

Business Directory.

SOCIETIES.

O. O. F. Buchanan Lodge No. 75 holds its regular meeting on Odd Fellows Hall, on each Tuesday evening.

F. & A. M.—Buchanan Lodge No. 48 holds its regular meeting on Wednesday evening, on or before the full moon in each month.

P. O. F.—Buchanan Grange No. 40 meets on the second and fourth Saturday of each month, at 2 o'clock P. M.

G. O. T.—Buchanan Lodge No. 858 holds its regular meeting on each Monday evening.

A. R.—Wm. Perrott Post No. 22, Regular meeting on the first and third Wednesday evening of each month. Visiting comrades all ways welcome.

ATTORNEY.

VAN RIVER & WORTHINGTON, Attorneys and Counselors at Law, and Solicitors in Chancery. Collections made and proceeds promptly remitted. Office over Rough Bros. Store.

DAVID E. HINMAN, Attorney and Counselor at Law, and Solicitor in Chancery. Collections made and proceeds promptly remitted. Office in Buchanan Building.

THORNTON HALL, Attorney and Counselor at Law, and Solicitor in Chancery, Buchanan, Michigan.

A. EMMERY, Attorney and Counselor at Law, and Solicitor in Chancery. Collecting property and correcting deeds. Office in Bank Building, Buchanan, Mich.

PHYSICIANS.

E. S. DODD, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office in E. S. Dodd & Son's drug store. Residence on Duane Avenue.

D. R. FIERCE & BAKER, Physicians and Surgeons. Night calls promptly attended to. Office in Kington's block.

MRS. E. F. ANDERSON, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office in Buchanan Building. Office in Buchanan Building.

W. S. SLOTT, Homoeopathic Physician and Surgeon. Office in Buchanan Building. Office in Buchanan Building.

THORNTON HALL, Physician and Surgeon. Office in Buchanan Building. Office in Buchanan Building.

D. R. HENDERSON, Physician and Surgeon. Office over J. K. Wood's store. Residence, corner of Portage and Sixth streets.

DENTISTS.

M. WILSON, Dentist. Office, first door north of the bank. Charges reasonable and satisfaction guaranteed.

J. G. MANFIELD, Operative Dentist. All work done at the lowest living prices and warranted to give satisfaction. Rooms in Kington's building.

JOHN W. BEISTLE, Dentist, Rooms over the Buchanan Building. Office in Buchanan Building.

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DRUGGISTS.

D. E. S. DODD & SON, Practical Druggists. A large stock of pure and fresh drugs constantly on hand. Fine Perfumes and Toilet Articles. Free delivery.

WESTON, Practical Druggists, dealers in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, etc. Office in Buchanan Building.

INSURANCE.

W. A. PALMER, Notary Public, Fire and Life Insurance and Real Estate Agent. Representing the interests of the insured in the United States. Office with D. E. S. Dodd.

BARNES MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, of Buchanan County, Ohio. Only first class rates. Wm. H. HANCOCK, Sec'y, Buchanan, Mich.

MANUFACTURERS.

ROUGH BROS. WAGON WORKS, Manufacturers of all kinds of wagons, harnesses, etc. Office in Buchanan Building.

BUCHANAN MANUFACTURING COMPANY, Manufacturers of cheap and medium grades of Chamber Furniture. Capital \$25,000.

THE VICTOR HAT RACK CO., Wholesale Manufacturers of Hat Racks.

ZENO COLLAR PAD CO., sole proprietors and Manufacturers of Collar Pads. Buchanan, Mich.

BUCHANAN WINDMILL CO., Windmills, Pumps, Pipes, Piles, Grains, etc. Office in Buchanan Building.

W. H. TALBOT, Machinist, Engines, Threshing and Agricultural Machinery repaired. Office in Buchanan Building.

T. MORLEY, Saw Foundry and Agricultural Implements. Headquarters for blading twine. Corner Front and Portage sts.

HENRY BLODGETT, Manufacturer of Building and Farm Machinery. Yard in Mansfield Addition.

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BUCHANAN MARBLE WORKS. Monuments and headstones of all designs and kinds of marble. Busts, Urns, etc. Buchanan, Mich.

W. O. HAMMOND, Milk Dealer. Delivers Milk in all parts of the corporation daily. Residence, head of Front street.

MONTGOMERY, Grainer and Decorator. May be found at Straw's Paper Store.

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.

BEST BUILDING BRICK.

Having recently erected an Improved Brick and Tiling Kiln.

I am now prepared to furnish the market affords. Also

FIRST-CLASS TILING.

Call and see my brick and get prices.

HENRY BLODGETT.

AT HOME AGAIN!

Having purchased the stock of

WATCHES, CLOCKS.

Jewelry, Spectacles, &c.

Of H. H. KINGTON, I can again be found at my old stand where I shall be glad to welcome my old friends and customers and many new ones.

Close Attention paid to Fine Watch Work, and to Repairing Clocks, Jewelry, &c.

J. H. ROE.

W. H. TALBOT, MACHINIST.

Engines, Threshing Machines, Horse Powers, Mowing, Reaping and other Machines repaired.

Cider Mill Saws, Saw Arbors, &c., &c., made to order.

Shop on Chicago street, near millrace.

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SALES AT AUCTION!

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

CHARLEY EVANS.

Satisfaction guaranteed. Rates as low as any other good salesman. Residence, Buchanan, Michigan.

CATARRH ELY'S CREAM BALM.

Cleanses the Head, Allays Inflammation, Heals the Sores, Restores the Senses of Taste and Smell. A quick and positive cure.

50 cents at Druggists.

Sample by mail registered. Send for circular.

ELY BROS., Druggists Oswego, N. Y.

FOR SALE.

Will sell two lots, good house, orchard, grape vines, small fruit, &c., in Dayton, Ohio. Call to see me soon.

ELI ROBERT.

FOR THE BEST

JOB PRINTING,

Record Steam Printing House.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER.

Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the adulterated of low test. Short weight, gum or phosphate powders. Sold only in Royal Baking Powder Co., 100 Wall-st., N. Y.

BROWN'S IRON BITTERS.

THE BEST TONIC.

This medicine, combining Iron with pure vegetable acids, quickly and completely cures all the diseases which are caused by Impure Blood, Malaria, Chills and Fevers, Rheumatism, and all the diseases of the Blood.

It is invaluable for Diseases peculiar to Women, and for all the diseases of the Blood.

It does not injure the teeth, cause headache or produce any of the effects of other purgatives. It is pleasant to the taste, and stimulates the appetite, aids the assimilation of food, repairs the system, and builds up the strength of the muscles and nerves.

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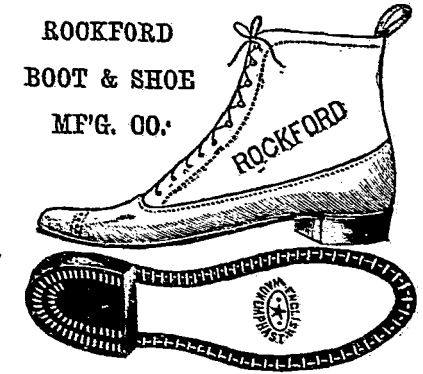
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MEN'S FINE SHOES

HAND AND MACHINE SEWED.

Manufactured for Fine Retail Trade, by the



ROCKFORD, ILL.

FOR SALE BY GEO. W. NOBLE,

Buchanan, Mich.

Assessor's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment of and for the village of Buchanan, for the year 1885, is completed, and that on Tuesday, the 13th day of May, 1885, between the hours of 8 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., I, the Assessor of said village, and two members of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan, appointed for that purpose, will, at the Common Council room, in Engine House No. 1, in said village, review said Assessment roll, and any person feeling themselves aggrieved by such assessment may then and there be heard.

ALFRED RICHARDS, Assessor.

BUCHANAN, April 28, 1885.

There will be an exciting race at the rink to-night.

ANDREW STIMLEY, of Niles, died Saturday, aged 48.

Don't deceive yourself with the idea that this is spring.

Mrs. JOHN TREBBS, of Niles, died April 29, of consumption.

PERCH fishing is a favorite pastime at the mouth of the river.

Mrs. R. O. Daniels, of Toledo, is visiting relatives in this place.

DANIELSON greens form their annual part of epicurean diet.

The Kingery & Marble grist mill is being put through a course of repairs.

Mrs. E. H. CLARK and son returned from Florida Sunday morning.

The Berrien Springs Journal has just entered its teens, a blooming and lively youth.

Mr. NOAH WEAVER and family, of Kansas, formerly citizens of Dayton, are here for a visit.

SUNDAY, May 3, was celebrated in this place by a beautiful little snow storm.

ATTENTION is called to the large millinery advertisement of Miss Nellie Smith, on this page.

The Benton Harbor custom house officer has been reappointed. His name is Kidd.

NILES is being treated to a series of burglaries, supposed by the Mirror to be by home talent. Jail 'em.

Mr. A. EMERY now has his family in this place, and is occupying the Hill house on Detroit street.

THERE is said to be a prospect that we may soon be afflicted with a lecture by ex-Governor St. John, of Kansas.

LEW HOFFMAN has the St. Joseph band under his management and is bringing them to time in good shape.

CAPT. BARTLETT has gone to be a granger, and is now snugly situated on the Merrill farm, just west of town.

MR. AND MRS. N. NORRIS went, Monday, to Dakota, where they expect to remain during the summer.

MR. AND MRS. H. H. KINYON returned Saturday evening from the north, where they have been during the winter.

THE Ministerial Association of the M. E. Church of this district was held at Cassopolis, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

MARY KENDALL, of this place, a native of England, was admitted to citizenship, at Berrien Springs last week.

Mrs. FERRIS, a resident of St. Joseph for over 50 years, aged 75 years, dropped dead, of heart disease, Sunday afternoon.

THERE is some talk of Black & Willard permanently closing their factory on account of a raise in the rent by the Park Association.

ATTENTION is called to the advertisement of Chamberlain, Warren & Hatfield, the leading merchants of Three Oaks, appearing in this paper.

This part of the country was treated to a fine warm rain Monday night and Tuesday that gave vegetation a lively start.

Mr. V. E. DAYD has just completed a finely engrossed copy of memorial verses, written by Major Samuel Wells, on the death of Judge Ezekiah Wells, late of Kalamazoo. As a specimen of fine penmanship and display of tasty design, it is a fine piece of work.

Mr. HERBERT SMITH considers his farcloth at an end, and will start to-morrow morning for Portland, Oregon.

The remains of the oldest child of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Davis, colored, of Cass county, were brought to this place, Tuesday, for interment.

Mr. TEDDY McCORNE, an old and highly respected citizen of Benton township, was buried in the Catholic cemetery at St. Joseph, last Thursday.

Mr. HOWEL F. STRONG has secured employment in his brother's store in St. Louis, Michigan, and has gone to that place.

Mrs. WRIGHT, nee Alma Roe, who has been visiting relatives and friends in this place the past two weeks, returned to her home in Illinois this morning.

Mr. GEO. H. ROUGH has been treating the front of his building, occupied by Scott & Brownfield, to a coat of paint that materially improves its appearance.

The agricultural implement dealers are filling vacant lots, alleys, and once in a while a street, with machinery, just as if they had never heard of such a thing as hard times.

CHARLEY EVANS claims the premium in the chicken business. Four of his hens setting on sixty eggs brought forth fifty-seven chicks, and didn't make much of a parade over it either.

GALLEN High School is preparing for an interesting graduating entertainment for the close of the present term. The graduating class comprises two young ladies.

The Buchanan Manufacturing Company are now using a portion of the wagon works building for their finishing department, in the manufacture of their folding beds. The building would make a fine first class furniture factory.

The Council of St. Joseph, at their meeting on April 17, approved the bonds of eight saloons. At Buchanan prices this would bring \$1,000 into the treasury, in addition to the State tax of \$300 each.

St. JOSEPH pays the following salaries per year: Recorder, \$150; treasurer, \$50; health officer, \$25; two assessors, \$25 each; engineer of steam fire engine, \$144; fireman, \$60; night-watch, \$150; marshal, \$240.

WEESAW township has formed the nucleus of a township library, a property that should be owned by every township. When well kept up such a property is the most valuable that is owned by the township.

Mr. ROBERT CLARK, who had his hand injured by a band saw, in the wagon factory, has been having a serious time, although the injury was at first slight. Erysipelas took a hand in the game and made the wound very troublesome.

In the case of Emil Koenigshtof vs. L. W. Spaulding, for damages done by him in his capacity as drain commissioner, judgment was given for \$37. Considerable of a reduction from \$1,000, the amount sued for. The costs of suit are for Mr. Koenigshtof to pay.

No farmer should be without the National Live Stock Journal, published at Chicago. The information contained in each number is worth more to every stock raiser than the amount of the subscription price. Orders taken at this office.

The steamer Dix, which will run from St. Joseph to Chicago this season, is offered as follows: D. M. Cochran, Captain; Levi S. Mann, first mate; John Sanderson, clerk; Wm. Cochran, steward; Chas. Ross, first engineer; Hugh Kelley, second engineer.

St. JOSEPH held her corporation election Monday, which resulted in the election of Dr. Alex. H. Scott, President; A. D. Kent, Recorder, and the election of the entire Republican ticket except one Councilman.

A NUMBER of Chicago people are building summer cottages in St. Joseph, proposing to make "suburban" summer houses of them. The enterprise promises a healthy boom for that lively village.

HORACE HANN sold his tools Monday morning, and started to join the regular army. He went east from here, and as he has not been heard from since, it is not known whether he is in Utah or Niles.

Ed. Wood, oldest son of Henry of this place, living at Eau Claire, was killed by lightning about seven o'clock Tuesday morning, while sitting at the breakfast table. He was about twenty-five years of age, and leaves a wife one child.

The parents of these little boys who have been perambulating our streets during the past few days, barefooted, must enjoy the visits of the doctor and undertaker. There are but few better means of making such visits necessary.

At last we have a prospect that a few lamps will be placed on our streets to light the belated pedestrian on his way. A gasoline lamp is on exhibition at the front of Rough's block, evenings, that is now under consideration by the Council. Let there be light.

THERE was a wedding in Justice Dick's office Friday evening, the contracting parties being Joseph Kaley of South Bend, turnkey for Sheriff Rockstroff, and Miss Elizabeth Zerbe, of Portage Prairie. The ceremony was performed in settlement of a complaint by the lady for seduction on the promise of marriage and betrayal.

In Mr. H. H. Kinyon's last New Orleans letter, published April 23, there were two errors that appeared somewhat ridiculous. The first word of the last line in the second paragraph should have been "warmer", instead of "cooler", and after the italicized word "real", in the sixth paragraph should have appeared the word "tropical".

KLINE, the German who was taken from this county to Cassopolis jail for complicity in the Cass county hog stealing case, has been released. The young chaps, Pete Knapp and Dell Higgins, who did the stealing have taken his place in jail to await trial at the next sitting of circuit court.

MAY 10 is now set as the day of the end of all things earthly, by the Millerites, who have been having periodical freaks of that kind of foolishness for the past forty-five years. By all reports Benton Harbor has just been passing through a visitation of this sort.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending May 6: Mr. T. Threass Bell, I. Choval, Mr. Herbert Chusbro, Mr. I. Hayes, Rev. C. Powers, William Rose, Sovinia Shriver, E. C. Simmons, W. H. Stroup, Mr. E. L. Smith, D. C. Townsend.

L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M.

The fine, large bill board erected last fall, by Mr. Seth Stray, on Day's avenue, is still a frame of blank boards. There has been no entertainment here in that time with bills enough to use the board, and unless one comes soon, Seth will forget the use of the paste brush.

An Inter-Ocean correspondent in St. Joseph reports fruit prospects not first-class in that section. Some of the small fruits he rates at three-quarters, some at one-half crop, and some as total failure. In the first two he classes blackberries, raspberries and strawberries.

The case of B. T. Morley vs. John Franz for pay for a harvesting machine, appealed by Franz from Justice Dick's court, was decided last week against Mr. Morley. This is the case about which there has been so much newspaper comment. Franz accusing Morley of suing him for one cent balance of account, and on which judgment was given in nearly \$200.

The Grand Worthy Chief Templar of this State, Mr. A. B. Cheney, of Sparta, will deliver an address in Rough's Opera House next Tuesday evening, May 12. Admission free. All are invited to attend. The local Lodge I. O. G. T. will celebrate its tenth anniversary that day, by exercises in their hall during the morning and afternoon, and by a supper in the evening.

Some members of the fire company object to our remarks regarding the reform in not allowing the fire-bell to be rung except in case of fire. They claim the entire and unadulterated honor of instituting the reform themselves, and that the new administration had nothing to do with it. We never supposed for a moment that any one would think it had, but it seems they did. The same thing has been suggested by the Record a half-dozen times or more in that many years.

THERE appears to be a deluge of wheat coming into market at this place. The price reached its highest point, \$1.25, Friday, but at that time word was received that England and Russia had concluded to refer their difficulty to outside parties, probably the King of Denmark, for settlement, and since that time the price has been on the decline. As soon as the decline commenced the holders of wheat commenced to be anxious to sell.

We wish to remind the gentlemen composing the street committee of the Common Council that now is a good time to take a walk about town and examine the side-walks. We think they will find one hundred (more or less) very dangerous places that ought to receive the attention of the side-walk builder. Please attend to this before another suit is commenced against the village for damages. We think the \$3,500 plaster now on the village is enough for a few years yet, and it draws hard enough.

A COMMITTEE of six, three from each branch of the legislature, is now making a tour of the State to select some suitable location for a soldier's home, which the present legislature proposes to establish. St. Joseph is the only Berrien county point in the list of places to be visited. Diamond Lake is the point to be visited in Cass county. The home will require about 400 acres of good arable land in some pleasant location. Buchanan would like the home, but has no Diamond or Gogunac lake surroundings to offer.

A FEW weeks since an agent for the North Western News, a Prohibition paper published at Davenport, Iowa, passed through this section of the country, soliciting business. He was a preacher, son of a former member of the Michigan M. E. Conference, and used his relationship to the church as a business recommendation. We now hear complaint that there a number of persons about town who hold receipts for their subscription money. Nothing more. It is probable that the man's room was burglarized and his Buchanan list stolen.

The following list of additional Petit Jurors were drawn Friday for the present term of court: Samuel Hadlock, Oronoko. Robert A. Gillespie, " Robert A. Hastings, " Jas. A. Skinner, " Henry Cady, Berrien. Geo. M. Dean, " Levi Sparks, " P. E. O'Brien, " Bishop Frank, " Jno. F. Montague, Buchanan. J. H. Roe, " Wm. G. Hathaway, " Jas. F. Wray, " Wm. Miller, "

SINCE Joe Richards embarked on farming he takes a lively interest in all departments of the business. The slaughter house was moved from his place last week, and Sunday afternoon he threshed his crop of rats, which yielded him ninety-eight full-grown rats and something less than a million young ones that he did not count. "Joe" says that an army of small boys filling a good crop of rats beats any polo game ever played, for lively performance and real genuine interest.

QUITE an adventure is reported as having occurred in the home of Mr. Addison Vinton, in Weesaw township, during the storm Tuesday morning. The story is, that Mrs. Vinton was alone in a large room, when what appeared like a large ball of fire seemed to drop into the stove and explode, filling the room with a dense black smoke, and knocking Mrs. Vinton senseless, in which condition she remained several minutes. The stove-pipe in the chamber was blown apart about the room. No serious injury done.

GALLEN ITEMS.

Mr. White, of Elkhart, was in town last week.

Geo. Green and wife, of Jackson, are in town visiting friends.

Mondis Geminder has moved to Michigan City.

Mr. Moore is in town visiting his sons, David and Chas.

Died, May 2, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Chilson.

Miss Clara Boyle commenced teaching school on Monday of this week in Mr. Noggle's district. It is her first attempt. We wish her success.

Tom Maddux and family, of Michigan City, are in town visiting friends.

J. H. Ritzler is having his building, in which he formerly kept a saloon, remodeled into a drug store.

The other day while Mr. Chas. Clark was opening a bunch of bananas a tarantula fell out from among them. It was secured in a glass can. Many have called to see it.

John Ender, of Weesaw, is running a first-class saloon, principally on cider and alcohol, no license displayed; "you pays your money and takes your choice."

JUNIO.

THREE OAKS ITEMS.

May 6, 1885.

Hiram Platt and wife start for Oregon on Thursday of this week, with the intention of making that their home.

Mrs. H. Warren has been very sick for a few days past.

Mrs. Monroe Morrow, living three miles south of this place, died with consumption, on Sunday morning last. She leaves three small children and a husband.

Mr. Darius Smith, of Buchanan, is spending the day here with his many old friends. He used to live in this town when it was pretty wild here.

H. H. Bennett has gone to Wisconsin to see if he can find a location for his hand mill. He has been here a good many years in that business.

Dr. Wilcox moves to Dowagiac today. He will be missed by a great many.

Mrs. Thomas Webster is not expected to live many days. Her son Frank and wife are with her. They are from Jamestown, Dakota.

B.

FROM BERRIEN CENTRE.

May 6, 1885.

The fine prospects for farm work have been cut short by the recent heavy rains. Wheat and grass are looking in splendid condition and promise a heavy crop.

Uriah Shaffer, our village merchant, has broken ground for a new house. He says the old one has grown crazy and shaky, and fails to keep him dry when it rains.

Wheat hauling was extremely lively during the few days the dealer paid one dollar per bushel. Nearly all the farmers regarded that as the possible highest price for the present, but one farmer is sanguine enough to hope for even a better figure, so will hold his for \$1.25 per bushel.

Dr. Powers, of Goshen, Ind., was in the village on Monday, looking up a location for an office. A skillful physician would soon command a lucrative practice in this community. The people would gladly welcome a good doctor here.

John F. Peck spent Sunday at home with his family.

We note the death of two more old settlers and early residents of Berrien township: Mrs. John Shearer, who died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. John Willis, in Berrien Springs, and Mr. Shaleh Willis, who died at his home, in Northern Pipestone. Both were buried at Berrien Centre Union Cemetery on Tuesday, the 5th inst., about the same hour.

As we write, word comes that a Mr. Wood, of the neighboring village of Eau Claire, was struck by lightning and instantly killed, while sitting at the table eating breakfast, on Tuesday morning. The lightning ran down the chimney to the floor, then glanced upward to him. His wife, who stood near him, was unhurt.

C.

NEW TROY ITEMS.

May 4, 1885.

Mr. John Shetterly has returned from the south.

Mr. Corgan is here visiting with his friend, Mr. Willets.

Miss Alta Miller, accompanied by her brother Ellison, was in town Sunday. There is some talk of starting a rink in town, but just at present the stock is selling considerably below par.

Mr. Frank Pierce has painted Bro. Quantum a new sign, of wondrous significance, and henceforth the center of the world is on Stoughton street.

Two extremes met when Drew and Potter wage battle before the bar of Troy justice.

There is nothing more annoying to the minister than to have a part of his congregation engaged in carrying on a whispered gossip at the time he is preaching; and it is my advice, that if people can't keep their thoughts to themselves during service they had better stay at home.

It seems as if our young men could find some sort of entertainment more acceptable to the majority of our citizens than playing base ball on Sunday, as it not only disturbs those who reside near the grounds, but also those who have assembled at the church for divine worship.

There is nothing so stimulating as good chicken broth. At least that is the opinion of some of my young friends.

Because a man buys furniture it is no sign he expects to change the condition of his life, from quiet ease to bustling matrimony.

The town board met, Saturday, and appropriated \$500 for highway purposes.

Roberts' Knives and Shears are sold only at HIGHS'.

Common Council Proceedings.

A special meeting of the Common Council of the village of Buchanan was held at the Council room, in Engine House No. 1, on Friday evening, May 1, 1885.

Present—J. J. Van Riper, President; Messrs. Koomtz, Churchill and Mowrey, Trustees; G. G. Rogers, Recorder.

The minutes of the regular meeting held April 24, 1885, were read, and on motion were approved.

The bond of A. J. Carothers, retail liquor dealer, for \$5,000, with Wm. B. Hong and Jacob Imhoff as sureties, was read and approved.

The bond of Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son, druggists, for \$3,000, with George H. Richards and George Churchill as sureties, was presented, and on motion approved.

The bond of Charles B. Treat, village treasurer, for \$5,000, with Levi L. Redden, Benj. Chamberlain and Wm. Pears as sureties, was also read and approved.

There being no further business, on motion the Common Council adjourned. GEORGE G. ROGERS, Recorder.

Body Found.

Last week we received the following from Mr. Albert Devore, of Sawyer. The words are written on a small piece of paper, which had been found in a bottle on the beach off that place by G. E. Guild:

"We are out on a little skiff—our boat is wrecked—we are drowning. April 11, 1885. Come to our assistance, quick. We are about fourteen miles from shore."

CAPTAIN CLARKE, Sky Lark.

Not knowing on its receipt that the note had been found in a bottle, we considered it a "fraud", as the condition of the paper and writing showed plainly that it had not been touched by water. On Thursday the following was received:

"SAWYER, Mich., April 30, 1885. Mr. MERCHANT, Dear Sir—I sent you a skiff paper picked up on beach in a bottle. Yesterday Mr. Dennis found a man lying near where the bottle was found. He lay in the edge of the water. Some men went down and pulled him out and buried him up on the bluff, above high-water mark. He was five feet ten inches high, wore sandy whiskers, coarse clothes—no coat on and nothing in pockets but a jack knife and four buttons; had on a pair of light boots, No. 6. Couldn't tell how long he had been in the water. Hair had slipped off one side of head. Supposed weight 140. People here seem to think the deceased was one of those in the skiff, as slip of paper in the bottle. Yours truly, ALBERT DEVORE."

It is not known whereabouts that any craft is missing—St. Joseph Traveler-Herald.

BENTON HARBOR has a new religious sect called the "Latter House of Israel", of which we find the following description in an exchange: The members believe in the immortality of the human body and that it need not die; that sin is an impure blood, and that man cannot be regenerated as long as he has any blood in his veins. Their number is limited to 144,000, but the number they claim of heirs on Christ's head—each member being a hair. They will not eat pork, and whoever allows his hair or beard to be cut falls from grace. All their meetings are in secret and behind locked doors. They believe that the world will be swallowed up in a new flood, and it is said that the leaders preach the conversion of property into means with which to build an ark.—Lansing Republican.

[St. Joseph Republican.]

The number of saloons in this place will be increased by two this year, making twelve in all. The saloon keepers at Benton Harbor, are kicking on some of the so-called drug stores of that place. The electric light company has reduced the cost of a single light to 88 per month. The Laura left on her first trip for Chicago Monday night, with a big load of freight and 80 passengers. Fifty young children, boys and girls, took the first communion at the Catholic Church last Sunday.

[Niles Mirror.]

An honest looking farmer from Milton township, was coming to town facing the furious wind on Friday last, smoking his pipe. The cushion of his wagon was a little torn and a spark from his pipe set it on fire. He rode on and did not discover it until near the Bacon farm, when he found himself minus a coat tail.

Allen Tibbits, of Coldwater, has gathered fruit from his autobiography, published in the Evening News, as witness the following from that paper:

"This column, April 20, last, contained an autobiographical communication from Mr. Allen Tibbits, of Coldwater, Mich., which has been republished in many State papers and has also carried the fame of the good old octogenarian to other States, by the aid of the following letter sent to The News, dated 'Topeka, Kansas, April 28, 1885: Allen Tibbits, Esq., Coldwater, Mich., Dear Sir—I take pleasure in informing you that you have been unanimously elected an honorary member of the Saint Ananias club of this city, and your name duly recorded in the archives of the society beside those of Bill Wray, Verne, Ed Perkins and other distinguished members. By the direction of the Great Ananias, R. O. Mance, Secretary. P. S.—Your biographical communication in the Detroit (Mich.) News did the business."

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Ribbons for your dresses.

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Oh, see the new Prints, at REDDEN & BOYLE'S.

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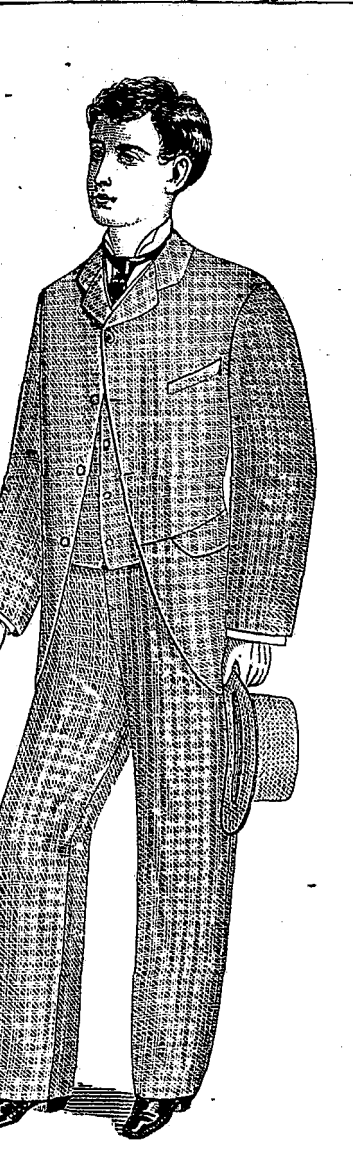
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