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## Sentence Is Postponed

Judge Van Riper, attorney for Albert Hinkley appeared before Judge Coolidge Saturday and asked that he defer the passing of sentence upon Albert Hinkley for another week as he hopes to furnish evidence sufficient to granting him a new trial. Sentence was to have been given Monday. It is said that if ever an attorney had been loyal to a client, it is Van Riper; that he has received \$50 from the county for defending his client, which in turn Van Riper expects to use in procuring further evidence.

## Buchanan Township Democratic caucus

A democratic caucus will be held in John C. Dicks office Saturday afternoon March 24, 1906, at three o'clock for the purpose of nominating candidates for the various township offices to be voted for April 2, 1906 and transacting all other business that may come before the caucus. Dated March 19, 1906.

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## Dies in Grand Rapids

W. H. Turner, former Buchanan man is dead

The citizens of Buchanan well remember, W. H. Turner, who several years ago resided on the old Pears farm on the Niles road and will be surprised to learn of his demise.

W. H. Turner was a very successful newspaper man and after leaving this city became interested in the Grand Rapids Herald, of which he was general manager at the time of his death. Mr. Turner died Monday morning at seven o'clock at his apartments in the Livingston hotel in Grand Rapids, where he with his wife and one son lived. He was stricken with a complication of diseases over a month ago, apoplexy being the first cause of illness. This was followed by a stroke of paralysis which left him in a very critical condition, and rapid failure followed.

Mr. Turner was born in South Bend and in various cities of this country he has been associated with prominent newspapers which he ably managed and greatly increased in influence and popularity. Remains were taken to South Bend yesterday and placed in a receiving vault until spring and will then be laid to rest.

## Registration Notice

To the electors of the township of Buchanan, notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the township of Buchanan will be held at F. W. Ravin's office within the said township on Saturday, March 31, for the purpose of registering the names of all persons as shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors in said township and who may apply for that purpose and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day aforesaid, open from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose aforesaid.

Dated March 21, 1906.  
F. W. RAVIN, Twp. Clerk.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy  
Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

## Enters Upon 70th Year

Ex-President Grover Cleveland entered upon his 70th year Sunday and yet shows few signs of his age. He is at present enjoying a fishing trip in Florida and for the first time in many years spent his birthday away from home. Out door enjoyments are attributed in making him healthy and robust.

It has now been 31 years since Mr. Cleveland was first inaugurated. Other presidents have survived longer than that after taking the oath of office. John Adams, inaugurated in 1797, lived 89 years afterward, to die on the same day as Thomas Jefferson. Jefferson survived 25 years after beginning his term. Madison's record was two years better. John Quincy Adams made a record of 29 years; Martin Van Buren and Tyler, 21 years, the same as Cleveland. Fillmore survived 24 years.

It is a significant fact and one that goes to show how much greater is the strain of office now than it the time of Fillmore, that Mr. Cleveland is the only man who has lived a score of years after becoming president since the Fillmore administration.

## Complete Surprise

On Rev. and Mrs. Halmhuber last Saturday

On Saturday about ninety five members and friends of the Evangelical church completely surprised the pastor and wife, Rev. and Mrs. Halmhuber.

The ladies brought forth well filled baskets and in a very short time sumptuous dinner had been prepared to which all did justice. After refreshments the president of the Ladies Aid society in a few appropriate remarks in behalf of the society and friends presented Mrs. Halmhuber with a beautiful quilt, as a token of love; and presented the pastor with a five dollar gold coin; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kent also presented them with a valuable silver coin. Rev. and Mrs. Halmhuber in a very pleasant and able manner expressed their thanks to the friends for the kindness shown them on this occasion. The party then listened to a couple of recitations very ably delivered by Mrs. Halmhuber; and Mr. Halmhuber also favored them with two violin solos, his wife accompanying him on the piano.

After wishing the host and hostess many such happy gatherings the guests departed for their respective homes.  
A Guest

## Wins High Honors

K. S. Inui, Japanese, in Oratorical contest

Many Buchanan people will remember, K. S. Inui, the finely educated Jap, who gave a decidedly interesting lecture on the Japanese-Russian war, at the Methodist church over a year ago, and will be pleased to note the high honors he has won in the University of Michigan.

As the result of the annual oratorical contest of the University of Michigan, Friday night, Mr. Inui won first place receiving the Chicago Alumni medal and \$100 in gold. The medal is said to be the finest given in any contest in the United States. The second honor was given \$50 in gold.

This is the first time one of foreign blood has ever received first honor at oratory at Michigan.

Mr. Inui will represent Michigan in the Northern Oratorical league contest to be held at Oberlin May 4.

## Worthy Cause Well Remembered

Last Thursday Geo. F. Sonnes presented to the Benton Harbor hospital, the sum of \$5,000 on the sole condition that the hospital fund be increased \$10,000 more by July first. This will be done easily. The association has four lots and \$2,000 in cash besides other pledges.

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## Japanese Dance

Auf Wieder Sehen Plan for Social Function

The Auf Wieder Sehen Dancing club of this city has become well known throughout southern Michigan for its numerous social functions which surpass those given by the clubs of even the larger cities.

A few weeks ago, the "Moonlight dance" excelling any previously given, was greatly enjoyed by about fifty couple, and preparations are now being made to give a "Japanese Dance." This also promises to be very fine and to even surpass the last.

Two hundred invitations have already been sent out. This dance will be given at Rough's opera house. A new hard wood floor is now being laid which will make it one of the finest dancing floors in the state. Fischer's World's Fair orchestra will furnish the music.

## Republican Township caucus

A republican township caucus for the township of Buchanan will be held in Rough's opera house in the village of Buchanan on Saturday, March 24, 1906, at two o'clock in the afternoon of said day for the purpose of placing in nomination the following township officers: one supervisor, one treasurer, one clerk, one highway commissioner, one justice of the peace for full term, one justice of the peace to fill vacancy, one member of the board of review, one school inspector and four constables, and to perform such other business as may come before the caucus.

Dated March 17, 1906.

Twp. Com. { John W. Brocens  
Herbert Roe  
A. A. Worthington

WANTED—Plain sewing, comforts mending, etc. Inquire of Mrs. W. J. Moherson, Meccasin Ave.

## A Birthday Surprise

Herbert Knight was very pleasantly surprised Friday evening when thirty of his friends arrived at his home to assist in celebrating his 14th birthday. He was very nicely remembered by his friends, receiving several beautiful gifts. Games were much enjoyed and refreshments served. A very pleasant evening was passed.

Get your Buggy Painted  
Bring it to Harry Weaver, Wagon Works building, Buchanan.

## Pop Corn Jennie is no More

"Pop Corn Jennie," whose career in St. Joseph several years ago made her a notorious character is dead. It will be remembered she was ordered from that city in 1908 when the murder of Johnnie Wells occurred in front of her place. She went to Michigan City, thence to Three Rivers and later to Battle Creek, where she died. Her age was about 50 years.

It is said that the railroads of the United States will expand ninety eight million dollars for steel rails the coming year.

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- Printed dotted Swiss 15c
- Henly Serges, particularly desirable for outing skirts 20c
- Mohair Lusters, perfect imitation of \$1.00 Mohair Suitings 25c
- Careaux DeSoie, in all colors, a very silky, fine check suiting 25c
- Printed Grenadine, an elegant summer material 25c
- Printed Silk Batiste, Silk Tissue, Mercerized Panamas, etc. 35c
- Printed Silk Mulls, Special Fabrics, in solid colors, plaids and floral designs 50 and 60c

## White Waists

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TERMS \$1.00 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE.  
BELL TELEPHONE NO. 20.  
WEDNESDAY MAR. 21 1906  
Entered in the Post Office at Buchanan, Mich., as second-class matter.

WANTED Rooms for light house keeping. Inquire or Morrow Chubb.  
Robert Cisney, the oldest man of St. Joseph county, died Tuesday at his home near South Bend, aged 95 years.  
Keep one eye on our news counter; you cannot afford to miss some of the current magazines. Binns' Magnet Store.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Roe returned Saturday afternoon from their several weeks sojourn in California. They report a most enjoyable time but glad to be home once more.

Official announcement has been made that hereafter all the clergyman, salvation army people and all those who heretofore traveled at half fare will be compelled to pay full fare and it is further predicted that soon no favors will be shown by the transportation department.

A Reward  
We offer a reward of 25 cents for every case of skin trouble, eczema, ulcers, old running sores, wounds, cuts, or any kind of scalp trouble that Dermakola Ointment will not heal, for if not cured we pay the 25 cents back. W. F. Runner.

Friends Left to Mourn Departure of Loved Ones

The people of Buchanan have been greatly shocked during the past week to learn of the several deaths, among whom was Mrs. James East of South Bend, but formerly of this place.  
We were pained when we learned that Mrs. East was to undergo an operation and our sincere wish was for her recovery, which undoubtedly would have been had it not been for the affliction of the lungs arising. She was well known here, having been born and raised in this city and was always affectionate and kind thus winning a host of friends who deeply mourn her untimely death.  
MRS. JAMES EAST  
Cora Belle East, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Batson, was born in Buchanan, Michigan, on January 18, 1890 and died in South Bend, Ind., March 16, 1906.  
April 8rd, 1896 she was married to James F. East of Buchanan. Three years ago they moved to South Bend where they have since resided. She leaves a loving husband, one daughter, Miss Georgia Rollins, one brother, Mr. Abe Baker of Jacksonville, Fla., and four sisters, Mrs. Alice Keiser of Kalamazoo; Mrs. Hattie Matthews of South Bend; Mrs. Emma Wood of Benton Harbor; Mrs. D. E. Bragg of Buchanan.  
Several years ago she united with the Christian church at Buchanan where she remained a member until called home. She was also a member of the Lady Maccabees and will be greatly missed not only here, but by those of South Bend where she had a large circle of warm friends. When called to face the ordeal through which she had to pass she met it with a courage and fortitude that was a marvel to those around her. She was a devoted wife and mother, unselfish and untiring in her efforts to contribute to the happiness of others.  
The funeral services were held at the Christian church at Buchanan Sunday afternoon, March 18, 1906, and were conducted by A. C. Roe assisted by Wm. M. Roe; music by J. J. Roe, Mrs. Clara Richards, Frank Mead and A. C. Roe.  
Those who attended the funeral from out of town were: Mrs. Hattie Matthews, Mrs. Jessie Smith, Miss Madge Smith, Claude Matthews of South Bend; Mr. and Mrs. Keiser of Kalamazoo and daughter Mrs. Kittie Root of Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Rolla East, Mr. and Mrs. Stohl of Niles; Mr. and Mrs. John A. Jones of Dowagiac; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sigerfoose, Mr. Crayton Sigerfoose of Elkhart; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gill, Mrs. Henry Marble, of South Bend, Mrs. Trammel of Niles; Walter East of Kalamazoo; Mr. and Mrs. F. Quay of New Carlisle.

Regular meeting of the common council of the village of Buchanan was held at the council chambers, Tuesday evening, March 6, 1906, at 8 o'clock, President C. F. Pears presiding. Trustees present on roll call, East, Phillips, Adams, French; absent, Ravin and Bishop.  
Report of previous meeting was read and accepted.  
Moved by French supported by Adams the bond offered by Herbert Roe as treasurer be accepted, Ayes 4.  
The treasurer's report was read and accepted.  
Moved by East supported by French that the president and clerk be authorized to borrow, on the credit of the village in anticipation of the collection of taxes at a rate of interest not exceeding 6 per cent for the use of the highway fund, \$200. Motion prevailed.  
The following bills were recommended for allowance by the finance committee.

GENERAL FUND  
C A Chapin ..... 2 08  
C A Chapin ..... 159 00  
Floyd Gardner ..... 3 00  
C O Hamilton, marshal ..... 15 00  
B Brant, night watch ..... 10 00  
Argus Publishing Co. .... 5 03  
Dr Curtis, 6 mo sal Sept 1 to Mar 1 12 50  
P A Graffort sal 1 yr clerk ..... 75 00  
Walter French, w w ..... 40 00  
Arlan Clark, sal and phones w w ..... 61 27  
E E Remington, supplies w w ..... 5 00  
E I Bird, dray ..... 1 49  
Will Evans, labor ..... 75  
J B Ryneerson, w w ..... 18 53  
Jas B Clowe & Son ..... 14 03  
New River Consolidated Coal & Coke Co ..... 96 47  
H Harvey's Sons Mfg Co ..... 26 78  
HIGHWAY FUND  
John Eisenhart, street labor ..... 30  
Moses Shook, " ..... 1 85  
C O Hamilton; street com ..... 20 06  
W. W. East, chairman finance com.  
Upon motion the bills were allowed.  
Moved by French supported by Phillips the meeting adjourned.  
P. A. GRAFFORT, Clerk.

Notice is hereby given to the electors of the township of Buchanan, in the county of Berrien, and state of Michigan that the next ensuing annual township meeting of said township will be held on Monday, April, 2, A. D. 1906, at engine House No 1, for the first precinct and at the Beistle building on Main st. for the second precinct, within said township. At which election the following officers will be chosen, viz.: one supervisor, one clerk, one treasurer, one school inspector, one member board of review, one justice of peace, (full term) one justice (to fill vacancy) and four constables.  
In accordance with Act No. 325 of the Public Acts of 1905, you are hereby notified that a special election will be held in this state on April 2nd, 1906, at which time the question of calling and holding a convention for the purpose of making a general revision of the Constitution, will be submitted to the qualified electors of the State.  
You are also notified, that on the date above mentioned, a party en oilment will be taken, in each election district of the State of the voters in the respective political parties, as provided for Chapter II of Act No 181 of the Public Acts of 1905.  
It is by the order of the Secretary of State.  
The polls of said election will be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, or as soon thereafter as may be, and will be continued opened until five o'clock in the afternoon unless the board shall, in their discretion adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock, noon for one hour.  
Dated at Buchanan, this 20th day of March A. D. 1906.  
F. W. RAVIN,  
Township Clerk.

A republican township caucus for the township of Bertrand will be held at the Town Hall in said township on Saturday March 24, 1906, at 10 o'clock in forenoon of said day for the purpose of placing in nomination the following township officers: One supervisor, one treasurer, one clerk, one highway commissioner, one justice of the peace (to fill vacancy), one member of board of review, one school inspector, four constables and to perform such other business as may come before the caucus.  
Dated March 17, 1906.  
Township Committee.

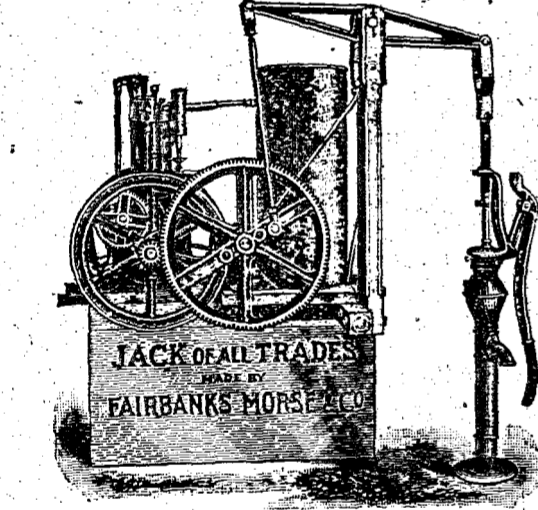
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The death of Mr. Frank Merson, one of the best known men of Berrien county, comes as a great surprise to most of the citizens of the community and his stately form and genial disposition will be greatly missed by everybody.  
Mr. Merson was one of the best hearted men ever known and called by everybody "Big Frank" and "the farmers friend." He has been a stock buyer in this vicinity for the past forty years and was considered one of the best judges in this line, being called upon everywhere for his valued opinion. His death was due to blood poisoning.  
FRANCIS MERSON  
Was born in Bampton, Devonshire, England, Sept. 15, 1845, and died at Buchanan, Mich., March 18, 1906, aged 60 years, 6 months, 3 days. He came to America in 1866 and settled in Chicago living there until 1881, when he moved to Buchanan and resided here until his death. He was baptized in the Episcopal church at Bampton, England.  
He is survived by his wife three sons, Frank of Kansas, Will and Dan of Buchanan; two brothers, John of South Haven, Mich.; and Edward and sister of Bristol, England also one grandson.  
Funeral services were held from his late residence on Portage street, Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock, Rev. Wagner and Rev. Townsend officiating interment in Oak cemetery.  
Card of Thanks  
We wish to thank all the kind friends for sympathy and help in our sorrow, the singers for their sweet songs, Mr. A. C. Roe for so kindly officiating, the Lady Maccabees, and each and every one who helped to lay our loved one to rest.  
JAMES F. EAST, GEORGIA ROLLINS AND RELATIVES  
WANTED—Washing and general work by Mrs. H. L. Condon on Berrien street.  
The funeral of Samuel Weaver will be held tomorrow afternoon from his late home one mile west of this place. Mr. Weaver has long been an aged and respected citizen, dying at the extreme age of nearly ninety years.

Delightfully Entertained at Progressive Flinch  
On Friday evening a very enjoyable time was passed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Smith. Forty five participated in a game of progressive flinch, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kent were the lucky prize winners. Miss Vera Fritz favored the guests with some fine music, one piece in particular, which she played and whistled in a delightful birdlike warble.  
One Minute Cough Cure  
For Coughs, Colds and Group.

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State of Michigan  
The Probate Court for the County of Berrien  
At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the City of St. Joseph, in said county, on the 13th day of March A. D. 1906 Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.  
In the matter of the estate of David E. Hinman, deceased, Edith S. Hinman having filed in said court her final administration account and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.  
It is ordered, that the 9th day of April A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.  
It is further ordered, that public notice therefore be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan ARGUS a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.  
FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Judge of Probate.  
ROLLAND E. BARR, Register of Probate.  
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AROUND TOWN.

News snippets including Navel oranges at Vans, March has always had a bad reputation, Five gallons oil 53c at the Buchanan Cash Grocery, Miss Mary Simford left yesterday morning for several days visit at New Troy, Fred Douglas left yesterday morning for Cleveland, where he will make his home, Mrs. Henry Blodgett visited her daughter, Mrs. Bracken in Niles several days past, Harvey Rough of Goshen shook hands with old Buchanan friends and relatives Monday, Chas. Brocous of Battle Creek visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brocous the past week, England's great fleet sums up a total of 580 ships, requiring a yearly support of \$150,000,000, Prof. A. H. Pattengill, one of the veteran professors of the University of Michigan died Friday morning of heart trouble, Patrick H. Kelley, superintendent of public instructions, has announced his candidacy for the office of lieutenant governor, I have 30 or 40 acres of fine land that I wish to farm on shares with some one the coming season. Phone 84, E. B. SMITH, George Fleming, who has been associated with the Joe Ferguson tailor shop for some time past, has accepted a position in Niles, The Pumpkin Huskers will give a social dance at Peas-East dance hall, Wednesday evening, March 28. A good time is being planned for, Mrs. Anna Conrad (nee) Marie, returned home Saturday afternoon from a party given with Edith Wood and wife of North Liberty, Indiana, Delinquent taxes for the year 1905 for the entire county amounts to \$16,356.24. Benton Harbor made the poorest showing, while Three Oaks took the lead, New Buffalo second and Galien third, An exceptionally large cast, and a capable one and a wealth of special scenery, and a plot of engrossing human interest are among the promises made concerning the new Russo Siberian play "For Her Sake" which will be seen at Rough's Opera House Tuesday Eve, The Young People's Alliance of the Evangelical church will hold their monthly business meeting at the home of their pastor, Rev. Halmhuber, next Tuesday evening. A fine literary program has been prepared and a pleasant time is being planned, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Ravin very pleasantly entertained a number of their friends at their home last Monday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Blaser, of Buffalo, N. Y. The evening was spent in games and music. Refreshments were served after which the guests greatly enjoyed maple wax, Thirty Lady Maccabees went to Dowagiac Thursday morning and were royally entertained by the hive of that city. Initiatory work was exemplified in the afternoon when a swell banquet was served. The ladies report a most enjoyable day and feel greatly paid for the day there spent, The street car system between St. Joseph and South Bend will be in complete operation by June, and the fare for the round trip will be \$1.10. Fare from Niles to St. Joseph and return \$1.80; cars will run every three-fourths of an hour. The road bed between St. Joe and South Bend will be a distance of 35 miles. The services promise to be the best and elegant facilities will be given the fruit men this summer who have already made complete arrangement for the transportation for the Graham and Morton steamer

Today is the first day of spring. Potatoes 60c per bushel at the Buchanan Cash Grocery. For plain and fancy bread and roll call at Portz's bakery. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Blake of Niles spent Sunday in this city. Mrs. Ida Baker went to Elkhart yesterday for a visit with relatives. Paris has the largest debt of any city in the world. It amounts to \$400,000,000. Mrs. Henry Marble of South Bend called on Buchanan friends over Sunday. FOR SALE—Five good work horses, weighing from 1000 to 1300. Dr. L. P. Conkey.

South Bend has set a high precedent on ice prices, 50 cents per 100 pounds for family use. Frank Tarrant spent Sunday with his brother John in this city. Mr. and Mrs. George Blaser of Buffalo, N. Y. is visiting at the home of the latter's brother, Mr. F. W. Ravin and family. During the month of February 1907 births were reported for the state of Michigan against 2756 deaths

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