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THE RAJAH'S RUBY

By J. G. BETHUNE

CHAPTER XIII. WHAT MORE REMAINS TO BE DONE? The companion of Dr. Maidhoff was a young man of prepossessing appearance, whom, as we have stated, Detective Mans-son had never before seen.

The officer listened closely, but was unable to catch a syllable of what was said. The utmost he could do was to detect the murmur of the younger person's voice, who he spoke for it possessed a deep, sonorous quality that was more musical than that of the other.

Had the listener been able to overhear the conversation doubtless the whole exasperating mystery would have been cleared up, but, as has been shown, that was an impossibility.

Was not the work of Max Manson, however, so far as the rajah's ruby was concerned, finished? He had been sent to Ellenville at the request of Dr. Maidhoff to discover what had become of the wonderful gem that had been stolen from the late Mrs. Livermore. Here it was, within a few feet of him, in the hands of the very man that had made the application. What more remained to be done?

"Nothing," he muttered, answering his own question—"that is, as affects this jewel. I have discovered that the thief is the trusted family physician. That's enough. The next thing is to learn what they have done with Poleson Simpson."

As noiselessly as he had climbed the tree he descended to the wet ground and stood for some minutes debating what should be his next step.

Before he could form any conclusion an increased flood of light caused him to look up again at the window.

There was a bundle of them in my left hand, and I was forgetting that instead of an empty tray there was a couple of them. It must have been some instinct that warned me of my danger, but as it was it came within a hair of being too late.

"I was hoping to accomplish something of that nature, for those confounded fellows were continually obtruding an overturning all the calculations I could make concerning what they would do, and they were sure to interfere again."

"Do you think nothing is to be feared from them?" "Nothing at all," he replied, "they have given up and all has ended. The rajah's ruby and the other jewels which I have secured are only aiming to save their own necks."

"But, how was it you did not let the chief hear from you before?" "I gave him a great scare, and he sent me out of the room without a word."

"The return detective laughed as he replied: "That dispatch of mine was sent by an amateur, I judge, from the way it was mangled on its passage. I wrote out plainly that he would probably not hear from me for several days and told him to be ready to send you to my help whenever I asked him. I had no idea of the way the kind that took place. I wired him directly after you started, and then had to spend a considerable time in explaining things to him."

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"The landlord told me that you had not been here for several days," remarked Manson. "Of course not. I didn't know but those fellows, or at least one of them, would venture to return to learn about me, so I quietly withdrew into the country to escape the possibility of being seen by either of them."

"You will not deny now, Fol, that the proof is clear against Dr. Maidhoff?" "It looks clearer than ever, but I am not ready to give up another theory—the one which I formed at first."

"Max Manson was silent a minute, expecting that his friend would explain himself, but as he did not he was too proud to ask him what his novel conception might be."

"I have a theory," continued Manson, "that there ought to be some way of punishing this physician."

"For what?" "For stealing the rajah's ruby and causing the death of Miss Livermore."

"How do you know he did so?" "I don't know," replied Manson, "but I have seen the gem in his possession."

"Yes, in the possession of him and another person, but what proof have you that either of them stole it?" "What stronger proof can be asked? We have seen the gem in his possession," replied Manson.

"I never saw him," Manson said, "but it is evident that the two are intimate friends."

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"I don't see how you could question me in this manner. In other words, it is none of your business."

"Max Manson rose to his feet, buttoning his coat and looking his man unflinchingly in the eye."

"You should not disparage your efforts in that manner. It may be that I shall never know any more of this matter than I do now, but I shall do my utmost to clear it up within the present week."

"Before my departure tomorrow," said Manson, "should like to make a call on Dr. Maidhoff if you have no objections."

"I will be glad to have you do so," promptly responded his friend.

"If I gather anything, I will let you know."

"I am further and unimportant conversation Simpson withdrew to his room and was not seen until the following morning, which dawned bright and clear. He bade his friend good-bye, and Manson, having resumed his former person, appeared, called at the office of Dr. Maidhoff on his way to the station, being fortunate enough to find him in and disengaged."

"Why," remarked the physician in surprise, "I understood you to say that you had given up this affair and gone home?"

"So I did, but Varick thought I had better run down and see whether there was anything I could do for you."

"That was kind, but really it seems hardly worth while. I am of the opinion that it is best not to give the matter any further thought. You have done all that you could be expected to do, and you may say to Mr. Varick that the executors will cheerfully pay his bill from the estate as soon as he sends it in."

"I am sure there will be no trouble on the score; but, doctor, do you mean to say that you will make no further attempt to recover this remarkable ruby?"

"From what I can hear it must be worth an enormous sum."

"Yes, fully \$100,000, if not more, but what is the use of trying to accomplish the impossible? If you dropped a diamond in the middle of the street, would you know it was irretrievably gone. You could not help regretting its loss, but you would be foolish to indulge any hope of recovering it."

"True, but has this gem been dropped into the street?"

"The physician looked keenly at his visitor before replying: "Not literally so, but it amounts to the same thing. The burglar who broke into her house more than a week ago has had abundant time to hide it where he pleased. It is now in the hands of some one and are sure not to interfere again."

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glad to find that the description of himself by the servant could not have given the doctor or Miss Gilder any suspicion of his identity. "Now, Martha, since you and I are such good friends, I want to ask you a few questions. I hope you will be willing to answer them."

"You don't imagine that I would ask you any other kind? First of all, were you at home the night that the robbers visited the house in Ellenville?"

"Her embarrassment of face and manner did not escape the notice of the detective. His suspicion that there was something back of this strange business which had not yet been touched upon was confirmed."

"Yes, sir; I was at home," she replied after a moment's hesitation.

"Did you see anything of the burglar?" "Mercy, no! If I had, I never would have lived."

"And you found your mistress in a deplorable state—very much frightened and almost senseless because of the visit of the burglar?"

"Yes, indeed. I never seen her so bad."

"And you made all haste for Dr. Maidhoff, who is your family physician?" "Yes, I went as fast as my legs could carry me."

"Did he come at once?" "He was there in a few minutes and did all he could for her."

"But was unable to save her?" "Instead of making a direct answer to this question, Martha smiled and said: "Dr. Maidhoff has been our doctor for a good many years, and of course he was the one I went for as quick as I knew how."

"Most certainly. Nothing could have been more proper. And he did all he could for her?" "Yes, shouldn't he? Of course he did."

"At that moment a footfall was heard overhead, as though some one was walking lightly and hurriedly across the floor. The servant started and looked with an alarmed expression at her visitor, who quietly said: "I understood you to say that Miss Gilder is at Ellenville."

"So she is, but we expect her home to-day."

"Are you not the only servant in the house?" "Yes, sir—no, Mr.—that is—please, don't ask me so many questions, for I don't know what to say."

"I would 't hurt your feelings for the world, Martha," remarked Simpson in his kindest tones, for he knew unerringly that he was on the verge of important information. He had it in his mind now that Miss Gilder is away. Why not wait till she comes and see her? She asked, with an air of relief.

"I am afraid I would not find her as considerate as you are. Now, don't feel offended if I ask you a few questions which you may not like to answer; I would be willing to pay you well."

"No you wouldn't," she interrupted scornfully. "Do you think I would take pay for answering questions?"

"You didn't hear me through," blandly intimated Mr. Simpson, "and I want to say that I would pay you well for doing as I ask were you an ordinary servant that could be hired to do such things, but knowing you to be a true lady I would not insult you by such a proposition. It is upon your ladyhood and your goodness of heart that I place my reliance."

"Ah, but Poleson Simpson knew how to flatter. This sentiment did its work. Martha blushed with pleasure and was sure that in all her life she had never seen such a splendid man as this one. Who could say that he was not hopelessly impressed with her charms, and that—but no, she must not build such gorgeous castles—that is, not just yet.

"The detective saw his advantage and pressed it with cleverness. "Martha, my dear, I see how delicate and refined your mind is, so I will ask you only a single question, but before I do so you must promise me that you will answer it. What do you say now?" "I don't know about that," she replied coquettishly, "but I guess I may make the promise, knowing you to be the gentleman you are. Yes, I will promise to answer truthfully."

"Who is that person I heard walk across the floor up stairs a few minutes ago?" The girl seemed about to faint. She turned pale, and for a full minute did not speak.

"Don't be afraid," added Simpson, leaning forward kindly and lowering his voice. "Let it be a secret between us, Martha. I will never forget that as long as I live, it was awful."

"Yes, it was rather stirring. I was glad I was able to take care of you."

"I'll always remember your kindness. When I caught a glimpse of you as I was a-walking up the path, I just thought I would faint. I was sure it was that dreadful man."

"So it was, Martha."

"What," she exclaimed, almost falling from her chair.

"Yes, it was he, but I was right by you, ready to pounce upon him on his first motion to harm you."

"Well, I declare! Did you ever?" "What did the folks say when you went in and told your story?"

"They couldn't believe me at first, but I said I would show them the matter. I saw him, sir, you looked like a real gentleman that couldn't deceive a lady. The doctor said he would stay all night with us, and he did. Nobody didn't disturb us, as I suppose you know."

"I thought not. I walked around the outside awhile, ready to rush in if I heard you call for me, but I am glad nothing of the kind happened."

"Oh, the folks asked me all kinds of questions," continued Martha, becoming more at ease. "They wanted to know who you were, but of course I couldn't tell 'em, for you see I didn't know."

"Did you try to describe me?" "Yes, but I failed. I can't describe how I got it all wrong. I said you were a tall gentleman, with a mustache and dressed in black, which wasn't as it was at all."

"I should say not! But that was natural in your disturbed state of mind," Simpson was considerable enough to say,

"We do not intend to indorse any except articles of genuine quality, and therefore take pleasure in recommending to sufferers from Piles in any form, a prompt and permanent cure. The following letters speak for themselves: Mrs. Mary C. Tyler, of Heppner, Ore., writes: One pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely cured me of piles from which I have suffered for years, and I have never had them since. Mr. E. O'Brien, Rock Bluffs, Neb., says: The pkg. of Pyramid Pile Cure entirely removed every trace of itching piles, and I am now perfectly cured. The Pyramid Pile Cure is a new, certain, painless cure for every form of piles. It is safe, sure and cheap. Any druggist will get it for you if you ask him.

None but the Democratic party ever hauled down the American flag in disgrace from the place where it was once planted. It did so in 1861 and again in 1893.

The American flag has been hauled down from its place over the government buildings, in Honolulu, where it was placed by request of that government. This is looked upon as meaning that our assinine administration has refused to accept this important post as a gift, and without a struggle.

It is worthy of note that the man whom Grover Cleveland selected to haul down the American flag at Honolulu is an ex-confederate. The country must be prepared to expect anything from this administration. It may have sense enough to not overstep the bounds of endurance of the people. Perhaps not.

Nothing has happened in a decade to more fully and plainly prove the utter and total incapacity of the democratic party to govern this country than the action of the Cleveland administration in the case of the Hawaiian annexation treaty. For over half a century this people has been trying to devise some means by which they might come into possession of these islands, and now, when they come and offer themselves without contest or price even and the terms of annexation are satisfactorily agreed upon, Grover Cleveland, with no one asking for such action, refuses to accept the gift. Of such is a democrat administration. Great is the party and its leader.

The Michigan building at the World's Fair will be dedicated April 29, and it is expected the affair will be grand, and participated in by the State officers and many prominent Michiganders. The building compares favorably with other State buildings. It is a handsome stone and frame building made prominent by a tall central tower, which adds to its three stories another two. Around it runs a broad piazza twelve feet wide. Within the building the structure was well adapted for the reception of visitors and the passing to and fro of many people. The center is occupied by an open hall with two galleries. From the ground floor and the galleries wide doors lead to rooms devoted to many useful purposes. Every stick of lumber used is of Michigan growth; the interior finish of the first and second stories is Michigan red oak; the floors of the corridors and hallway of Michigan tile. One of the features of the Michigan exhibit at the Fair is a collection of wild animals that has been prepared by the taxidermist of the University. It contains 178 different wild animals and 200 varieties of wild birds, all killed within the borders of Michigan, and all collected within the past six months. Among the specimens are an elk killed in Huron county, and a carabon from the upper peninsula.

FROM BERRIEN CENTRE.

April 19, 1893. Our village is looking up and everybody is busy. We are not troubled much about boundary lines, nor do we need a dam, but we do very much need a sewer to lead off our surplus water. Isaac M. Smith is putting in a lumber yard here, and has already received several car loads of stock of good quality. Jacob Brenner is erecting sheds for the agricultural and farm implements kept by Brenner & Rutter for sale here. Hon. Thomas Mars has resumed his old trade, and assisted by J. J. Murphy, is making some much needed repairs on the Berrien Centre elevator buildings. Wilson G. Smith is building an addition to his neat and pretty residence, erected three years ago.

Many old landmarks are being removed on the farm of the late Isaac Murphy, Sr. Buildings of 45 and 50 years standing are being moved to the highway and reconstructed by the present owner, Isaac Murphy, Jr. Wm. H. Peck is doing the work. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Neterer, of Tacoma, Washington, arrived here Monday, and are visiting Mrs. Neterer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Becker. E. S. McCullough returned from Charlevoix, Mich., and is now at Huntington, Ind., prospecting for a position on the C. & E. Ry. Alvie Murphy is at Warsaw, where he has a fair prospect of getting a permanent position.

Mr. Y. O. Webster is in receipt of \$200 as payment for two horses killed by the C. C. & St. L. Ry. near this station.

Mr. A. J. Easton, the new Supervisor, is becoming familiar with the art of describing and rating real and personal estate, and the best method of securing correct answers to his numerous questions. Berrien township voted \$1,000 highway tax, \$500 town board fund, \$50 bounty, \$25 soldiers' relief. Total, \$1,675.

FROM SAWYER.

Fruit of all kinds was damaged by the freeze, Friday night. Thursday night some one did a good job sawing the lock out of the W. M. R. R. ticket office door, pried open the money drawer and found nothing to steal, as Mr. Pierce, the agent, always takes care of his cash. The work was done in good shape, and no doubt by professionals. David Knight has shipped about one thousand dollars' worth of plants this spring. Mr. Samuel Richie, Sr., will move to Buchanan in a few days, where he has secured employment at his trade. The farmers here had good weather to sow oats, and are now praying for warmer weather. Eugene McDonald has moved into his new house. The Latter Day Saints church, at New Troy, is nearly enclosed. Agricultural implement agents are thicker than the farmers, in this vicinity. MARY JANE.

Obituary.

Mrs. HULDAH A. PALMER closed her earthly pilgrimage and entered, into her heavenly home Sabbath morning, April 16, 1893. She was born in Chautauque county, N. Y., Feb. 10, 1845, and moved with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Haman, to Laporte county, Ind., when only nine weeks old. In Oct., 1863, she was married to William A. Palmer, with whom she moved to Oswego county, N. Y., where they remained until 1864. They came to Buchanan, where they resided one year; thence to Three Oaks, four years, and back to Indiana, remaining about two years. In the spring of 1871 they returned to Buchanan, where they have since that time resided. Two children were born to them, one died in infancy and Grace, who was lovingly attached to her mother and has been the light and joy of the home during the last seventeen years. May, their foster daughter, a beautiful Christian lady, passed to her heavenly rest about two years ago.

Mrs. Palmer's parents were enthusiastic Methodists, their home in Indiana being headquarters for ministers and other Christian workers for many years. She was the youngest but one of nine children. Her father died in 1858; her mother in 1890. All the members of the family have passed away except Judge Hinman, of Buchanan; Mrs. John A. Valentine, of South Bend, and Mrs. W. H. Valentine, of Three Oaks.

Mr. Palmer, the bereaved and afflicted husband, his daughter Grace, and all the loved ones who mourn the loss of this estimable Christian woman, have the sincere regard and heart-felt sympathy of the entire community. In 1872, Mrs. Palmer was gloriously converted at Crystal Springs camp-meeting and united with the Methodist church in Buchanan. She was a devoted Christian from the beginning to the end of her useful life, kindhearted, benevolent, full of faith and energy. Her home was ever open to the children of God, and ministers especially always received a cordial welcome. She went about doing good, both to the bodies and souls of men. Her earnest prayers for the salvation of loved ones can never be forgotten. Her testimonies for Christ were enthusiastic and inspiring. She was fully consecrated to God and enjoyed perfect love that casteth out all fear. Indeed she was a practical, straightforward, everyday Christian. Though in delicate health, she was courage, faith and good works. She fought a good fight and finished the work given her to do. Now she rests in the mansion prepared by her Lord. We shall miss her here, but our loss is her gain. The memory of the just is blessed.

"Farewell, dear friend, thy work is done, The battle fought, the victory won, And thou art safe on that bright shore, Where those who meet shall part no more. For many years we watched thy way, And found thee true from day to day: Always kind, and at thy side, And nearest there when needed most. To think and write, to teach and pray, That was thy wont from day to day: So little hours to folk give, But every day a step toward heaven. From early life to middle age, Thy work did all thy powers engage: Not now thy lot on earth is over, And we shall miss thee here no more. But in that long and bright forever, Where death's rude hand no the shall sever: May we at last with thee sit down, To wave the palm and wear the crown." W. WILSON.

We can recall no instance when the death of one of our citizens was more sincerely mourned than that of Mrs. Huldah A. Palmer, wife of W. A. Palmer. Especially among the poorest and most unfortunate of our population will she be missed, for her means, kind words and smiles were always as ready for them as for her most intimate friends. The funeral services, which were held at the home Wednesday at 1 p. m., were very largely attended, many not being able to gain entrance to the house. The floral offerings were the most profuse ever seen at a funeral here. Many of the designs were most elaborate and costly. The services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. I. Wilson of the M. E. church, assisted by Rev. H. L. Potter, pastor of the M. E. church at Hartford, and Rev. H. H. Flory of the U. B. church of this place, and interment made in the same lot, in Oak Ridge cemetery, where rest the remains of her father and mother and May.—Ed.

ONE MORE. The Messenger pale has again crossed the tide, And carried another loved one from our side. O'er the mystical river has gone one more, To the land that lies on the other shore. But with faith undimmed she'd gazed 'cross the stream, That would bear her away when our life's dream; And she fearlessly entered the life-time's bark, For to her the waters looked not cold nor dark. Like a traveler weary that no more would roam, she heard the message that to her said "Home." The Master she knew would her joyfully greet, For of Him she has learned here and sat at His feet. In the day of her death she heard His voice say: "Go work in my vineyard while yet it is day. And there she has toiled with zeal and earnestness of one of the faithful when laborers were few. Rest no more, here is finished, the tasks set done, And rest that is sweet after she has won. "As we sow," is His promise, "so shall we reap," Now kindly He greets His beloved sown. E. E. S.

FROM GALLEN.

The following exchanges in real estate have been made in the last two weeks: J. D. White's house and lot on Grant street to Mrs. Caroline Finkel for \$750. Mrs. Elizabeth Ives' property on Front street to E. H. Prince, \$1000. Chas. H. Green's house and lot on east side of Front street to Mrs. Ives, \$450. Wm. Redden's four acres, situated east of cemetery, to Wm. B. Crooker, \$400. Cris White's house and lot to Del. Prince, \$550. B. R. Sterns' two lots, cornering on Grant and Third streets, to Mrs. Norris, \$200. Mrs. Norris' one lot to H. D. Roberts, \$100. Mrs. E. Allen to Mrs. Waty Penwell, house and lot on Front street, \$500. Mrs. Maggie Beach, who has for some time been ailing with that slow but dreadful disease, consumption, died Monday morning, at her home in this place. The funeral services were held at the M. E. church Wednesday afternoon, conducted by W. G. Hicks, of Benton Harbor. A large number of sympathizing friends were in attendance. Mrs. Maggie Beach was born Nov. 6, 1846, at New Paris, Ohio, and came to Berrien county in the year 1853, where she has lived continuously ever since, twenty-six years of which have been spent in Gallen. She was married to Wm. H. Beach May 15, 1865. Five children were born to them, one of whom still remains with his father to mourn her death. Besides the son John, who resides at Homewood, Ill.,

three sisters and one brother with her many friends mourn her death. The sisters are Mrs. Hill, of Chicago; Mrs. Sadie Waldron, of Homewood, Ill., and Mrs. M. J. Penwell, of Buchanan, and the brother, John Taylor, Buchanan, Mich. Mrs. Elizabeth Woolley, lately deceased, was a sister of Mrs. Beach. Mrs. Beach joined the Disciple church in 1864, and although of late years she belonged to the church of the Larger Disciple church. Mrs. Beach has always been interested in the Sabbath Schools, and of late years has been a decided worker in the same. The Sunday School, her neighbors, and all who knew her will miss her.

Rev. C. E. Hulbert, of Detroit, preached at the M. E. church, Monday, to a very appreciative audience. His subject was, "Christian and Church Unity." Mr. Wm. Beach wishes to thank the citizens of this vicinity who so kindly assisted him in nursing his wife through her illness. "Bran." "The chamber where the good man meets his fate is blessed beyond the common walks of life. Quite on the verge of Heaven." Called to the reward of the faithful, from his home near Gallen Center after a brief illness, on the morning of April 12, Albert Clarke, aged 83 years, 6 months and 22 days. Father Clarke was born in South Hampton, Mass., Sept. 20, 1809. When he was one year of age his parents moved to Geauga county, Ohio. He was married to Eliza Howell Feb. 10, 1845, moved to Lake county, Ohio, in the fall of 1857, and in the spring of 1893 to Gallen, Mich., where he has since resided, honored and loved by all who knew him. Five children were born to them, of whom two sons survive him, viz: Charles A. Clarke, of the firm of Blakeslee & Co., and Albert, Jr., who has charge of the old home.

At the beginning of the religious movement to unite all Christians upon the Bible alone, as taught by Alex. Campbell, he calmly made the sacrifice and united himself with that body of Christians known as "Disciples of Christ," and to the church at Gallen Center, since its organization, he has been a faithful leader and friend, and that church, with its sacred service and loved ones who gathered there, was devoted to him than any earthly good, and there on the morning of the 14th the last sad rites were held, conducted by Elder Finley, of Cascade, assisted by Elders Birdsall and Roe, of Buchanan, and there the bereaved church, family and many friends, midst flowers and tears, bade farewell to him who will live in their hearts as long as life shall last. Thus closed a long and useful life, rich in faith and good works. "And I heard a voice from Heaven saying unto me write, 'Blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth. Yea, saith the spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works do follow them.'"

The Circuit Court. People vs. Geo. Taylor. Wm. C. Hicks appointed counsel for deft. and witnesses ordered summoned. People vs. Humiston et al. Defts plead not guilty to the amended information. People vs. Charlwood. A. C. Roe appointed to assist the prosecution. People vs. Archie Richards. Names of witnesses added to information. People vs. Vincent. Continued. Cora Farmer, administratrix vs. C. C. St. L. Ry. Co. Pif. allowed to amend declaration. Robt. Clark vs. Henry Finnegan. Continued. Emanuel Herring vs. Henry Finnegan. Added to calendar. J. Kreiger et al. vs. J. H. Bunker. Added to calendar. Case Bros & Co. vs. B. T. Morley. Added to calendar. Stroth Brewer Co. estate of Wm. Krell. Added to calendar. W. H. Tompkins vs. Niles Electric Co. Judgment for pif. by stipulation for \$10,000 and costs. W. R. Lyon vs. H. Finnegan. Added to calendar. Michael Curran vs. John Curran. Added to calendar. Mary Moore vs. Wm. Moore. Same disposed. Hettie Jones vs. Adam Jones. Same. Nancy Skinner vs. J. H. Skinner. Same. Minnie Ostrander vs. Edward Ostrander. Same. Irene Sillick vs. John Sillick. Same. Alua R. Dickey vs. Francis Dickey. Same. Orville C. Howard vs. Ida Penwell. Same. Addie Hillman vs. John Hillman. Same. John C. Fisher vs. Alma G. Fisher. Same. Mary O'Connell vs. Richard O'Connell. Same. Wm. Dester, assignee vs. A. F. Riss et al. Same. Alfred Abbott vs. C. E. Jillson. Time for setting exceptions extend to May term. Geo. Whitman vs. Wm. Brescott. Deft. won. John Kreiger et al. vs. August Linstrom et al. Same. H. S. Robinson & Co. vs. F. C. Stebbins. Judgment by stipulation for \$428.34. Potter & Potter & C. B. Potter, Jr., Edward Brant on trial.—B. S. Bra.

Map of the United States. A large handsome Map of the United States, mounted and suitable for office or home use, is issued by the Bureau of Geographical Names. Copies will be mailed to any address on receipt of fifteen cents in postage by P. S. Ensign, Gen'l Pass. Agent, C. & Q. R. E., Chicago, Ill. Brooker's Arsenic Salve. The best Salve in the world for Cuts Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, and all Skin Eruptions and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by W. F. Runner, Druggist. 2717 A. T. ions are ideas in motion. The promptness and certainty of its cures have made Chamberlain's Cough Remedy famous. It is intended especially for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough, and is the most effective remedy known for these diseases. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Barmore druggist. Backbiters have sharp teeth. Pepsin is nature's own Remedy for indigestion. Try Pepsin Rolled Oats or Pepsin Oat Meal. It is only in gel ool that low grades make uphill work. Edward Shepherd, Harrisburg, Ill., had a running sore on his leg of eight years' standing. Used three bottles of Electric Bitters and seven bottles of Brooker's Arsenic Salve, and his leg is sound and well. John Speaker, Catawba, O., had large fever sores on his leg, doctors said he was incurable. One bottle Electric Bitters and one box Brooker's Arsenic Salve cured him entirely. Sold at W. F. Runner's drug store.

There is nothing easier to believe than a pleasing lie about ourselves. A New Pile Remedy. Has created a sensation among physicians, by its wonderful effects in speedily curing every form of Piles. It is called the Pyramid Pile Cure. It is cheap and simple to use, but nothing removes the disease so quickly, safely and surely. Any druggist will get it for you. If there be good in us it will be sure to inspire good in others. Shiloh's Cure, the Great Ointment and Ointment Cure, is for sale by W. F. Pickett. It contains twenty-five doses, only 25c. Children love it. Sold by M. E. Barmore. Mark this: You don't have to be disagreeable to be good. Good looks are more than skin deep depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the liver be active, you have a bilious look and if your kidneys be affected you have a pinched look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and tonic, acts directly on these vital organs. Cures pimples, blotches, boils and gives a clear complexion. Sold at W. F. Runner's drug store, 50c per bottle. Long faces and long ears are usually close neighbors. Sufferers from Piles Should know that the Pyramid Pile Cure will promptly and effectually remove every trace of them. Any druggist will get it for you. Long faces and long ears are usually close neighbors.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she became a Child, she clung to Castoria. When she became Miss, she cried for Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria. The heart that has not suffered has not loved. If you are troubled with indigestion Pepsin Rolled Oats will relieve you. For sale by all Grocers. There is more power in gentleness than there is in dynamite. For years the editor of the Burlington Junction (Mo.) Post has been subjected to cramp colic or fits of indigestion, which prostrated him for several hours and united him for business for two or three days. For the past year he has been using Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy whenever occasion required, and it has invariably given him prompt relief. 25 and 50 cent bottles for sale by Barmore, Druggist. No matter who he is, the man who never gives is a slave. Pepsin Rolled Oats is a perfect food for the dyspeptic. For sale by all Grocers. Every reform that comes and stays begins in the heart. The Pyramid Pile Cure Is a new discovery for the prompt, permanent cure of Piles in every form. Every druggist has it. No one can keep a sin without first rejecting Christ. Constipation is entirely cured by using Pepsin Rolled Oats for your breakfast. For sale by all Grocers. Give a lie the right to live and it will wreck the universe. "Any Port in a Storm." But in a moment of calm reasoning try "Royal Ruby Port Wine." It is the purest and best wine of its class. Good blood, excellent flavor and great strength. Good for the aged, for the young, for the family use. Let it convince you itself. Quart bottles \$1; pints 50c. Bottled by Ruby Wine Co., Chicago. For sale by M. E. Barmore. No man can believe in his heart that God is God and be a loafer. The most delicious breakfast food ever brought before the public is Pepsin Rolled Oats or Pepsin Oat Meal. The dangerous thing about little sin is that it won't stay little. To Nervous Debilitated Men. If you will send us your address, we will mail you our illustrated pamphlet explaining all about Dr. Dye'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 on a trial. VOLTAIC BELT Co., Marshall, Mich. Whenever you pray, ask God to bless somebody you don't like. Captain Sweeney, U. S. A., San Diego, Cal., says: "Shiloh's Catarrh Remedy is the best I have ever found that would do me any good." Price 50c. Sold by M. E. Barmore. 4

Whether you go to heaven or hell will be decided by what we love. A Surgical Operation. For the cure of Piles is always painful, often dangerous and useless, and invariably expensive; on the other hand there is a certain cure, perfectly painless, gives instant relief and permanent cure and costs but a trifle. It is the Pyramid Pile Cure. It is a more certain cure than a surgical operation, and restores you to intense pain, expense and danger of an operation. Any druggist will get it for you. Faith without works is an engine without any fire under the boiler. Rheumatism is quickly cured by using Arnica & Oil Liniment. There is as much of God's love in a warning as there is in a promise. "All-fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after the first day's use. Marvellous cures. Treatise and \$2.00 trial bottle free to fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa. For sale by all druggists. Call on yours. 332 The man who is always looking for mud generally finds it. Said a noted man of 60 years: "My mother gave me Down's Blixir when I was a boy. That kid never heaven ought to fit any church door on earth. When you are troubled with dizziness, your appetite all gone, and you feel bad generally, take a few doses of Dr. Henry Baxter's Mandrake Bitters, and you will be surprised at the improvement in your feelings. Every bottle warranted to give satisfaction. The world owes any man a living who is willing to pay the debt. A Salary. With expenses paid, will come handy to any one who is now out of employment, especially where no previous experience is required to get the position. If you want a position, see advertisement in this paper headed, "A Chance to Make Money." Golden opportunities fly low, but they fly swift. We ask but one trial of Pepsin Rolled Oats or Pepsin Oat Meal. You will use no other.

H. L. BERT, Fresco Painter, PLAIN AND DECORATIVE PAPER HANGER. Kalsomining and Plaster executed with neatness and dispatch. All orders left with Treat & Marble will receive prompt attention. 1374

Saying good bye to our sins one at a time is slow work. \$500 for Three Cents.

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Keep all boards and sticks out of the feed lots. It is Strange That people suffering from Piles will endure them for years or submit to dangerous, painful, cruel and expensive surgical operations, when all the time there is a painless, certain, lasting cure, which gives instant relief and costs but a trifle. It is called the Pyramid Pile Cure and can be found at all drug stores. Any druggist will get it for you if you ask him. Estate of William Peas. First publication, April 20, 1893. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien,—ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, on the 15th day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three. Present, Jacob J. Van Kester, Judge of Probate, in the matter of the estate of William Peas, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Charles E. Peas, praying that Administration of said estate may be granted to him, the petitioner, or to some other suitable person. "Whereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 15th day of the next term of said court, to-wit: the 25th day of May, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the notice of said order, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be held in the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (True copy.) JACOB J. VAN KESTER, Judge of Probate. Last publication May 11, 1893.

COMPARETIVE STATEMENTS OF THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF NILES. RESOURCES. MARCH 6, 1890. MARCH 6, 1890. MARCH 6, 1891. MARCH 6, 1892. MARCH 6, 1893. \$245,667 63 \$268,382 49 \$278,574 55 \$321,113 00 \$370,228 36 25,000 00 26,000 00 25,000 00 25,000 00 25,000 00 3,954 38 5,250 00 5,000 00 5,000 00 5,000 00 1,125 00 1,125 00 1,145 00 1,125 00 1,125 00 23,099 67 33,212 42 32,390 48 41,682 77 50,306 92 Total, \$300,846 68 \$328,669 91 \$342,110 03 \$388,920 77 \$446,660 28 LIABILITIES. Capital Stock Paid in, \$100,000 00 \$100,000 00 \$100,000 00 \$100,000 00 \$100,000 00 Surplus and Profits, 32,536 88 34,916 39 37,831 43 34,662 70 36,275 49 Circulation, 22,500 00 22,500 00 22,500 00 22,500 00 22,500 00 Deposits, 145,809 80 171,553 52 181,778 60 231,758 07 287,854 79 Total, \$300,846 68 \$328,669 91 \$342,110 03 \$388,920 77 \$446,660 28 4 PER CENT INTEREST PAID ON TIME CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT. W. K. LACEY, Pres. HENRY LARDNER, V. Pres. C. A. JOHNSON, Cashier. G. W. JACKSON, Asst. Cashier.

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- Package Coffees, per pound, 25c
7 bars Savon Soap, 25c
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1 pound best Tea, 50c
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Advertisement for Hercules Powder, featuring an illustration of a man with a mustache and a large powder barrel. Text includes: "Strongest and Safest Explosive Known to the Arts. Powder, Fuse, Caps, Electric Mining Goods, and all tools for Stump Blasting. For sale by the HERCULES POWDER COMPANY, 40 Prospect Street, Cleveland, Ohio. WILLARD, Manager."

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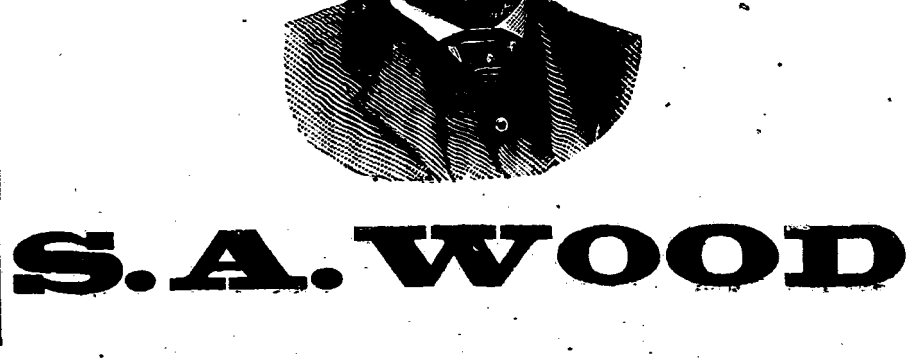
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CARRIES THE LARGEST STOCK OF CLOTHS, SUITINGS, Pants Goods.

An Inspection is Solicited. Front Street, Foot of Day's Avenue, BUCHANAN, MICH.

Buchanan Markets. Hay—\$6 to \$10 per ton. Lard—12c. Salt, retail—\$1.00. Flour—\$4.00 to \$4.50 per bbl., retail.

A FEW large-sized soft hail stones fell in this place Sunday afternoon.

TREAT & REDDEN advertise a picnic, in this issue. Read about it.

MICHAEL O'BRIEN, of Niles, died of cancer Monday morning.

Five ladies have been elected School Inspectors in Cass county.

A SON was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Long, in Dayton, last evening.

SEE the new advertisement of Treat & Marble.

MR. CARLTON S. ROE, of Bryan, Ohio, visited with his people in this place this week.

THE cold wave of Friday night ran the mercury down to 30. Pretty cool for April.

MRS. H. N. MOWREY will go tomorrow to Chicago for a visit with her daughter.

DR. BAILEY has bought of Burton Jarvis the L. P. Fox property, on Front street, now occupied by the Doctor.

REV. J. F. ADAIR is absent this week attending a meeting at Edinburg, Pa. He will return next week.

THE Niles Star is advertising for another "intelligent boy" to learn the printer's trade.

YES, the town is booming, and so is the K. O. T. M.

TALK of a new town hall in Benton township. Just what every township should have.

COUNTY School Commissioner J. C. Lawrence spent a portion of last week with schools in this vicinity.

GOV. RICH has proclaimed April 23 Arbor day. The most of people who plant trees have it all done before that time.

MARRIED, at Berrien Springs, April 18, by Rev. I. N. Carman, Mr. Everett Helmick, of Oronoko, and Miss Alice Markley, of Buchanan.

REV. T. B. GRUNDY will preach at the A. C. church, next Sunday morning and evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

DR. M. M. KNIGHT has bought of W. H. Fox, of Sturgis, the vacant lot opposite the M. E. church, and will erect a residence during the summer.

SOLD.—Charles Blimka has sold his farm in Weesaw, twenty acres, to Charles Reynolds, for a little less than \$40 per acre.

MRS. ESTHER REDDING has sold her farm of 78 acres near the high bridge, this side of Dayton, to Joseph Sebasty. Price \$2,000.

JOHN G. HOLMES, of Buchanan, has purchased a skunk farm.—B. S. Ely.

That is another libel on an honest man. He has done nothing of the kind.

ONE Three Oaks man offers \$100 for a barrel of flour. He is somewhat particular about it, however, as it must be made in Three Oaks.

GUY BUNKER, working in the Singer factory in South Bend, had three fingers saved off, last Wednesday, and at home here for repairs.

A FEW flakes of snow were seen in this place Friday, and two inches of the beautiful is reported from the vicinity of Kalamazoo.

ATTENTION is called to the advertisement in this paper, of H. L. Bert, frescoer. A sample of his work in plastic may be seen in the hotel office and bar room.

LAST week Iva Mitchell's dog sprang upon John Abele, a little boy, and tore his upper lip off, clear up to the nose. The lad was brought to Dr. Bailey who dressed the wound, attaching the lip as best he could.

A churn swindler is on the war path. Look out for him. When he gets through with a verdant victim he has a promissory note for \$75 which is sold at the first opportunity.

THE long talk of a bridge across the St. Joseph river between Royalton and Benton having failed to materialize a bridge, a ferry is now to be built and operated at Mott's landing.

THE South Bend Tribune has just learned that Carter, of Coloma, had been tarred and feathered, and that there was a most peculiar set of cranks located there called Carterites.

LOST.—A large yellow hound; had a strap and ring on his neck. The person giving information where he can be found will be amply rewarded by the owner, Alva Olmstead, two miles south-west of Dayton.

QUARTERLY meeting services at the Methodist church next Sunday. Devotional at 9:30; preaching at the usual hour followed by the sacrament of the Lord's supper. The Presiding Elder will preach in the evening.

REV. GEO. JOHNSON, the newly appointed pastor of the Evangelical church, will preach his first sermon here next Sunday morning. His family have arrived and are comfortably located in the parsonage.

MRS. SLOCUM's old horse, Dick, was let out for a frolic, Saturday forenoon, and by some misstep he managed to break a leg so that it was necessary to amputate his life. "Old Dick" has given faithful service. He is over twenty-five years old.

JOHN WENGER was struck over the head by a limb of a falling tree, on Wednesday, which came near closing his career. He has bled from the nose and ears ever since, and isn't feeling very well himself.

REGULAR meeting of Buchanan Camp Modern Woodmen of America tomorrow evening. New neighbors to be adopted, and every neighbor is requested to be present.

SOME miserable whelp has tapped Roe & Kingery's coal bin, near the M. C. R. R. tracks, and as a consequence they are losing coal. They have an advertisement in this issue for the special benefit of coal thieves.

Baker's Cash Dry Goods House.

OUR CLOAK DEPARTMENT

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

INFANTS' EMBROIDERED CLOAKS

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.

CARPETS.

MISS MARQUISSE, who has served as teacher in the fourth grade in Buchanan schools the past four years, has engaged to teach in Berrien Springs schools the coming year.

MR. R. S. BLACK, who has been sick in Mexico City the past few weeks and considered in a precarious condition, arrived home Saturday night, and will doubtless remain in Buchanan. His wife and children have been here all winter.

DR. J. M. ROE, N. Hamilton, J. F. Hahn, M. S. Mead and W. O. Hamilton and their wives have each lived continuously in their present homes thirty-two years or more, and are the only ones in town who have occupied the same premises for so long a continuous period.

W. M. MIRELL and his wife had a little matinee Sunday morning and when the curtain fell she had a hole in her head, which she claimed was made with an ax in his hands. He was arrested and Monday was brought before Justice Alexander, and sent to jail to await a hearing next Tuesday.

W. M. PERROTT Post and the Woman's Relief Corps entertained about twenty visitors from Dowagiac last Saturday evening, and enjoyed a genuine campfire, and a feast such as the ladies of the Relief Corps know how to provide. To say that all had a good time would not half express the fact.

F. L. WILLIAMS, of Coloma Boomer fame, has had his picture taken and it appears in the daily papers. It is said that twenty-seven sittings were necessary before a camera was found to stand the strain of the sparkling intelligence of his physiognomy. He is now credited with the plot to inflict a book upon the unsuspecting public.

LAST week William Dallin made a definite proposition to Benton Harbor for building a railroad into that place from the south, and gave them until Saturday in which to accept or reject the offer. The offer was accepted, and now Bentonites are hustling themselves to raise the \$30,000 necessary to secure the railroad, and a steel plant which will employ 240 men.

A. L. HUNT has embarked in a new business, for him. With a view of having outdoor employment, for the benefit of his impaired health, he has gone into the extract business. He will make none but pure extracts, and proposes to deliver them to purchasers in this neighborhood.

BENTON HARBOR has entered into a \$17,500 contract for paving some of the sandy streets of that village with hemlock blocks. That kind of pavement may be satisfactory to Benton Harbor, but there are other sorts not much more expensive, but very much better.

SOLD.—The Chas. Wray farm of 110 acres, lying near the Wagner school house, four miles west of town, was sold at administrators sale, at the front door of the bank, Saturday afternoon, and was bid in by Amos Painter, of Oronoko township, at \$4835. At the first sale, which was not confirmed, it brought \$4100.

THE remains of Mrs. C. J. Carnahan were brought here for interment on Tuesday noon, the funeral taking place from the home of Mr. Scott Whitman in the afternoon. She died at Woodland, near Chicago, on Sunday morning, aged 54 years. Mrs. Carnahan had frequently visited her aunt, Mrs. Tolton, and her cousin, Mrs. Scott Whitman and Mrs. W. O. Hamilton, in this place, and thus formed many acquaintances here.

MR. JOHN PEARS died at his home, one mile east of this place, Tuesday morning, after a sickness of about three weeks. Mr. Pears was a native of England, and brother of Wm. Pears, whose death was chronicled last week, and has been a citizen of this vicinity about ten years. Mr. Pears' wife was married about two months since. The funeral services were held at his late residence this afternoon at 2 o'clock. His remains were taken to Oak Ridge cemetery for burial.

DIED.—Mr. Greenleaf Glidden, a citizen of this place during the past twenty years, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. H. Spencer in Benton Harbor Saturday, of gastric fever, after a sickness of but a few days. The remains were brought to this place Monday for burial, and the funeral services held in the A. C. church. He would have been 74 years of age in June.

For the information of the Niles Sun, we will state that the rates of the Buchanan Power and Electric Co. are as follows: For dwellings, 3 lamps \$18 per year. Each additional lamp \$1 per month. Stores, offices, etc., 50 cents per month. Services 24 hours per day. Arc services, 1 lamp \$50 per year. Additional lamps, \$40 each. Street service of 20 lamps, run until midnight, and 10 lamps all night, on the dark night schedule. If you want to give them the city lighting and 2000 incandescents lamps, the company will arrange to give you first-class service at the same rates. When we get our lights running, we will invite the entire city over to see us.

NILES District Conference will meet in M. E. church, Buchanan, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 25 and 26, 1905, commencing at 2 p. m. Tuesday.

PROGRAM. Devotional Exercises, I. H. Skinner. The Pastor's Duty to his District Camp Meeting, G. W. Gosling. Pulpit Blunders, E. A. Tanner. Salary Deficiencies, How to Prevent Them, P. J. Binns.

DEVOTIONAL EXERCISES, 7:00. Devotional Exercises, S. Trewin. Platform Meeting. Subject, Romanism, Romanism and the Public Schools, R. H. Brady. Romanism in Politics, Thomas Cox. The Outlook for Romanism in America, W. R. Stinchcomb. Addresses limited to fifteen minutes each.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, 8:30. Devotional Exercises, C. P. Birdsall. Miscellaneous Business. Shall we Omnidrop our Benevolent Collections? E. V. Armstrong. Church Records, How Properly Kept, W. N. Yandoy. Relation of Baptized Children to the Church, W. A. Prouty.

AFTERNOON, 2:00. Devotional Exercises, J. H. Emmons. Cranks and Boreds, How Dispose of Them? H. L. Dutton. How Visit the Sick and Afflicted, E. H. Day. The Higher Criticism, A. C. Jones. Are the Masses Estranged from the Church? If so, Why? A. J. Wheeler.

EVENING, 7:00. Devotional Exercises and half hour Praise Service, conducted by L. L. Thomas. Sermon, W. J. Douglas. Altar Service, L. L. Thomas.

WHEAT will be a complete failure in many places hereabouts. Some fields look well, while others are completely bare. As Hamilton is ploughing up forty acres, and many other farmers are doing the same thing, for oats and corn.—Niles Star.

Common Council Proceedings. OFFICIAL REPORT.

An adjourned meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was held in Council Chamber, on Tuesday morning, April 11, 1905, at eight o'clock a. m.

President Richards presiding. Present—Trustees Beattie, Morris, Stryker, Sanders, Barmore, Howe. The next bid for the \$50,000.00 water works bonds were opened and read. Mr. Beattie offered the following resolution and moved its adoption, which was supported by Mr. Barmore.

The report of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan accept the bid of E. H. Rollins & Sons, of Boston, Mass., for the fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000.00) in per cent. Village of Buchanan bonds as per their proposition, and that the Finance Committee be authorized to complete contract and issue the fifty (50) one thousand (1000) 5 per cent. semi-annual interest bonds.

The President ordered the roll-called on the foregoing resolution, and the vote stood as follows: Sanders, Beattie, Morris, Barmore, Stryker and Howe vote aye. Ayes 6, Nays 0. Adopted. Moved by Mr. Howe, supported by Mr. Morris, that the bonds be dated April 15, 1905—ayes 6, nays 0. The agreement between E. H. Rollins & Sons and the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was signed by the President and Clerk, and is now on file in the Clerk's office.

The report of the Electric Light Committee was read, and on motion of Mr. Sanders, supported by Mr. Morris, was accepted and placed on file. Mr. English made the following proposition for lighting the streets with electricity:

To the HONORABLE BOARD OF COMMON COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF BUCHANAN, MICHIGAN.—Gentlemen: I hereby submit proposition to light the streets of the Village of Buchanan, Michigan, for ten years, as follows:

For the sum of fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) per year, payable in monthly installments of one hundred and twenty-five dollars (125), or before the 10th of each month, succeeding the one in which the service has been rendered. The village to have the privilege of buying said electric plant at the expiration of ten years.

Said lighting to consist of thirty (30) nominal two thousand (2000) candle power arc lamps; said arc lamps to be located as desired by the Board, or a committee appointed by said Board, and to be suspended midway in center of street, from forty foot poles to be painted.

The use of said arc lamps to burn until 12 o'clock, sun time, and ten to burn all night; said lamps to run on what is known as dark night schedule, or in other words, to burn on every clear night when it is dark enough to require artificial illumination, the same to be determined by said board, but not to burn on bright moonlight nights.

The said Board to have the privilege of ordering any more lights, from time to time, as they may direct; said lights to be constructed at my expense, and to be paid for at the rate of fifty dollars (50) per year for each light ordered.

In case of any accident to said electric plant, I am not to be held for damages, providing that the said plant be repaired as soon as possible.

PETER ENGLISH, BUCHANAN, MICH., April 11, 1905. Moved by Mr. Sanders, supported by Mr. Morris, that we accept Mr. Peter English's proposition—ayes 6, adopted. Moved by Mr. Beattie, supported by Mr. Morris, that when we adjourn we adjourn to the call of the President—ayes 6.

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

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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On motion, the Common Council adjourned. J. L. RICHARDS, Pres. C. D. KENT, Clerk.

Edwardsburg has voted to build a \$1,300 town hall.

Regarding the week, at Mrs. I. SHERWOOD's, on Berrien street. SEED POTATOES.—White Elephant and Empire State Potatoes, pure stock, may be had of FRED YOUNG, at his residence, on Niles and Buchanan roads.

L. S. BRONSON has good Timothy Hay for sale at a bargain. Also an abundance of Sorgham Seed free to all who will plant it.

Best CHINA SILK at 50c. Ladies' Capes and Jackets from \$4.50 up. Hats reshaped and retrimmed at

Oh, my! Ladies, just call and see the nice new style of Shoes, at J. K. WOODS?

Headquarters for Bell Conrad & Co. Coffees, at KENT'S. When you want Broadhead Dress Goods go to H. B. DUNCAN'S.

MRS. DEBUNKER has just received a lot of New Goods today. 20 lbs. Granulated Sugar, \$1.00. All package Coffees, 25c. 4 lbs. Crackers, 25c. Kerosene Oil, 5c.

LAMB & NEEDHAM. See our \$4.95 Capes and 40c Silk. MRS. BERRICK. A good Dongola Kid Shoe for only \$1.25, at J. K. WOODS.

As nice a line of Bakery goods as can be found in town, at KENT'S. I sell Broadhead Dress Goods. Best goods today on the market. H. B. DUNCAN.

Mrs. Berrick's Millinery Emporium leads. KENT would like to have his Stepladder brought home. 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. 12W4

We show the most elegant line of Millinery in the county. MRS. BERRICK. 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 \$20. 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. "Your hat is a beauty, and so becoming!" "Of course, I got it at MRS. BERRICK'S!"

BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS! Cheap, cheaper, cheapest. H. BINNS, opp. Hotel. Warranted Genuine Dongola Kid Shoes for \$1.75, at FRITTS.

The illustrations in Discovery and Conquest of the New World are magnificent. 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. 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.

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 chuek full of New Goods this week, at H. B. DUNCAN'S. 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. REWARD CARDS. H. BINNS, opp. Hotel.

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

FOR SALE.—I have for sale 100 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 100 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.

We would give WARNING! To the parties who are STEALING OUR COAL!

To beware of DYNAMAMITE! !BOOM!

ROE & KINGERY. We offer our entire line of Spring Jackets and Capes, \$5 to \$25.00.

We offer a new line of Ladies' cloth and Serge ready-made Dresses, \$8.00 to \$15.00.

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We continue our Carpet Sale. The celebrated Jackson Flour, at BOARDMAN & WHEELER'S.

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Geo. Wyman & Co. offer today and until they are all sold: 555 Ladies' 24-inch Jackets, in Serge and Cheviots, black, all sizes, worth \$5.00 to \$8.00, for \$1.00 each.

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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 Gingham, From 12 1/2c to 15c per yard. A large and complete assortment of UMBRELLAS AND PARASOLS

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