

Business Directory.

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A. M.—Buchanan Lodge No. 68 holds a regular meeting Monday evening on or before 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.

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He dipped up some, and with trembling hands raised it to his lips. It sent up a strange odor, but in his madness of thirst he swallowed a large quantity of it, and what remained he poured into the water pail, for he knew that Jake would be at it before morning. The miserable man made a reach for the dogs, and when he saw that they were empty, he went to the water pail, for he knew that Jake would be at it before morning. The miserable man made a reach for the dogs, and when he saw that they were empty, he went to the water pail, for he knew that Jake would be at it before morning.

He did beg of him that he would give her the bottle which he had, and let her keep it for him until to-morrow; but he was too cunning for that, and as soon as he could get away, he went out in the shed, and having taken another sip, he hid the bottle in the wood pile. Toward the latter part of the afternoon, Uncle Eben Bolster came to see Jake, and when he saw that the water was gone, he went to the water pail, for he knew that Jake would be at it before morning.

He was a very funny sort of a man. He was everybody's uncle, so everybody called him "Uncle Eben." He had been sixty years of life, and his hair was very gray, but few men could do more work in a day than he could, and he could do it better. One fall, Uncle Eben was a man to help him finish his harvesting, and then go into the woods with him. Jake Sawyer presented himself, and the old man hired him. Jake was a hard-working man, about forty years of age, and stout and strong.

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Gen. R. A. Alger will spend the summer in Alaska.

A British syndicate is buying all of the Michigan breweries. One in Detroit was sold Tuesday for one million dollars.

The cigarette bill failed to get through both branches of the legislature, but they made a law prohibiting the sale of tobacco in any form to any one under seventeen years of age, under penalty of a fine ranging from \$5 to \$50. This covers the ground of the other and more.

Grand Rapids is to have a permanent exposition. The building is to span the Grand river, will be 580 feet long, 125 feet wide, and will cost \$150,000. What a picnic for next spring's freshet, when Grand river gets out on its annual tear?

A religious class, supposed to be Mormon missionaries, are creating great excitement in Douglas county, Illinois, by breaking up families—separating husbands and their wives, and inducing young ladies to join them. The Rev. Mr. Nelson, leader of the band at Tuscola, was attacked by masked men Tuesday, he claims, with murderous intent, but escaped, and left the city on the first train.

The initiatory steps have been taken by South Dakota, North Dakota, Montana and Washington territories for their admission as states, but these territories will not be fully organized as states till the elections for state officers, legislatures and representatives to congress Oct. 4, and the proclamation of the President declaring them admitted as states in the union after the returns are received. This will increase the number of states and the number of stars on the flag from thirty-eight to forty-two.

The Senate committee, to whom was referred the liquor tax bill that has passed the house, appears to fear the feelings of the liquor dealers of this state. The committee cut down the amount of taxes fixed by the house, the plea being that many of the small groggeries cannot afford to pay the high tax of \$600 for retailing either beer or whisky. The prime object of the high tax is just that thing, that the groggeries may not be able to pay it and must close. The manner in which the members of the committee fought for the dealer does not look very favorable for progressive temperance legislation by this legislature. That is what is demanded by the state, and the members of the senate ought to understand it.

There is apparently a fight on hand between this country and England over the seal fisheries in Behring's sea. The British government has sent two gun boats to that point to protect Canadian boats in the killing of young seal, and the government at Washington has sent three of the American war ships there to see that United States interests are not interfered with. Secretary Blaine claims that when the United States bought Alaska, she bought all of Russia's rights connected with that country, among which was control of the seal of Behring's sea. England tried the same tactics with Russia, but when Russia showed fight the question was settled by arbitration against England. A conflict between the forces now on the way to the sealing grounds may lead to serious international complications, the end of which cannot be seen. One thing is certain, the American rights will be protected whatever may be the end.

Gen. Fisk has been interviewed some more, and now declares that he will help elect any candidate to the legislature, Republican or Democrat, who will vote right on the temperance question. Says Fisk: "I want the local law of 1888 restored. That was a long step in advance, and to repeat it was to turn from the right to the darkness of ignorance." There is some reason left under the general's hat.—Detroit Tribune.

Served Him Right. PORT HURON, May 27.—On the afternoon of May 11 a colored tramp entered the house of John Gillis, a farmer living about four miles west of this city, and made a brutal assault on Mrs. Gillis, beating and kicking and stamping on her prostrate body. Mrs. Gillis was alone with her five-year-old daughter at the time, although she offered strong resistance she was finally overcome and the brute accomplished his purpose. A large posse of farmers scoured the country for the man, but did not succeed in finding him. The Port Huron police, however, discovered him hiding in the woods near the city. Sunday morning, May 12, and lodged him in jail. He gave the name of Albert Martin, and was a mixed blood, short, thick-set and brutish in appearance. Mrs. Gillis identified him as her assailant. The tracks about the Gillis house also identified him. As they fitted a torn shoe that Martin wore, Mrs. Gillis was terribly maltreated and has been under a physician's care, lying in a precarious condition ever since. She is now expected to survive her injuries. This morning a party of twenty masked men suddenly appeared in the streets of the city. No one seems to know whence they came. They proceeded directly to the jail, forced the doors, took Martin from his cell and dragged him down the street. Arriving at the Seventh street bridge they put a rope around his neck and swung him off, not at all being in sight of the director of the governor, A. M. still swings from the bridge.

The Gettysburg Celebration. Many letters of inquiry are daily received at the governor's office concerning the \$5,000 appropriated to defray the expenses to Gettysburg of the soldiers who took part in the battle. The amount voted is to be expended under the direction of the governor, and is to be applied to pay the transportation only of the needy survivors who wish to attend the unveiling of the monuments next month. The plan of the distribution is evidently not well understood. As far as possible it will be distributed through the regimental organizations. Where these do not exist the veterans are requested to report directly to the governor stating their company and regiment. If unable to do this in time they can pay their own expenses to Gettysburg and the cost of transportation will be refunded to them here. Where veteran organizations exist the distribution will be required to turn over to the governor a certified pay roll, giving the names of all veterans assisted.—State Republican.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

Niles has been slightly agitated over the report said to have come from one of the prominent Michigan Central men, that the division shops of that company are to be located in this place. We have known in Buchanan for some time of such talk by the company, also that it was being seriously considered. Also that the surveys made by the company's engineers during the early spring had that move for one of its objects, but did not think for a moment that anything of the kind should in any way affect the nervous people in Niles. That city has no mortgage on the Michigan Central railroad nor the Michigan City shops. Did it ever occur to you how the old park and the level plain lying east of it, would look full of Michigan Central shops and side-tracks?

The township clerk has received notice of the appointment to Buchanan township for library purposes of \$156.82, and the following amounts to the several school districts of Buchanan township, of the semi-annual apportionment of primary school interest fund: School district No. 1, \$394.20; school district No. 2, \$277.44; school district No. 3, \$309.42; school district No. 4, \$300.08; school district No. 5, \$51.83; school district No. 6, \$24.82; school district No. 7, \$16.79, making a total of \$358.64. This gives our township library \$259.82 for the coming year. The extra amount over what is usually received from the county in fines can be credited to the grand jury, about which there was so much disturbance last spring. Let us have another grand jury.

The portion of Berrien county lying along the route between St. Joseph and South Bend is divided into three sections on the railroad question. One is positive that Burns will build the road and that Dallin is doing nothing that can ever amount to anything. The other believes that Dallin is sure to have the only feasible road that can be built, and the Burns interest can never be of any account. The third is far beyond the reach of any possible argument, that a north and south road through Buchanan will ruin the town beyond redemption, and consequently we should fight it. There is still another, of small numbers, who believe that some one is going to build the road. Dallin and Burns both say they are going to, and there appears to be no reasonable excuse for not believing both of them. There is one thing of importance for Buchanan to look well for and that is if both be built they must both be built through Buchanan. The Record believes that the more railroads we can have running through Buchanan, the merrier, and that we do not want any of them built within three or four miles of Buchanan, and not run through the village.

MEMORIAL DAY.—Following is the program of exercises to be given in Buchanan this (Thursday) afternoon: 1st. Fire Department will meet at Engine House No. 1 at 1:30 p. m. and headed by Buchanan Band, march to G. A. R. Hall to receive the G. A. R. S. O. V. and W. R. C. 2d. Procession will form march to foot of Day's avenue, and counter-march to Dough's Opera House. 3d. Music by Buchanan Band and Male Quartet. 4th. Address by Rev. W. J. Cogshall. 5th. After services at Opera House, the procession will re-form in the following order: Buchanan Cornet Band. The Fire Department as escort. Sons of Veterans. Grand Army of the Republic and other veterans. Woman's Relief Corps. Common Council, Civic Societies, and citizens generally. March to Oak Ridge cemetery, where the Memorial services of the G. A. R. will be used. Returning the G. A. R., S. O. V. and W. R. C. will be re-escorted to their Halls. A free concert will be given by the Buchanan and Three Oaks Cornet Bands in the evening.

Marriage Licenses. Jas. Welch, South Bend. Ellen Garman, Buchanan. Wm. Dennis, Bathbridge. Barbara Fritz, Dowagiac. Wm. G. Emery, Hagar. Flora M. Curtis. Frank Murphy, Benton Harbor. Carrie B. Webb, Bathbridge. Mortimer Ives, Benton. Minnie Green. August F. Artus, Gallien. Lena Salsbury, New Buffalo. Walter E. Hathaway, Sodus. Edna Treat, Miles Tp. Wm. W. Marble, Benton Harbor. Louisa Breaman. Christine Galhart, Niles. Louisa Rutshaw. Fay Brown, Three Oaks. Della Shanks. Robert N. Goodrich, Benton Harbor. Rosa Murdoch, Hartford.

At half past two o'clock Saturday morning at Eau Claire, 14 miles north of the one-story frame house, near the Methodist church, owned and occupied by Mr. R. R. Russell and wife, was discovered to be on fire by Mr. Geo. Pooler, a deaf mute, who happened to be out at this hour. He ran to the house, broke in the door and awakened Mr. and Mrs. Russell, who had barely time to gather up a handful of clothing and get out of the building before the roof fell in. No doubt the prompt action of Mr. Pooler saved their lives. The alarm of fire soon brought together a crowd of citizens, who, by heroic efforts, together with the Methodist church from burning, the roof having caught from sparks. Their efforts to save any portion of the Russells house were unavailing and it burned to the foundation, together with all the contents except one or two pieces of furniture. The building was insured for about \$300 and was probably worth two or three times that amount.—Niles Star.

Mr. W. A. Palmer, of this place, was called upon to settle for damages done the church. Three Oaks and Buchanan bands are to play together on Memorial Day at Buchanan. The Buchanan boys came up Sunday, got the Three Oaks band and went out into the country about a mile to see if they could play together. They could.—Quill.

The following, from the Chicago Inter Ocean of May 23, is of interest to a number of the business men of this place: The noted case of William Nicholson, of Streator, Ill., against Mr. Julius Moses, of the same city, was tried before Judge Blanchard in circuit court at Ottawa on Monday last. Mr. Moses was a member of the Merchants' Retail Commercial Agency which has its general offices at No. 53 Dearborn street, this city. Nicholson sued Moses for conspiracy and defamation of character. Judge Blanchard held in his decision, that the agency was an equal footing with Bradstreet's and Dun's, and differed only in that the latter protected the wholesale, while the former protected the retail merchants against dishonest customers; and when a debtor would not pay his debts to one merchant, he was permitted to do so with another, by compelling the first merchant to keep silent as to his loss. The decision is the first recorded with regard to such a case, and considered of great importance among retail merchants who do a credit business.

Corrected. Last week we copied from the Kalamazoo Telegraph an item stating that a lady, claiming to hail from this county, was in Lansing asking the legislature to restore to her forty acres of land in Royalton township, which she claimed that Hon. R. D. Dix had swindled her out of. In correction of this charge, we have secured the following statement of the case from the County Clerk who made the record of the case: BERRIEN SPRINGS, Mich., May 27, 1880. Dear Sir:—In the last issue of your paper I noticed a quotation from the Kalamazoo Telegraph alleging, among other things, that the Hon. Rosco D. Dix, of Berrien Springs, had been charged by one Mrs. Harriet C. Speight with aiding some parties in defrauding her, Mrs. Speight, out of forty acres of land in Royalton township, this county and state.

The records of this office show that on the 23d day of October, 1856, John Hollywood and his brother Robert filed in chancery, through their attorney, Mr. N. A. Hamilton of St. Joseph, their bill of complaint against Mrs. Harriet C. Speight for the foreclosure of a mortgage held by them on a certain piece of land belonging to Mrs. Speight, said land being situated in the town of Royalton. After many delays, caused by Mrs. Speight not being ready for trial, the testimony was heard in open court before Thomas O'Hara, in April, 1888, and the Hon. Thomas O'Hara, after a careful and mature consideration of all the facts and circumstances in the case, signed a decree for the sale of the aforesaid forty acres. Then Mrs. Speight came into court, by Geo. M. Valentine, her attorney, and prayed the court to set aside the decree, as she had new and important testimony relative to the matter, at issue. Again the court heard her, by her counsel, and determined that the decree ought to stand. Sale was had, and the property sold for \$2,000, and John A. Watson, Circuit Court Commissioner, paid into my hands the sum of said sale, amounting to \$304, which amount I still have subject to Mrs. Speight's order. Mrs. Speight was ejected from the land by due course of law, and the purchaser put into possession.

Now, from the beginning of this case up to this date, Mr. Rosco D. Dix had had nothing to do with it in any manner, shape or form, either as a member of this bar, real estate agent or witness, either for complainants or Mrs. Speight, and I am surprised that any fair-minded reporter should for an instant give the least credence to Mrs. Speight's harangue, for the only way she can possibly connect Mr. Dix with the matter is that he occupies a room in the county buildings.

To excuse Mrs. Speight for her trade of abuse by saying she is slightly deformed, is almost begging the question. We all have borne with her very patiently, realizing that she was a woman, and as such entitled to more forbearance than is usual in answering such vicious attacks on public officers and private citizens. Yours in haste. H. L. POTTER, Clerk of Berrien County and Register in Chancery.

The New Railroad. A gentleman from Berrien Springs called at the Palladium office to-day and said he had just ridden over the "McVior route" and had not seen a man at work on the grade; that there were four dump cars, not forty, down by Hickory creek; that the "Dallin crowd" are bluffers, with no backing, and had been fully investigated by Berrien Springs before this opinion was reached; that they were going to make a feat of doing some thing, as to hold the only practicable approach to St. Joseph in order to sell out to good advantage; that "a Swede from Chicago" holds down the right of way and what work has been done and wants \$4,000 for his interest.

On the other hand, with all due respect to the gentleman from Berrien Springs, the city editor of the Palladium says four carloads of elements, including forty dump cars, unloaded several days ago and the tools have gone out on the line. We also know of men and teams that are actually at work on the new railroad and other indications establish the fact that work is really being done on the line. The fact is, there is a bitter competition between the two rival railway interests and their project will be side charges, but the other has no backing, and each endeavors to ridicule the other out of the public confidence. Meantime, the managers of these projects have none of them conferred with Benton Harbor people, and our citizens stand aside and view the fight with a complacency disputed only by the reflection that the Dallin project seems as yet to offer the most advantages to both towns at the mouth of the St. Joseph.—Palladium, Thursday.

Mr. Wm. McVior, representative of Mr. Wm. Dallin, the railroad contractor, is in St. Joseph busily engaged in forwarding the work of construction on the Indiana and Lake Michigan railway. McVior has the entire contract from St. Joseph to South Bend and is daily receiving tools and engaging men to go on the grade. He says the road is to be the shortest practicable line from here to South Bend. It will be an air line, in fact, to Gallien, following the section lines direct and leaving Berrien Springs seven miles to the east. From Gallien, where it will cross the Michigan Central, it will bear south-easterly, striking the Lake Shore at

Warren and following that line in parallel into South Bend. Mr. McVior promises to have 200 teams at work on the grade at this end if he can get them. Ten miles of right of way have been secured by St. Joseph citizens who have pledged \$100,000 to the line, their notes being now in bank. It is not believed the Burns party, the rival interest that is making over the narrow gauge between Buchanan and Berrien Springs, will be able to continue the line north to St. Joseph and south to Goshen, will receive any material encouragement here. The best interests of Benton Harbor and Berrien Springs are in the direction of the other road, the Indiana and Lake Michigan. If the latter line is built, leaving out Buchanan and Berrien Springs, the county seat is almost certain to come to one of these towns.—Palladium, Friday.

The wheat market yesterday trended strong and new crop contracts closed in all the leading places about 1/2c higher than on Monday. The cool weather not looked upon as favorable for the growing plant, while the bears have been reckless in their selling. At Detroit cash wheat is @77 and July and August 12 1/2 @13c cheaper than this year ago. Last year about this time the crop prospects were beginning to look dubious in the United States, while in the rest of the world the outlook was good. This year our weather may be better than last year, but has yet to pass through the critical period. Australia and South America have already more or less failed, and India has made a short crop. At 7 1/2 @7 1/2 for our wheat in Detroit, the price range certainly looks low. Corn and oats both made moderate advance East and West yesterday. Provisions were easier.—Detroit Tribune.

To Inquirer.—It was Vanderbilt who said "The public be damned." The order was carried out in November, 1884, and remained in force four years.—Detroit Tribune.

State Items. There will be but seven saloons in Van Buren county this year. There are in Michigan 47 daily and 532 weekly newspapers with a total circulation of 925,250. Henry Cook, of Dowagiac, twenty-eight years old, fell out of a boat while fishing and was drowned. Benjamin F. Osgood, postmaster of Mendon, is in the hands of the U. S. marshal at Grand Rapids, on account of a shortage in his accounts. Charlie Stevens, a fifteen-year-old Paw Paw boy, recently invented a simple but effective electric fire alarm, and last week sold a half interest in the invention for \$1000.

Mrs. Frederick Fisher, a bride of two weeks, jumped into the river at Detroit Saturday night for the purpose of ending her life. On reaching the water, however, she yelled lustily for help and was rescued. John Layer, a blacksmith of Lansing, aged about forty, is under arrest charged with a criminal assault upon a nine-year-old daughter of a traveling photographer. The child alleges that this is the second attempt of this nature. A sink-hole on the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinac railroad in Rollin, Lenawee county, has taken in several thousand carloads of dirt, and is not yet satiated, but the water of a small lake three miles away is getting muddy and discolored.—Detroit Times.

Mrs. Mary Higby, an aged German woman of Adrian, who has been so ill that she was unable to lift a cup of tea, arose suddenly Sunday morning; said she was going to see John; ran out into the street, a few rods, and dropped unconscious, dying before she could be carried into the house. John is her son, living in Indiana. Up in Barry county there seems to be a determination that men who sell whisky shall be held strictly accountable for the damage it does. Another \$10,000 suit has been started on that basis. Mrs. Rosa De Waters sued Chas. Scheldt and his bondsmen for damages resulting in the general worthlessness of her husband, who she alleges got his budge from Mr. Scheldt. While Charlie Bigger, of Palmyra, was playing around a corn crib the other day, the thing tipped over on him and nearly squeezed the little Bigger to death. Dr. Moore, who was called, blew him up again, before life was extinct and little Charlie may yet live to tip over a dozen corn cribs.—Adrian Weekly Press.

A new scheme for keeping cows off the streets has been discovered. It is very simple and its machinery works like a charm. The new discovery is, by special permission of its originator, herewith given to the readers of the Mirror free of charge. Throw onions along the streets and alleys, and the hungry cows will feed on them with a ravenous appetite. When they are eaten the milk of the cows will have the offensive flavor of onions, and the result will be that the cattle will be taken care of.—Escanaba Mirror.

Years and years ago Cyrene Burdick gave Kalamazoo a plot of ground for cemetery purposes. Kalamazoo overlooked the cemetery and made a park of it. Now comes R. C. Burdick, of Duluth, who is Cyrene Burdick's only heir, and he makes a big kick about the property being used for other than cemetery purposes unless the city pays \$6,000 for it. Judge Peck, who sentenced Irving Latimer, has received a number of threatening letters before and after the sentence was passed, and one from a man who claims to have killed Latimer's mother himself. Mrs. Ida Copeland was burned to death at Durand Friday through the explosion of gasoline while filling a stove in the kitchen of the Commercial house, the gasoline taking fire from contact with a cook stove. L. E. Acker was also seriously burned, but will recover. Mrs. Copeland leaves a husband and three little children. A steam skidder is being used in handling saw logs in Alcona county. The concern can handle all the logs on a 40-acre tract at one sitting, and it seizes four or five logs at a time, makes them over stumps and brush in a reckless way, and piles them up with much rapidity.

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PHACIA AND PHYSIC. Forced to Leave Home. Over 400 people were forced to leave their homes yesterday to call for a 7/8c trial package of Lane's Family Medicine. If your blood is bad, your liver and kidneys out of order, if you are constipated and have headache, and an unsightly complexion, don't fail to call on any druggist to-day for a 7/8c sample of this grand remedy. The ladies praise it. Every one likes it. Large sized package 50 cts. 4871 A last resort.—The cobler's shop. Consumption Surely Cured. To THE EDITOR.—Please inform your readers that I have a positive remedy for the above named disease. By its timely use thousands of hopeless cases have been permanently cured. I shall be glad to send two bottles of my remedy FREE to any of your readers who will send me their express and post office address. Respectfully, T. A. SLOCUM, Mr. C. 181 Pearl St., N. Y. 4471 To remove paint—Scritch down on human or animal cured in 30 minutes by Wolfford's Sanitary Lotion. This never fails. Sold by W. F. Runner, Druggist, Buchanan, Mich. 40m6 Measures of fresh hand drawing—Pick-pockets. The Handmaid Lady in Buchanan. Remarked to a friend the other day that she knew Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs was a superior remedy, as it stopped her cough instantly when other cough remedies had failed. So to prove this and convince you of its merit any druggist will give you a Sample Bottle Free. Large size 50c and \$1. 4871 A large snowdrop—An avalanche. Fearful and Wonderful. The Bible says, "man is fearfully and wonderfully made." But physiologists all concede that the most wonderful portion of man is the nervous system. In it are located the seats of life and mind, and the control of all the bodily organs. When the nerves are destroyed, the part is paralyzed. The flesh, blood and bones are as nothing to it. Derangement of the brain or nerves are causes of headache, fits, dizziness, fluttering of the heart, sexual weakness, sleeplessness, nervous colds, cold hands and feet. A free trial bottle of Dr. Miles' Nervine—the latest and most successful cure for all these diseases, may be had at W. H. Keeler's Drug Store, N. Y. 4871 It is said in Delaware that a full peach crop may be expected this year. We Have Long Been Thinking That. If people troubled with the Catarrh knew how offensive it becomes to their friends as well as annoying and disagreeable to us it must be to them. They are not satisfied with any other remedy than Dr. King's New Life Pills (Clark's extract of flax) Catarrh Cure, which is undoubtedly the best known remedy in every case. Get a bottle of any reliable druggist at \$1.00. Only \$1.00 per bottle on receipt of price, by addressing the Druggist. Sold at W. F. Runner's Drug Store. It is said of a fashionable young man that he never paid anything but a compliment. A Distressing Case and Happy Cure. "For over a year I have had a breaking out on my legs between the knee and ankle, which troubled me so bad I could not walk, my leg being swelled, and of a purple color, with a eruption so bad that the blood would ooze out if I bore my weight on it. It was cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills (Clark's extract of flax) Catarrh Cure, which I have done. My leg is now healed, and I can walk two miles on it without any trouble." Signed, A. D. Hayward. Only \$1.00 per bottle. Druggist will sell it, or sent prepaid on receipt of price. Sold at W. F. Runner's Drug Store. A Safe Investment.—I is one of which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised Druggist a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of throat, lungs or chest, such as consumption, inflammation of lungs, bronchitis, asthma, whooping cough, croup, etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon. Trial bottles free, at W. F. Runner's Drug Store. It was a woman who saw the first snake, but since then the men have attended to that sort of thing.

Do not Whip a Sick Horse.—M. P. Nor take Cathartic Pills when your bowels or liver are sluggish: they are whips. But try at least—Miles' Nerve and Liver Pills. They act through the nerves. Sample free at W. H. Keeler's. When is a dog like a minute hand?—When it is on the watch. CONSUMPTION CURED. An old physician, retired from practice, having had 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 fellow-men. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, my recipe, in German, French, or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail, addressing with stamp, naming this paper, W. A. NOYES, 149 Power Block, Rochester, N. Y. The time for one to strike—Sixty minutes after twelve. And 100 men to call on any druggist for a 7/8c trial package of Lane's Family Medicine, the great root and herb remedy, discovered by Dr. Silas Lane while in the Rocky Mountains. For all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, it is a positive cure. For constipation and clearing the complexion it does wonders. Children like it. Everyone enjoys it. Large-size packages, 50 cents. At all druggists. Why is the letter "d" like a sailor?—Because it follows the "c". English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Lamed Lumps and Blisters from horses. Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bones, Stiffles, Sprains, All Swelled Joints, Coughs, Etc. Save \$50 by use of one bottle. Warranted. Sold by W. F. Runner, Druggist, Buchanan, Mich. 40y1 Why is a doctor never seasick?—Because he is used to sea sickness. When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria. The downward path.—The one with a piece of orange peel on it. Beecher's Arnica Salve. The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sprains, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chillsbains, and All Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 15 cents per box. For sale by W. F. Runner, Druggist. 24y1 When should we read the book of nature?—When autumn turns the leaves. Estate of Benjamin Gallinger. First publication May 23, 1889. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien.—ss. I, David E. Hinman, Judge of Probate, do hereby certify that Benjamin Gallinger, deceased, was a resident of the County of Berrien, State of Michigan, at the time of his death, which occurred on the 29th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Peter Smith, executor of said estate, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Peter Smith, or some other suitable person. Therefore it is ordered, that said petition give notice to the persons interested in said estate, to appear at a session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, on the 29th day of June, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to answer for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, be and they are hereby notified to appear at said session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, on the 29th day of June, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to answer for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, be and they are hereby notified to appear at said session of said Court, then to be held at the Probate Office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, on the 29th day of June, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to answer for the hearing of said petition, and 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SPRING STOCK now in, of which

An Inspection is Solicited.

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Wedding Present.

So long as this notice appears in this place, the publisher of the RECORD will make a wedding present of THE BUCHANAN RECORD one year to any couple who marry and settle in Berrien county, the only requirement being that they apply for it within three months after their marriage. The same will be extended to those who are married within this county and go elsewhere to live, but such will be required to subscribe for one year, upon making application. That is, by paying the price of one year they will be given credit for two years and receive the RECORD that time.

Pay Taxes in June.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the village of Buchanan for the year 1889 has been placed in my hands for collection, and that I will be and remain in my office, in Engine House No. 1, in said village, on Saturday of each week during the month of June, from 10 o'clock a. m. to 4 o'clock p. m., and upon taxes paid to me on such days or at any time before the first day of July, 1889, one per cent will be added for collection fees, and upon all taxes collected after the first day of July, four per cent will be added for collection fees.

TOWN SPOOK, Marshal.

MEMORIAL DAY.

MISS HATTIE MOWREY spent Sunday with friends in Three Oaks.

MISS IVA HENDERSON has returned from an extended visit at Stevensville.

TO-MORROW will close the fifth month of the year.

A FEW cases of mumps are located in this place.

FROST was reported in this place Sunday morning.

BENTON HARBOR is trying to get a tag factory to move there from Illinois.

THE weather bureau predicts rain for Michigan.

SODA fountains will bloom as soon as overcoats cease to be fashionable.

HON. W. A. BAKER delivers the Memorial oration in Niles to-day.

JOHN S. CURTIS has captured a pension.

MR. AND MRS. SANFORD SMITH visited their son in Benton Harbor, Thursday.

TENDER plants that were left out Monday night did not look as well next day.

SHALL Buchanan hold a fair this fall? If so, now is the time to commence the preliminaries.

GREAT preparations are being made in the churches for children's day, next Sunday, June 2.

If the St. Joseph river becomes much lower than it was last Sunday, it will do to plow for a corn crop.

FREEMAN EVANS, of Leslie, was visiting his brother Amos in this place last week.

MISS MERCHANT, daughter of editor Merchant, of St. Joseph Herald, visited friends in Buchanan this week.

HARRY HANS, one of the noted citizens of South Bend, died last Thursday, of consumption.

The decision of Thomas Mars in the case of Harry Rought, last Thursday, was that he should remain in Buchanan.

A NILES man has an order for 15,000 step-ladder chairs, to be delivered within one year.

THERE will be a Missionary concert at the Christian church, Sunday evening.

MR. E. B. PATTERSON, of Berrien Springs, was in this place Tuesday morning.

We are having rain enough this season to make up for the past three or four seasons.

FREEMAN FRANKLIN is moving his family to his farm in Bertraud township this week.

THERE was a snowballing match in the street this morning. J. F. Hahn was champion.

THIS Marshall is yet busy on the streets and cross-walks. He is bound that everything shall be just right.

WHAT's the matter with our base ball players? Here it is the last of May and nary club organized in Buchanan.

MRS. FANNIE SANFORD and daughter Mary, who have been living in Now Buffalo for several months, have returned to Buchanan.

THERE is more demand for houses in Buchanan now than before since the burning of the furniture factory, in November.

ED. STATLER, of Niles is to have charge of the Barron lake health resort this season. Ed is healthy enough to make a good resort of it.

W. L. JAKWAYS, formerly pastor of the Dayton circuit, now P. M. at Alcovoe, Neb., is enjoying a family reunion at his son's, on Terre Coupee.

MISS Mary Grover has her dress-making establishment in running order, on Main street, one door north of Al. Hunt's store.

Two of the Niles hose companies have resigned, and Niles is in good shape for a fire. The boys didn't like the chief the city council gave them.

DICK DEMONT was in town Friday shaking hands with old friends. Dick is in the lumber and spoke manufacturing business in Southern Indiana.

BERT. CORTWRIGHT, who went to San Jose, Cal., a few weeks since, returned Monday morning, convinced that Buchanan is good enough for him.

DOWAGIAC has a new fangled fire bell that rings itself when once started. We have an attachment to ours that operates in the same way, and starts itself when there is a fire.

THE Star's mathematician has figured out that the strawberry boxes of this season hold four-sevenths of a quart. He surely has it high enough.

STRAWBERRIES are trying hard to ripen, notwithstanding the frosts and snow storms. It is about an even match which will come out ahead.

MRS. R. F. BUELL has failed in health, by her work in the management of the Coloma Courier, and has turned the paper over to her father, Mr. S. W. Blodgett, of Detroit.

MR. A. E. HOLMES, formerly of this place, now of Brigman, has gone to Louisiana, on a prospecting tour, with view to locating in that part of the world.

REV. J. F. BARTMESS preached in the First Baptist church in Lowell, Mass., last Sunday. His son Ed, has served as chorister in that church during the past year.

BISHOP DUGS, of Cleveland, Ohio, preached an excellent sermon in the Evangelical church in this place last Sunday evening to a large congregation.

A NUMBER of the members of Buchanan Lodge No. 98, A. O. U. W., went to Niles Sunday to attend Memorial services, upon invitation of Anchor Lodge of that place.

MRS. W. E. ROYCE leaves next Monday for Schuyler, Neb., to visit her sister, and if they are suited with that country Mr. and Mrs. Royce will probably make it their future home.

THE members of the Old Fellow lodge of this place, gave Mr. A. L. Simonds a surprise party Thursday evening, and presented him with an easy chair and student lamp.

TOM COX was arrested on a warrant from Lenawee, charged with being the parent of a youngster at Hudson. Attorney A. C. Roe has gone to Lenawee to look after Tom's interest in the case.

SEVENTY-FIVE applications have been made for the job of superintending our schools during the coming year. If we do not have a good one, it will not be from the lack of stock to select from.

WM. TRENBETH is getting a good lot of material together for his new building, which is to be 17x85 feet, two stories. He is now waiting for the county surveyor to finish the Dalling railroad, before he can locate his lines and work begin.

FRANK MERSON had blood in his eye Monday morning. Fiery red blood, too. Some one had been to his place the night before and stolen his blooded game hen and her brood of chickens. Frank talked of offering \$50 reward for the thief.

ACCORDING to the Palladium, there is nothing small about the towns at the mouth of the river except their selfishness. Their expressed desire now is that the railroad shall go west of Berrien Springs and Buchanan.

THE RECORD suggests that the Common Council order the gutter that crosses Front street, near the foundry, filled and furnished with a good tile. The hole in the street at that point has been a nuisance nearly long enough.

BERRIEN SPRINGS and Oronoko showed by their vote, last Thursday, that they are in earnest in the railroad business. In the vote to bond the village for \$10,000, there was but one negative vote, and in the township but thirty-eight.

THE street railroad builders now have the St. Joseph Valley road completed, and the Michigan Central cars running from St. Joseph to South Bend by way of Niles, and the gravel coming out of the river banks between here and Berrien Springs by the train-load.

MRS. BLODGETT & SONS are selling brick for building up the burnt district in Niles.

THE assessment review board is in session to-day. Make known your grievance to that body or pay your taxes without kicking.

HIGHEST temperature during the week, 64; lowest, 36; at seven this morning, 36, and a sharp snow storm falling that has lasted the most of the forenoon.

THERE was a good turn out to the Memorial services in the opera house Sunday afternoon. An excellent sermon was delivered by Rev. J. A. Frye, pastor of the Evangelical church.

CAPT. CHAS. O. PRATT, a Niles boy, for a few years past of Lansing, has received the appointment of inspector of customs at Detroit, his commission to date from June 1.

THE Board of Supervisors will meet June 6. If the county owes you anything for valuable services performed for a suffering public, make out your bill before that date and hand it to your Supervisor.

THE Michigan Central Company have their side-track and connection for the St. Joseph Valley road completed. If the balance of the road be as well built as that part, there need be no fears of its being practical.

An exchange says the Chequamegon orchestra of Ann Arbor has been engaged to furnish music at Plank's tavern at St. Joseph during the season. The house will be opened to the public July 5.

A PARTY of ladies went from Buchanan to Three Oaks Saturday, and were shown through the featherbone corset and whip factories by Hon. Wm. Chamberlain. They were much pleased with their visit.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending 28th, '89: Mr. W. Harmon, Mrs. A. P. Fairbanks, Othelo Andrews.

J. G. MANFIELD, P. M.

AGENT Peacock complains that his sidetrack room is blocked full of cars loaded with bridge timber and ties for the new railroad to Berrien Springs and St. Joseph. This has something of an appearance of business, if not very convenient for the Michigan Central station work.

THE lecture at the Christian church Tuesday evening, June 4, by the popular lecturer, W. J. Russell, will be especially entertaining. Mr. Russell is a very eloquent and impressive, as well as instructive speaker. A general invitation is given to the public.

A SHARP frost is reported from some parts of this vicinity. Report comes from farms between this place and Berrien Springs, that there was ice as thick as window glass Tuesday morning. Such weather is not the best for fruit or other crops.

THE Andrews Furniture Company removed their machinery from the building that was to have been donated to them by the city of Niles, in case they operated one hundred men five years. They didn't quite do it, and the city has a house to rent.

WET cabbage leaves in a solution of Paris green or London purple and spread them about your garden, and it will make a good feed for your cut worms. This is the method of destruction recommended by the state agricultural department.

THE Trade Carnival to be held next week, Friday evening, in the Opera House, promises to be a unique and successful affair. Between forty and fifty trades and professions will be represented. Supper will be served. The program will consist of a Grand March, Tableau, Music, etc. Admission only 5c.

FOR several years Mr. Jacob Weaver has been trying to have a well made on his farm in this township, but failed until last week. Lingo & Logan succeeded in giving him a well. It is 223 feet deep and has 184 feet of good water. A deep bed of clay and quicksand has blocked previous attempts.

THE hook and ladder company was organized Monday evening and the following officers chosen: Ed. Stone, foreman; Morris Lyon, first assistant; G. A. Friday, second assistant; H. R. Gette, secretary; F. W. Mead, treasurer. The boys will commence to practice as soon as the company is accepted by the Common Council.

THE Three Oaks school squabble ended by the public meeting passing a resolution requesting the board to ask to resign. As they had a contract with him they could not back out of it, the question of who shall teach Three Oaks school the coming year lies with him to decide.

DANIEL BISHOP, of Cass county, died last week. Mr. Bishop was a resident of this part of the country in times of keel-boat traffic on the St. Joseph river, and served as motive power for that business several years. He was a brother-in-law of Abram Frame, now living about eight miles south of Buchanan.

MARRIED, May 29, 1889, at 8 o'clock P. M., at the residence of the bride's parents in Bertrand, by Rev. J. A. Frye, Rev. N. Frye and Mary E. Vite. On the 30th the reverend pair went to Litchfield, Hillsdale county, Mich., on their wedding tour, to spend a few days with the bridegroom's mother and other relatives.

IN another part of this paper is an account of the lynching of a mulatto rascal, at Port Huron, Monday. While there was no question of the identity of the wretch or that any kind of treatment would have been too good for him, the principle of mob law is not what should be practiced in a country that pretends to be civilized. The men who took part in the brutal murder of Martin are supposed to be law abiding citizens, and it is for such to allow the law to take its course.

BABY CARRIAGES,

Doll Cabs, Boys' Wagons, Boys' Carts,

OIL STOVES,

Fishing Tackle,

AND A THOUSAND NOVELTIES.

THE FAIRY

BUCHANAN, MICH.

JOHN MORRIS, Proprietor.

PIONEER'S PICNIC at Berrien Springs next Wednesday, if it doesn't rain. You may as well make your arrangements for going by team. The new railroad will not be quite ready to take you, as was announced the first of the month. There is a little more work to be done yet before the passenger traffic can be opened.

If farmers will commence now to keep a strict account of things they raise, sell, feed out, or pay out, and everything else they do in connection, it will help those who take the census next year, and will help make the census worth something when taken. Usually about one in ten know what they are doing with sufficient accuracy to give a census enumerator any intelligent idea of it.

THE menagerie business appears to be on the boom in this place. Harry Binns started the game with a family of tame rabbits in the front window of his news stand. Abial Hathaway gets even with three young red foxes, in the front window of Noble's store. We suggest, as a matter of exciting sport, the two be put into the same cage.

THE Detroit Evening News says some of the most able bodied railroad liars in the world live in Berrien county. Now we would like to know who you are "alluding at" Mr. News. If there is any man living in Berrien county who ever told a lie, about railroad matters, there is a reward offered for him, dead or alive. We can't have the reputation of this county trifled with in any such manner.

THE Government ordered the West Michigan railroad to remove their obstruction from St. Joseph harbor, the obstruction being their railroad bridge with a sixty foot draw. They did so and built a new bridge with a 100-foot draw, and are now trying to have the government approve the new bridge. This the government does not do, and the company is liable at any time to hear that the new bridge is an obstruction and must be removed.

THE Mayor has forbidden the Salvation Army to hold open air meetings at the corner of Main and Second streets, on account of the obstruction to travel. —Niles Democrat.

IT was not customary with the last religious city administration to order religious gatherings off from the street. The saloons of Niles found that the Salvation Army took away their crowd of loafers and was working them into the churches, hence a great disturbance was made.

TS said that the old hen and chickens stolen from Len. Wesen last week, have actually run away from the thief and returned to the home coop. At any rate they are there, and Len. doesn't attempt to account for it in any other way, for he is positive that no chicken thief ever became conscience stricken and returned the property. It may be that when the thief got Frank Merson's he turned them out. It ought not to be a very difficult task to find some of the fellows who are doing the chicken business hereabout.

C. L. S. C.—The next meeting of the Alpha will be held at W. S. Wells' on Monday evening, June 8, at 7.30. It is especially desired that every member should be present, to have a voice in arranging for the closing exercises of the Chautauquan year. The following program will be presented: Roll Call—Response with something original or selected, appropriate to the closing meeting of the year. Select Reading—A class exercise. Bring your June Chautauquan. Selection made and reading conducted by Mrs. Estes. Questions about animals from the March, April and May Chautauquans, conducted by Miss Beardsley, Mrs. Graham and Miss Wells, respectively.

A SORELY afflicted family is that of Mr. Henry Waterman of this place. Last week we noted the death of their youngest child, which occurred on Monday, Monday evening of this week, between six and seven o'clock, they were called upon to part with their next older, a bright little girl of thirteen months. Their older daughter had the child out riding in the baby carriage, but a few minutes before its death, when it appeared as well and lively as ever, but a short time after returning home the little one was suddenly attacked with convulsions and died in a few minutes. Mr. and Mrs. Waterman have the sympathy of the entire community in this their sore bereavement.

BENTON HARBOR and St. Joseph were overrun yesterday by a boat load of editors, brought over and entertained by the D. & S. C. N. company. This company is booming that neck of the woods in the most approved style. A neat pamphlet setting out all the attractions of the two towns and surrounding country as far up the river as the county capital has been distributed in large numbers to all parts of the country, thoroughly advertising the new summer resort. Boom the county.

Stubborn Facts!

CHARLES A. SIMONDS & CO.,

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We have the stock, also the will. Try us once and be convinced.

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We respectfully ask all who are indebted to us to call and settle. We are now trying to balance our books and pay all we owe, and your account paid to us will help.

Yours truly,

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School Books.

Call and see our new stock of Wall Paper and Decorations before you buy.

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WALL PAPER.

Call and see our new stock of Wall Paper and Decorations before you buy.

PLAY BALL

Ladies, we have reduced the price of our 25c Hats down to 18c, at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

Mrs. HOWE'S home made Bread, Biscuits and Cakes, fresh every day at 11 o'clock. MORGAN & CO.

W. L. HOGUE & Co. will sell you Shoes from 25c to 75c per pair cheaper than any other firm in Berrien county. We can sell you a HAT from 10c to \$25.00. Room for EVERYBODY, at MAY TREMMEL'S.

TO REDUCE STOCK. Ladies we have a number dozen of Dr. Warner Corsets in stock, at \$1.75 we have reduced to 75c. Come and get your size before they are gone; a big bargain. This will last only a few days. HIGH & DUNCAN.

REMEMBER the leading MILLINERY STORE is MAY TREMMEL'S. Look at those 18c hats, at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

You know. Yes, I know that J. K. WOODS has a good Kid Shoe, flexible sole, for only \$1.50. Call and see it before buying.

Ladies, a Reduction of \$1.00 on a Corset, at HIGH & DUNCAN'S.

AL. HUNT won't be undersold in the Furniture line.

New Dress Goods and Trimmings, at CHARLIE HIGHS'S.

Where can you find a nice silk Umbrella for \$1.75? Only at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

GENTLEMEN Call in and see the finest \$1.00 Stiff Hat in town. J. K. WOODS.

Handsome Embroideries, narrow and skirting widths, found the cheapest, at CHARLIE HIGHS'S.

I have just increased my stock of Furnishing Goods, so please call in and see it. J. K. WOODS.

Nobby Bustle, found at CHARLIE HIGHS'S.

We have ladies' black Hose for 25c that WILL NOT CROCK. BOYLE & BAKER.

You can buy ready made Clothing of W. L. HOGUE & Co. for the next two weeks, at Chicago Wholesale Prices, with the transportation added.

Best Zephyr Cloth in city, found at CHARLIE HIGHS'S.

Call and see our double face Overall, the best in town. J. K. WOODS.

Headquarters for Silk Umbrellas and Parasols, is at HIGH & DUNCAN'S.

Every one in want of a beautiful Silk Umbrella, will save money by calling at HIGH & DUNCAN'S and learn their prices.

Eggs for hatching. Pure bred PLYMOUTH ROCK. J. G. HOLMES.

A very nice Silk Umbrella, reduced from \$2.50 to \$1.00, at HIGH & DUNCAN'S.

Ladies, our Millinery trade is booming, give us a choice line of Hats for 25c at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

MARION SMITH has rented the old Gristmill office, and is buying old Rubber, Rags and other truck in that line.

Hay, Corn and Oats for sale at the Shaker Farm. H. J. HOWE.

Do you want a Bargain? A Three Rivers Threshing Machine, in fair condition, for sale at a bargain. Enquire of ROBERTS, THROP & CO., Three Rivers, Mich.

Our garden seeds are here. Come early. TREAT BROS.

It is no mistake, we show the best line of Dress Goods in town. BOYLE & BAKER.

Fancy Dress Goods and Trimmings to match, something new, at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

FOR SALE.—Choice Seed Barley. CHAS. F. HOWE.

Have you seen that elegant new Box Paper, at BINNS'S?

COME AND SEE US.

GEO. WYMAN & CO.

South Bend, Ind.

Open until 6 o'clock except Saturday night.

We will offer the balance of our Jersey and Cloth \$7.00 Jackets that we have been selling for two weeks at \$4.00 now the price will be \$3.00, we have about 500 left, take them while they last at \$3.00. This is far below the cost to make.

We offer to-day an immense line of Swiss Muslin, embroidered and hem-stitched, Flouncing at 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.50 per yard. We think these flouncings are less than any we ever saw sold.

We offer an entire new line of muslin Night Gowns, Shirts, Chemises, Drawers, Corset Covers and Dressing Sacks. Fine goods at a low price.

We offer Ladies' black Silk Mits, fine quality, at 20 and 25 cents and up.

We offer Ladies' Ribbed Vests in pink, blue and cream, 2 for 25 cents; Gent's British fashioned half hose, 2 for 25 cents; Ladies' regular made hose, in stripes and halbrigan, 2 for 25 cents; Gent's shirts and drawers, 25c, 50c and upward. Take a long, lingering look at these, it may answer in place of buying them. See?

We offer Gent's Flannel Shirts at 50c, 75c and upward. Boys' the same.

We offer Children's Shirt Waists at 20c and upward.

We are showing a good line of printed India Silks, at 50c, 65c and upward.

We offer about 100 pieces real French Satteens, printed, 35 cent quality, for 12 1/2 cents, in light ground they are not the most desirable patterns, but you ought to see them sell. Come in and see the people buy, it's as good as a circus sometimes; you that have no time during day time, come in Saturday evening.

We offer 26-inch Gloria Silk Umbrellas, natural stick, for \$1.15; Gold top, \$1.25; Silver crooks and tops long or short, \$1.50 and upward, unless we decide to make them less, and we have the goods to deliver. —5c

These Machines have had a very large sale. Over 800,000 of them have been sold since Binders came into use. There are 125 of the Harvesters and Binders in use in this vicinity and all giving perfect satisfaction. We will be able to furnish all with TWINE at lowest market price. Call and see the Machines on exhibition.

TREAT BROS., Agts., Buchanan.

THE LITTLE DRUG STORE

