

Business Directory.

SABBATH SERVICES.

SERVICES are held every Sabbath at 10:30 a. m. at the Church of the "Larger Hope" also, Sabbath School services immediately after the morning meeting.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH—Rev. H. R. Flory, Pastor. Sabbath School, 10:30 a. m.; People's Meeting, 7:30 p. m.; Preaching, 7:30 p. m.; Prayer Meeting and Singing, Thursday evening, 7:30. Everybody invited to all these services.

O. O. F.—Buchanan Lodge No. 75 holds its regular meeting, at Odd Fellows Hall, on the second Monday evening of each month.

P. O. E.—Buchanan Grange No. 40 meets on the second and fourth Saturday of each month, at 8 o'clock p. m.

O. U. W.—Buchanan Lodge No. 58 holds its regular meeting the 1st and 3d Tuesday evening of each month.

A. R. Wm. Ferratt Post No. 22. Regular meeting, at 8 o'clock p. m., on the 1st and 3d Saturday evening of each month. Visiting comrades all are welcome.

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THE RAJAH'S RUBY

By J. G. BETHUNE

CHAPTER X. "DO JUST AS I TELL YOU."



"I have something important to say to you."

Although Detective Simpson had never seen either of the East Indians who were so closely identified with the rajah's ruby, he identified this fellow the moment his shadowy figure was outlined against the lamp-light of the room beyond.

The round skull cap, with its dangling tassel, the thin hooked nose, the long wiry mustache and prominent chin—all these were unmistakable as their silhouette showed against the yellow background.

"Madhoo! he had exclaimed with a gasp, "and that fellow has come back to revenge himself upon him!"

The large limb upon which Wichman was crouching put out from the trunk below the window sill so that his body from the waist downward was in impenetrable gloom, but the rest was so plainly shown that the watcher detected every feature.

The fellow cautiously raised his head until he must have gained a glimpse of the interior. At the same time he shrugged his movements as much as he could, doubtless through fear that the couple in the room would discover him.

"If such is his intention," thought Simpson, "I don't think I'll stand here and await his attack. I will follow close behind you with my pistol in hand, and the first one who seeks to harm you will be shot dead by a doornail."

"But mercy! I will be killed before you can prevent it."

"I have no fear," was the assuring response. "Let me see. What is your name?"

"Martha—Martha Corning, sir."

"And a very pretty name it is too. Now, have confidence in me, Martha, and all will be well. Walk straight along, as though you had no fear. You are a brave girl, and I will slip around among the trees and will keep an eye on you."

CHAPTER XI. HE WAS A SECOND TOO LATE.

The doctor remained in the background, as if occupied with some other matter. The face of the young lady lying in shadow, he could not see the expression of her features, though he believed that she was endeavoring to pierce the gloom and meditating over the strange occurrences of the last few days.

"She must have heard the opening and closing of the front door, and Martha will lose no time in telling her story."

"Miss Gilder suddenly turned her head. She had hastily drawn down the curtain, so that the interior of the room was shut out from any prying eyes, no matter where located.

It was easy to read the meaning of what she saw. The returning servant had knocked on the door and was hidden there. Miss Gilder looking around as she did so. The moment she gained the chance she uttered something which gave warning of what was coming.

The young lady whipped down the curtain, and she and Dr. Marshall were at that moment listening to the startling story.

The situation was most peculiar. Simpson had set out to learn something about the rajah's ruby, whose secret he was confident was fully known to the couple, but he found himself unexpectedly checked when on the very threshold of the presence of Wichman, engaged on similar business, though hardly with the purpose he himself had in mind.

The question he asked himself was what the couple within the house were likely to do on learning of their danger. It was to be supposed that the physician was armed, and he would hardly leave Miss Gilder and the servant alone after the revelation of the latter.

Simpson had maneuvered and moved about a good deal among the trees, and while doing so was fortunate enough to discover his rival and enemy. True, this was due to what might be termed a piece of good fortune on his part, but knowing the exceeding subtlety of those people he began to ask himself whether it was not probable that

Stalking track of the rajah's ruby, he glanced up in the tower to learn how the fellow was taking the new situation.

He was not visible, and a few minutes' waiting satisfied the detective that he had descended to the ground.

"He will do nothing until the return of the woman. When she is inside again he will resume operations."

Eager as was Simpson to solve the problem of the rajah's ruby, he felt that the first step was to protect the doctor and the two women against these Thugs, as they were called. While he was seeking to do that without disarranging his own scheme, he decided that it was his duty to warn the servant on her return of the peril of herself, her mistress and Dr. Marshall, in order that they might be on their guard.

"Do this without exposing yourself, but do not interrupt the woman before she came back and at such a distance from the house that the assassin would not see them. Inasmuch as she was liable to return at any moment it would not do to wait."

The abundant trees and the gloom of the night gave him all the screen he could ask. He was confident that when he finally emerged from the vegetation and stole into the highway no one had seen his eyes and ears for the moment, and the fact that he neither heard nor saw anything added not a little to his own sense of security.

Prompt as was his action, it was none too much so, for at a distance of less than 200 yards from the front gate, but fortunately where his movements were hidden by an intervening house, he met the servant walking rapidly toward the Liverpool homestead.

Simpson knew her at a glance. Looking up at him and driving that he meant to speak, she turned aside a little frightened and would have moved past him at a faster gait than before had he not interposed.

"Don't be alarmed, my good woman," said the round faced detective in his most reassuring tones. "I have some thing important to say to you and will detain you but a moment."

"You have no business to stop me this way, sir," she said spiritedly, but with a slight tremor in her voice. "Stand out of my path and let me pass. I am in a great hurry, sir."

"You belong to the house back yonder. I have just come from near there, and I wish to tell you that Dr. Marshall, Miss Gilder and yourself are in great danger."

The servant was in the act of brushing past, when at these words she stopped abruptly, and looking frightenedly at him gasped:

"I don't understand you. What do you mean?"

"Just what I said. I saw you come out of the house and started to apprise you of your and their peril."

The woman was too alarmed to inquire how it was that this stranger knew so much, or to suggest that the most sensible course for her to hasten back into the town and secure help. She could only wait.

"What shall I do? Oh, what can I do?" "Do—just as I tell you, and all will be well—walk directly toward, turn into the gate and enter the front door as you intended to do, and when once in the house inform the doctor and your young mistress of their danger."

"But—the dreadful person will kill me!"

"No, he won't. I've come down here on purpose to take care of you; you were so kind to me when I called yesterday that I can't let you go without my being behind you with my pistol in hand, and the first one who seeks to harm you will be shot dead by a doornail."

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toward the front of the house until in the same advantageous situation as before.

"I promised to look out for her, and I will do my best to do so, but she does not seem to be in a hurry."

Peering through the gloom toward that part of the lonely street which was dimly lit up by the lamp, he saw nothing of her. It was time that she made a move forward, and he feared her courage had given out now that the crisis was before her.

"She may have gone back for help or had decided that she won't run the risk, despite my pledge to her—ah, there she comes!"

But Simpson was mistaken, as he perceived the next moment. The form was that of a man approaching from the rear.

"I wonder whether he intends to mix in this business?" thought the officer. "If he does, he must show his colors before he can do any harm."

Directly behind the stranger and only a few paces distant loomed the figure of Martha, walking at the same pace, so as not to fall farther to the rear. It was evident that, though he was unknown to her, she was making use of his presence as a shield against that shadowy peril of which she had received warning.

"If that man turns into the yard, what will she think? She will fancy that he is the thing himself, but she sees now that he is not."

The individual who just then was an object of so much interest passed the gate, speedily vanishing in the darkness beyond, while Martha, after a moment's hesitation, turned into the yard and came forward between the trees along the walk to the front door.

The lamp threw enough of its rays in the direction of the house for a spectator to be able dimly to trace a person's outlines up to the moment when he stepped upon the front porch.

Martha carefully concealed herself and did not remove his eyes from the dim figure, which advanced with a hurried but regular step. Her heart must have been beating fast, but nothing in her gait showed her timidity.

"Half way to the porch she started to speak and uttered an exclamation of fright."

"How you startled me! I thought it was that man," she called in a suppressed voice, resuming her walk.

It was indeed "that man." Evidently she had seen some one in the darkness near the door, and she was relieved by the belief that it was her chivalrous friend watching over her. So she advanced serenely and doubtless would have stepped with terror had the genuine friend approached from the darkness to address her.

"Alas! thought Simpson, "if she knew that the one at her elbow was the thing she would have swooned dead away, but she was really in no danger, and it is better as it is."

The woman consumed precious little time in letting herself in the front door. She had scarcely entered, when she turned into the hall, where she fancied some awful horror was stealing upon her through the night, can imagine her feelings during the few seconds she was engaged in unlocking the entrance.

She whisked inside, however, without making a sound, and the key was turned and the bolt slid in place again.

"And now what next?" Simpson asked himself, working back to his former position, from which he had seen the seamy peering from the tree into the upper room.

At the moment the detective glanced toward Miss Gilder came forward to the window. The watcher saw her elevate her hand and draw the string which raised the curtain to the top of the sash. Then she stood a minute looking out on the night, her fine figure revealed by the light behind.

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H. BINNS.

disappearance, when on the outskirts of the town, he caught sight of the two sepoys, who appeared

Talk of an electric railroad between South Bend and Elkhart.

A tornado struck Ypsilanti yesterday afternoon and demolished several of the business blocks in the center of the city. No one was killed.

It is almost stand off between the K. of G. C. K. K. J. K. and the C. S. A. who gets the most fat consulates from the present administration. But they earned it, of course.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

DIED.—Mr. William Pears a prominent citizen of this place, died at his home, Friday evening, after several years of suffering from internal troubles. Mr. Pears was born in Stanford, England, in 1826, and settled in Oswego, N. Y., in 1846, and came to Buchanan, in 1856, since which time he has been prominently interested in the business and public enterprises of the town and vicinity, as miller, banker, farmer and public official in various capacities. Thirty-four years before the day of his death he was married to Miss Emma Whitehead who, with their son, Charles of this place, and daughter, Mrs. Dr. Spreng of Sioux City, Iowa, survives him. The funeral services were held from his late home, by Sunday afternoon, conducted by Revs. I. Wilson and O. J. Roberts, and were attended by a large collection of relatives and friends. The remains were taken to their lot in Oak Ridge cemetery for burial. A magnificent collection of flowers was contributed by friends of the deceased from Chicago.

THE Presbytery of Kalamazoo has been in session during this week in the Presbyterian church, and at the same time the Ladies' Presbyterian Missionary Society has been in session in the Evangelical Church. Some 60 delegates were in attendance, and all report having had a most enjoyable time. The Ladies' Missionary meeting was one of marked interest and profit. The Missionary Society in Buchanan rejoices in the fact that one of its members, Mrs. Maria Stebbins, will go as a Missionary Bible reader to Northern India. The Sessions of Presbytery opened with a sermon by the Rev. Thomas B. Barr of Kalamazoo, from Eph. 1:10. The Rev. W. S. Buck was elected Moderator for the coming six months. The twenty churches in the bounds report in the main a prosperous year. Two new churches have been built during the year, at Schoolcraft and Buchanan. Rev. T. W. Monteith and Elder L. G. Starr were elected Commissioners to the General Assembly to meet in Washington, D. C. in May. The overtures from the General Assembly on revision of confession of faith, were answered in the affirmative, with few exceptions. The force of this is, that a few of the hard statements in the Confession will be omitted, but the Calvinistic system will not be impaired. On Wednesday evening a very interesting meeting was held. The Rev. W. S. Buck gave an address on "How to reach young men," and the Rev. John Gray gave an address on "Reasons why we should work for missions." Both were very telling addresses. Altogether the meetings were of a very interesting character. The ladies served dinner and tea on Wednesday in the basement of the new church, and the delegates had an enjoyable social time there. It was pleasant to the Presbyterians at least to hear on all sides unqualified approval of their new church home. The Autumn meeting of Presbytery will be held in Sturgis.

Marriage Licenses.

- Charles L. Castle, Three Oaks. Emma L. Davis, New Buffalo. Edw. Hendrick, Hagar. Anna Curtis. John P. Butzback, Benton Harbor. Florence Eida Wilson, Bertrand. Otis Moor, Niles. Kate M. Gragg, Niles. Henry Fritzwilg, Benton. Martha Reischel, St. Joseph. Alfred P. Post, Lafayette, Ind. Nellie B. Dodger, St. Joseph. John Danof, Benton Harbor. Pauline Stek, Stevensville. Matthew Kennedy, Benton Harbor. Susie Hamner. Simon P. Frank, Bagnbridge. Martha Hoardley, Bainbridge. Gustav C. A. Schweitzer, Lake. Augustus K. W. Krammer, Royalton. Chas. O. Whitman, Hagar. Ella A. Kenney. Lester H. Kempton, Glendora. Florence Bartel, St. Joseph. (Adolph Herzog, Keeler. Mary Hahn, Benton Harbor. Bert D. Niver, South Bend. Edna Ledrede, Mishawaka. Anthony Drach, Benton Harbor. Elizabeth Freeman.

The Circuit Court.

The case against Fulton Powers, of this place, charged with robbery, has been carried over to the next term of court, he giving \$500 bail for his appearance at that time for trial. Frederick W. Bakeman, a native of Germany, admitted to citizenship. S. G. Antisdale, Montgomery Brickell, Cushman Burr, John Barnes, J. W. Cunningham, A. O. French and H. B. Volheim, drawn and summoned to serve as petit jurors at this term, were excused from that duty. The people vs. Geo. Green, alias Edwin R. Green; rape. Trial concluded. Verdict of jury guilty. Sentenced to eighteen years to Jackson at hard labor. First National Bank at Pontiac, vs. Francis A. Blackmer. In this cause the judgment heretofore entered is set aside, provided the defendant pay the said plaintiff twenty-five dollars on or before April 15, 1892.

The People vs. Benjamin Cousins, manlaughter.

In this case the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. Geo. Z. Allen, drawn and summoned to serve as a juror at this term was excused from further attendance. Court adjourned until nine o'clock Friday morning. The people vs. Hamilton et al., riot. Respondent arraigned. Plead not guilty. The people vs. William Allen, burglary, nolle prosequi. The people vs. Wm. Fraser, assault with intent to rob, nolle prosequi. The people vs. Douglas Purcell, assault, nolle prosequi. The people vs. David Knight, bastardy, nolle prosequi. Court adjourned until Monday, April 10, 1892.

PROGRAM OF THE First Quarterly Convention of the Buchanan Sunday School Union to be held on the afternoons and evenings of Saturday and Sunday, April 15 and 16, with the Church of Christ.

SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

- 1:30—Song Service, H. H. Flory. 1:45—Question Box, O. J. Roberts. Music. 2:30—True Elements of Power in Sunday school work. Consecration, Miss Lillie Abell. Energy, B. H. Allen. Tact, L. L. Dodd. Sympathy, Earl Light. Music. 3:00—Discussion. 3:00—Normal Half-hour, O. J. Roberts. 3:30—The Why and How of Reviews, Miss Elsie Kingery. Song and Benediction. EVENING SESSION. 7:00—Music. 7:10—Bible Drill, H. H. Flory. 7:20—The Graded System in the Sunday School, a discussion led by O. J. Roberts. Music. 7:45—A Paper on "Don'ts" in Sunday School Work, Mrs. Annie Irving. Song and Benediction. SUNDAY AFTERNOON. 9:30—Song and Praise, H. H. Flory. 2:45—Bible Reading; Christ as a Teacher, I. Wilson. 3:00—Our Village Canvass; Report and Address by the Secretary, H. H. Flory. 3:30—Paper, "The Ideal Sunday School," Miss Libbie Irwin. 3:45—"Plover Points." Song and Benediction. EVENING SESSION. 6:30—Young People's Union Service, led by B. H. Allen. 7:00—Paper, "A Composition Picture of Many Sunday Schools," Mrs. M. E. Frye. 7:15—Address, "The Bible as a Factor in Civilization," J. F. Adair. Collection. Song and Benediction.

Silver Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. William Broceus, of this township, have passed the twenty-fifth milestone of their married life. Notwithstanding the threatening storm of last Friday evening, between 150 and 200 relatives and friends gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Broceus to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. After spending an hour in social chat, everybody contributing to this part of the entertainment, a bounteous supper was served in the most modern style, the waiters knowing their duty and doing it as though they had been trained for the occasion. The supper was simply immense. Mr. Wray says there were seven kinds of cake, and we think he knows. In Scriptures seven denotes perfection. We know the cakes were perfect whether the number seven had anything to do with it or not. After supper a general demand was made that another knot be tied. Mr. Broceus had no objection and like a bashful young man of modern type, stood up with his lashed bride. When asked whether he was willing to continue the journey of life with the bride, replied he would be glad to do so if she would consent to stay. The bride agreed to stay, providing she could have her own way in the future as in the past. The groom readily consented, and thus the contract closed. An informal presentation of the many presents as a token of warm friendship was responded to in a few words expressing hearty appreciation. Following is the list:

- Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Sicksaose, silver oriental card receiver. Mrs. and Mesdames Abraham Broceus, silver cake basket. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Broceus, Geo. W. Rough, Geo. Hanley, J. H. Steiner, Anselm Wray, S. C. Quint and Mrs. Frances Fowler, silver creamer, sugar bowl and teaspoon holder. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Long, Mr. Chas. Broceus, silver tea pot. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Searls and daughter, silver berry spoon. Misses Adie Blake and Kit Kingery, silver toothpick holder. Mr. O. Wm. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bliss, pair of napkin rings. Rev. and Mrs. Bartness, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kelsey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Searls and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Adin Kelsey and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ingewright, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Montague and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bradley, silver cake basket. Rev. and Mrs. H. H. Flory, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Rice, Mrs. R. E. Beardsley Miss Edith Beardsley, silver sugar spoon. Mr. and Mrs. F. Franklin, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. French and Mrs. Mary Covens, china card receiver. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Bates, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. Michel Zerbe, and Mrs. Chas. Bates, silver salad dish. Mr. and Mrs. J. Joseph Blake and Miss Mary Blake, silver fruit dish. Mr. and Mrs. J. Roseworth, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bachman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Geyer, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butts, and Miss Hettie Blake, silver pickle caster. Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Harner, silver match safe. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Long, linen towel. Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Blake, two dollar silver. Messrs. Fred and Jno. Tichenor silver butter knife. Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Blake and daughters, silver cake basket. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haslett, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Haskett and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bates, individual silver salt cellars. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Blake and daughter, silver salt cellars. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith, set bread and cake knives. Mrs. Sam'l Rollins and daughter, silver pickle caster. Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Montague, china flower vase. Mr. and Mrs. Riley Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Scott, silver tooth pick holder. Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Howe, Mr. Erich Long and Miss Kate Long, set Irish knives. Mrs. Isaac Long, one dollar silver. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Sunday, silver napkin ring.

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D. 1891, he will sell at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House in Berrien Springs, in the county of Berrien, in said state, on Saturday, the 15th day of April, A. D. 1892, at ten o'clock of the afternoon of that day (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased), the following described real estate, to-wit: "Certain lots of land situated in the village of Berrien Springs, in the county of Berrien, in the state of Michigan, to-wit: One lot of land situated in the village of Berrien Springs, in the county of Berrien, in the state of Michigan, containing one hundred and eighty-two and one-half (182 1/2) acres, more or less, bounded by Adams, Wooster, D., 232 in front, by J. Howard Madison, Lyons, N. 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to be found in Berrien county, at the lowest living prices for good work.

An Inspection is Solicited.

Front Street, Foot of Day's Avenue, BUCHANAN, MICH.

Buchanan Markets.

- Hay—\$10 per ton. Lard—12c. Salt, retail—\$1.00. Flour—\$4.00 @ \$4.50 per bbl., retail. Honey—15c. Live poultry—5 to 6c. Butter—20c. Eggs—11c. Wheat—60c. Corn—84c. Oats—45c. Beans—\$1.75. Live Hogs—7 1/2c. Potatoes—70c.

ORIN NASH, of Benton Harbor, was here over Sunday.

Mrs. LAIRD, former preceptress in our Schools, is here for a visit.

St. JOSEPH is reported as having spent \$41,248, last year.

The Deering sisters are greatly improving their front street residence.

ORDER your electric light this week and save cost of wiring.

EVERYBODY wants electric light, and now is the time to order it.

CHAS. BROEUS, of Benton Harbor, is spending this week with relatives in this place.

MR. JOHN M. STETTLER has sold his home on Second street to John Rice for \$7,000.

MISS OLLIE ALLEN, of Niles, spent Sunday in this place with her uncle, Chas. A. Howe.

MR. ERNEST BOUT, foreman of the Niles Star office, made the RECORD a call Friday.

A BILL has been passed by the house at Lansing, legalizing the bonds of St. Joseph.

ONE firm in Benton Harbor subscribes \$500 to secure the enterprise offered that city by William Dullin.

MR. HENRY RENNIE has bought the Mr. A. O. Koontz's house on North Main street, where Mr. Rennie has been living.

THREE OAKS is the banner to ship, in one respect. During the last year she had four supervisors, and has now elected the fifth.

At the election last week this county gave Hon. O. W. Coolidge 515 and Cass county 282 Majority. A total of 807. Good enough.

Mrs. MAY SEAVEY, nee Wilbur, delighted a large congregation at the M. E. church, last Sunday evening, with a solo, rendered in a splendid manner.

The three and one-half years old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Sheldon, from south-east of Dayton, was buried at the Bakertown cemetery, Sunday.

Miss Ida L. DUNBAR, formerly of this place, was married at her home, Marion, Ind., April 3, to Mr. Joseph Nagle, a substantial farmer of Sheldon, Ill.

The street sprinkler has commenced its rounds and is doing a good job except on the cross-walks. It would be better for pedestrians if the water was shut off when crossing them.

The B. H. Spencer lot and barn, on Roe Street, was bought last Friday by J. G. Holmes, and will be the location of the water works power and pump house.

The injunction in the sewer fight of St. Joseph against Benton Harbor, sustained by Judge O'Hara last winter, has been dissolved by the same Judge.

BENTON HARBOR is credited with a night watchman who is so superstitious that he abandoned his job because the building he was watching is haunted.

BUCHANAN put down a test well for water supply and find all they want forty feet below above. Niles Recorder. The Coloma Boomer man has undoubtedly been located once more.

ELLS ROE has bought a lot from John Graham, next south of the one sold to Chas. Hoffman, and a new house will be built there this summer. Price, \$250.

MR. J. H. ULLERY, of Berrien Springs, has been teaching a term of singing lessons in the Mt. Tabor Grange hall north of this place, and Saturday evening gave a public exhibition that was largely attended by the citizens of that vicinity, who speak in high praise of the service.

NILES CITY band has an all summer's engagement to play each Sunday afternoon on the beach at St. Joseph. That is one of the best bands in the State, and St. Joseph people will listen to some good music.

The friends Mr. Chas. Wells in Bertrand township feel that he has been pretty badly treated by the democrats of the township in the last election, in turning him down, politically, and are not entirely pleased with it.

MISS MAUD WELCH, who has been visiting in this place the past few weeks, left Monday for a short visit with relatives at Terre Coupe, when she will return to her home in Argos, Ind.

LEVI LASTER and A. C. Roe are setting several acres of strawberry plants on Dr. Roe's farm, across the river, and with good management should be able to harvest a good crop next season.

ALL who have not already placed their order for electric lights, and wish to avail themselves of the free wiring and lamps, may leave their orders at this office before six o'clock Saturday evening.

We learn that L. H. Kempton and Miss Florence Hartsell, both of Glendora, were married last Saturday, April 8. The bride was formerly a teacher in our schools, and her many Buchanan friends will join in congratulations.

E. A. BLAKESLEE, of Galien, who is general superintendent of the Latter Day Saints Sunday Schools in the United States, has been attending the annual conference of that church at Lamoni, Iowa.

The purchase of the Presbyterian church by Dr. and E. J. Roe, reported a few weeks since, failed to materialize and the property has been bought by John Meadham. That is as fine a lot as is to be found in the village.

In this issue will be found the advertisement of the U. S. Baking Co. of Jackson, who manufacture a high grade of goods in their line, and which are sold at as low prices as inferior goods of other makers. Fillmore Cottrell, a former Buchanan boy, is manager of the company. When you want anything in the cracker line ask for the "Jaxon" goods.

The Dowagiac Standard, in noting the increase of business in its jobbing department says: "Last month we turned out over \$50 of job work." That may be a big month's work for a Dowagiac office, but if ours should fall below \$500, and it rarely does, we consider we have not had a very good month's run of work. This month our job work will run over \$1,000.

MR. MATTHIAS SUSAN has sold his farm of 40 acres, one and one-half miles south of Galien, to London Marsh. Price, \$2,300. Mr. Marsh sold his farm of 40 acres, north of Dayton, to Charles Weatherwax, last week. Price, \$1,650. Mr. Susan has bought II. L. Best's two acres just west of this place. Price, \$350.

MR. M. WALKER, of Penton, Mich., was here Thursday and took orders for the pumps and wells for the water works, and will put in the same as soon as needed preparations are completed. Mr. Walker was here several years ago and figured with Messrs. Koontz and Barnes for the erection of a water works plant which was never built. Mr. Walker's pumps are among the best in the market.

BAKED.—Ludwick and Batchelor, under the firm name of Columbian Baking Co., mentioned a few weeks since having their bakery in operation, and are now furnishing baked goods and candies to Treat & Redden and C. D. Kent, and will have their goods on sale at Lamb & Needham's when they open their store. They propose to furnish first-class goods and want to come as near feeding the citizens of Buchanan as possible.

SEVERAL days before election the writer wrote to the Attorney General for an opinion as to whether if a person moved from one voting district to another in the same township, within ten days before an election, he would lose his vote in consequence of the move, and we have this week received his written opinion and giving for his reasons, that the voter would not lose his vote by such a move. This may be of service in future elections, in case we have any more such cases as arose at the last election.

It is told of a Berrien county justice that he did not think there was sufficient evidence to hold a saloon keeper to the Circuit Court, although the latter admitted that he kept open after midnight.—Detroit Tribune.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS.—We are to have 'em. A corporation has been formed, and articles of association filed with the Secretary of State under the title of Buchanan Power and Electric Co. to furnish electric lights heat and power in the Village of Buchanan. That company now comes before the people with the following proposition: For all lamps ordered on or before Saturday, April 15, they will furnish the wiring and lamps in the house ready for use free of charge. No cost coming to the consumer until the lights are in use, when he will be asked to pay the following rates for dwelling: Three lamps, \$18 per year, and each additional lamp \$1 per year, making the cost for 4 lamps, \$19; 5 lamps, \$20, etc. For stores, 50 cents per month for each lamp used. For arc lamps \$50 per year. After next Saturday all consumers will be charged \$2.25 per lamp for wiring and lamps. It is the desire of the company to have orders for all of the lamps that are likely to be used at once so that the entire plant, including lamps and wiring may be put in at one job.

At a meeting of the Common Council held Tuesday morning the bids for the water works bonds were opened, and the sale awarded to E. H. Rollins & Co., of Boston. The firms of Spitzer & Co, Toledo, O.; E. H. Rollins & Co., Boston; J. W. Harris & Co., Chicago and Seagood & Mayer, Cincinnati, had representatives here. The bids were as follows: Rollins Sons, par less \$950. Spitzer & Co., par less \$375 and money to be paid as needed. Harris & Co., par less \$250 and money to be paid as needed. Seagood & Mayer, par less \$1100. Loufrecht Bros. & Co., Cleveland, O., par less \$1200. Deitz, Demson & Prior, Cleveland, O., par less \$1000. Gay & Stanwood, Boston, par flat \$30 premium.

There were some bids which upon their face appeared better than Rollins & Co., but the terms of payment made the outcome in favor of that firm. At the same meeting the Common Council closed the contract with Mr. English to light the streets of the village with thirty arc lights, for the sum of \$15,000 a year, or \$50 per lamp. The same style of lights will be furnished for stores and private purposes at the same rate. Mr. Niles the charge made for a similar service is \$72. In four months from this date it is intended that Buchanan shall have the best lighting service in the state.

AN ORDINANCE, giving and granting to Peter English, his heirs, successors and assigns, the right, privilege and authority to furnish and provide power light and heat, by means of electricity, in and for the Village of Buchanan, Michigan, under the provisions of the Village of Buchanan Ordinance.

Section 1. That the right, privilege and authority is hereby granted to Peter English, his heirs, successors and assigns, to use the public streets, alleys, bridges, parks and other public grounds in the Village of Buchanan, Michigan, including any territory that may be hereafter added to the same, for the purpose of erecting poles and other supports, cross arms, brackets, wires and wires and fixtures, in, across and over said streets, alleys, bridges, parks and other public grounds from time to time as said Peter English, his heirs, successors and assigns may desire, and that may be necessary and convenient for distributing and supplying said Village and the inhabitants thereof and corporations therein with electricity for power, light and heat, subject to the conditions hereinafter contained.

Section 2. The establishment and securing of all lines, wires, cables, poles or supports erected by or under the authority of the rights, privileges and authority herein granted, shall be so as not to interfere with the ordinary use of the streets, alleys, bridges, parks or other public grounds, in case of any excavating or other interference with any street, alley, park or other public grounds, said Peter English, his heirs, successors and assigns, shall restore forthwith the street, alley, park or grounds to its original condition as near as may be, and all such places shall be kept in repair, and the same, his heirs, successors and assigns in as good condition as before disturbed by him.

Section 3. All wires strung on poles or masts shall be at least eighteen feet above the curb or surface of the ground, except when entering buildings, and shall be so placed as not to interfere further than is actually necessary with shade trees of any description, or with any description of public or private property, and no wires shall be attached to buildings, except with the consent of the owner or occupant, and in all cases first-class insulators shall be used in making such connection.

Section 4. Said Peter English, his heirs, successors and assigns shall be liable to compensate the Village of Buchanan and all corporations and persons for all damages that may grow out of the use of the public ways and grounds of said village for their business or for the same, opened or encumbered any street, alley, sidewalk or public place, or from any other cause whatever connected with the franchise hereby conferred, and said Peter English, his heirs, successors and assigns, shall be liable for any loss the said Village of Buchanan may suffer in consequence of the use of the same, on account of anything that may grow out of the operation or business of said power, light and heat plant.

Section 5. Said Peter English, his heirs, successors and assigns, shall signify his acceptance of this Ordinance in writ and file same with the Village Clerk within twenty days next after the passage of this ordinance, in order to make the same operative.

Section 6. This Ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

We hereby certify that the above Ordinance was adopted by the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan, at a regular meeting of said Common Council held on Friday evening, March 31, 1893. C. D. KEST, Clerk.

THE Michigan Conference of the Evangelical Association, which convened at Eureka, Mich., April 6, made the following appointments, for St. Joseph District: J. A. FRYE, P. E. Buchanan, Geo. Johnson. Portage Prairie, W. H. Wagner. Royalty, J. Rath. St. Joseph, L. V. Soldan. Bainbridge, J. Schmauss. Bristol, J. J. Marshall. Lima, J. Young. Marcellus, H. C. Puratacau. Park, A. A. Scheurer. Vicksburg, G. Koehler. Marshall, A. Frye. Fremont, N. Frye. Litchfield, J. Drinkwater. Jackson, G. J. Biru. Rives, J. Holsapple. Rev. F. Klump was elected Presiding Elder and stationed on Reed City District. Rev. W. A. Koehler, formerly pastor of the Prairie church, was stationed to serve the church at Eureka. Rev. F. Brumm goes to Reed City, Mich.

A CURIOSITY.—White testing an Economist plow, on a farm between Battle Creek and Marshall, last week, Mr. Chas. Russell, of this place, unearthed a curiosity in form of an iron or steel scalping knife. It has a curved blade about eight inches long. A square iron handle with shield, and is supposed to have at one time been the property of some Chippewa brave. Mr. Russell sent it to W. O. Churchill in this place, and it is now a part of his extensive archeological collection. The supposed history of the relic, as figured out by Mr. Churchill, is that it was most likely made by the French and traded to the Indians by the Hudson Bay Co. for furs, and as that section of the state was the home of the Chippewa, it was most likely the property of one of that tribe. Mr. Churchill prizes it very highly, as a valuable addition to his collection.

The streets of South Bend are to be paved with brick, and a company will soon commence the manufacture of the brick to be used, in that city. A threshing machine works is also to locate there and will give employment to about 1,000 men.—Niles Sun.

The Discovery and Conquest of the New World is cheap at the price and is worthy of a place in every home. TABLETS! TABLETS! TABLETS! HARRY BINNS, opp. Hotel.

Turkey Eggs for hatching may be had of S. W. Redden, 60 cents per dozen. 1274.

SPECIAL SALE FOR THE NEXT 30 DAYS OF HATS AND CAPS AND GENTS' NECKWEAR OF THE VERY LATEST STYLES. A LARGE VARIETY TO SELECT FROM. Come in and make your selections while our stock is complete. MORRIS' THE FAIR, BUCHANAN, MICH. P. S.—Just received a fine line of Men's Pants, and new designs in Men's Shirts and Boys' Waists.

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DRESS-MAKING. Mrs. J. A. GRISWOLD is prepared to do dress-making and plain sewing, at her home on Alexander street, second house west of Churchill's office. 7m2 Screenings for chickens. C. BISHOP GRAIN CO. Immense line of everything, at H. B. DUNCAN'S.

A full line of Broadhead Dress Goods this week, at H. B. DUNCAN'S. A store chock full of New Goods this week, at H. B. DUNCAN'S.

A. B. CHASE PIANOS. I have the agency for the A. B. CHASE pianos for this vicinity, and want to see all who want to buy a first-class Piano. J. G. HOLMES.

If you have any idea of buying a farm I want to have a talk with you. I have a good one for sale. J. G. HOLMES.

Lots of new goods this week at H. B. DUNCAN'S. Grand Millinery Opening, at the Emporium, March 31 and April 1. We will be pleased to see our friends. MRS. F. H. BERRICK. Cloaks at cost, to close them out. S. P. HIGH.

JOHN W. BEISTLE is the agent for White and New Home Sewing Machines, in Buchanan. Needles and Oil. Office with Henry Lough.

FOR SALE.—I have for sale 160 acres good land in Weesaw township, convenient to Michigan Central and Vandalia stations, fair buildings, good windmill and other improvements. It is a bargain. J. G. HOLMES.

If you have any idea you would like to invest in a good farm, one-half mile square, that may be had cheap, call on J. G. HOLMES.

Don't forget that I still sell Pianos and Organs. If you contemplate buying either, see me before buying. J. G. HOLMES.

I have 160 acres of good land, no waste, for sale at \$35 per acre. It would be a bargain at \$40, come and see me. Crops go with the place. J. G. HOLMES.

BOOTS, SHOES, RUBBERS, can be bought of FRITTS for less money than any other place in Berrien county. Also, the best Oak Tanned Hand Made Team Harness in the market for \$36. Other things in proportion. Opera House Block, Buchanan.

Mrs. L. DeBunker still has THE Hats. Nice styles and cheap. Will be found at the old stand as usual, next to Bank.

The Surprise Burner is the latest improvement in Gasolene Stoves. Sold only by RENNIE & GODFREY. BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS! Cheap cheaper, cheapest.

H. BINNS, opp. Hotel. Cream Puffs, at KENTS. Warranted, Genuine Dongola Kid Shoes for \$1.75, at FRITTS.

The illustrations in Discovery and Conquest of the New World are magnificent. REWARD CARDS. H. BINNS, opp. Hotel.

SALLEN at good Baked Beans in tin at 4c.

Genuine Hand Turned Dongola Kid Shoes, warranted, for \$2.50, at FRITTS' New Shoe Store, Buchanan.

Nearly 600 illustrations from the greatest artists, portraying every scene of the World's grandest drama. An absolutely complete Columbian Memorial. SHELF PAPER. H. BINNS, opp. Hotel.

New Goods just received, at Mrs. E. REDDING'S. Straw work done satisfactorily. Leave orders at Weaver & Co's for all kinds of hauling. Resp., E. M. RUSSELL.

Special Sale on Jackets and China Silks, at MRS. BERRICK'S. Mrs. J. P. BINNS returned from Chicago last week, where she had been ten days looking up styles in Millinery.

Soaps have advanced 25 per cent. We are selling at the old price. TREAT & REDDEN.

Paris Sugar Corn is always the best found at TREAT & REDDEN. For fine Photographs, go to VAN Ness, the leader in Photography, Buchanan.

The celebrated Jackson Flour, at BOARDMAN & WEBER'S. DRESS MAKING.—Miss ELMIRA BURENS is prepared to do all kinds of work in this line, at her home, on Day's avenue, fourth house north of the M. C. depot.

COME AND SEE US. GEO. WYMAN & CO. South Bend, Ind.

Citizen's National Bank, NILES, MICH. DIRECTORS: A. C. Gage, J. L. Reddick, I. P. Hutton, H. M. Dean, J. H. Richardson, L. H. Benson, O. W. Coolidge, E. F. Woodcock, L. E. Wood. Capital \$50000.00. Surplus and Profits, \$20000.00. ASSETS OVER \$350000.00.

NOT HOW BIG! BUT HOW STRONG!

GEO. RICHARDS, FURNITURE. I am making a special feature this Spring of Fine Dining Tables, Dining Chairs, Side Boards and Combination Book Cases. Am showing goods from the best factories in the country. In Medium and Low Priced Furniture My Stock Was Never So Complete. The goods are honest, solid. The prices right. On fine goods I can save you 25 per cent. GEO. RICHARDS.

MY MOTTO: Best Quality, Lowest Prices. I have the goods and make the prices that saves the people money. Have you seen my new Spring Stock? It is a showing of reliable, serviceable goods. My ALL WOOL DRESS GOODS Are in the latest colors and styles. In wash goods I have a fine assortment of white and colored fabrics. Toile Du Nord, Zephyr and French Ginghams, From 12c to 18c per yard. A large and complete assortment of UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS This week. REMEMBER MY MOTTO. If you want full value for your money, come and see me. S. P. HIGH.

AT THIS SEASON We beg to call your attention to the fact that OUR STOCK IS IMPROVED AND INCREASED, and we are in position to "do you good" in our line. A Car Load of Wire Nails Just Received. Come let us figure together!

ROE & KINGERY. Attention, Farmers. FERTILIZE YOUR GROUND WITH ODORLESS FERTILIZER, BUG & WORM KILLER. It is the purest plant food ever used; it is ground finer; it goes farther and lasts longer than any other fertilizer known. If you want a big crop of Wheat, Corn, Oats or Potatoes, or a large crop of Fruit, use ODORLESS PHOSPHATE. It will not only give you a good crop, but it will destroy potato bugs, tomato bugs, and cucumber and cabbage worms, all kinds of vermin—either on small or large fruit trees, grubs of every kind and class in the soil. The Agricultural Stations of Ohio, Vermont, Michigan, and Connecticut have tested it and say that it produced more to the acre than any other fertilizer used. It will destroy the bugs and worms by dusting it over the plants and trees; it is sure death to the cut worm.

TREAT & MARBLE. Agents for Berrien County.

Baker's Cash Dry Goods House.

OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT IS NOW OFFERING SPECIAL VALUES IN

Ladies' Blazer Coats, Ladies' Reefer Jackets, Ladies' Stylish Capes, Ladies' Reefers with Detachable Triple Capes. Children's Jackets, Misses' Reefers and Blazers.

A CHOICE LINE OF INFANTS' EMBROIDERED CLOAKS IN ALL SIZES. CREAM, WHITE AND TAN.

An early selection from this Department will unquestionably bring you satisfactory results. We guarantee prices against all competition, so you can run no risk in buying of us. Our styles are all the very latest.

WE CAN SAVE YOU MONEY ON ALL GRADES AND STYLES OF CARPETS. COME AND SEE.

The board of health serves notice upon the citizens of the village to clean up their premises of all unsightly rubbish, ash piles, slop holes, and everything else that tends to mar the beauty or endanger the health of the surroundings.

MR. H. D. ROUGH has sold his interest in the Automatic Selling Device Co. in this place, to Detroit parties, and it is promised that unlimited capital will be put into the enterprise and things made to move rapidly.

S. A. WOOD AND MORRIS LYON have formed a partnership under the firm name of Lyon & Co. for the purpose of doing tinning and plumbing business, and expect to carry a full line of plumbers goods. Both are good workmen and should form a strong team.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Apr. 11, 1893: Clarence M. Clark, Esq., J. Francis Straub, Mrs. M. Russell. Call for letters advertised.

JOHN GRAHAM, P. M.

ARRANGEMENTS are being made for opening a downtown telegraph office. This is a move that has long been wished for and at some times asked for, but there was always heretofore some objection. The change will be a great convenience.

ON November 7 last two colored men attacked Smith McCoy of Dowagiac, in a Niles saloon, knocked him down and kicked him to death. One has been found guilty of manslaughter and is in state prison for fifteen years, and now another jury has said the other fellow is not guilty and he is free.

ALL members of the Columbia Boat Club are requested to meet at the Earl Hotel, Monday evening, 17th inst., at 7:30 P. M. Parties wishing to join the club are invited to attend. Come, boys, if you wish to have a good time down on the St. Joe river the coming summer. You will miss the fun if you are not "in it." Let us have a large attendance—the more the merrier.

K. O. T. M. K. O. T. M. We are the boys to get them in Greatest crowd in the old Lake state We are the Lodge that takes the cake. J. R. BISHOP, R. K.

MR. JOHN A. RAY spent the latter part of the winter in Southern California, making his headquarters most of the time at Ontario, the home of Wilbur Smith and family, W. R. Harper and Myron Montgomery, formerly of Buchanan. He reports the former Buchanan people as well pleased with their homes and prospering. Mr. Ray was not very favorably impressed with much of that country, but gives Ontario the credit of being the prettiest place he visited. For a home the year around he prefers Michigan.

EIGHT little boys, out on a tramp, got supper in Dayton Saturday evening, and were sorely tired of their experience of roughing it. They belong in Chicago and had sneaked a ride on a freight train out as far as Niles, when they were put off the train, and after prospecting about Niles for a time started to walk to Chicago. They ruck Dayton in the midst of a church school, and found free-hearted people who gave them a supper and a place to stay until they could rest and take a new start. They were thoroughly tired of tramping.

FRIDAY evening the M. C. Express No. 24 ran into the rear of a freight train, at New Buffalo and damaged the locomotive and caboose. The engineer, Charles Billings, and the fireman after doing all they could to stop their train, and seeing that a collision was inevitable, jumped from the cab. The fireman landed safely, but Billings tripped and fell, striking his head on the rail, fractured the skull and died in a few hours. He had been married but a short time. The accident was caused by the failure of the freight men to put out the proper signals.

A committee of the Common Council, consisting of President Richards and Councilmen Morris and Howe, went last Friday evening to Detroit and Holly, upon the invitation of Mr. Humphrey, of Detroit, to make investigation regarding electric lighting plants erected by Mr. Humphrey's company. They were accompanied by Mr. English, who expects to equip the electrical plant here with machinery sold by Mr. Humphrey and coming from the National Electric Co. of Eau Claire, Wis., represented in this state by the Commercial Electric Co. of Detroit.

JOHN A. HAMILTON is at home, Ill. He gave up work yesterday forenoon and has not been to the barber shop since.—Niles Sun.

THE Michigan Conference of the Evangelical Association, which convened at Eureka, Mich., April 6, made the following appointments, for St. Joseph District: J. A. FRYE, P. E. Buchanan, Geo. Johnson. Portage Prairie, W. H. Wagner. Royalty, J. Rath. St. Joseph, L. V. Soldan. Bainbridge, J. Schmauss. Bristol, J. J. Marshall. Lima, J. Young. Marcellus, H. C. Puratacau. Park, A. A. Scheurer. Vicksburg, G. Koehler. Marshall, A. Frye. Fremont, N. Frye. Litchfield, J. Drinkwater. Jackson, G. J. Biru. Rives, J. Holsapple. Rev. F. Klump was elected Presiding Elder and stationed on Reed City District. Rev. W. A. Koehler, formerly pastor of the Prairie church, was stationed to serve the church at Eureka. Rev. F. Brumm goes to Reed City, Mich.

A CURIOSITY.—White testing an Economist plow, on a farm between Battle Creek and Marshall, last week, Mr. Chas. Russell, of this place, unearthed a curiosity in form of an iron or steel scalping knife. It has a curved blade about eight inches long. A square iron handle with shield, and is supposed to have at one time been the property of some Chippewa brave. Mr. Russell sent it to W. O. Churchill in this place, and it is now a part of his extensive archeological collection. The supposed history of the relic, as figured out by Mr. Churchill, is that it was most likely made by the French and traded to the Indians by the Hudson Bay Co. for furs, and as that section of the state was the home of the Chippewa, it was most likely the property of one of that tribe. Mr. Churchill prizes it very highly, as a valuable addition to his collection.

The streets of South Bend are to be paved with brick, and a company will soon commence the manufacture of the brick to be used, in that city. A threshing machine works is also to locate there and will give employment to about 1,000 men.—Niles Sun.

The Discovery and Conquest of the New World is cheap at the price and is worthy of a place in every home. TABLETS! TABLETS! TABLETS! HARRY BINNS, opp. Hotel.

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PROBLEM OF THE MOB

INCREASING DISCONTENT AND SUSPICION AMONG THE VERY POOR.

Rev. Thomas Dixon Preaches on the Errors and Wrong of Laborers—Their Present Indifference to Christianity but Temporary—The Church Must Take Hold.

NEW YORK, April 9.—Mr. Dixon announced this morning that until next fall the usual review of current events would be omitted, as the special series of sermons to be begun next Sunday morning would occupy the full morning hour.

And yet this same crowd—this vast multitude of discontented and suspicious people that so moved Jesus with pain-gathered at last round his cross and joined with the proud and the rich in mocking and laughing at his agony.

When the leaders of study join with these factions in sympathy or in action, they have abdicated the throne and joined the mob.

THE FIGHT OF LABOR AND CAPITAL.

But it is not of this larger view of the spirit of the mob that I wish to speak this morning. It is rather the cry of need from the dark, the gloom, the world has misnamed the mob, that I wish you to hear today.

As they were distressed in Christ's day, so they are distressed today. So they bear burdens grievous to be borne.

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And you first see the moon with your hands empty, you will be unfortunate for a month. If you see a cuckoo cry before you, you will be at once bereft of a death. To see a small on the bare ground

is a bad omen. To see one on the grass is a sign of a plentiful year. The sudden loss of hair is the sign of the loss of children, health or property.

Third—The ceaseless cry of the world's millions today is the cry of their needs. Christ looked upon this crowd. He was moved with infinite compassion at their blindness, at their helplessness.

Under the inspiration of a great work, Mr. Edward Bellamy has practically given his life to the cause of these suffering masses. He has lost thousands of dollars in his work.

Hyde park in London is given on Sunday afternoons to all sorts of meetings. Some time ago a radical speaker called a crowd under the trees and was urging among them a religious campaign.

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were tenderly carried in the arms of the brothers. When the marquis received them, he was surrounded with men who had been maimed by war, soldiers who had seen hundreds of brutal combats and faced a thousand perils.

In behalf of the soldiers he tried to speak to the children, but burst into tears, and the soldiers sobbed or turned away in horror at the sight of his disease and distress and deformity.

Let us remember that the cry of the masses is the cry of the world; the need of the masses the need of the race. The hope of the mob is the hope of the world.

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A TRUE BIBLE STORY.

A Mistake of a Hotel Bell Boy Causes a Tremendous Commotion.

An earthquake or a fire could not have caused much greater commotion and excitement at the Great Northern than did the simple mistake of a bell boy. A gentleman had been ill for some days in the house, "I 88."

"What's that?" "A Bible," he said to the cashier, "and you got a Bible?" "At home."

In this hour of perturbation he forgot his politeness and shouted, "What good will that do a sick man at the Great Northern?"

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HIS LIFE SAVED BY A "BUT."

Judge Hodge's Narrow Escape From the Guns of an Infuriated Mob.

A few days ago a party of Texas congressmen called upon the president to introduce Judge Jacob Hodge, who is a candidate for the attorneyship of the eastern district of Texas.

"I thought that would prevent the tragedy if I could," said Judge Hodge, "and so I rode over into the crowd with the air of a field marshal. I ascended the platform which was already prepared for the negro and I looked upon the angry mob."

"But," I again shouted, still louder, "if we are to lay aside the slow processes of law and resume our sovereignty as in a great history, let us do so in an orderly and quiet manner."

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SHAMEFULLY ABUSED.

A Country Lad Who Felt That the City was Against Him to a Man.

"Folks down 'low in the city seem to 'think nobody knows anythin but jes' themselves," remarked young Bijé Fawcett, who had been on a two weeks' visit to Boston.

"There was'n't scussy anythin they didn't do!" replied Bijé, waxing indignant. "They set on me at ev'ry corner, an' insulted me, 'most! 'Twa'n't pleasant. It kep' me riled up most o' the time 'I was there."

"Well, I was set up in a minute, an' I passed right into the shop an' says I: 'What'd you front o' me? Did you calculate I thought I was doctored?'"

"He tried to stammer out something 'bout its bein' a sign an' so on, but he was laughin all the time, I could see."

"It's a sign your manners ain't what they ought to be," says I, 'pokin fun at a man jest 'couse you can see he's from the country, an' pertendin' to teach his things he's knowin' since he was 5 years old."

How the Races Originated.

M. de Quatrefages, the French ethnologist, has made public his conclusions with regard to the origin and distribution of the human race. He says all mankind came from a central mass in northern Asia, and that there were three fundamental types—black, white and yellow.

An Odd Souvenir Spoon.

A feat in spoon carving is reported from the capital city of Iowa, and was accomplished by S. E. Wilcox. He took a common Iowa souvenir spoon, one bearing the Iowa coat of arms on its handle, and wrote the whole of the Lord's prayer in its bowl.

The Kindergarten in America.

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