

BUCHANAN RECORD.

JOHN C. HOLMES, Editor.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1902.

Republican National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT,
BENJAMIN HARRISON,
OF INDIANA.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
WHITEHALL REID,
OF NEW YORK.

Electoral Ticket.

At Large—Western District,
JAY A. HUBBELL, of Houghton.
Alternate—Western District,
AARON CLARK, of Kent.

Electoral—Fourth District,
PHILIP T. COLGROVE, of Barry.
Alternate—Fourth District,
CHARLES J. MONROE, of Buchanan.

Republican State Ticket.

For Governor,
JOHN T. RICH,
of Lapeer County.
For Lieutenant Governor,
J. WIGGINS GIDDINGS,
of Westford County.

For Secretary of State,
JOHN W. JOHNSON,
of Marquette County.
For Treasurer,
JOSEPH F. HAMBITZER,
of Houghton County.

For Auditor-General,
STANLEY W. FURBER,
of Roscommon County.
For Attorney General,
GERHART J. DIEKEMA,
of Ottawa County.

For Commissioner of State Land Office,
JOHN G. BERRY,
of Osego County.
For Supt. Public Instruction,
HENRY R. FATTENHILL,
of Ingham County.

For Member of Congress—Fourth District,
EDGAR A. WILSON,
of Van Buren County.
For Member of Congress—Fourth District,
HENRY F. THOMAS, of Alcona.

County Ticket.

For Judge of Probate,
JACOB J. VAN RIPLE,
of Buchanan.
For Clerk,
CHARLES H. WHITCOMB.

For Treasurer,
FRED A. WOODRUFF.
For Register of Deeds,
JOHN H. CHILDS.
For Probate Attorney,
NATHANIEL A. HAMILTON.

For Surveyor,
BYRON PRATT.
For Circuit Court Commissioners,
ALBERT G. KENNEDY,
NATHANIEL H. DAVEN.

For Coroners,
FRANKLIN A. GOWDY,
LEWIS BELL.
For Fish Inspector,
GEORGE KRISTINGER.

The New York Democrat committee sent a committee to investigate Commissioner Peck's labor report, which is giving Democracy such a pain, and when they were worsted in the investigation had him arrested. It is a hopeless case for them, and the sooner they come to appreciate that fact the better they will fare.

To Republicans the most amusing part of the present campaign is the parrot and monkey time that is going on between the Alliance men and Democrats in the South, over a free ballot and fair count. When 800 old-time Democrats, now in an Alliance convention, jump to their feet and volunteer to act as deputy United States marshals at the polls to see that an honest election is had in November, it begins to look as if the force bill had lost all of its terrors, excepting to Northern Democrats. The performance makes Republicans smile.

Bro. Dana, of the New York Sun, will have to look sharp as his negro domination ghost will get the best of him yet. The Kolb Democrats, in Alabama, and Weaver party are making a "free ballot and fair count" their campaign war cry, and talk as if they meant every word of it. A whole convention jumped to its feet at Birmingham and offered to serve as U. S. deputy marshals to see that an honest election should be held in November. As this is just what the much dreaded force bill was intended to accomplish, and for nothing else, it is grave fear for Mr. Dana's sanity if it should be achieved.

The Democrats will hold their Representative District Convention for the nomination of a candidate for member of the legislature, September 27. Among the candidates we have mentioned is Mr. O. C. Howe, of Bertrand township, and J. B. Thompson, of Niles. Mr. Lambert will also most likely be in the field to succeed himself. As the nomination in that convention is looked upon as about equivalent to an election, it is of importance that they select as good a man as the party has in the district. The Republicans are making all calculations upon giving them as close a run as possible with Mr. E. H. Vincent, of Three Oaks, a man with a pretty clean record in this district.

The Democrats take an indignant amount of pleasure in telling people that reciprocity is nothing but free trade on a small scale and their own kind, when those who know anything know it is nothing of the sort. Over 45 per cent of all imported goods are admitted to this country by the McKinley bill, and it is with this list that reciprocity deals. With Germany this government said: "You admit our pork to your market and we will tax your sugar, while all other sugar may be admitted free and thus shut you out from our market," and the American hog immediately finds a market in Germany. By the same tactics he has entered France. With Cuba the same kind of bargain was made on all kinds of our farm products and on machinery, using their sugar as an argument, and the consequence has been more than doubled sales of farm products to the Cubans. There is a vast difference between this and the entire removal of the protective tariff and the admission of foreign manufactured goods, regardless of consequences, as is demanded by the Democrats.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

To some people a public office is a private bonanza, especially if they be well versed in charging double the statutory rates for services as appears to have been done in some cases by our present County Clerk in the matter of some marriage licenses that have been issued from his office. The law plainly says that for his services in this connection he shall receive a fee of fifty cents, and it is known to the Record where one dollar has been charged. Perhaps Mr. Carmody may have some explanation of the charge to make before election time. If so the Record will gladly make the explanation public.

The following words, commendatory of a worthy gentleman, we find in the St. Joseph Press, a newspaper independent in politics: "However diversified may be the vote of our citizens on all other candidates for the county office, we think almost the entire vote of the city and this part of the county as well will be consolidated for one Proseutent Attorney—and that man is Hon. N. A. Hamilton. Mr. Hamilton is a gentleman honored by Republicans, Democrats and people of every other political complexion who know him, and all know that no better citizen could be selected for the office. He is an able lawyer, a conscientious and honorable gentleman, and a man who can be relied on to perform his whole duty in an official or any other capacity. A sense of home pride, would naturally lead our citizens to support Mr. Hamilton, but considering his eminent fitness for the office and his former successful and satisfactory administration as public prosecutor for this county, he ought to receive an overwhelming vote."

Two years ago McKinley promised that the country should be dotted with tin plate mills before another presidential election. Now the protectionist press is greatly excited because one such mill was dedicated at Elwood, Ind., last Tuesday. A little American tin plate has actually been made in this country, it is true, but it has cost the people of this country a dollar per pound on the increased tax on foreign tin imposed by the McKinley bill. This is political economy with a vengeance, but it suits the purposes of the monopolists, just the same.—*Douglas Times.*

This is a fine sample of the talk the Democratic press is giving the people about the establishing of a new manufacturing industry in this country, as if it were to be devoted as a pestilence. The facts are that when the tariff was raised by McKinley, speculators bought up all of the tin they could expect to get out of it, at a price that didn't get very rich either. Instead of one tin factory, as the Times would have its readers believe, there are now about fifty factories making tin in this country, and if the Times will take the trouble to inquire of tinners it will learn that the best quality of tin ever placed upon the American market is that being made right now by the American factories, and that the price is not any higher than it was before the passage of the McKinley tariff, and is getting lower all the time.

Only four white persons have been punished for the murder of a colored citizen at the South in twenty-six years, though such killings have averaged more than one a day during that time.—*Tourist.*

"In common with many other Democrats, I cannot follow the leaders of the party in denouncing Republicanism as a fraud upon the labor of the great majority of the American people. For the benefit of the people, I am subscribing to the doctrine that a protective tariff is unconstitutional. I have no pecuniary interest in manufactures, and I know what protection does and is doing for this country. It operates for the benefit of the few, I am not one of that few. I am one of the many one of the great majority who are benefited by it. Including those who receive it for the sake of obtaining political power. If the leaders of a political party assembled in national convention for the purpose of nominating candidates for the Presidency and the Presidency, choose to satisfy themselves by falsifying history, they cannot expect to be followed by others who have any habits of independent thought and action.—Geo. T. H. Curtis.

The Prohibitory Ten Per Cent Tax. A correspondent asks: Will you please state through the columns of your paper what the 10 per cent prohibitory bank tax is, referred to in the Democratic platform? If its object is to prohibit, why not pass a prohibitory act, straight and simple? This is not a natural question. The reason is that the power of Congress does not extend to the direct prohibition of state banks of issue. No State can make money, paper or coin, a legal tender for debts. No State bank bill was ever issued which any creditor was obliged to accept in payment of a debt, except as a State may agree to take such bills in payment of taxes. The only way Congress could reach these bills and strike them down was by taxation. Practically that was an effective way to destroy them. No bank could afford to pay a tax of 10 per cent on its bills.

The main thing is the practical result, and no chances should be taken on reopening the flood-gates of wild-cat money. It would be difficult to conceive of a more deplorable state of monetary affairs than existed in this country during the fifties and early sixties. The people were impoverished by the vicious currency of the circulating medium employed in trade. Had they been told that the time would come when every bill in circulation would be worth one in gold or silver, and I guess from broken banks would be at an end they would have found it impossible to conceive of such a millennium of absolutely perfect currency. If the present bill is to be that one of the great political parties of the country would come out in favor of going back to that depreciated and often worthless money, they would say that such a thing was inconceivable. In this case the unexpected has happened. The people will have an opportunity at the polls in November to avert a calamity so dire. The inference is evident that they will improve the same, and that, too, in such a way that the evil will be averted for all time to come.—*Chicago Inter Ocean.*

Columbus Day Proclamation. WHEREAS, The World's Congress Auxiliary of the World's Columbian Exposition has made a patriotic suggestion that, at the same time that the Exposition grounds at Chicago are being dedicated on October 21, 1892, the anniversary of the discovery of America, all the people of the United States unite in celebrating the anniversary, of which celebration the public schools of the Republic shall be everywhere the center; and

WHEREAS, The President of the United States has by proclamation recommended the observance of that day by public demonstration and by suitable exercises in the schools and other places of assembly throughout the land;

Now, Therefore, I, Edwin B. Wines, Governor of the State of Michigan, do hereby recommend and request the observance of that day by Michigan of the said twenty-first day of October, 1892, as a general holiday, that business be suspended, and that civil and military organizations join in the celebration.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the great seal of the State, this first day of September, A. D. 1892.

EDWIN B. WINES, Governor.

The Mountains of Colorado. Denver, Estes Park, Colorado Springs, Manitou, and the many resorts of the West have been reached from Chicago or St. Louis via the Burlington Route, fast vestibuled express trains, handsomely equipped with every modern improvement by the U. S. Railway, Gen'l Pass. Agent, for particulars.

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"Twenty-first.—There has been an advance in wages.

"Twenty-second.—The prices of farm products have increased since the passage of the tariff act of 1890 by 18.07 per cent.

Saxony is Watching Our Election. The issue of Kuhlman's German Trade Review of July 20 contains the following interesting statement:

"It is thought that the votes of the electors will shortly destroy McKinley's work in the immense transatlantic union; will displace with the password of 'America for Americans,' and by giving a splendid victory to the Democratic party will open a free path to our trade."

The same article says that if the Democrats succeed, the industries of Saxony depending upon the American market will be revived, for the reason that the goods they make cannot be so cheaply produced in the United States as in Germany, "owing to the high price of wages."

Real property has added over \$10,000,000 to the sales of our farmers and manufacturers to foreign countries in the few months since our renewed treaties with those countries went into effect.

EXCURSION RATES VIA VANDALIA LINE.

The Vandalia Line will sell round trip excursion tickets at RATES NAMED BELOW during September and October, 1892, for the following occasions:

ST. LOUIS EXPOSITION AND FAIR. During the Exposition, every Monday and Tuesday, September 28th to October 20th, round trip tickets for one and one-third fares. During the Fair tickets will be sold, October 1st to 8th, inclusive, at ONE FARE for the round trip.

HARVEST EXCURSIONS TO THE WEST, NORTH AND SOUTH. On August 30th, September 27th and October 24th, 1892, round trip tickets will be sold at one fare to nearly all points West, North and South. Return limit, 20 days.

WASHINGTON, D. C., G. A. R. REUNION. On September 12th to 20th, inclusive, round trip excursion tickets to Washington, D. C., for LESS THAN ONE FARE. Stop-overs allowed between Harrisburg and Washington, giving all an opportunity to visit historic Gettysburg.

For detailed information address nearest ticket agent Vandalia Line or the undersigned.

These excursions are open to the public generally. Don't fail to take advantage of the extremely low rates as above.

J. M. CHESBROUGH, Ass't Gen'l Pass'g Agt., St. Louis, Mo.

Harvest Excursions—Half Rates. August 30th and September 27th. The Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets at one fare to nearly all points to the cities and farming regions of the West, Northwest and Southwest. Eastern Ticket Agents will sell through tickets on the Burlington Route, the best line from Chicago, Peoria, Quincy and St. Louis. For further information apply to E. S. DUNN, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

To Nervous Debilitated Men. If you will send us your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dyke's Celebrated Electro-Voltaic Belt and Appliances, and their charming effects upon the nervous debilitated system, and how they will quickly restore you to vigor and manhood. Pamphlet free. If you are thus afflicted, we will send you a Belt and Appliances or a trial VOLTAGE BELT CO., Marshall, Mich.

For many years Mr. B. F. Thompson, of Des Moines, Iowa, was severely afflicted with chronic diarrhoea. He says: "At times it was very severe; so much so that I feared it would end my life. About seven years ago I chanced to procure a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It gave me prompt relief, and I believe cured me permanently, as I now eat or drink without harm anything I please. I have also used it in my family with the best results."

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Hay—\$6 to \$8 per ton.
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Salt, retail—\$1.00.
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EDWIN E. PLATT,
Committee.

There is a new boy at Wm. Haslett's, on the prairie, born Tuesday.

Mrs. MARTIN YOST, of Tullahoma, Tenn., is visiting relatives in Buchanan.

JOHN MORRIS is away again this week looking after his oyster trade.

CHARLEY HIGH is now one of the clerks at Rose & Ellsworth's in South Bend.

HON. JOHN T. RICH, Republican candidate for Governor, will speak in Niles on Tuesday, Oct. 4.

ELD. J. H. PATON will preach in the Larger Hope church next Sunday, morning and evening.

ELD. N. H. ALLEN, of Grand Rapids, will preach in the Christian church next Sunday, morning and evening.

GEO. WYMAN & Co. will feed you on something better than cantaloupes. See their advertisement.

MR. HOWELL F. STRONG is now engaged as clerk in the dress goods department at Grossman's in South Bend.

WILBERT CONRADT has secured employment in Chicago, and left Sunday afternoon for that city.

ARR. ROE and wife think they have the finest girl baby in Michigan, born last Friday.

FERTONSON & McCORD's brick yard in Benton Harbor was burned Sunday night, involving a loss of \$3,000.

Mrs. L. DEBUNKER is enjoying a visit from her sister-in-law, Mrs. DeLambert, today from Pierson, Iowa.

MR. W. S. WELLS is traveling in the interest of the Automatic Selling Device Company, and reports good success.

MISS NINA HOLDEN, of Michigan City, visited here last week, the guest of Miss Winifred Higbee, returning Saturday afternoon.

BROTHERS broke into G. A. Friday's tailor shop in Niles, Sunday night, and stole two suits and a pair of pants worth \$55.

MARRIED, Wednesday, Sept. 21, 1892, by Rev. J. P. Bartmess, at his residence, Mr. David A. White and Miss Elsie Kinney, both of Galien.

NEXT Sabbath is Rallying Day at the Presbyterian church. A special program has been prepared. Services will be at 11 o'clock.

THE fifth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Arney takes place this evening, and will be duly observed by a number of invited guests.

MISS KARRIE SWANK, living south of Dayton, was ten years old Saturday, and to remind her of the occasion in future she was presented by her parents with an elegant Fischer piano.

A DRUNKEN tramp struck this town last week and did a considerable business daubing signs on to front windows for a few. It could hardly be called painting.

Mrs. S. C. SKINNER and daughter Marian, of Chicago, returned to their home Saturday afternoon, after a visit of three weeks with the family of Rev. W. W. Wells in this place.

NILES home talent is getting up another minstrel entertainment, to be placed on the boards next month. Niles is great when it comes to the minstrel business.

Mrs. V. M. GORE spoke to a large audience in Benton Harbor, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Wm. HUNTER and children, of Dowagiac, visited relatives and friends in this place, over Sunday.

Mrs. HENRY IMHOFF was called to St. Joseph, Saturday, on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Clark.

OSCAR COLVIN is moving his family to Ann Arbor, where he is taking a course of medical lectures at the University.

The Republican Representative District Convention for the Second district is called to be held in Buchanan at 10.30, Monday, October 3.

The ladies of the Evangelical church in this place have done a good job of painting, papering, and getting the parsonage in readiness for their new pastor, Mr. Brumm.

The experience pantomime social given by the ladies of the Presbyterian church at Rough's Opera House, last evening, was well attended by an appreciative audience.

At the election of officers of the sixth regiment, K. P., held at Jackson yesterday, B. R. Sterns of Benton Harbor was elected Major and Dr. John Bell of the same place, Surgeon.

FRANK MITCHELL will preach in the Galien Centre Christian, next Sunday morning, at 10 o'clock. Subject: "Loss of the Soul." Everybody invited.

MR. AND MRS. H. D. ROUGH and Mrs. J. M. Peck returned from the Rocky mountains, Thursday evening. Mrs. Peck is very much improved in health by her stay in Denver.

TO THE CITIZENS OF THE VILLAGE OF BUCHANAN—You are each of you hereby requested to thoroughly cleanse your respective premises of all filth and filthy substances and places, and especially to clean and fumigate all privies, cesspools, cellars and out-houses in about your respective dwellings. Extra precaution is required to protect the public health, and the order must be promptly complied with. By order of the BOARD OF HEALTH.

AUCTION!

The undersigned will sell at public auction, in the village of Buchanan, on

SATURDAY, SEPT. 24, 1892,
commencing at 1 o'clock P. M., sharp,

10 HORSES

AS FOLLOWS:
1 Span Matched Creams, weight 2,800 pounds.
1 Span large five-year-old Mares, suitable for road or draft team.
1 Span five-year-old Bay Mares, good driving team.
1 Span Bays, general purpose team.
1 Bay Gelding, 10 years old, weight 1,300 pounds.
1 Gray Mare, 12 years old, weight 1,100 pounds.

BUGGIES, ETC.

4 new Top Buggies. 4 new Road Wagons. 2 new Open two seat Buggies. 3 second-hand Top Buggies. 1 large Wagon, three inch tire. 1 Lumber Wagon, narrow tire. 1 set heavy double Harness. 1 set light double Harness.

TERMS.—A credit of twelve months will be given on all sums over ten dollars, the purchaser giving his note with good and approved security, without interest if paid when due. A discount of 3 per cent for cash.

N. HAMILTON, AUCTIONEER.

I. S. MITCHELL will sell a lot of stock and other personal property at his residence, one-half mile south of the Corvay school house, in this township, on Monday, Oct. 3. John A. Babcock will do the loud talking.

MASONIC.—A special meeting of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M., will be held at Masonic Hall on Monday evening, Sept. 26, for work on E. A. degree. A good attendance is desired. By order of the W. M. B. D. HANPER, Sec.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Sept. 20, 1892: Mr. John W. Royer, Mr. J. S. Mitchell, Mrs. Della Hamon, Mrs. Natty Miller. Call for letters forwarded.

JOHN GRAMAM, P. M.

NOTICE was received in this place by telegraph yesterday morning, announcing the death of Mr. Florus Plimpton at Benton Harbor. Florus was the youngest brother of F. T. Plimpton, of this place, a bright and active young man of most excellent prospects.

The three months old child of Mr. and Mrs. John Shetler, of Tiosa, Ind., was buried in Oak Ridge cemetery on Saturday. The remains were brought here by Mr. and Mrs. Shetler, and they remained a few days with old friends.

ARRANGEMENTS are being completed for starting up the J. E. Barnes factory property, in this place, with a firm composed of J. E. Barnes, Alfred Richards, Jr., and W. S. Wells. At present it is the expectation to have the factory in operation by December 1, in the manufacture of furniture.

INSTALLATION.—Sylvia Chapter No. 74, O. E. S., installed the following officers last week: Mrs. Sylvia Scott, W. M. Mr. Freeman Franklin, W. P. Mrs. Anna Butler, A. M. Mrs. C. O. Hamilton, Sec. Mrs. Jennie Wood, Treas. Mrs. May Stryker, Con. Mrs. Della Scott, A. Con. Mrs. Nettie Franklin, Adah. Mrs. Millie East, Ruth. Mrs. Georgia High, Esther. Mrs. Zelma Dempsey, Martha. Mrs. Lillie H. H. Barta. Mrs. Evelyn Russell, Warden. Mr. C. O. Hamilton, Sentinel. Mrs. S. A. Howe, Chaplain. Mr. R. N. Haslett, Marshal.

JOHN T. RICH,
Republican candidate for Governor of Michigan, and

HON. HENRY F. THOMAS,
Republican candidate for Congressman, will address the people on the political issues, at

BUCHANAN,
Monday afternoon, Oct. 4, 1892. Let there be a full attendance to hear our next Governor and next Congressman.

J. F. HAIN, the veteran undertaker, will take a vacation next week, the first one in many years. He will visit his daughter, Mrs. Egbert, in Nebraska, and call upon some friends in Iowa. During his absence his business will be taken care of by competent persons, and by calling at the house all business will be promptly attended to.

WILL the band, orchestra, singers, ecclesiastics, and all others who so kindly and ably assisted the ladies of the Presbyterian church in making their Experience Pantomime social a success, accept the heart-felt thanks and best wishes of the ladies. The ladies' quartette wish especially to thank those who so lavishly showered flowers upon them.

THE RECORD is in receipt of a card which reads: Alfred T. Welch, Hattie H. Crigler, married, Sunday, August 28, 1892, at Milwaukee, Wis. At home, 380 Chicago Ave. East, Chicago. Buchanan people would recognize the first name more readily if it had been "Tennie" Welch instead of "Alfred" T.

MR. V. M. GORE spoke for the Republicans at Three Oaks, Saturday, to a large audience as the hall would accommodate, and extending out to the sidewalk. It was reported Monday from there that there was enough in the speech to keep the Democrats of that town caucusing all day Sunday.

QUITE a number of Buchanan people attended the grand gambling match in Niles, yesterday, and of course were highly entertained. The fellow who had the monopoly of the gambling, on the race grounds, not connected with the races themselves, paid \$850 for the privilege of setting up his tent upon the grounds and fleecing people. The organization is made up of men, some of whom are said to be leaders of society in Niles. Further comment does not appear to be necessary.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

2007 Joseph Lubodznasky, Chicago. Anastasia Jagla, Lincoln Tp. 2008 Thos. Beckwith, Benton Harbor. Minnie Winslow. 2009 Mary Wagner, Roylton. Moses W. Ward, Niles. 2010 Mary J. Phelps. Peter Schalla, Chicago. 2011 Yvonnek Switkoski, Lincoln. Geo. A. Ferguson, St. Joseph. 2012 Cline Andrews, Cedar Springs. William Virgin, St. Joseph. 2013 Theresa Doss. Herbert E. Spenser, Benton Harbor. 2014 Earl Ash, Galien. Geo. B. Heiron, Niles. 2015 Mary Dulin. Wm. M. Olmstead, Stevensville. 2016 Bertha Finch. Richard Condon, Benton Harbor. 2017 Minnie A. Benfield. David A. White, Galien. 2018 Elsie Kinney. Christ Burnelle, Bainbridge. 2019 Molly Bailly. William D. Denel, Chicago. 2020 Elizabeth Greenwood. Byron Armstrong, Coloma. 2021 Eva M. Woodward. Hiram Smith, Loois Co. 2022 Thomas F. Fing, Racine, Wis. Corn May Cromer, Roylton. 2023 Lammell Buck, Roylton. Daisy L. Parce, Oroonoko. 2024 Chas. R. Warren, Three Oaks. Ella M. Jones. 2025 Frank L. Brock, Ind. Almeda E. Rush, Benton Harbor. 2026 Harry E. Snyder, Buchanan. Pearl Lemon, Berrien Springs. 2027 William Mcalay, Berrien Springs. Anna Witter, Benton Harbor.

CHARLES MILLER, of St. Joseph, deputy city inspector and supervisor from that city, with a terrible accident at Cassopolis several days ago while inspecting oil. The following account is from the St. Joe Press:

In making tests of oil Mr. Miller uses a spirit lamp, and this lamp in some way became overturned, and as he attempted to catch it to keep it from falling the lamp fell over the heads of several oil barrels and some of it on his left hand. The scattered alcohol was instantly ablaze and the destruction of the entire warehouse and its contents was threatened. Mr. Miller however went to work heroically and succeeded in putting out the fire before any of the oil barrels were burned through, and in his fierce battle with the flames almost all the flesh was burned off the back of his hand, the bone being laid bare in some places. He had the injured hand dressed by a surgeon as speedily as possible, and hopes to be able to save it, although it is in a terrible condition. Mr. Miller might have rushed from the building at a safe distance from such terrible injury, but he thought more of protecting the valuable property that was endangered than of his own personal safety, and bravely fought out the fire while suffering almost indescribable torture from his burned hand.

TREAT & GODFREY,
SPARKS & HATHAWAY.

THE Michigan M. E. Conference, at Hillsdale, has made the following appointments for the Niles District:

J. W. H. CARLISLE, P. E. Bangor and Breedsville, A. J. Wheeler. Benton Harbor, P. J. Maveety. Berrien Springs, W. A. Prouty. Buchanan, I. Wilson. Cassopolis, W. E. Caspachcomb. Coloma and Watervliet, W. N. Younglove. Decatur, G. W. Gosling. Dowagiac, R. H. Bready. Eau Claire, A. Tanner. Edwardsburg, A. N. Elard. Galien, C. P. Birdsey. Hartford, H. L. Potter. Kessler and Silver Creek, Ira T. Wel-don. Lawrence, W. J. Douglass. Lawton, E. H. Day. Mattawan, A. C. Tanner. Mattawan, H. H. Miller. Niles, Thos. Cox. Paw Paw, A. C. Jones. Pierson, J. P. Tallman. St. Joseph, E. V. Armstrong. Stevensville, S. Trewin. Three Oaks, J. E. Arney. Vandalia, J. E. Emmons. P. M. Reid, honorary secretary of the missionary society.

M. D. Carrel, superintendent of the Epworth League department of the book branch, is resigning.

Rev. W. T. Cook is sent to Alma, W. I. Cogshall is presiding elder of Grand Rapids district, S. L. Hamilton to Ames church, Grand Rapids, and G. C. Thomas to St. Johns.

A WORTHY Berrien county man gets a Alva Sherwood, of Three Oaks, Berrien county, and a graduate of the Agricultural college, has been engaged by Hiram Walker, the millionaire distiller and farmer of Walkerville, Ont., to superintend his immense farm. Mr. Sherwood declined an offer of \$1,800 a year from the state of Idaho to teach in the agricultural college to accept the Walkerville place. Hiram Walker owns 5,000 acres, more or less, of Canadian soil. About 1,000 acres are covered with forests, but 5,000 acres are near Walkerville, nearly all of which are in very fair condition for farming operations. He has at least 1,200 acres of pasture land at Bothwell, a small station sixty-five miles out on the Grand Trunk. On about 200 acres of this land, he raised 17,000 bushels of corn last year, and for years he has conducted the farm in addition to attending to his other branches of his various business ventures. He desires to improve the property by scientific agricultural methods and to make the farm a permanently productive enterprise.

Mr. Sherwood gets \$2,000 a year, and a number of valuable perquisites which will be worth nearly \$1,000 more.

THROW a barrel of lime in that hole in the back yard where your cook has been throwing her dishwater and slops, and then break her neck if she makes any other such place on the premises. There is no worse disease breeder than those stinking old holes, and no neat house wife will have them. As we are threatened with an epidemic of cholera, the greatest care should be taken, and that is the first place to clean up.

ACCIDENT—John, the eight year's old son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weisberger, attempted to catch on to a moving freight train, in New Buffalo, Friday afternoon, while carrying his bow and arrow in his hand, and was thrown under the wheels. His right leg was crushed so that it was taken off about six inches below the knee, and the ends were taken off from the thumb and the first two fingers of the right hand. After the hurt, he climbed up the bank and on top of the fence, where he sat with the crippled foot dangling for some time, until a man discovered him and carried him home. The accident is a sad one, making him a life-time cripple, and should be a warning to other boys about catching on to moving trains. It will not be headed, however, any more than the thousands of others which have occurred before.

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There can be no risk in looking over my Stock, and there's positive loss in not doing so.

S. P. HIGH.

Sailor Hats for 90 cents; others are asking \$1.25 for the same article, at

MRS. L. DEBUNKER'S.

Buy a Carpet Sweep, Bissell or Go-shen, at

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New Goods and more coming. Come and look them over before buying your fall and winter outfit.

S. P. HIGH.

Clean your Silverware with Victory Cleaner, the best on earth, for sale at

H. E. LOUGH'S.

If you want your money's worth for your money, invest in second-hand School Books, at

HARRY BINNS', Opp. Hotel.

A good school Hat for 25 cents. No old left-over ones, but new this season, at

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My stock of Fall and Winter Underwear for Ladies', Gent's and Children now complete, at bed rock prices.

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The largest stock of Watches in Berrien county can be seen at

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The first to receive New Goods for this season, and will not be undersold by any one. A call will convince you.

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EVERYTHING in School Supplies, at

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The best line of Hosiery in town.

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Anti-Swear Collar and Cuff Buttons, at

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Goods and prices to suit the times, at

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We wish to inform our patrons that accounts for Binder Twine, Implements and general Hardware are now due you will greatly oblige by calling at the captain's office and settle the same.

TREAT & GODFREY.

I have Oak Plank, Elm Plank inch and inch and quarter oak, some dimension stuff. Will sell any of it cheap.

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Latest Styles, at

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Because we buy for cash and sell for cash.
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Because we keep a fine line of Neckwear.
Because we keep a good line of Hosiery.
Because we keep a good assortment of Collars and Cuffs.
Because we keep a big variety of Toys and Boys' Express Wagons.
Because we keep a big variety of Dolls and Doll Cabs.
Because we keep a big variety of Baskets of all kinds.
Because we keep a big variety of Pocket Books and Tobacco Pouches.
Because we keep a big line of Table Cutlery and Pocket Knives.
Because we keep a big line of Hand Saws, Hatchets, Hammers and Files.
Because we keep a full line of Suspenders and Handkerchiefs.
Because our 56 and 100 counters are chock full of 15c and 25c goods.
Because we keep the finest line of Tobacco and Cigars.
Because we keep the finest line of Confectionery.
Because we sell on small margins and give you the worth of your money.
Because we use our customers all alike—same price to all.
Because we keep nearly everything that is needed.
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Because we carry ten thousand different articles in almost everything.
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