00	
	•	spirituous or intoxicating liquors or mixed liquors by retail or any			
	j	mixture or compound except pro-			
		prietary patent medicines which in whole or in part consist of			
		spirituous or intoxicating liquors		,	
		and any malt brewed or ferment- ed liquors also for selling at			• • .
	•	wholesome malt and brewed liquors	116 Territorial street, Benton Harbor	500 00	May 23
William D. Casey	Niles, Mich.	Selling or offering for sale		500 00	May 20
	•	spirituous or intoxicating liquors by retail or any mixture or com-			
	•	pound except proprietary patent			
		medicine which in whole or in part consist of spirituous or in-			
		toxicating liquors and malt			A ^b
Thomas C. McDonald	Niles, Mich.	brewed or fermented liquors.	112 Main street, Niles Main street,	500 00 500 00	April 29
William R. Baker Frederick B. Eisner	•		124 Main street 108 South Front street	500 00 500 00	
Joseph Painter	•		Pike Hotel .	458 33	June 13
Charles Eisenbirl Charles G. Radewald	(109 N. Second street 115 N. Front street		May 23 April 29
John H. Forler			410 High street	500 00	arpan wo
Alfred Earl John Baumann			107 N. 2nd street 113 Main street	500 00 500 00	
George F. Reum Frederick Baumann		•	108-110 N. Front street 119 Main street	500 00 500 00	٠ ،
John Kibler	St. Joseph		117-119 State street, St. Joseph	500 00	
Fred Anderson. H. D. Overly	St. Joseph	Selling or offering for sale	Northeast Corner State & Ship	500 00	
2. 3.0101	•	spirituous or intoxicating liquors			
		or mixed liquors by retail or any mixture or compound except pro-			-
	1	prietary patent medicines which in whole or in part consist of			
the state of the s		spirituous or intoxicating liquors			•
		and any malt brewed or ferment- ed liquors.		500.00	; * .
Wiliam A. Walker			610 Ship street, St. Joseph Lake View Hotel	500 00 500 500 00	April 29
Adelbert Unrüh Schuyler C. Unruh	•		115 State street Water street (D- and W. Building)	500 00 500 00	
Clarence E. Blake	•		Hotel Whitcomb	500 00	•
Albert Ankli Frank Morlock	•		614 Ship street 705 Ship street	500 00 500 00	•
Edward Wehrle & P. Bodjack			200 Main street	500 00	
Leopold Hassle & Emile Zordell William Frick	and the second		613 Ship street 608 Ship street	500 0 0 500 00	
B. R. Bihlmire	Baroda.		Baroda, Mich.	500 00	
George Fox James Finley	Bridgeman Niles, Mich.		Bridgeman West Front street and North Main street.	500 00 / 416 67	June 30
James H. Wolcott	Coloma		Coloma, Mich.	500 00	April 29
George Lorenz Andrew J. Carothers	Buchanan		Coloma, Mich. Hotel Lee, Buchanan	500 00 500 00	
John McFallon William Burke			North Side Front street Front street	500 00 500 00	
John L. Rickert	Stevensville		Bast Side St. Joseph avenue, Stevensville.	458 34	June 13
John Ingleright James A. Essick	Berrien Springs		Berrien Springs		April 29 June 13
George Kammerer	St. Joseph	Selling only brewed or malt	112 State street, St. Joseph		April 29
	en e	liquors at wholesale or retail or at wholesale and retail.		500 00	
Anton Klier	Stevensville	Manufacturing brewed or malt	Stevensville	65 00	April 29
Fred Harner	Galien, Mich.	liquors for sale. Selling or offering for sale			
		spirituous or intoxicating liquors		500.00	
Charles F. Wright	New Buffalo	- Adapted	New Buffalo	500 00 500 00	
Val Blatz Brewing Co.	Benton Harbor	Wholesale dealers in malt brewed and fermented liquors,	181 West Main street, Benton Harbor	500.00	and the second
John Schavier, Agent	POUR HURTHAL	lore were and retimented tidnots,	TOT MESS MAIN SPICES DEUTON HELDOL	500 00	-

His Future.

Nurse-Please, ma'am, every time little Bobby can't have his own way he city-bred boy, as he came running in runs at me and pushes me and kicks from a chicken coop, holding in his me like everything. Fond Mother—Bless his little heart!

day. A Wedding Present. Old Gent-Have you vanishing ink? Tradesman-Yes. Going to make ure of no breach of promise suits?

Old Gent—Oh, no; going to give my daughter a cheque for a thousand pounds as a wedding present. Easier Than He Thought. George (nervously)—I'd like ever so much to marry you, Kitty, but I don't know how to propose.

Kitty (promptly and practically)— That's all right, George. You've fin-ished with me; now go to papa. A Good Dead Buffeted.

Old Gentleman (as the train gets i terrific bump at a station)—Phew! What's that? Old Lady—I guess they must be coupling on that buffet car we've heard tell about.—N. Y. Weekly.

Suburban Luxuries

Mr. Citiman—Why in creation do you pucker your face over those sour green grapes, when you can get beau ties at the fruitman's for a mere

We will be able to get our divorce and swear off our taxes at the same time.

—Puck.

Sounds Like It.

Boston Teacher—Waldo, you may de-Mr. Suburb They wouldn't taste as good as these.

"Why not?"
"I raised them myself."—N. Y. Weekly.

The Pattern Egg. "See what I got!" cried Bobby, a

hand a china egg.
"Oh, go put it back!" exclaimed Ma-He'll be a famous football player some bel, his six-year-old sister. That's the egg the hen measures by."-Judge.

Guarded Against. "If you loved me, why did you, at first refuse me?"

She—I wanted to see how you would "But I might have rushed off without waiting for an explanation."

"I'd locked the door."—Cassell's. Fatigue.

"Do you think our candidate will do all he has promised?" . "No," answered Farmer Corntossal.

'He has had to hustle so hard to get elected that it'll take him 'bout one term of office to get rested up."-Washington Star.

Killing Two Birds. Mrs. Gramercy-Do you think you will be happy in such a place?

Mrs. Park-The inducements are enticing. By acquiring a residence there

Boston Teacher-Waldo, you may define "propaganda."

Boston Pupil—Why, it's—it's— B. T.—Well? B. P.-Why, I guess it's the mascu-

line of "proper goose,"—Cleveland

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St. Joe, Benton Harbor Division. p.m. p.m. a.m .m. a.m. p.m. *00:7:30|1:00 lv. South Bend ar. 7:35 2:20 11:55 :50 7:57 1:27 Warwick 7:06 1:27 11:28 :20 8:06 1:36 Galien 6:57 12:50 11:19 Glendora 6:36 8:26 1:56 7:00 8:35 2:05 7:20 8:42 2:12 8:53 2:25 8:36 8:26 1:56 Baroda 6:36 12:01 10:59
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dak., Hades holds no fury like a woman scorned.

Portz's potato yeast bread.

Get in the word contest at Jordan's Lowney's box candies at Van's 10c per. box. \

Feed grinding at Dayton Mill.

Try an On-est John cigar. A good

Schraft's box candies at Van's 5c to 75c per. box.

Beautiful Japanese scrap Baskets at Richards & Emerson's,

What is more appropriate and use ful for a Christmas gift than a sack of the famous Blended Patent Flour "GERBELLE." For sale at Keller's.

The largest and finest line of jewelry in this city, and we always save you money. ELSON.

Opposite Hotel Lee.

A girl over at Niles, who wanted to be considered consistent, insisted that the stockings she purchased at one of the stores be sent home on the

The Christmas exercises at the Advent Christian Church will be held Saturday evening December 23, instead of Monday evening as announced in Friday's edition.

Hives, eczema, itch or salt rheum sets you crazy. Can't bear the touch of your clothing. Doan's Ointment cures the most obstinate cases. Why suffer, All druggists sell it.

A presentable Christmas gift can be obtained at the RECORD office. We have some very pretty Kodak photo holders with removable leaves, also arranged so more leaves can be added if so desired.

A prudent young married man was seen hurrying along the street carryand want good work at the ing a big paper bag. Somebody asked him why he was in such a hurry. "I've just bought a hat for my wife," he replied, "and I want, to get home before the style changes.'

> H. D. Ingles, of Olive Branch will preach at the U. B. Church next Sunday evening, Subject, "Character Building." A cordial invitation is extended to all especially the young people. He will also deliver a ser. mon at Mt. Zion at 11 o'clock, Sunday morning.

An exchange says: What do you think of an artist who painted cobwebs on a ceiling so truthfully that the hired girl wore herself into an attack of nervous prostration trying to sweep them down? This causes an editor who has some experience along this line to remark that there might have been such an artist, but there never was such a hired girl.

An exchange truthfully says: A newspaper may boom a town through its editorial and news columns, but the critical investigator looks to the Bishop lots 6 7 Day add Buchanan advertising columns for substantial \$325. evidence of push and life. To him they are thermometers measuring the intensity of public warmth; they are A drunken woman smashed a plate the pulse which indicates the healthy glass window at Standish the other condition of the collective body of day ween she was refused another the people they tell him whether or not the community is up to the times

in business matters,"

Calendar pads for fancy work at q he RECORD office.

Kranz's candies from 10c to 60c per. pound at Van's.

Morese's candies at Van's, 30c to \$3 50 per. box. See window display. We trust that you all will have a

very happy and joyous Christmas One half ton of candies fo Christ mas at Van's. See window display.

SALE-14 head of Durock ✓ WM. DEWITT. D29p pigs. •

A pair of slippers or Romeo's make dandy present. We have them.

CARMER & CARMER. Misses Grace Fowler and Zulu Mc-Fallon are assisting at the Racket

during the holiday rush, A nice pair of shoes will please any

one. You can find them at CARMER & CARMER.

WANTED: -A boy about 16 or 17 to learn the printers trade, and also to work in the bindery department at the RECORD office.

Its better than a circus to see child's Christmas with a new pair of rubber sboots.

CARMER & CARMER.

The RECORD now offers one of the greatest offers ever made. For 104 issues of the RECORD and 317 of the Chicago Daily Inter Ocean for new subscribers, \$2.50 and renewals, \$3.00.

Traffic on the interurban at Niles will open, to-morrow, Dec. 20, when the first car will run through Niles to Berrien Springs and 'possibly to Scottdale, and regular trips will be

The Howe School, Ditrict No. 6, two miles south of town, will give a Christmas social, entertainment and candy social, on Friday evening, Dec. 22. Ladies are requested to bring boxes of candy. All are cordially invited.

We are sorry to note that Charlie A. McDonald, late city editor of the South Bend Times, died at his home in South Bend last Thursday after a four weeks illnesswith malaria and typhoid fever. The RECORD extends their heartfelt sympathy to the wife, children, parents and other relatives in their sad affliction.

The editor of a country paper received the query: "Can you tell me what the weather will be next month?" It is my beleif that the weather next month will be very much like your subscription." The inquirer wondered for an hour what the editor was driving at, when he happened to think of the word "unsettled." He went in next day and squared his account.—Ex.

Mr. Wm. Broceus, who went to Chicago last week to have an opera tion performed, underwent a most successful one. He had a tumor removed that was about the size of a quart cup, besides several smaller ones. 'At last report, he was doing nicely and able to sit up in bed for a short time. We are pleased to note this improvement, and trust we will be able to greet him on our streets again in a short time.

"A lawyer charges a man \$10 for ten minutes conversation, and the man insists on paying it. A doctor charges \$1 for a prescription and the patient says: 'Oh, pshaw! is that enough?' An undertaker conducts a funeral and charges \$100 and he 'is just perfectly lovely' with every one inside and outside the family. A man buys a gold brick and apologizes for not having bitten before. An editor walks a mile in the hot sun to get the facts of a death, wed ding or social function and spends three hours in writing it up Then. if he makes one insignificant omission or error, or charges five cents straight for three extra papers, he is a stingy, good-for- nothing cuss who never gets anything right: he is most any old thing and ought to be run

♦ ♦ ♦ :: Real Estate Transfers

Charles Bishop to Herman H. Davis lot 2 blk G A C Day add Buchanan

Mrs. Caroline Williams to Charles

Lillie A. File to Charles Bishop lot 2blk G Andrew CDy add Buchanan - Wm. Contad returned home from

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PERSONAL.

********** Jno. C. Dick was a Niles visitor, Friday...:

I. N. Batchelor was a Niles visitor Saturday.

Mr. Tony Kasneck was a Niles visitor, Sunday.

Ed. Bird was a South Bend visitor last Saturday.

Mrs. M. Redden was a Galien caller last Friday.

Wm. Rynearson, of Dowagiac, is a Buchanan visitor. Geo. R. Rich transacted business

n Chicago, Saturday. F. J. Clark went to Detroit, Friday, for an indefinite stay.

Miss Dott Redden was in Glendora, Friday visiting friends.

Mrs. Howard Smith was a South Bend visitor, vesterday.

Sam Miles went to Kalamaxoo last night for a short stay.

Mrs. Will East visited relatives in South Bend last Saturday.

Geo. Parkinson transacted business n South Bend, Saturday.

. Mrs. Chas. Voorhees went to South Bend, Saturday.

Rolla Bates, of South Bend was nome over Sunday. Mrs. Carey Dutton was a South

Bend visitor Saturday. Mrs. A. Loop, of Three Oaks was Buchanan caller, Thursday.

H. A. Hathaway went to Chicago. yesterday, to transact business.

W. E. Pennell was a Berrien Springs visitor one day last week.

Mrs. Will Porter visited relatives and friends in Dowagiac last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. French spent

Sunday with friends in Three Oaks. Miss Vera Carter spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Dowa-

Mrs. Alfred Richards went to South Bend yesterday for a short

Harry Sabin left yesterday for

Mr. Anslem Wray went to Pullman Sunday to visit his son Arthur and

Miss Eva File, has returned home

from Elkhart, after a short visit with Mrs. Eleck Charlwood went to

Wayland, Mich., last Friday to visit Mrs. Dora Wooden is visiting ents. The former returned yesterday, among relatives in South Bend and

Mishawaka. Mrs. Sarah Guyberson went to BIGAMIST * HOCH Niles Sunday to visit a short time

with her sister. Mr. and Mrs. Will File left yesterday morning for Elkhart to remain

indefinitely. Mrs. H. E. Metcalf is visiting her daughter Mrs. Geo. Worthington in

Three Oaks. Mrs. Geo. Denno, accompanied by Mrs Wm. R. Rough went to South

Bend, Monday.

Miss Pausy Thomas returned home Saturday after a months visit with relatives in Chicago.

Mr. Jerry Lyon was a Buchanan visitor several days the latter part of last week and this.

Mrs. Wm. Broceus left Friday for Chicago to attend her husband who is in the hospital.

Fred Knight, of the Agricultural College at Lansing, is home for a visit with his parents.

Mrs. Henry Blodgett, Sr. went to Niles, Sunday evening for a short visit with her daughter.

Frank Imhoff left Saturday for Smiths Falls, Ont., to visit relatives for an indefinite period.

in Berrien Springs as the guest of Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Davis. Mr. Jake Blodgett, who has been

Mr. I. N. Batchelor spent Sunday

visiting his mother for a short time went to South Bend, Sunday. E. A. Hallock is home from the

Agricultural College, at Lansing, to stay until after the Holidays. Mrs. D. W. Kean went to Three

Oaks, Thursday, for a short visit with her son and many friends. Monday morning for Binghamton,

of Greeenville, Mich., arrived to day grade recently, making the enroll- the same be sent to the family. to remain until after the Holiday's with Mrs. Ramlon's daughter, Mrs. J. Evey and family.

with relatives.

years.

Chicago on Monday from a visit with his son and other relatives. While there he met a cousin David Swartz

A Few **Christmas Suggestions**

What-could you get that would make a more suitable present for a man than fine Neckwear, Collars, Cuffs, Handkerchiefs, Etc. My stock of Gent's Furnishings is complete. Call and see.



JOHN MORRIS /

BUCHANAN

MICHIGAN

The Holidays

are drawing near, and now is the time to leave your order for a suit, overcoat or trousers, also make smoking jackets and gowns which would make nice Christmas gifts.

F. J. BANKE & CO.

WE ARE STILL MAKING SUITS FROM \$18.00 UP, AND TROUSERS FROM \$4.00 UP

The Finest Natural

CALIFORNIA PERFUMES

make first-class Christmas Presents. Also Box Papeteries and Bibles at

...RUNNER'S...

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Beck, of Elkhart arrived in Buchanan Saturday, isongs, recitations, and a play enfor a visit with their respective par-titled "Merry Christmas at School," but Mrs. Beck will remain over day afternoon at 2 o'clock. Christmas.

HANG.

Murderer of Many Wives Will Pay The First Christmas Penalty February 23.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 15-The su preme court today affirmed that Johanna Hoch must hang Feb. 23. Hoch is one of the worst criminals and has murdered more women probably than any other criminal of late years. Several times the date for Christmas Wreaths his hanging has been set and as many times a reprieve has been granted. Old Toys

Maxwell Found Guilty.

At 2:30 Friday afternoon the Max. well case was given over to the jury. It was expected that the jury would be out for some time as the case was not such a clear one against the al-

leged diamond theif as was expected. In his charge to the jury the court instructed that body that all irrevelant testimony introduced had of Maxwell, the question for them to decide was whether he stole the diamond pin from the scarf of M. A. Price.

The maximun sentence in this case is five years. Judge Coolidge will pass sentence on Maxwell Jan. 2, 1906.

s & & School Notes

School will close next Friday for two weeks vacation.

Nearly all of the teachers will spend their vacation out of town, Miss Towne and Miss Dunham will their great affliction. be at their home in Ypsilanti: Miss Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hulbert left Drummond will be in Prairieville. Miss Rutledge will go to Rockford N. Y. to remain an indefinite time III. Mr. Mercer will attend the State Teacher's meeting in Lansing. Mrs. Ramlon and three daughters, Margaret Ellis entered the eighth for publication and that a copy of ment twenty four.

> The eighth graders recently wrote an "Imaginary Trip to the North Pole." Some interesting experience were given.

Tests in orthography, history and tion and is the best advertising whom he had not seen in over 40 language will be given the eighth tion and is the best advertising

Christmas exercises, consisting of will be given by the fifth grade, Fri-

A cordial invitation is extended to parents and friends.

PROGRAM. "Old Santa Claus." Song School. Recitation. Zelma Leiter. Class Exercise Mother Goose Christ. mas Wants, 1st. grade.

Ralph Breen. Recitation Joyce Salisbury. Clarence Beck. Retha Whisman.

1st. and 2nd grades. Harleigh Raymond and Tabitha Remington.

School. Song Part II. The Last Reindeer. 1st.

* * *

and 2nd. grades.

Resolutions WHEREAS, in the course of human events. Death the enemy of all mankind has again invaded our ranks. and removed from our association no bearing on the guilt or innocence and companionship one of our esteemed Neighbor Woodmen. To all of which we are obliged to submit to the inevitable. No matter how severe the loss may seem to us, or how ill prepared, we are to receive the blow, therefore

> RESOLVED, that in the death of our esteemed neighbor Charles Lauer, we realize the loss of a good citizen, an obliging neighbor, a warm friend and a consistent Woodmen.

> RESOLVED, that we tender our sincere sympathy to the family in this

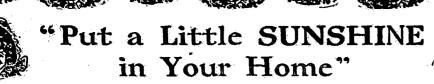
RESOLVED, that our Charter be draped for thirty days. That these lines be inscribed on the minute book of Buchanan Camp 886, M. W. A. That, a copy be sent to the RECORD

JNO. W. BROCEUS ALAN EMERSON H. M. BRODRICK

Committee. * * *

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You can also put "Sunshine" in your homes by making your loved ones happy at Christmas time. What would do it more than a nice present from my large stock of suitable gifts. They are too many to name, but you are invited to call and look them over.

H. R. Adams.

Buchanan

Mich.

With a Load



Santa Claus finds it pretty hard work pumping along on a bicycle. But he expects to travel empty handed when he leaves here, so he wants you and your friends to help him unload There's plenty among the lot he has that you'll want, and there's plenty that your friends would like you to give them. So just come along and make your selections as early as you possibly can —the sooner, the better is your chance to get just what you want, in Toys, Dolls, Jewelry, Books, Chinaware, Glassware, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Pictures, Notions, etc. Make your selection now. At the

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Many Holiday Bargains

WILL BE FOUND AT OUR STORE

3 bs Rice Pop Corn, shelled for10c
95 per cent guaranteed to pop
3—5c Cakes White Ribbon Toilet Soap10c
1—17b Can Red Alaska Salmon15c
1—¼ lb Baskets Washed Smyrna Figs, in baskets25c
1 Medium sized Cocoanut 5c
1 Large sized Cocoanut 8c
1 Package Puffed Rice10c
1—3lb Package Self-rising Buckwheat10c
1 b Evaporated Apples
1 Dozen Large Bananas15c
1 Gallon Can Apples
22 bs New Orleans Granulated Sugar\$1.00
and many other good things

C. B. TREAT @ CO.

PHONE 133

Christmas Turkey

Don't forget to place your order early for that

Phone 6.

MUTCHLER

UNIQUE NAPKIN HOLDER.

A Very Ingenious Method of Solving the Problem of Fastening Baby's Bib Comfortably.

Few mothers there are who do not know how difficult it is to keep the children's napkins where they will protect dress and waist fronts to the best advantage. The expedients of pinning around the neck or tucking napkins into collar bands when bib days are over are never satisfactory, the first causing an uncomfortable roll, and the latter invariably disarranging collars or ties. In the accompanying illustration a little holder is shown which will solve this problem to every mother's delight, assures the American Agriculturist.

The holder is made of brown linen, 15 inches long and nearly two wide. The edge is buttonholed with red floss, as also are the initials of the little one for whom it is intended. Sprays of holly with its glossy green leaves and scarlet berries furnish a pretty decoration. The ends are provided with small safety pins which are to be fastened to the napkin just in front of each shoulder, the holder forming a sort of collar around the back of the neck. The napkin is thus held smoothly across the chest at the point most needed.

These holders may be made of various materials, linen, wash ribbon or lawn



THE COMPLETE HOLDER.

being given preference in the order named. If the material is light in weight they may be made double to give durability and firmness. The edges should be machine or brier stitched, hemstitched or buttonholed. In case of rbibon being utilized the selvedge will be sufficient finish.

Any simple decoration is appropriate. Colors which will please the child who is to wear it are always most desirable. Where initials are used if they are placed toward one end of the strip, as in the holder illustrated, when the meal is over the napkin may be folded and rolled with the opposite end of the holder, leaving the portion bearing the initials to wrap round the outside. There is then no likelihood of napkins turning up at the wrong plates. If preferred, small clips or clasps may be substituted for the pins.

These holders are made so simply that small needlewomen may safely attempt sets of them for Christmas, allowing one for each little tot who has not yet learned the grown-up's way of

This Is a Very Simply-Made Affair of White Wood or of Pine Boards.

A substantial umbrella stand is shown in the illustration and in construction. it is very simple, being made from white wood or pine boards three-quarters of an inch in



thickness. Two boards are cut 30 inches long and ten inches wide for the front and back, and for the sides two more boards are cut 30 inches long and

eight inches wide. The front and back board are nailed to the edges of the side boards with long slim steel wire nails, and a bottom board is cut and fitted to the lower end of the box, where it is securely held with more of the long



Tom-Jones, the new ladies' tailor, advertises all the newest wrinkles. Tess-Then he won't get a woman in his shop.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Liked the Other Side. "You don't appear to care," said she, "To keep on the right side of me." "Ah, no," said he-his wit was deft-"You see, your heart is on the left." -Cleveland Leader.

Not a Cockneyite.

Mother-What! Do you intend to marry a foreigner?

Son—She is a very highly cultivated English girl, mother.

"How do you know she is highly cul-

"She speaks the same sort of Eng-

lish that I do."-N. Y. Weekly. Remedied.

Playwright—I have just dramatized the "want" columns of yesterday's the round trip. Good going on Dec. newspapers. Manager-Whatever possessed you

to do that? "When you declined my last play you complained it was lacking in sit jations."-Cassell's.

Muletide Greetings

Now is the time to make out your list, before the RUSH of the. Here are a few suggestions I offer you covering a line of Season is on. gifts, every one of which will be "A thing of beauty and a joy forever." Rochester Stamping Co.'s line of Silver Lined, Nickle Plated Tea Kettles.

Coffee Pots, Tea Pots, Pitchers, Trays, Crumb Trays.

Silverware

Large variety, the very best quality, with a 25 year guarantee from the makers, and they are good.

Special brands at low prices.

Cutlery

Pen Knives, Pocket Knives, Jacks, Paring Knives, Bread Knives, Butchers, Carving Sets and Steels, in large variety and from factories that make only good goods. Every blade warranteed.

Stoves

For all purposes, and for all kinds of fuel, from the best makers in the country, and everyone right

For Hot Water Furnaces For Hot Air For Steam Results Guaranteed

Horse Goods

An elegant line of Robes. Plush, Imitation Buffalo, and Galloway Blankets in endless variety and all grades and sizes.

Harness, whips, soapstones, carriage heaters and Stock foods.

We invite comparison.

Carpet Sweepers, Roasters, Axes, Saws, Tinware, Graniteware, etc., in fact, in Substantial Holiday Goods, We have an article for every person, at prices to suit every purse.

I anticipate the pleasure of showing you this line

THE HARDWARE MAN

On and after Dec. 15 I will be at the First National Bank, Buchanan, for the collection of taxes.

E. W. SANDERS.

Township Treasurer.

Holiday Excursion

The M. C. R. R Co. will sell round trip tickets at one and one-third reg ular first class limited fare. Date of sale, December 23, 24, 25, 30 and 31, 1905 and January 1, 1906. Limited to return not later than January M. L. JENKS.

The Review of Reviews publishes "exclusively," in advance of all its contemporaries, an address on the occasion of the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the Roosevelt Memorial University, October 15, 2050 A. D. This important discourse which is reported by Robert J. Thompson, of Chicago, analyzes the state philosophy and ideals of Theodore Roosevelt with reference to some of the events of his two administra tions, 1905-09 and 1917-21. The address is entitled "The Leaven and the Loaf," and repay a careful reading by all students of the Roosevel tian philosophy.

Notice

All persons wanting an ad in the Tuesday edition, must have copy in not later than Monday night; and those for Friday's edition must be in not later than Thursday, or it will be impossible to get them into those editions.

EXCURSIONS PERE MARQUETTE

SPECIAL TO CHICAGO. On account of the Live Stock Ex-

position at Chicago, tickets will be sold for special coach excusion good going Wednesday, December 20th, good to return not later than Saturday, December 23rd.

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

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS Round trip tickets will be sold at a rate of one and one third fare for 23, 24, 25, 30 and 31 and January 1. Good for return untill and including January 3; 1906. Asks agents for particulars.

H.F. MOBLLER, G. P. A.

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Best Patent Golden Wedding, patent Lucky Hit Daisy -10lb Pure Buckwheat This flour is guaranteed to be the best winter

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