

Business Directory.

SABBATH SERVICES. SERVICES are held every Sabbath at 10:30 A. M. at the Church of the Larger Hope...

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

P. O. F.—Buchanan Lodge No. 40 meets on the second and fourth Saturday of each month, at 8 o'clock.

A. O. U. W.—Buchanan Lodge No. 88 holds its regular meeting on the 1st and 3rd Friday evening of each month.

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An Anaconda Killed in the Streets of New York. It came out of the manhole of a sewer near the corner of Third and Second Avenue, on Wednesday afternoon, October 3, just as school was letting out at grammar school No. 70, on First Street, a few doors away, and huge numbers of children were pouring out. When first seen it was gliding along First Street toward First Avenue. The children saw it and shrieked. "Look out for the crocodile!" screamed the boys and girls in terror. Their cries brought hundreds more of persons flocking from doors all along the block, and heads appeared at every window. The school janitors and other grown persons halted the children back into the building and up the high stoops in the neighborhood. As the snake moved along men, women, and children led before it, screaming warnings to others ahead.

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Chinch-Bug Remedies. Bulletin No. 2, of the Iowa Experiment Station, contains a suggestive article, with the above heading, by Mr. C. P. Gillette, the State Entomologist. He recapitulates briefly as follows: "Use the plow freely, whenever the bugs are in the field in large numbers. Use a jointer on the plow, and follow with the harrow and roller if possible."

Current Literature of the Day. Say, Delaney, how many chances does a man have to offer you, anyhow? Cull was in great shape Saturday afternoon. Did you see the Duffers jump out the Tabbits' curves? It was a great day for Morgan's colts. Miss Bessie ran out of line next time, won't you? Two singles and a double in the first half. Good boy, Lanky! That was dandy bunching in the seventh.

Alaska. Governor Swineford, in his report, states that the coast line of Alaska, 13,211 miles, is nearly twice the combined Atlantic and Pacific coast lines of the United States. The market value of the Alaska fisheries for last year is estimated at \$3,000,000. A thousand tons of average ten pounds each, have been taken in Sitka Bay in a single haul. The seal fisheries yield to the government \$317,000 annually or enough to pay 4 per cent on the amount paid Russia for the country. A single island is said to be practically a mountain of ore, and to contain mineral wealth enough to pay off the whole of our national debt.

Utilization of Old Tins. A number of people recently gathered at the Columbia Rolling Mill, Fourth Street and Jersey Avenue, Jersey City, at the formal opening of the mill. The industry is a novel one, from old tin cans and other waste sheet metal. This iron has heretofore been manufactured almost exclusively in Europe, and the Columbia Rolling Mill is the first in this country to manufacture them in large quantities. The process is simple. The tin cans are first heated in an oven raised to a temperature of about 1,000 degrees, and then rolled and lead. The sheet iron which remains is passed, first, under rubber-coated rollers, and then chilled iron rollers, which leaves the sheet smooth and flat. After annealing and trimming, they are ready for shipment. The tin and lead which is melted from the cans is run into bars, and is also placed upon the market. All the raw material used is waste, but the sheet iron is of a high quality, and is of a like nature. The material used costing little, and the demand for tappers iron being considerable, it is thought that this is a good opportunity to build up another American industry.

A Novel Swimming Dress. A swimming dress, resembling a diver's dress, and made of India rubber, has been adopted in the German navy. On the chest is a valve through which air is blown into the interior of the dress, which covers the body and leaves only the face free. To prevent the swimmer from being too much affected by the sea, the space round the chest is especially large. The swimmer wears a belt, which divides the dress into two parts, to prevent a too great loss of air if the dress were torn about the legs, and consequent difficulty in swimming. The swimmer wears shoes with leaden soles to secure the equilibrium, and for his defense a dagger, which is fastened to the mine or craft, and ignites. Before the explosion occurs they are out of the reach of danger. The swimming dress has been already tried in Germany. During the attack on the harbor of Kiel on August 29, swimmers were dispatched from the ironclads to destroy the mines closing the port.

Naming the Animals. "Well," said the manager-man, in reply to the reporter's question. "I name the animals according to their disposition, taste or habits, or something positive as to the exact time of their capture. For instance, I call 'Aurora' a cat grammatical, but it's appropriate. I call the tiger 'Blazer,' because he comes in stripes; the bird I call 'Nothing' because he doesn't say anything; I call the camel 'Prima Donna,' because he always has his head up; the leopard I call 'Menses,' on account of his spots; the brown bear I call 'Lager,' because he's a Brewer, and the gray is 'Booby,' because he's a Brown. I call the hyena 'Stragler,' because he slopes off behind; the sacred cow I call 'Chairman,' because she's the boss; and the cobra, 'Burrhead,' because he's the boss kicker." "And what," asked the reporter, deeply interested in recognizing his own long-forgotten chestnuts, "do you call the giraffe?" "Ocher," said the showman, for it was he. "And why?" "Because he swallows more in the same time and quantity than all the rest of the menagerie."—Burdette in Brooklyn Eagle.

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Republican National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT, BENJAMIN HARRISON, OF INDIANA. FOR VICE PRESIDENT, LEVI F. MORTON, OF NEW YORK.

For Electors.

At Large—R. A. ALLEN, of Wayne, and ISAAC GARSON, of Genesee. First District—EDWARD BURKE, Second District—JESUS E. BEAL, Third District—RICHMOND KINGMAN, Fourth District—JAS. W. EBERSON, Fifth District—DOX. J. LEATHERS, Sixth District—JAMES M. TURNER, Seventh District—JOHN S. THOMPSON, Eighth District—EDWARD F. GRANT, Ninth District—WILLIAM W. CLARK, Tenth District—HARRY P. MERRILL, Eleventh District—EDWARD HANNAH.

Republican State Ticket.

For Governor, CYRUS G. LUCE, of Branch. For Lieutenant Governor, JAMES H. MAC DONALD, of Delta. For Secretary of State, GILBERT R. OSBURN, of Wayne. For State Treasurer, GEORGE L. MALTZ, of Alpena. For Auditor General, HENRY H. APLIN, of Bay. For Commissioner of State Land Office, ROSCOE D. DIX, of Berrien. For Attorney General, STEPHEN V. R. TROWBRIDGE, of Lenoir. For Superintendent of Public Instruction, JOSEPH ESTABROOK, of Eaton. For Member State Board of Education, PERRY F. POWERS, of Westford.

For Member of Congress—Fourth Dist.

JULIUS C. BURROWS, of State Senator, 9th District. W. IRVING BABCOCK, of Representative in State Legislature, Second District.

Republican County Ticket.

For Sheriff, BENTON R. STEBENS, of Gallien. For Judge of Probate, DAVID E. HINMAN. For County Clerk, HERBERT L. POTTEI, of Weesaw. For Treasurer, EDMUND B. STORMS, of Niles. For Register of Deeds, WASHINGTON F. HARMAN. For Prosecuting Attorney, GEORGE W. BRIDGMAN. For Surveyor, WASHBURN W. GRAYES. For Circuit Court Commissioners, JOHN A. WATSON, ZIRMI L. COOPER. For Coroners, NEEDHAM MILLER, ALEXANDER WINBURN. For Fish Inspector, THEODORE P. LUTZ.

Pensions Promised for Votes.

DELPHI, Ind., Oct. 30.—The democratic Carroll county held their closing rally for their campaign here today. The Hon. Joseph E. McDonald and D. W. Voorhees were advertised as speakers, and by extensive advertising and persistent drumming a crowd of about 7,000 was assembled. Mr. McDonald failed to put in an appearance, and there was general dissatisfaction and disappointment. Mr. Voorhees delivered his usual speech. The most interesting feature of this rally was a private meeting at the residence of Charles H. Pollard, to which a number of democratic soldiers were invited to meet Mr. Voorhees. One man who was invited declined, saying that "Lincoln's dogs were not of the same breed."

Two of the Mackin election sharps have been discovered in Detroit and notified by the Republican committee that unless they preferred Jackson to Joliet they better return to their native heath.

The New York World, high democratic authority, publishes a canvass of New York State that gives Harrison 72,240 plurality down to Harlem river bridge, and as no democrat has ever been able to get over 60,000 in the cities of New York and Brooklyn and Long Island, it is fair to suppose that this means that New York is about to give the republicans its electoral vote, by the democratic estimate.

One of the four special correspondents sent into the South by the Detroit Evening News, met with a pretty plain promise in Laurens, South Carolina, of being ridden out of town on a rail, if he were seen talking to the "niggers". He might gather all the news he wanted but must talk to the whites exclusively. All write of acknowledged election frauds, but state that no violence is practiced now. There is no need of it. The "niggers" have discovered that there is no chance for them, and so make no effort to have any part in the elections, and consequently are not molested.

The democrats have run afoul of an unexpected obstruction. An English citizen of California wrote to Sackville West, the British minister at Washington, asking how he should vote in order to best advance the interests of their friends in England, and the minister very innocently wrote him a long letter, the gist of which was that he would make no mistake by voting for Cleveland. To say that the administration is mad is putting it mild. Mr. Lord West has been given his walking papers. Cleveland has no farther use for him here. This will not help the matter, however, as the true feeling of the British is out, and its effect cannot be recalled. It is the first example of a foreign minister meddling with our politics. If there was a doubt of the side England favors in the contest, the doubt is now removed beyond all question.

Judge Cowing, of New York, has just sent a man to Sing Sing two years and a half for fraudulent registration, and in parting with him gave him the following appropriate blessing:—Such scoundrels as you must be punished severely. Our constitutions depend upon the purity of the ballot, and such as you defile it. You cheat an honest man out of his vote by neutralizing the effect of his ballot. If I had the making of the laws, you would be punished more severely than you are now. It would be a blessing if every man who sells his vote or registers or votes illegally could not only be disfranchised, but could be sent out of the country entirely. I will severely punish every man brought before me for these crimes, no matter what his politics may be. As far as I am concerned, I am determined to do all I can.

Minister West has been started for 'ome in Iengland has penalty for simply informing one of his own countrymen that he could best farther the interests of his own country by voting for Cleveland.

The democrats are now offering \$2,000 to find the man who set the trap into which Minister West went, driving the democratic party before him. They do not state just what they will do with him, but Cleveland would doubtless insist upon a niche being prepared in the public museum at Washington for him.

Your First Vote.

My son, you will cast your first vote for President next November. I don't want to influence your vote. I don't want you to vote for a certain man just because certain other men do. I want you to sit down and think 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 man of progressive ideas I want you to be abreast of the world and shoulder to shoulder with the times when you walk up to the polls. I want you, on entering politics, to ally with the party that has the purest and most progressive record. I don't care a cent, my son, whether you are a Republican or Democrat. There are honest men, patriotic citizens, good Christians, in both parties. Only I don't want to see you walk up to the polls and cast your first vote with the party.

That held up human slavery as a divine institution;

That bought and sold men, women and children like so many mules; That fired on Ft. Sumter and the American flag;

That for nearly five years fought to destroy the Union;

That opposed the issue of greenbacks when the government was fairly perishing for want of them;

That organized mobs and riots to oppose the draft;

That swept American commerce from the seas with armed privateers; That is the party of Boss Tweed and Jefferson Davis;

That polls the heaviest majorities in 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 slandered Garfield and that assassinated Lincoln.

Now, as I bid before, my son, I don't care whether you are Republican or a Democrat. Choose for yourself. Just keep away from the crowd whose record I have briefly outlined. Find the party to whom you most belong, and there, before being swept away from it, you need not be particular with which party you unite, if you don't join that one. Always vote against that party, and you will always be about right. I am a Republican, but I will shake hands with fraternal love with any Democrat who votes against that record. That kind of a Democrat is always a good enough Republican for me. I have never found that kind of a Democrat.—Burdette.

Specimen of Chinese Ingenuity.

Messrs. E. Clavel and Bro. have received from San Francisco a wonderful piece of workmanship, which is a striking evidence of the patience, skill and ingenuity of the natives of the Celestial empire. It is intended as an Easter offering to the friends of the "gospel" in Turkey, and to outward appearances, nothing but such an egg as might be picked up in any farm yard. But inside of the shell there is such a delicate mechanism that an accurate description of it is well nigh impossible, and to get a fair idea of the limits to which human skill may reach it is necessary to see this marvel.

The arrangement is such that once in each hour the two shells, which are hinged at the base, fly apart.

spring, displaying to view a gorgeous tulip, so artistically and truthfully colored that one can hardly believe that it has been picked from the garden and instead of being a production of art. The petals of the tulip slowly unfold, opening one after the other, until the flower is fully blown. Within it stands a wee chime, which, with delicate mechanism, strikes the church stowly and faintly hands point the hour. The latter are so very small, that placed next to them, the finest needle seems monstrous.

The four strikes with a fairy-like tinkling, the church stowly and faintly hands point the hour. The latter are so very small, that placed next to them, the finest needle seems monstrous.

A Confederate Opinion.

General Richard Taylor, commander of an important military division of the southern confederacy during the war, wrote as follows of the causes which contributed to the overthrow of the confederacy:—"We made great mistakes. Had we avoided them we should have conquered you. The first was that we did not substantially destroy the protective features of the tariff in the winter season of 1867 and 1868 by an act which provided for a more rapid sliding scale of free trade. As a democratic measure we could have passed such a law, and held it tight on you till it closed the furnaces, workshops, woolen and cotton mills, and other barbaric works of the whole north and west, and scattered your workmen over the prairies and territories. When the war was ready for you, you would not have begun the war. You could not have armed and equipped an army in the field a larger army nor built up supplies, machinery and workmen, and you would have been without money and credit."

This statement is in itself a sufficient argument against the present democratic attempt to injure our industries. General Taylor is not so certain that the southern confederacy was entirely abandoned their purposes. They show great boldness in congress, resisting free suffrage and sacrificing northern industries by keeping those of the south intact.

State Items.

Alphram Isaac Solomon Edward Bouton has been arrested at Fort Union for peddling without a license. The city clerk did not have time enough to write that name, hence the lack of license.

Mable Swartout, of Warsaw, Lenawee county, complained of a sore spot in the ball of her left foot, and the doctor extracted the point of a needle which she says entered her system near the knee of her left limb a year before.

Ed. Dennedy, a lad of Chocology, killed three deer at one shot, last week, and takes the whole bakery. He had 14 buck shot in his gun and fired at three deer standing together in an opening. So says the Marquette Journal.

The Flushing coal-fid promised to turn out an excellent quality of fuel.

The Manistee board of supervisors refused to increase the salary of the prosecuting attorney to the stately figure of \$1,200 per annum, and Judge McAlvey, the Republican nominee for the place, resigned from the ticket.

Mrs. Amos Dewaters, of Nashville, was suffering from despondency, growing out of domestic troubles. Monday evening she placed a revolver at her breast and fired. The bullet tore through her right lung and came out at the shoulder. She will die.

There are many queer things in the moon.

Here's one from the Battle Creek Moon; J. H. Hame killed a chicken a day or two ago, that was a year old, and when his wife dressed it she discovered for the first time that the fowl had but one wing. It was a natural deformity, and had never been noticed by the family, as it had a little tuft of feathers which grew out where the wing should have been, but there was no bone or anything to take the place of the wing, the fowl was on the opposite side. "Jack" feels very sorry to think that he killed the fowl.

Out of the Breastworks.

TATE STRONG, TENN., July 4, 1888. The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga. Dear Sirs:—I have been afflicted with an old physician, retired from practice, had been placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all Throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe in German, French, or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYCK, 149 Power Block, Rochester, N. Y.

What does a man take when he has a mean wife? He takes an elixir (he licks her).

Happy and Hungry. For over five years I was a constant sufferer with that terrible and annoying disease, dyspepsia. After paying out hundreds of dollars, the only relief I found was in the use of any good Sulfur Bitters. Six bottles cured me. Now I can eat well and am hungry.—Editor.

It is the boarding-house keeper who is always grumbling for a living. She blushed.

awfully when I told her what to do for those horrid pimples with which she was afflicted. She now says if you want a pink and white complexion with a nice clear smooth skin, you must use that best of blood purifier, Sulphur Bitters.

Elsworth Ingalls, eldest son of the Kansas Senator, has been admitted to the bar at Atchison.

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VOZE TUESDAY.

REGISTER SATURDAY.

Two more months of 1888.

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ST. JOSEPH fisheries report high luck during the past few days.

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MR. JOSEPH ANSTISS is now the proud monarch of the finest dray in town.

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LENA BIBBS is the name of a South Bend lady. If she does not bring up in the right crowd on the judgment day, it will be no fault of name.

JOHN H. BULLA, of South Bend, is the owner of a \$1000, confederate bond with all but one of the coupons attached. It is valuable as a curiosity merely.

Mrs. J. E. DeMott, of Niles township, had her sixteenth birthday celebrated Thursday, by a gathering of over fifty last of her friends and neighbors.

THE barn and contents, on Peck & Imhoff's farm south of Gallien, was burned Sunday afternoon. No account can be given of the cause of the fire.

THE pole fever struck this town this Fall, harder than ever before. The man who does not have a political pole at the front of his residence is badly out of fashion.

THE prohibitionists put up a nice tamarack pole at Morley's corner Saturday. They had substantial aid in their undertaking, by a number of democrats who lifted hard.

J. F. TAYLOR, formerly of this place, late of Berrien Springs and Dowagiac, is opening a store in Niles. He will eventually know which is the best trading point in this vicinity.

BERT COURTYRIGHT was presented with a new B flat cornet, by the band boys, Tuesday evening. Yesterday was his birthday and they thought perhaps he might want it for the new year.

THE ancient pagan relic, Halloween, was celebrated by the young folks in this place, in the peculiar American way of removing gates from hinges and other like dicos.

WE learn that the Platt residence, on Fourth street, between Main and Sycamore, has been sold to Chas. A. Chapin for \$7,000. This place cost only a few years ago some \$60,000, but the seven years have taken an even \$1,000 each.—Niles Star.

It is quietly talked about that the democrats are going to have the grandest display ever held this side of Texas, in Buchanan, Saturday. This said they will raise another pole in "two minutes" or longer.

COLOMA takes the premium on the meanest man in Christendom. After stealing potatoes from a neighbor's garden, and thrashing a cripple for informing on him, skipped the country, and Coloma still lives.

THE prohibitionists claim they will poll from 800 to 1,000 votes in this county.—Berrien Springs Journal.

If they fall five or six hundred short of that, some one will certainly be disappointed.

FRANK DEWEY, while at work in the Osborn furniture factory Monday morning, struck his right hand against a ten-inch saw and took off three fingers. Drs. Spreng and Berrick dressed the wound.

THE Star proposes to open warfare upon the parents of Niles boys, between the ages of seven and fifteen who uses tobacco. That's right, twinkle the youngsters out of the filthy habit, and your career will not have been in vain.

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MISS CARRIE, eldest daughter of ex-sheriff J. W. Weimer, of Benton Harbor, was married at the home of her parents, Thursday evening, Oct. 25. Mr. Frank Welton, book-keeper in the bank of Benton Harbor, being the fortunate groom.

ONE of the Elkhardt police force named Burton, was fatally shot by a tough named Joe Barrett, while arresting him Saturday. Barrett is in jail at Goshen and will have a full legal sentence for his crime. There was considerable talk of lynching but it has subsided.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Oct. 30, '88: Mrs. Henry Fisher, Mrs. Sophie Cole, Mr. Henry Gagley, Mr. Frank Price, Mr. Eugene Bushell, Walter Bingham, Freeman Hall.

THE republican clubs and others to the number of over 300, went by special train to attend the republican meeting at Dowagiac, last Friday. Everything went smoothly with the exception that Frook Davis was along, and wherever he is in a crowd there is a racket. He was brought home in brackets, by deputy sheriff Palmer.

FIRE.—The fire alarm was sounded yesterday afternoon, a blaze having been discovered in the roof of Geo. Churchill's war room just east of his factory. The hand engine was promptly on hand and had the fire out before the steamer was ready to puff. Perhaps \$100, or \$150, will cover the damage.

This district should send a republican to the next legislature. We have a good candidate, in Mr. B. D. Harper, and should elect him, notwithstanding the adverse advantage. He has been foreman in this office for twenty-one years, and the Record knows him to be as able and straightforward a man as could be found in the district, is well known and most popular with those who know him best.

THE St. Joseph Republican publishes nearly a column of interviews with prominent St. Josephites who favor consolidation with Benton Harbor. The best thing the two towns can do, perhaps not so, however, for the rest of the county, as such a move will give that community at least two additional members on the board of supervisors. They could be safely trusted with this additional power, however.

THE annual American Fat Stock Show, in the exposition building in Chicago, will be open from November 13 to 24. Railroads leading into Chicago have agreed to sell tickets for one and one-third fair the round trip during the stock show. Persons wishing to avail themselves of this rate must obtain a certificate before starting and have it stamped by the secretary at the exposition building before returning.

THERE are a few who are inquiring if it be not a little soon to elect a man to the legislature before he has paid any tax in the state. This is hardly fair for Mr. Aleshire, for he most likely has paid his corporation tax this year. Before that he has had no tax, even to poll tax, being a member of the fire company, except perhaps for the first year he was here. This, however, should not deprive him from being our representative, if he can get votes enough.

OCTOBER 24, 1888, a few relatives and friends were gathered at the residence of J. V. Paxon, near Lakeside, to witness the marriage of Mr. Ira D. Wagner and Miss Carrie Belle Paxon, at 12 M. The ceremony was performed by Elder Spafford, of New Buffalo. The bride was faultlessly attired in white, and the groom looked his best. After partaking of a sumptuous repast, the happy pair started on their tour for a visit with friends in Chicago and Pullman.

THERE are some parents in this town who should understand that the place for the youngsters is in school. There is no excuse for their being kept out. The laws of this state are not built for the purpose of growing a lot of ignoramuses. If they have not clothes or books there is a means provided for furnishing them. There is also a punishment provided for the parent who fails to keep his children in school. The officers of the district have a duty to perform in this connection.

THE opening of the Buchanan Manufacturing company's trouble, came Friday morning, by the posting of 20 ties of chattel mortgage sale of all the personal property of the company by Levi Redden and Stephen Earl, assignees of Minnie Weisgerber, to take place next Wednesday, Nov. 7. These gentlemen hold the mortgages covering the property of the company, and have commenced the process of taking possession. There is evidently considerable close figuring being done, and the small stock holders will watch with interest as the settlement progresses. The most of the debts of the company will be paid.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. No. 370. Laura Kennedy, Shelby. Anna Bowden, Benton. 371. Ira D. Wagner, Buchanan. Carrie B. Paxon, Berrien county. 372. Amos S. Stewart, Bertrand. Ella Everts, Niles. 373. Henry Mitchell, Buchanan. Carrie Hall. 374. Henry C. Dorroh, Stevensville. Ida Mary S. Fritz. 375. James Letch, Benton Harbor. Melissa Frisby. 376. Frank Hotchin, Benton. Mary W. Hendrix, Hagar. 377. Frank Welton, Benton Harbor. Carrie M. Weimer. 378. Elton M. Hulsen, Watervliet. Della Lewis, Bainbridge. 379. William K. White, Three Oaks. Ellen F. Beebe.

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THE St. Joseph river is to be dredged and its navigable qualities otherwise improved the spring. The past season the water was so low in many places that it was absolutely dangerous for lake fish to undertake summer excursions to Berrien county's capital.

THE second act in the Buchanan manufacturing company's settlements appeared yesterday in the posting of notices by J. L. Richards, assignee of A. F. Ross, as cashier of Farmer and Manufacturers' bank, of the bank's share of the mortgage under which Redden and Earl have advertised to sell, as assignees of Minnie Weisgerber of her share of the same mortgage, notifying whom it may concern that the advertised sale will be illegal. Better get all parties interested together in a room, have a doorkeeper with instruction to shoot the first man who gets mad or says a cross word, and stay there until it settles the matter without paying all the institution is worth to the Niles lawyers. They have not had such rich anticipations in a decade. There are a hundred men out of employment, a lot of good democrats moving out of town just before election, a good trade going to the winds and no one being benefited by it. Settle up and start the show.

OUR democratic neighbor, the Enterprise, spent a column or more of its valuable space last week in the publication of the oft refuted yarn about Oliver plows being sold in Canada for \$10, and American farmers being to either \$14. If the editor had gone to either of our hardware dealers for information instead of to a democrat member of congress he would have learned that the retail price of the largest plow made by the South Bend firm is \$10 in Buchanan, unless the farmer wants the jointer and coultter, which cost \$4 more, here and in Canada alike. But, on the other hand, but very few Oliver plows are sold in Canada since the enforcement of the Canadian protective tariff, which keeps them out, and Canadian plows are being used. Although it has been furnished the proof, it does not publish the refutation. It made a terrible howl not long since because it thought the Record had trampled on Brother Dickie's toes hard enough to make a democratic foot ache.

C. L. S. C.—The meeting of the Alphas, last Monday evening, was well attended, the quality of the lesson was good and as a result the enthusiasm for the Chautauquan work runs high. The course of readings for the year embraces the following: An outline history of Greece. Preparatory Greek course in English. College Greek course in English. Popular Zoology and Chemistry. The Character of Jesus, The Modern Church in Europe, together with the required readings in the Chautauquan. It is hoped that the spirit of emulation and a desire for higher culture will lead to the organization of another circle as large as the Alphas, which now numbers forty-four members.

THE next meeting will be held at Miss Maria Samson's, Nov. 12, at 7 o'clock with the following program: Roll Call—Response about November. Paper—Athens and Sparta contrasted. Pronunciation list, "Number one". History, Chapter VIII, each member to find a written question. Battle of Maribon, Mrs. Michael. Critic, Mrs. N. E. Smith.

Niles Republican. Dr. J. B. Glenn is confined to his house by a sprained ankle. He tried to jump over a picket fence, but 190 pounds of him failed to get over, hence the accident. Alderman Smith had the bridge of his nose somewhat damaged on the train which came in from Goshen on Tuesday night. He was trying to act as penman in a little rumour and was rewarded with a whack on the nose.

NEW TROY. The glee club and our band and thirteen loads of people went from here to Sawyer to hear the Republican speech of Messrs. Edwards and Watson, on the 25th. The 27th Gov. Sparks told his experience to about twenty democratic voters. So you see by these straws how the wind blows. A couple of our townsmen went to Brigman to help fill the hall, and to hear the want-to-be representative for the democrats. We have forgotten his name. The republicans will raise a very large pole and a twenty-foot flag, on Nov. 1. Ex. U. S. Senator Ferry and the State Atty. Gen. and others are billed to speak in the afternoon and evening.

STATE ITEMS. Postmaster Aintley, of Williamston, is still missing, and an investigation of his books shows a shortage of \$150. A black bear, weighing 300 pounds was killed on a farm near Homer, Saturday. Two dogs were rendered harmless before Bruin was brought down.

The cat crop of the Agricultural college farm averaged to bushels per acre this year. Just plain, common everyday oats.

A certain Wyandotte lady is the mother of nine children who were born in four batches. Three times she gave birth to twins and once to triplets. All are alive—and doing well.

Miss Sadie Owen, of Pontiac, has broken a pair of mustangs and driven them from home to Saginaw. And still the discussion "Is marriage a failure?" goes on.

A Port Huron horse, property of Archie Dever, has learned from his owner the filthy habit of chewing tobacco. Literally he makes a beast of himself.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Eli Smith, esteemed and old residents of Salem, the gentlemen being brothers, celebrated their double golden wedding Thursday.

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WE can suit you on any kind of Lamp you want, in style or price. TREAT BROS. ON and after this date, our lot of Bread will be of one size and 5c per loaf. BISHOP & KENT'S. If you are in need of Tinware, Glassware, and a thousand other articles, call at MORRIS FAIR. Hats done over, at MRS. BINNEN'S. Smoke 1st Brigade at BISHOP & KENT'S. If you want to save money buy your goods at MORRIS FAIR. Fresh Pan Candy at BISHOP & KENT'S. FOR SALE—A Coal Stove and Bath Tub. DR. SPRENG. The purser of the P. O. N. D. can fit you out with a neat purse that will suit you for little money. P. O. NEWS DEPOT. Buy your Whips of JAKE BAKER and get a patent lock socket. All sold together for \$1. We are to the front once more with the handsomest line of Hanging Lamps ever brought to town. TREAT BROS. OH, HO! MEGAN & HUNT want everybody thinking of buying Furniture to call on them, at Buchanan, Mich. New styles of Four-in-Hand Ties, at MORRIS FAIR. If you have a Watch or Clock that will not run, take them to J. J. ROE. He can fix them. Owing to the rush of business last Saturday, May Tremmel will have another full line of Millinery in this week. Go and see. If you have but \$1 to invest in a Hat, you will save twenty-five cents of that by buying of MAY TREMMEL. Ten thousand Pocket Books just received, and will almost be given away, at MORRIS FAIR. If you want Wall Paper, go to J. J. ROE's and see new styles and get prices. You will be astonished to see how cheap Mr. Roe is selling paper. To arrive next week! Biggest line of Toys ever brought to Buchanan, at MORRIS FAIR. MONEY TO LOAN. As the attorney for parties controlling a large sum of money, I am prepared to receive applications for and make loans on first-class business, residence and farm property, in Berrien and Cass counties, in sums of \$1,000 to \$5,000, on 3 to 5 years time at 6, 7 1/2 and 7 per cent interest, according to amount, etc. Niles, Oct. 8, 1888. THEO. G. BEAVER, Attorney at Law. Before buying your Millinery call at MAY TREMMEL's and be convinced that you will save money by patronizing one who buys of eastern houses. New goods every week. A splendid new stock of "King's" Spectacles expected this week. Have your eyes fitted. Prices low. Satisfaction guaranteed. J. HARVEY ROE. That crate of Luster Band Dishes has arrived. Call and examine prices, at J. BLAKE'S. DON'T FORGET. We are selling home made Fancy Baking, and the finest line of Groceries for the least money in Michigan. Yours, MORGAN & CO. Caramels 30 cents per pound at BISHOP & KENT'S. Clover and Timothy at the Seed Emporium. Go to HIGH & DUNCAN for bargains in cloaks. Ladies, if you want any Millinery Goods call on us as we make the lowest prices and give you nobby styles at BOYLE & BAKER'S. Dress Goods, all colors and prices, found at HIGH & DUNCAN'S. Look at our line of Cloaks before you buy is all we ask. BOYLE & BAKER. My stock of Boots and Shoes is now full. Call and learn prices before buying. J. K. WOODS. If you want a fine Hair or Clothes Brush, you can find it at BARMORE'S. We show the nicest line of Plush Wraps. Come and see for yourselves. BOYLE & BAKER. Fine large Chamois Skins cheap, at BARMORE'S. A new lot of Hanging Lamps will be sold cheap, at J. BLAKE'S. Have you seen our Plushes. We have the best in town, for the money. Come let us show you. HIGH & DUNCAN. Ladies, we are sending out some very nice Hats. We can please you on low prices at BOYLE & BAKER'S. For Plush Cloaks go to HIGH & DUNCAN'S for bargains. For Flannel Shirting of all kinds, come and see ours, as we have most everything you want. HIGH & DUNCAN. It will pay you to trade with HIGH & DUNCAN. Ladies, we are making a specialty in fancy Dress Goods. For correct styles and the lowest prices, call on us as we will show you the largest line. BOYLE & BAKER. Don't buy, don't buy your Dry Goods and Millinery until you price them at BOYLE & BAKER'S. FOR RENT.—One of the best located Store rooms in Buchanan, just refitted, painted, papered, &c. Inquire of J. M. ROE. Go to HIGH & DUNCAN for Bargains. Nobby hats and Novel Millinery will be displayed at MAY TREMMEL'S Friday and Saturday, Sept. 14 and 15. Look at the Broadcloths and learn prices, we have all shades at BOYLE & BAKER'S. It is no mistake, we show the best line of Dress Goods in town. BOYLE & BAKER. FARM FOR SALE.—A farm of 99 acres. For particulars enquire of A. C. ROE. Our 5 and 10 cent counter is stocked full of new goods again. MORRIS FAIR. We show and sell the best Cotton Bating for the money in town. HIGH & DUNCAN.

C. A. SIMONDS & CO., BOOTS & SHOES, 43 MAIN STREET, NILES, MICH. We have the largest stock in Berrien County, and will always divide profits with Buchanan customers. IT WILL PAY YOU TO COME AND SEE US. Call and see the fancy Water Sets at J. BLAKE'S. A fine assortment of dishes at TREAT BROS. I HAVE two Mason & Hamlin Organs for sale on the easiest possible terms. Also one Mason & Hamlin Piano, new, and one second-hand square Piano for sale cheap. J. G. HOLMES. For the next 30 days you can buy Seersucker and other Summer Goods, at W. L. HOGUE & Co's, at prime cost. The Best Tooth Brush is the Daisy, BARMORE. New Dress Goods come rolling in our store every day. We are bound to show you the noblest line in the city. Look at ours before you buy. BOYLE & BAKER. Ladies, something new in Hats. You will find them at BOYLE & BAKER'S. Flannel Shirting now for sale at CHARLIE HIGHS'S. Staley Yarns always in Stock at CHARLIE HIGHS'S. Look at the New Goods at BOYLE & BAKER'S. Call and see us, and we will sell you Goods as cheap as the cheapest. MORGAN & CO. HIGH & DUNCAN are giving the best inducements ever offered in Dry Goods in Buchanan. Go and see them. Lots of New Goods at CHARLIE HIGHS'S. We have the largest assortment of Cigars and Tobacco, in Berrien county at MORRIS FAIR. FOR SALE, some of the nicest and best located Lots in town. GRAHAM. DRESS-MAKING. Miss Elmira Burrus is prepared to do dress-making in the latest styles and give good work. Call at her home on Day's Avenue, near the depot. LOOK HERE! Boots, Shoes and Rubbers in endless variety, at YEAVER & CO'S. Call and see TRENBETH'S Fall and Winter Suitings. 10 Farms For Sale. In Berrien and Cass Counties, Mich., and Laporte county, Indiana, near the Michigan State line. Will sell in quantity from 40 to 160 acres. All of my lands are well improved, and the price varies from \$25 to \$85 per acre. Can sell four 40 acre parcels separately. Terms—One-third down, balance in ten or more annual payments with six per cent interest. 480 acres of my land is in Weesaw, Berrien county. This land is all the very best soil, and little perfect. JEROME WALTON, 23ms Ypsilanti, Mich. TRENBETH has his stock of FALL AND WINTER GOODS. W. O. HAMILTON will sell good Milk and as cheap as anybody.

Citizens' National Bank, NILES, MICH. DIRECTORS: J. B. MILLARD, President. O. F. BARNES, Vice President. E. F. WOODCOCK, Cashier. W. H. HUTTON, Asst. Cashier. Citizens' National Bank, NILES, MICH. New and Second-Hand. Tablets, Slates, Pencils, In fact, everything in School Books and School Supplies for both town and country schools. ALSO A NEW LINE OF Wall Paper and Borders, W. H. KEELER'S DRUG STORE, One Door East of Post Office. BUCHANAN, MICH. JUST RECEIVED, A LINE OF Ladies' & Children's Cloaks AT Samson's New Store, TO BE Closed Out at Cost or Less. New Cloakings, Flannels, Dress Goods, Plushes, Velvets and Dress Trimmings. Please call and examine goods and prices before buying. J. M. SAMSON, HOTEL BLOCK, BUCHANAN!

Why Freeze or Starve? When GARLAND STOVES AND RANGES "The Worlds Best" Can be Bought of ROE BROS. In Any Size or Style at Reasonable Prices. COME AND SEE. This cut represents a Ladies Cloth Ulster at \$7.50. We also offer similar garments in plain, check and stripes at \$5.00, \$4.00, \$3.00, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50, \$1.00, and upwards to \$30.00. We also offer fine Seal Plush Mojestans at \$15.00, \$12.50, \$10.00, \$8.00, \$6.00, \$4.00, and \$2.50. We offer Seal Plush Sacks 40 and 42 inches long, at \$17.00, \$20.00, \$22.00, \$24.00, \$26.00, \$28.00, up to \$50.00. Misses' Gretchen and Ulsters in stripes, checks, plaid and plain from \$2.00 to \$15. We think we are prepared to fit any one from the smallest up to 48 inch bust measure. If it is not asking too much, would you please step in and take a look at our Cloak stock. SHAWLS. For fear you might want a Shawl after you have bought a Cloak, or may be you want a Shawl before you do a Cloak, or may be you won't have anything but a Shawl, in either case we want to say we have a lot of Beaver Shawls for \$2.50 worth \$5.00. We have a lot of Beaver Shawls at \$6.00 worth \$10.00. We have a lot of fancy and plain heavy warm Shawls for \$2.00 up to \$15.00. We have our store so full of goods bought at our own price that five cents worth of goods would make them run over the top of the building. If you want a Cloak, a Shawl, or anything we have to sell, it will pay you to see what our prices are before buying. COME AND SEE US. GEO WYMAN & CO. South Bend.



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ABOUT HALLOWEEN.

THE FATEFUL EVENING THAT PRECEDES ALL SOULS DAY.

Some of the Charms and Spells Which Belong to It—Old Superstition and Modern Mischief—Maidens Who Try to Read Their Future.

HE festival of All Saints comes on the 1st of November. Sometimes it is called All Hallows, or All Holy, for "hallow" comes from "holly" and has the same signification. The evening preceding this, which is the eve of the festival, is called Hallow even, or Hallowe'en.

It is originally a very ancient festival, and is now a very popular one. It is a time when the people are very superstitious, and believe in many things which are now considered as mere childish notions.

Superstitions change with the years. They were once very common, but now they are only a relic of a more superstitious age. The one pertaining to cabbage was formerly translated to mean that no thrifty persons permitted their cabbages to stand in the ground as late as the first of November.

It is the light of the moon, and throwing them at the doors of said owners. This practice still obtains in villages and towns which are blessed with lady who class cabbage pulling and throwing as humor.

Since witches and fairies have vanished their hallowe'en has been kept up by able bodied fairies of full mischief with sympathy with the spirit of mischief supposed to belong to the little brown people.

Hallowe'en has been the source of much exciting fiction, which proves highly fascinating to people who like tales with spells, charms, prophecies and their fulfillments in their. Stories of maidens who restlessly peered into the future on that fateful night and saw what they wished not to see come every year and make the vain wish that they were dead, or that they would not be written. It is said that they are even read by those who pretend to be greatly surprised by the predictions which come so thick and fast upon them as they look back over their own lives.

October is a grave, almost mournful, month, full of unbroken sadness and the melancholy brightness of dying leaves. It is fitting that its last hours should be dedicated to weird and strange fancies. It has in it some of the warm splendors of the summer and the dumb despair of the winter.

LA CROSSE'S PUBLIC BUILDING. Uncle Sam Pays \$120,000 for His Office in That City.

Buildings in many larger cities. It will be a decidedly handsome structure, and is being



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very substantially and thoroughly built from the concrete foundation to the top of the handsome tower which adorns one corner, rising 130 feet in the air.

According to the architect's plans, the building will consist of three stories, a basement, and a tower, the latter being a visible magnificent view of La Crosse and the surrounding country. The walls of the first two stories are of massive granite set on a polished granite base.

The tower is a square, and is a very prominent feature of the building. It is a very handsome structure, and is a very prominent feature of the building.

There is one old time habit that used to be widely prevalent in the United States, especially in the west and south—the tobacco chewing habit. For some years past it has been declining, and is now almost entirely extinct.

MY LORD SACKVILLE.

HE IS THE BRITISH MINISTER TO THE UNITED STATES.

And He Has Kicked Up a Great Row by Writing a Letter Giving His Opinion of American Institutions—History of His Lordship.

At the head of the diplomatic circle—of the most exclusive of the innumerable circles of Washington—stands the British minister.

Lord Sackville is the son of the fifth Earl of Warwick, and was born July 19, 1827. He entered the diplomatic service in 1847 as attaché to the legation at Lisbon. In 1853 he was appointed first paid attaché at Berlin, and secretary of legation at Turin in 1858, and in 1861 he was appointed first secretary at Berlin, and in 1862 he was appointed first secretary at Berlin, and in 1862 he was appointed first secretary at Berlin.

St. Louis has three beautiful daughters—Victoria, Flora and Annela. They are all charming girls. Victoria is the oldest, and has presided over her father's house for five years. Miss Flora was married last June to Mr. Richard Salinas. Miss Annela made her debut last winter, and is the most popular of the three.



NEW BRIDGE AT OMAHA.

For many years there was but one bridge between Council Bluffs, Ia., and Omaha, Neb., and that was the Union Pacific Railroad's structure. One of the strangest sights on the western river is the bridge over the Big Muddy, which is a long train of box cars without ends, coupled close together and with their ends removed into which the man

who wished to cross the river with a wagon must drive on the top of the bridge. Now all this is changed. The handsome new structure here pictured has just been opened and is located half a mile to the south of the old bridge. It is a very handsome structure, and is a very prominent feature of the building.

Scattering Votes in New York. In New York state previous to 1883 the tables were turned upon the voters together as "scattering." Of these 11,074 in 1883 were cast for Howe, Greenback candidate for governor, and in 1884 for the same candidate for secretary of state. In the latter year the prohibition candidate for secretary had 18,816 votes. In 1884 two judges of the court of appeals, and a justice of the supreme court, were elected almost unanimously, receiving 1,059,415 votes against 31,500 for all others. These were Judges Andrews and Rapallo.

ACROSS ASIA BY RAIL.

THE GREAT SCHEME OF THE RUSSIAN BEAR.

Occur with Dands of Steel and Open to the World Territories Now Out of Reach.

From the time when John C. Fremont recommended a railroad to the Pacific coast in 1842, the project has been a dream of the Union Pacific railroad, American looked forward to the uniting of the Atlantic and Pacific by rail. And now, a quarter of a century after the first attempt, the spike of the road which brought about the desired result, the Russians are projecting a road which will join the Atlantic and Pacific coasts, and open up the vast territory between them.

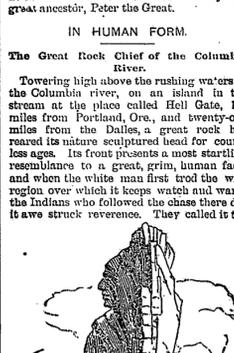
A connection between Russia, in Europe, and the Pacific coast has long been desired, and the project has been a dream of the Union Pacific railroad, American looked forward to the uniting of the Atlantic and Pacific by rail.

It is expected that even this opening of communication will have a marked effect. We are sure that the project will be a success, and that it will be a great benefit to the world.

There is a political feature connected with the building of the railroad. The Chinese boundary is at present unprotected, and it would be impossible for Russia to place an army at any point on the coast. It is a question, however, if the road would be better for Russian military operations, and if it would be a benefit to the world.

IN HUMAN FORM.

The Great Rock Chief of the Columbia River. Towering high above the rushing waters of the Columbia river, on an island in the stream at the place called Hell Gate, 107 miles from Portland, Ore., and twenty-one miles from the Dalles, a great rock stands in the river, and is a very prominent feature of the building.



A STATUE OF A SAINT.

It is the Work of an American Woman, Studying Art in Europe. Miss Edmonia Lewis, a clever young American sculptress, has just returned to her home in Rome, having just finished and unveiled a statue of a saint, which is a very prominent feature of the building.

THE GREAT CHIEF OF THE COLUMBIA. "Great Chief of the Columbia River," and attributed to it the most wonderful power. This great and curious rock, of which the accompanying cut is an excellent representation, undoubtedly served as a model for the "Great Chief" which the Indians used to carve with wonderful patience from enormous tree trunks.

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SELF A COMPASSIONATE JOURNALIST, AND EVEN NOW IS A REGULARLY CONTRIBUTOR TO MANY AMERICAN JOURNALS.

This was accompanied with the portrait which is here reproduced. The London Fall Mail Gazette also published this portrait, with a highly complimentary notice of the work for the Crofts. But alas for the gifted lady! She was so unfortunate as to be married to a man who was a very poor husband, and who was a very poor husband.

Miss Gordon Bailie is Mary Ann Sutherland, daughter of a Dundee laundress, and (as is alleged) of a Scotch earl. From her father she inherited a very aristocratic appearance, and from her mother an equal share of personal beauty. Following her mother's example she early became the mistress of a wealthy old man, and learned enough of the ways of the world to live her life through adventures. She is, in truth, quite accomplished and intelligent; has traveled extensively, and speaks two or three languages. She is a very prominent feature of the building.

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My Poor Back! HUMPHREYS' HOMEOPATHIC SPECIFICS. Wells, Richardson & Co., Proprietors, Burlington, Vermont.

DIAMOND MEDICINE CO. A GENERAL BLOOD PURIFIER. 77 State Street, - Detroit, Mich.

DR. BREWER. Respectfully calls your attention to the following cured by his method of treating Chronic Diseases.

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COIT'S HONEST HOUSE PAINT. COIT'S FLOOR PAINT. COIT'S ROOF PAINT.

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CORSETS. BOYLE & BAKER'S. Featherbone is elastic and gives the support desired, yet is not harsh and unyielding but is ABSOLUTELY UNBREAKABLE. Correct in form; graceful and comfortable. No side steels used. Perspiration and laund drying does not injure them. For sale at