

Business Directory.

SOCIETIES. O. E. S. Buchanan Lodge No. 57 holds its regular meeting at Old Fellows Hall, on Tuesday evening.

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VAN RIVER & WORTHINGTON, Attorneys and Counsellors at Law and Solicitors in Chancery. Collections made and proceeds promptly remitted.

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WEAVER & CO., Dealers in Clothing, Hats, Caps, Gents' Furnishings and Millinery.

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O. S. TOULBE, Proprietor Tremont Market. Cash paid for all kinds of fat stock.

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CUTLERY STRAW, Largest Stock of Wall Paper and Ceiling Decorations.

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DECK & MILLER, Dealers in Groceries, Provision, Crockery, Glassware, etc.

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A full line of Millinery Goods. ALL NEW! May be found in Bank building.

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Stamping Done to Order. Satisfaction guaranteed.

SALES AUCTION!

All parties wishing the services of a first-class auctioneer would do well to call on CHARLEY EVANS.

BEST BUILDING BRICK.

Improved Brick and Tiling Kiln. Having recently erected an

TILING.

Best Brick First-Class Tiling. Ranging in size from two to eight inches.

Great Reduction in PRICES!

In everything in the Grocery, Bakery, Crockery and Glassware Lines.

Will Not be Undersold.

By any straight legitimate dealer in the county.

Come and be Convinced.

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The Buchanan Comet Band. Prepared to furnish first-class music for Political Meetings, Parties, Festivals, Exhibitions.

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Of D. C. Nash, I propose to keep a FULL STOCK IN THAT LINE.

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"LIFE ON THE OCEAN WAVE."

"A Life on the Ocean Wave" The man who wrote it was green; He never had been at sea, And a storm he never has seen.

Lifted Up

A happy surprise it was to Mr. A. R. Norton, of Bristol, Conn., when Mr. Norton put him on his feet, and set him cheerfully about his business.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

The Niagara Falls Route. Time Table—May 15, 1934.

Table with columns: Station, M., A., N. Times for Chicago, Kalamazoo, Jackson, etc.

ST. JOSEPH VALLEY R. R.

On and after Monday, Dec. 10, 1933, trains will run on the St. Joseph Valley R. R. as follows:

Table with columns: Station, M., A., N. Times for Detroit, Wayne, Ann Arbor, etc.

ESTATE OF SALMON L. ESTES, Deceased.

First publication, July 31, 1934. Notice to creditors.

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Hat and Shoes.

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Dark Hogs.

There are many reasons why black hogs are preferable to white ones, of

Two Perfect Gluttons.

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MILLINERS especially should not fail.

Wholesale and Retail. Ladies' Hats, Caps, and Millinery. Buchanan and Main Streets, Buchanan, Mich.

OPINION HABIT!

Sufferers from this pernicious habit will do well to write to Dr. J. C. Moore, 100 N. Michigan St., Detroit, Mich.

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Delaware will send about 4,000,000 bushels of peaches to market this year.

A Detroit telephone got out of order and the man who was sent to fix it discovered that a hole had been punched in the instrument by somebody who had innocently thought he could hear better through it that way.

A Binghampton physician is suing the state for a \$50,000 judgment on the ground that a place for the recovery of a \$50,000 doctor's bill. One item of \$5,000 is charged for embalming the body of a son of the judge.

A rag-picker in New York, Tuesday, found an old letter with a Brattleboro address and a check for \$500.00 in an envelope with a name that was not his own. He sold it for \$800.

Cleveland, Ohio, is to have an

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT, JAMES C. BLAINE, OF MAINE. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, JOHN A. LOCAN, OF ILLINOIS.

Republican State Convention.

A Republican State Convention to nominate candidates for states officers and electors for President and Vice-President of the United States, and for the transaction of other business, will be held at Whitney's opera house in the city of Detroit at 11 o'clock a. m., on Wednesday, August 13, 1884.

Under a resolution of 1853 no delegate will be entitled to a seat who does not reside in the county he proposes to represent. In accordance with a resolution adopted at a meeting of the State Central Committee at Detroit, June 23, 1880, the Secretary of each County Convention is requested to forward to the Secretary of the State Central Committee by the earliest mail after the delegates to the State Convention are chosen a certified list of such delegates as are entitled to sit in the State Convention.

P. T. VANZILE, Chairman. A. W. SMITH, Secretary. DETROIT, June 21, 1884.

Republican Congressional Convention.

A Republican Congressional convention of the Fourth District, to nominate a representative in Congress and to appoint a Congressional Committee, will be held at Kelsey's Hall in Three Rivers, on Friday, August 16, 1884, at 10 o'clock in the afternoon. The counties in the District will be entitled to delegates as follows: Berrien, 10; Cass, 10; Kalamazoo, 14; St. Joseph, 12; Van Buren, 13.

FRANKLIN WELLS, Chairman. GEO. S. STAY, Secretary. EREX H. SIMPSON, CLIAS MORRIS, CLIAS S. DAYTON.

A case of cholera is reported in New York.

Strange as it may seem, Jeff Davis will not vote for Cleveland.

The New Jersey crop of peaches is said to be one of the largest known.

The cholera in Europe is becoming notably less in number of cases and deaths.

When bottled Milwaukee beer goes into Prohibitory Iowa it becomes sicker, at least that is what the labels state, and sells rapidly.

The public debt decreased \$3,000,250 during July. The cash in the treasury is \$405,010,004. There are coin certificates amount to the amount of \$28,421,601.

Col. McLaughlin in his wrestling watch with Duffur, in Boston, Friday, Duffur won two of the three falls, and the championship belt of the world that McLaughlin has held continuously for fourteen years.

The chief of police of Omaha has issued an order to arrest all women appearing on the street in Mother Hubbard dresses. Much as we commend his taste we can but think that his sensibility is rather fine for a policeman.

It is wonderful to note the almost unanimous support of the Democratic candidate receives among the British papers. Why should they be so interested in having Cleveland President in this country? They say that if Blaine is elected he will look well after American interests for Americans.

The New York Police Department refused to allow Dr. O'Donnell, the California enthusiast, who started to convince the American people that the Chinese must go, to exhibit his lepers at the park in that city, or even to talk about them from the city hall steps.

The Iowa Supreme Court has decided that prosecutions for the violation of the prohibitory law do not come within the jurisdiction of justices courts, because the penalty is \$100 and costs. The effect of this decision will be the practical annulment of the law, as violations, excepting the most flagrant, will not be prosecuted when complaints must be made to the district court.

Henry Ward Beecher has concluded that the Cleveland-Halpin case is too strong for him and he can give Mr. Cleveland none of his support. Carl Shurz gives the same reason for refusing to take the stump for Cleveland. The case must smell pretty strong about New York.

The Evening News thinks it an amusing sight to see the New York Sun taking up the defence of James G. Blaine against the attacks of the New York Times. The Times had been accusing Blaine of suppressing some of the Mulligan letters, whereupon the Sun denies the charge, and says he read the whole batch of them.

The Kalamazoo county Republicans have chosen their delegates to the State and Congressional Conventions, and have declared for Luce for Governor and Burrows for Congressman. This is the year of all others for Berrien county to have a Congressman, but the present outlook is that we shall see the disadvantage of being possessed of too much talent. There are at least eight candidates who are willing to serve the district in that capacity, each of whom may have a following among the delegates which will be useless to him or any one else, and it is only by united action among Berrien county delegates that anything can be accomplished. It lies with the convention next Monday to decide whether the next fourth district congressman shall be a Berrien county man or hail from some other part of the district.

Descriptive America is a new monthly Journal that is asking for public patronage. No. 2, just received, is devoted entirely to Dakota and has a good map of the territory. No. 3 will describe Michigan, with map, engravings, and descriptive matters, and No. 4 will treat of Wisconsin. The magazine is sold for 50 cents a number or \$6 per year, by the publishers in New York.

The Chicago Tribune is making some hard hits on Harper's Weekly Journal of Civilization, by the reproduction of some of the cartoons published by that Journal of Civilization during the war, when the Harpers were putting in their best time at helping the rebels, by casting derision at Lincoln and his administration. They are interesting at this time when that Journal is seeking something pure and refined in politics.

The ordinary consistency of politics does not leave the immaculate Prohibitionists perfectly free. That party condemns the use of saloon money for campaign purposes, but McDonald, of California, one of the most prominent candidates for Presidential honors, filled his barrel with the sale of "Negro Bitters," one of the most vile concoctions of sour beer ever put upon the market.

The Cass county delegates to the Republican congressional convention are divided between Burrows and Clisbee, with one "scattering." They are, Jeff. Osborn, Dr. Easton, John Huff, II. B. Wells, Dr. Davis, L. C. Wood, T. T. Higgins, Jacob Sells, William Allen, and Dyer Duncomb. The following are the delegates to the State Convention: H. Scoville, Judge Bennett, Milroy Miller, John A. Reynolds, Dana Bean, Jesse Madry, J. H. Hitchcock and Capt. H. W. Brown.

The Republican State Central Committee has made arrangements with the Michigan Central, Lake Shore & Michigan Southern, Chicago & Grand Trunk, Detroit, Lansing and Northern, Grand Rapids & Indiana, Flint & Pere Marquette, Wabash, St. Louis & Pacific, and Detroit, Grand Haven and Milwaukee Railroad Companies and their branches, to carry delegates to the State Republican Convention to be held in Detroit August 13, at the rate of one and one-third fare for the round trip over their respective roads. Tickets to be good for August 12, 13, and 14, inclusive.

At a recent temperance meeting in Clinton, Lenawee Co., a paper was circulated for the purpose of ascertaining how many would pledge themselves to vote and work for the temperance ticket at the coming election. Twenty-nine names were secured, of which twenty-seven were Republicans.—Detroit Free Press.

Now will some of our ardent Prohibition friends have the kindness to explain to us the difference between voting the Prohibition and the Democratic ticket?

Truly, all is not lovely in the Democratic camp. John Kelley and Tammany have decided to support Ben Butler, which means a loss to Cleveland of about 40,000 votes in New York.

The Democratic convention evidently did not know what it was doing when it went so far out of its way to snub Butler. He proposes to be in the canvass up to the ears, and make the fight as interesting for his snubbers as possible. On the whole the Democrats have about all the circus they can manage without worrying about the New York "Independents."

The St. Joseph county Republicans held their convention in Centerville Saturday, and besides nominating a county ticket selected delegates to the State and Congressional conventions. Those to the Congressional convention are: J. H. Hartzler, L. T. Hull, F. B. Ainger, Wm. Allman, G. B. Markham, A. Sharp, N. C. Spaulsury, Ira Starkweather, W. J. Willis, A. N. Lampman, J. W. French, R. Lazarus. The convention was a most enthusiastic and harmonious one, and resolved to redeem the county from the fusionists. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That we present for the Congressional nomination the name of Hon. E. W. Keightley, whose ability to redeem this district from the hands of the fusionists and whose untiring efforts in the victorious and united opposition has been proven at the polls, and we do hereby instruct our delegates to the congressional convention to use all honorable means to secure his nomination.

Harper Brothers wanted to publish Blaine's book, but didn't get the contract. Hence the cartoons, probably. The following letter, written by J. W. Harper, Jr., to a Washington friend, while figuring for the contract, appears in the Inter Ocean Monday:

"With the instinct of a publisher accustomed to deal with the people rather than with privileged classes, I recognized the fact that there is no man living more closely in sympathy with the people than Mr. Blaine. I keep a not unsteady finger on the popular pulse, and I know that the people of our life, is generally healthy, and I am sure that it beats strongly in admiration and affection for a man who has been absolutely fearless in his patriotism. Mr. Weed's reminiscences will be interesting as the record of an acute observer, but I am sure that Mr. Blaine's narrative will hold the American people, because it will be human, real flesh and blood, and the record, not of a Machiavellian observer, but of an active participator, a brave fighter, and a gallant leader in the most critical events of our Nation's history. So, when it comes quite convenient to you, I wish that you would give Mr. Blaine to understand that while the doors of Franklin Square always stand wide open to "his literary fellers," such as scholars and poets and novelists and evangelists and travelers, the proprietors generally go down to the people, welcome the historian of his own times, and with uncovered heads, reverently help him to unload the manuscript from his triumphal car on the elevated railroad. Please instructively all to Mr. Blaine. You know how to do it gracefully and effectively."

The Rebel Yell.—The Democrats formed a Cleveland and Hendricks Club in Cleveland, Tenn., on the 12th inst., and got so enthusiastic as to understand that while the doors of Franklin Square always stand wide open to "his literary fellers," such as scholars and poets and novelists and evangelists and travelers, the proprietors generally go down to the people, welcome the historian of his own times, and with uncovered heads, reverently help him to unload the manuscript from his triumphal car on the elevated railroad. Please instructively all to Mr. Blaine. You know how to do it gracefully and effectively.

The New York Sun, the democratic paper of the country, has shown a coolness since the July convention, that is embarrassing. The political editorials published are simply Sun advertisements, and in the issue of August 1, it gives double lead editorial sanction to a communication that embodies the following:

The Democratic Conventions—I needn't name them, for they made themselves sufficiently conspicuous—were warned time and again that "if we give up Tilden we shall be whipped." Do they not already realize the result? "Mr. Tilden absolutely refused." Oh, the didn't! He declined to be a candidate, and begged to be excused. If he had not, who does not know that he would have been opposed? In both of his letters of declination he conceded that "if summoned by my countrymen to attend this work, I shall endeavor to see the consistency of the people it represents supporting a man of such a record." The workingmen's declaration against Cleveland and his nomination was a mistake at any rate, or premature, and he cannot hesitate to retire, for he must see that that would secure success to the ticket at once, and great credit to himself. But Mr. Tilden in that he was persuaded to consent to the vote of his name? Mr. Tilden is a patriot as well as a statesman. He would do anything to serve his country. He has no false pride. His consent under such circumstances would be the crowning glory of his life. "And the people would all say Amen!"

He Names Them.—The Detroit Post contains the following views of a Detroit Greenbacker: "Among those who are not entirely satisfied with the present situation and prospects is Albert Goodman of this city, who is one of the Greenback workers. His feelings are shared by his political associates. He is asked by the Post reporter to give his views on the probable action of his party in regard to fusion.

"Well, I don't know," said Mr. Goodman, "I don't know what to do. The Greenbackers of this State are divided into three factions. "How are they divided?" asked the reporter, scenting an interesting party fight.

"They are divided, sir, into fools, d—fools and G—d—fools." "And what is the distinction between the factions?"

"I will tell you. Those who are Greenbackers are fools; the d—d—fools are those who are not in the ticket, and the G—d—d—fools are those who want to have anything to do with the Democrats."

"May I ask to which faction you belong?" the fool. "I was asked to give something towards renting a hall for the convention the other day and subscribed \$10 on condition there was no coalition. If they do combine my money is to be returned."

"Do you think there will be fusion?" "I do not. I see they have decided for fusion in Grand Rapids, but in this city, in Lansing, and all other parts of the State I believe the party is against it."

The Young People's picnic at Berrien Springs, yesterday, did not draw the usual crowd, owing partly to the threatening appearance of the weather, partly to the fact that people have become somewhat tired of the contest that is being kept up. Among the items of business done by the Association was the adoption of the following resolutions, written by Wm. Hurly and H. P. Borne.

WHEREAS, We being apprised of the accidental and untimely death of C. F. Mather, our esteemed Secretary, it is Resolved, By the Young People's Association of Berrien county, this 6th day of August, 1884, at our eighth annual meeting at Berrien Springs, Mich., that in the death of our departed friend and brother, the Association has met with a loss for which it feels sadly, and

Resolved, That we extend our sympathy to his family and friends.

Is it not time the people try a reform by electing once more a Democratic ticket, and check the enormous, unnecessary county expenses?—Niles Mirror. Berrien county will hardly take the Mirror's advice in this direction when her people are reminded of the change made from a Republican to a Democratic Administration in the year of our Lord 1860. The people got enough of "reform" when Mr. Tate represented Democracy in that office.—St. Joseph Traveler-Herald.

Your First Vote.

Burdette, of the Burlington Hawkeye, delivers the following homily to young voters: My dear boy, when you first vote for President next November, I don't want you to influence your vote. I don't want you to vote for a certain man just because certain other men tell you to sit down and tell about it before you vote. I want you to be able to give a reason for your vote. I want you to go to the polls in good company. As a young man of progressive ideas I want you to be absent of the world and shoulder to shoulder with the times when you walk up to the polls. I want you, on entering politics, to align with the party that has the purest most progressive policy. I don't care a cent, my dear fellow, if you are a Republican or a Democrat. There are honest men, patriotic citizens, good Christians in both parties. Only, I don't want you to walk up to the polls and cast your first vote with the party.

That upheld human slavery as a divine institution; That bought and sold men, women and babies like so many mules; That fired on Fort Sumpter and the American flag; That for nearly five years fought to destroy the Union; That opposed the issue of the greenbacks when the government was fairly punishing for want of them; That urged and voted and riots to oppose the draft; That swept American commerce from the seas with armed privateers; That is the party of Boss Tweed and Johnson; That is the party of the most vicious and ignorant precincts; That is the strongest in the States where the percentage of illiteracy is greatest; That has opposed every liberal and progressive measure in legislation during the last quarter of a century; That was the defender of slavery; That is the defender of Mormonism; That slaughtered Garfield; That assassinated Lincoln.

the best place he has seen as yet. He reports the destruction of crops there by the late storms as something fearful. Our dear old Grandma Denn did die at Medicine Lodge, Kansas, on July 28, 1884. Her many friends will remember her cheerful visit to Michigan a year since. Although past eighty years of age she was smarter than some young ladies on foot, and, having received her second sight, she could do all kinds of work without the aid of glasses. C.

Why They Take Exceptions.

The independent paper of Congressmen Finney of Chicago, the Citizen, called renewed attention to the expression of New York workmen against Cleveland and his nomination at the Convention. The Citizen is unable to see the consistency of the people it represents supporting a man of such a record. The workingmen's declaration against Cleveland and his nomination was a mistake at any rate, or premature, and he cannot hesitate to retire, for he must see that that would secure success to the ticket at once, and great credit to himself. But Mr. Tilden in that he was persuaded to consent to the vote of his name? Mr. Tilden is a patriot as well as a statesman. He would do anything to serve his country. He has no false pride. His consent under such circumstances would be the crowning glory of his life. "And the people would all say Amen!"

1. He vetoed the bill abolishing contract child labor in the charitable and reformatory institutions of the State. 2. He signed the bill reducing pilotage and other fees in the interests of foreign corporations. 3. He approved the law compelling working engineers to pay a tax of \$2 a year for the enrichment of a pension fund on a liberally-compensated body of public servants. 4. He vetoed the five-cent fare bill—a measure calculated to enable workmen and their families to reach the suburbs away from the tenement districts all the year. 5. He signed the civil service bill—a measure calculated to encourage only college-educated citizens to reach the public service, thereby creating an aristocracy of office-holders. 6. He appointed a man to administer the bureau of labor statistics of the State of New York who was an opponent of the reforms which the labor interests (whose influence had created the bureau) desired and formulated—a man wholly unacquainted with its wants and indifferent to its welfare; and in this connection we cite as a contrast the fact that President Arthur has selected a laboring man for the post, and that the same man, Mr. Post, reporter to give his views on the probable action of his party in regard to fusion.

7. He vetoed the mechanics lien law, designed to give labor the first lien on buildings in cases of non-payment. 8. He failed to advocate in his message to the legislature prompt and practical legislation to meet the wish of the people expressed at the polls that the election of a man to administer the bureau of labor statistics of the State of New York who was an opponent of the reforms which the labor interests (whose influence had created the bureau) desired and formulated—a man wholly unacquainted with its wants and indifferent to its welfare; and in this connection we cite as a contrast the fact that President Arthur has selected a laboring man for the post, and that the same man, Mr. Post, reporter to give his views on the probable action of his party in regard to fusion.

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10. His appointment of a majority of the members of the railroad commission of New York who were hostile to the interests which created that board, to the exclusion of the men for which the commission was established, and making it a tender to the corporate monopolies of the State.

Labor Statistics in Massachusetts. Mr. Carroll D. Wright, Chief of the Bureau of Labor Statistics of Massachusetts, has published the fifteenth annual report of that bureau. Thirteen States now have similar Bureaus of Labor Statistics, and the Nation soon to have one. Of these, we believe, the Massachusetts bureau is the oldest, and is probably the most efficiently served. The present report is in three parts, comprising: Part I, on "The Working Girls of Massachusetts"; Part II, on "Comparative Wages in Massachusetts and Great Britain in 1883," and Part III, on "Comparative Wages in 1800 and 1883 in Massachusetts and Great Britain."

The statistics comparing rates of wages for men, women and children in Massachusetts with those in Great Britain are sufficiently exhaustive to satisfy the most searching. The grand conclusion arrived at in Part II, on the general average weekly wages paid to employees in twenty-four manufacturing and mechanical industries in Massachusetts is slightly more than 62 per cent. of the wages in Great Britain. The average weekly wage in the same industries in Great Britain, of 110 establishments in Great Britain but eleven were willing to supply the department with weekly pay-rolls, while 210 establishments in Massachusetts and ninety-two supplied such pay rolls. The Massachusetts pay-rolls comprehended sixteen of the twenty-four industries considered, and in these 9,648 employees received an average weekly wage of \$9.22. In eleven establishments in Great Britain, representing nine of the twenty-four industries considered, 7,115 employees received an average weekly wage of \$8.48. This shows that the average weekly wage in Massachusetts was higher by 7.30 per cent. Taking the average of all the industries supplying rates, wages by the hour in Massachusetts exceed those of Great Britain by 7.83 per cent, and the excess is shown to exist in every industry considered. The wages in Massachusetts are lower than in any other portion of the United States in like industries. Hence the contrast between the English and American wages is rather greater in other States than in Massachusetts.—Inter-Ocean.

Three Macomb county farmers living near Mr. Glemann were last week swindled by a trio of sharpers on the old dog of making out sample orders for a food steamer, which were really promissory notes, one being for \$110, one for \$100 and one for \$170. Fortunately the prosecuting attorney was interviewed early enough to catch the swindlers before they got away from town, where they were trying to sell the notes. Moral: Sign no papers prepared for you by strangers.

Frank Leslie's Sunday Magazine. The September number is, as usual, filled with good things. The contents are highly interesting and amusing and entertaining and the illustrations are numerous and handsomely executed. "Religious Associations of Edinburgh," "Sketches of Germantown, Pa.," "The Kingdom of Romania," etc., are most interesting articles and profusely illustrated. "Wall Street Defalcations," by the editor, T. De Witt Talmage, D. D., who is also a sermon in the Home Pulpit, "Esther the Mediatix." The article on "The Campaign for \$170." "Clare Linton's Friend," are continued, and there are sketches, essays, etc., by favorite authors. The poems are by David Plumtree (beautifully illustrated) and others, and besides the Editorial Contents, etc., there is a large miscellany affording delightful reading. Price 25 cents a number, \$2.50 a year, post paid. Mrs. FRANK LESLIE, Publisher, 53, 55 and 57 Park Place, New York.

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Now, as I said before, my son, I don't care whether you are a Republican or a Democrat. Choose for yourself. Just keep away from the crowd whose record I have very briefly outlined. Find the party to whom this record belongs, and then forever keep away from them. I don't want you to sit down and tell about it before you vote. I want you to be able to give a reason for your vote. I want you to go to the polls in good company. As a young man of progressive ideas I want you to be absent of the world and shoulder to shoulder with the times when you walk up to the polls. I want you, on entering politics, to align with the party that has the purest most progressive policy. I don't care a cent, my dear fellow, if you are a Republican or a Democrat. There are honest men, patriotic citizens, good Christians in both parties. Only, I don't want you to walk up to the polls and cast your first vote with the party.

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Buchanan Prices Current.

Corrected every Wednesday by HANCOCK & RICHARDS. These figures represent the price paid by dealers, unless otherwise specified.

Wheat, per bushel, 80 00  
Flour, per barrel, 10 00  
Corn, per bushel, 40 00  
Hay, per ton, 14 00  
Butter, per pound, 12 00  
Eggs, per dozen, 15 00  
Lard, per pound, 7 00  
Tallow, per pound, 6 00  
Suet, per pound, 6 00  
Beef, per pound, 5 00  
Pork, per pound, 6 00  
Mutton, per pound, 5 00  
Chicken, per pound, 6 00  
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Hides, per pound, 6 00  
Skins, per pound, 6 00  
Wool, per pound, 6 00

Piano and Organ Tuning & Repairing. Reasonable Prices, and Satisfaction Guaranteed. Orders mailed to P. O. Box 241, Buchanan, Mich., will receive prompt attention. V. E. DAVID.

FOR SALE. House and lot, pleasantly situated on Third Street, Buchanan, for sale for \$800. The house is two-stories, with a good cellar and cistern, and the lot is four rods front and twenty-four rods deep. Call at the premises for further particulars. L. B. HILDRETH.

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S. D. Davis, Jamestown, O., writes: I tried some Red Horse Powder for chicken cholera last fall and found it good. Some of my neighbors are also using it to advantage. It never fails. Henry Ward Beecher has purchased a bicycle, on which he proposes to exercise at his farm on the Hudson river.

ALYON & HEALY.

WANTER immediately at the Montana Employment Bureau 1,000 men to work in the mines and on the railroads. \$2.00 per month, plus board and lodging. \$10.00 per month for cowboys and stockmen. The most reliable company, and state what kind of work you prefer. Employment for a month guaranteed, or money returned. Address, at once, C. L. STAMMER, Missions, M. T.

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Now is the time to buy a Parasol to use this year and to have for next year, at wholesale price. Look at them; they are cheap.

## Closing Out!

Having decided to go out of the Wall Paper business we will sell you Papers and Borders cheap.

Bear this in mind and paper this fall, and then you will have clean rooms all winter.

## STALEY'S YARN

is found only at our store, as we are the agents for them this year. You know we have sold them the last five years.

## LaPorte Flannels

are now in on our shelves, and we are selling them for early work. You will then have them ready for use.

## Ball Corsets

to sell for \$1.00 are only found at our store. Then we have four other kinds to sell for \$1. Be sure and see ours before you buy

We have always sold an enormous amount of Cotton Batts for two years because our price and quality have been the best. Come in and see ours.

Gents, we sell the best unlaundried Shirt in the city for 75c, and we have them at 50c and \$1 besides. Every one that buy our shirts once come back for more of them on account of the durability and fit.

Colored Cotton Skirts that are cut and made same as dress skirts, that are cheap. Ladies, you will save work by wearing them.

## S.P. & C.C. HIGH.

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### Republican County Convention.

A Republican County Convention will be held at the Court House at Berrien Springs on

MONDAY, AUGUST 11, 1884.

at 11 o'clock A. M. to select sixteen delegates to represent this county in the State Convention, to select sixteen delegates to represent this county in the Congressional Convention, to nominate county officers and to transact such other business as may properly come before it. The several townships and the wards of the city of Niles will be entitled to the following number of delegates:

L. A. DUNCAN, chairman.

R. D. DIX, Secretary.

W. WOODRUFF, CYRUS E. GILLETTE, THOMAS MILES, E. C. WARRER, L. C. FIFE, ST. C. LOVELL, Republican County Committee.

APPOINTMENT OF DELEGATES.

TOWNSHIPS.	NO. OF DELEG.
Berrien	2
Benton	2
Bertrand	2
Buchanan	2
Chilcating	2
Galien	2
Hager	2
Lake	2
Lincoln	2
New Buffalo	2
Niles (City, 1st Ward)	2
" " " " 2d "	2
" " " " 3d "	2
" " " " 4th "	2
Oronoko	2
Pipestone	2
St. Joseph	2
Sodus	2
Three Oaks	2
Watervliet	2
Wesley	2
Total	36

### Republican Caucus.

A Republican Caucus will be held at the Engine House Saturday, August 9, 1884, at 2 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of selecting 25 delegates to the Republican County Convention, to be held at Berrien Springs, on Monday, August 11.

L. LLOYD H. DODD, W. A. PALMER, A. A. WORTHINGTON, Com.

### Democratic Caucus.

A Democratic Caucus will be held at John C. Dick's office in Buchanan township, Saturday, Aug. 9, at 4 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of selecting eighteen delegates to attend the County Convention to be held at the Town Hall in Berrien Springs, on the 13th day of August 1884, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

JOSEPH L. RICHARDS, JOHN BESTLE, JOHN C. DICK, Tp. Com.

CATYCS.—There will be a township caucus at the Town Hall, Galien, on Wednesday, Aug. 13, 1884, at 2 o'clock P. M., to elect delegates to attend the prohibition county convention at Berrien Springs, August 15.

BY ORDER OF COM.

The whortleberry crop is about gathered.

Mr. George Evans, of Leslie, Mich., is here for a visit.

FIREB were very comfortable to have about Monday and Tuesday.

BERRIEN SPRINGS is to have a skating rink. Where is Buchanan?

REPUBLICANS remember the caucus Saturday afternoon, and attend.

ST. JOSEPH has sustained the sad loss of her "Salvation Army."

The emancipation celebration at Benton Harbor drew a good crowd.

The Democratic county convention will be held at Berrien Springs, Aug. 13.

MR. W. E. PLIMPTON, of Benton Harbor, is visiting Buchanan this week.

A DAUGHTER was born to Mr. and Mrs. Elza Roe, Monday. Weight eight pounds.

REMEMBER the auction sale of agricultural implements, by S. A. Wood, Saturday.

REV. AND MRS. J. W. WRIGHT, of Rock Island, Ill., are here for Mr. W.'s summer vacation.

LISEN'S livery stable was ornamented with a fine appearing new sign yesterday.

REPUBLICAN county convention next Monday, and of course the candidates will all be nominated.

MR. J. R. WHITE is enjoying a visit by his parents from Mt. Morris, New York.

MISS MINNIE WEISBERGER has returned from an eight weeks' visit in Jackson county.

QUITE a number of families are at Crystal Springs camp meeting which is in session this week.

A young horse was stolen from Everett McCollum's pasture, on the Berrien Springs road, Sunday night.

OVER 2,000 excursionists have visited Benton Harbor and St. Joseph so far this season.

The Baldwin Locomotive Works, in Philadelphia, was struck by lightning Monday and Burned. Loss \$500,000.

A new sign appears at the ridge of Brown's furniture factory, the work of that factory. A blind man can read it if he be not too deaf.

Messrs. Howard & Slater have invented a call bell for their acoustic telephones that operates perfectly without the use of electricity. This is an addition that makes their telephone about perfect for work over short distances. They will probably apply for a patent to cover this improvement.

Mrs. JAMES CASE was given a pleasant surprise party Tuesday evening, the occasion being her birthday.

Mrs. RIFORD, of Benton Harbor, has been commissioned postmistress of that place.

MR. AND MRS. Wm. RYNEATSON have just returned from a two weeks' visit with their son George, near Paw Paw.

The Hon. R. G. HOTT is to address the Republicans of Niles and vicinity at Peak Hall this evening. A number are going from this place.

ELD. C. C. SCOTT, of the Latter Day Saints Church, will preach in Kinyon's Hall this Thursday evening. A general invitation is extended to the public.

Wm. PENNITT POST No. 25, G. A. R., has decided to put in four days at the reunion at Battle Creek and will be accompanied by the Buchanan Cornet Band.

ELDER Wilson Collins will preach at the Christian church next Sunday, morning and evening. All are cordially invited.

The post office is getting red in the face. Not for anything the postmaster has done that makes it ashamed, but because of a coat of paint.

THERE will be a business meeting of the High School Lyceum at the school building, Friday evening. All members are requested to be present.

In the case against Darling, decided by Justice Dick last Thursday, Darling was held for trial in the Circuit Court in \$200 bail.

THERE has been a general migration from this place to Crystal Springs camp grounds, the fore part of this week.

A number of young men went, Tuesday morning, to Diamond Lake to camp at the Forest Hill grove a fortnight or so.

The assault and battery case between Kramer and the Waitons was amicably settled, and they bat no more.

We have received the new catalogue of Michigan Agricultural college. It contains the names of nine students and one graduate from Berrien county.

The Mite Society of the Advent church will meet at the residence of Mrs. J. M. Bliss Thursday, August 14. A good attendance is desired.

The committee of soldiers and sailors have selected Col. David Woodward, editor of the Western Rural of Chicago, as orator of the day at the reunion at Battle Creek.

MR. AND MRS. J. H. ROE returned yesterday from a visit of a few weeks with relatives of Mrs. Roe, in Nebraska. Harvey is charmed with that State.

THERE was a short break in travel between this place and Niles township this week, on account of repairs that have been made on the Niles approach to the bridge.

MR. CARSON GEYER and Ella Ribble were married at the residence of the bride's parents in Niles township Wednesday, July 30. Rev. R. M. Gould, of Niles, officiating.

THERE will be a lecture in the Christian church, Tuesday evening, by one of the school institute instructors. There is a general invitation extended to the public.

FRANK TRICKER, who was in this place as manager of the Metropolitan Comedy Company, and spent a day in a narrow gauge box car, is organizing another comedy company.

The Lansing Republican names Maj. Samuel Wells as candidate for Congress in this District. This will be news to the Major, and about the first time he goes to Lansing that editor wants to keep his name string in.

MR. J. H. ROE brought home a twig broken from a crab apple tree on the farm of Ed. Warner, in Nebraska, that is a curiosity. It is about six inches in length and contains twenty-five well developed apples.

Wm. PENNITT POST, G. A. R., will hold a campfire in Rough's Opera house, next Wednesday evening. They will be assisted by musical talent from abroad. Programs will be furnished in due season.

MR. H. H. KINYON will start the ball by replacing the old sash windows in the front of his building with plate glass before the new firm takes possession, and others along the street may be expected to follow suit shortly.

The Benton Harbor and St. Joseph sportsmen have formed an association for the enforcement of the game laws, protecting the ducks that make their home in the marshes about the mouth of the river.

FARMERS in some parts of this State are complaining loudly of the appearance in large numbers of grasshoppers, that are seriously damaging the growing crops. They are quite numerous in this vicinity, but do no damage yet.

THERE is nothing like economy. Prof. C. W. French, who has had charge of St. Joseph schools the past few years, has gone to Chicago on an increased salary, and St. Joseph has filled the vacancy by hiring G. S. Cousins, for \$600.

A BLAINE and LOGAN club has been organized in Lincoln township with the following officers: M. N. Lord, President; A. V. Hoover, W. D. Jeffries, Vice Presidents; O. A. French, Rec. Sec.; B. M. Brown, Cor. Sec.; C. P. Phelps, Treas.

ST. JOSEPH and Benton Harbor have contracted with the Van De Peete company for about forty electric lights for lighting the streets of the two villages, besides what may be used by private parties.

Our reporter at the Greenback County Convention in Berrien Springs, yesterday, informs us that Gov. Sparks, in one of his reports as committee, favored fusion, but the Convention thought that move was unwise, and tabled that part of his report.

SUPT. FRENCH, of St. Joseph, has been elected by the Chicago Board of Education to take charge of the department of history in the North Division High School.

The Marshal of Benton Harbor attempted to arrest Tom Knapp, a rough drunk of his own, when he used a knife on the Marshal. Knapp is in custody and will answer for his works before the Circuit Court.

COAL dealers are just now filling up bins for those who use that very useful article for the coming winter. \$7.50 is being asked for a ton of the black diamonds, delivered. Somewhat cheaper than last year.

The grocery firm of Weaver & Fox has evaporated. In other words Fox has bought out Weaver, and Weaver has bought a stock of groceries, and will soon open in the room in the hotel building, and as a consequence Buchanan will have one more grocery.

MR. JAMES F. WRAY has discovered a piece of copper in the natural state, on the Adams farm occupied by him, on the west shore of Clear Lake. The nugget is thickly coated with verdigris, under which may be plainly seen pure copper mixed with small grains of quartz rock. It will weigh about a pound.

A DARK skinned man wearing a pair of Mother Hubbard pants, elicited considerable curiosity as he passed down Front street, Friday forenoon. Upon being asked where he was going, he said he was an Arabian. He was probably the first Arab the citizens of this place have seen in this part of the world.

THE St. Joseph Valley railroad will run a special train to Berrien Springs next Monday, for the accommodation of delegates to the Republican County Convention, leaving this place directly after the arrival of the mail train from the west, on the Michigan Central. Fare for the round trip will be 50 cents.

DANIEL SAVAGE'S barn, three miles southeast of Three Oaks, was struck by lightning yesterday afternoon and burned, with its entire contents. He had carried insurance with W. A. Palmer's agency, in this place, covering his property, but had allowed it to lapse in June, and was without insurance when he wanted it worst.

HARRY BINNS has bought out Kinyon's news stand, and now has full swing in the news business in Buchanan. Harry has a good start and good business qualifications for his age, and by close attention to business he should succeed. That is a business that requires lots of work, and Harry is chock full of it.

MR. JAMES F. WRAY, who is chairman of the township board of school inspectors for this township, has arranged for the entertainment of teachers who may attend the institute in this place next week. There will be a large number of teachers from all parts of the county here to partake of the benefits of the institute, and they should receive hospitable treatment.

TORNED.—The Buchanan Cornet Band gave Mr. Warren McDaniel a severe honing Tuesday evening. They presented him with a \$9.50 fat cornet, of the celebrated Durand manufacture, Courtois pattern, one of the finest made. The present was a perfect and most agreeable surprise to Mac, and he will now do his work in the band with the greatest satisfaction.

THERE is a little warmth of feeling in Watervliet because at the public school meeting it was voted to exclude all religious exercises from the school. Those who think the vote an outrage on "God and humanity," hold an indignation meeting in the M. E. Church in that place on the evening of August 10, but will probably in no way change the action of the school meeting.

M. OPPERHEIM & SON, of Stanton, Montcalm county, have rented H. H. Kinyon's building, now occupied by Treat & Redden, and expect to occupy it as a clothing store, about September 15. This, however depends somewhat on the progress made by the Redden Brothers in the finishing work on their new building, which must progress more rapidly than heretofore, or Messrs. Oppenheim will not open their stock on that date.

LIST of letters remaining unclaimed for in the postoffice at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Aug. 7: John L. Best, Miss Zenobia Lewin, Mrs. Sarah Freeman, Messrs. Roale & Co., M. K. Smith, Wm. Snider, S. P. Webb, Mr. Henry Walter. Cards—Maggie E. Garehart, Thos. Hayes, Mrs. Sarah Lamb, Elizabeth Miller, Allie Opper, Richard Swank, Mr. Frank Schele, N. Smith. Drops—John Love, B. F. Marsh, John Raw.

L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M.

The funeral services of Benjamin Stephens was conducted by Eld. Bartmes, at the Mt. Zion church, on Terre Coupee Prairie, July 15. Father Stephens was born in the state of New Jersey, 1799, and died at the home of his son-in-law, Mr. John Sheldon. He led a quiet, inoffensive life, esteemed by all who knew him. His last days were spent with his children, most of the time with Mr. Sheldon, where he received that kind attention which is due an aged parent.

A CLOSE CALL.—One day last week Daniel Donnelly, a lad of about ten years of age, living one mile north of Dayton, was driving, with an ax so lying on his wagon that the helve caught in one of the wheels of the wagon and threw it so that the bit struck him in the side of the chin and neck, cutting an ugly gash. Dr. Henderson, of this place, dressed the wound, and the lad is doing finely. It was a close call for his life.

ONE of the finest appearing fields it has been our pleasure to see is Mr. James F. Wray's cabbage field, on the Adams farm, on the west shore of Clear Lake. In one field there are 15,000 plants, that now nearly cover the ground. Besides this he has three other patches containing about the same number. We took pains to measure one of the mammoth Marblehead variety, and found it to be four feet and eight inches across from tip to tip of the leaves. Mr. Wray will have saner kraut stock for the million.

FRONT and Lake streets received a special visitor Friday morning. A man tried the windows of houses of Mrs. Strauseight, C. E. Howe, D. Weston, D. E. Hinman, W. S. Wells and C. H. Rollins, at about three o'clock that morning. At Mr. Weston's he found a large dog ready to receive him and did not care for a near acquaintance. At Mr. Rollins' he succeeded in getting into the room where Mrs. It's mother sleeps and awakened her, when she screamed and called Charley, who was sleeping in the chamber. This frightened the fellow and he beat a hasty retreat, leaving behind him a cheap iron brace. He was tracked to the brow of the hill at R. McCumber's, but not followed farther, and is still enjoying his freedom.

FOUND IT.—The Herald, published at Tomichi, Colorado, August 2, contains the following: "City Marshal Sid Wolcott was out in the hills on another little prospecting trip last Tuesday morning, and within two feet of the surface found some fine looking chlorides and copper has been thought to have for some time. Sid will not say where his bonanza is located but wishes to keep it secret until he finds a body of it. Our city marshal has been doing some big rustling in the prospecting line for the past few weeks, and he deserves to strike it. We congratulate him most heartily on his good fortune. Sid said his property is looking better every day that is granted, and if it keeps growing still better, he will have all the wants of this green earth."

CONSIDERABLE is being said by papers in the places directly concerned about the building of a standard gauge railroad from South Bend through Niles, Berrien Springs, to St. Joseph. Whether it is gotten up as a scare-crow for the benefit of the owners of the St. Joseph Valley we do not know, but it is pretty certain that it will not be built there, because, to go over that route the leading point of railroad interest to be reached, by it would be Niles, which already has one road to South Bend and another to St. Joseph; because, to go that way will necessitate two bridges across the St. Joseph river, which would cost nearly as much as to build it this way, which is also nearer an air line; and because of other reasons too numerous to mention. The status of the narrow gauge road, although not the most encouraging at present, has several good points, among which are: It is in the line of the road that must connect St. Joseph and South Bend; it's ownership is in such condition that it must pass into the hands of parties who do not have conflicting interests to protect, and will then be in such condition that for those who have invested to get a return for their money must invest more with it in extending the road to the lake, making the extension a necessity that will come in time, but the maneuvers being made over the other "prospect" will probably not greatly affect it in one way or other.

Sidewalk Why.

Why is the citizen who owns a small property in a by street obliged to put down either cement, stone or brick walks?

Why is the space on Chicago street, between the creek and Oak street, left with no walk, a regular break-neck trap for night pedestrians?

Why are those who own property along the most prominent streets where there is the greatest amount of travel, allowed to build plank walks?

Why is the school board allowed to put down an old, dilapidated, rotten wooden walk on the Chicago street side of the school yard, when cement is fully as good, and poor men on Detroit street are required to use cement?

Why are walks torn up on Day's avenue and travelers allowed to go stumbling over the debris all summer?

Why are the same tactics pursued on the west end of Front street? and just at the brow of Front street hill? and in front of the Record office and Front street livery stable?

HILL'S CORNERS ITEMS.

August 4, 1884.

Stacking of oats and threshing of wheat is the order of business with farmers here.

Plenty of rain and the best of prospects for corn, some cornstalks measuring from eight to ten feet in length.

Arthur Adams, of Mecosta, Mich., is visiting relatives in this locality.

Aaron Gardner is talking of exchanging his store at the Corners for farm property in Illinois.

What is turning out from twenty to thirty bushels per acre in this vicinity.

The Rev. Mr. Scott, of the Latter Day Saints' church, will preach in the school house at this place on Sunday, August 10, at two o'clock P. M.

Following are the officers installed for Weesaw Lodge No. 340, I. O. O. F.: Samuel Washburn, N. G.; Alvin Morley, V. G.; Wm. McDaniel, Treas.; Ceigle Stevens, Sec. X.

FROM DAYTON

Aug. 6, 1884.

Mr. Shenstone preached a very interesting sermon at the M. E. church, last Sunday morning.

Mr. Ed. McCoy left Monday to take charge of a M. C. station.

Mrs. Reinhardt and Miss Laget, of New Carlisle, have been visiting in town the past week.

Mrs. Mattie Foster went to Berrien Springs Saturday to visit her aunt, Mrs. Willis.

Mrs. Mark Smith is visiting her brother in Kensington.

Mrs. Hull and Mrs. Ellis, of Detroit, are visiting at Mr. Theo. Rittenger.

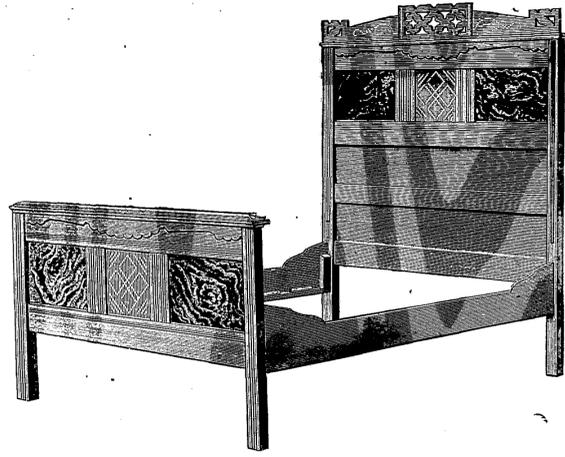
Mr. Mangold, of Grand Rapids, is visiting his cousin, John Gogle.

Mrs. Bush, of Humbolt, Kansas, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Laura Smith.

The sawmill has quit raving until next week, on account of a broken pulley.

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Fruit Jars next week, at PECK & MILLER'S.

WESTON'S PIONEER DRUG STORE, Call at M. S. CORFOOT'S, Main street for Plymouth Lap boards

If you desire to study Thorough Bass and Harmony, address V. E. DAVID, Buchanan.

Another Lot of Bird Cages, just received at ROE BROS.

MORRIS has one of the finest Dining Rooms in Berrien county. Go and get a square meal

MORRIS has 20 different brands of Plug Tobacco.

Clarinet, Oboe, French Horn and Trombone, taught by V. E. DAVID, Buchanan.

We still have a good supply and general assortment of Genuine Oliver Plow Repairs which we are selling at Reduced Prices. Call and examine them at ROE BROS.

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Anything that can be found in a first-class grocery, can be found at PECK & MILLER'S.

Music arranged for Military Bands, Orchestras, or any combination of instruments, promptly and at reasonable prices, by V. E. DAVID, Buchanan.

TO THE FRONT AGAIN. Geo. W. Fox with a stock of Groceries cheap.

EXTRA copies of the RECORD may always be found at the news depot in the post office room.

Finest line of Men's and Ladies' fine Shoes in town. Come in and see us before buying.

SCOTT & BROWNFIELD.

TRENBETH, the tailor, has just received a full line of New Goods. Call and select a suit.

Try that 40c Plug, at MORRIS.

Merchants, consult your interest by going to KINYON'S for Blank Books. 2. Get your ink at KINYON'S.

Everything in the Vegetable line, to be had you will find at BARMORE & RICHARDS.

How to save money—go to REDDEN & BOYLE'S to trade.

Bread is cheap; flour is cheap; sugar is cheap; in fact everything is cheap, at BARMORE & RICHARDS.

Closing sale of all Summer Goods, White Goods, Shawls, PARASOLS and Fans, at very low prices. GRAHAM.

Remember that PECK & MILLER will sell you GROCERIES just as cheap as the cheapest. Please don't forget it.

Try a "Buck" Cigar, for 5 cents, at WESTON'S.

Smoke the "Buck" Cigar, at WESTON'S.

Now is the time to buy Neck Chains at KINYON'S.

Groceries cheap, at BARMORE & RICHARDS.

In instruction given on Saxophone and Sarrusophone, by V. E. DAVID, Buchanan.

Now is the time to get Goods cheap. Cleaning out for fall stock. GRAHAM.

Don't buy Stationery until you call at KINYON'S.

Somebody claims to sell Embroidery cheaper than anybody. You had better call at GRAHAM'S before you buy.

The finest line of Glassware in the city, at BARMORE & RICHARDS.

DRUGS, SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, INKS, WALL PAPER, &c.

WANTED.—A gentle buggy horse. Call on Mrs. De Bunker, at her millinery rooms on Main street.

It makes them all laugh when they see how low our sugars are selling. TREAT & REDDEN.

PECK & MILLER receive fresh vegetables every day.

String and Wind instruments generally taught. V. E. DAVID, Buchanan.

Go to GRAHAM'S now for Bargains for the next thirty days.

The only genuine Oliver Plow Points are sold by H. C. FRENCH.

Our motto is, quick sales and small profits. TREAT & REDDEN.

PECK & MILLER will pay the highest price for Butter and Eggs.

It is reported that a ruby found in Clay County, N. C., was sold by the finder for \$15, then for \$8,000, and after being cut by a lapidary for \$15,000.

The Oliver Plow Points, made by Oliver Plow Works and sold by H. C. FRENCH, fit better and last longer than the bogus points made and sold by other parties.

Farmers, be sure and call on us before selling your wheat or produce. TREAT & REDDEN.

H. C. FRENCH is the only authorized agent for Oliver Plows and Repairs.

CROXON has come down to poor man's prices, and is selling best cuts of steak at 12½ cents, and other meats in proportion.

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A full line of Smoking Tobacco at RICE'S RESTAURANT.

Ladies, we have a new lot of Corsets. You must see them, especially our 50 cent Corset, at REDDEN & BOYLE'S.

Buy the Oliver Plow, made for hard ground, of H. C. FRENCH.

Mason Jars, pints, quarts and two quarts, at TREAT & REDDEN'S.

Rings, not political rings, or Narrow Gauge R. R. rings, but a full line of Finger Rings, at KINYON'S.

The only genuine Oliver Plow Points are sold by H. C. FRENCH.

You can get sugars very cheap at TREAT & REDDEN'S.

Please call at Holloway's Agricultural Depot, on Oak street, and examine the Bissell Improved Sulky and Walking Plows, and all styles of Pumps, for sale by L. T. EASTMAN.

You can get the highest market price for produce at TREAT & REDDEN'S.

KINYON has a full line of Clocks at bottom prices.

Call at Rice's Restaurant for smoking tobacco.

A good square MEAL at Rice's Restaurant for 25 CENTS.

S. GUNZBURG, of Niles, will furnish all kinds of Campaign Goods. Samples can be seen at his store.

A large map of the United States, or a box of Toilet Soap will be given away with every dollar's worth of goods sold at one time, at WESTON'S DRUG STORE.

The Oliver Plow Points, made by Oliver Plow Works and sold by H. C. FRENCH, fit better and last longer than the bogus points made and sold by other parties.

You can get a gallon of best Kerosene Oil for 10 cents, at TREAT & REDDEN'S.

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Lubin's Extract, Jockey Club, Atkinson's White Rose, and Pears' Famous Glycerine Soap are found only at DODD'S DRUG STORE.

We also have a full assortment of the DIAMOND AND EXCELSIOR PACKAGE DYES! and all articles used in coloring.

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