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Live Hogs—5c.

Tax Notice.

The extension of time for the collection of Village taxes is nearly expired, and I want them all collected within the allotted time. Those who have not paid are invited to do so at once.

JOHN SHOOK, Marshal.

MISS ANNIE WEATHER visited Miss Mary Kountz in South Bend, last week.

GEORGE SHARP, of Eau Claire, has been granted a pension.

THE Modern Woodman picnic at St. Joseph, last week, was largely attended.

MISS ROSE and Gertrude Simmons visited relatives in Eau Claire over Sunday.

MISS MATTIE NEWAY visited Miss Kit Fox and other friends in Niles, this week.

MR. FRANK GANO is here from his Georgia home for a two month's visit with his family.

THE market price of whisky in Niles, in 1840, was 21 cents a gallon. Corn sold at 40 cents a bushel.

REGULAR meeting of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M., next Monday evening.

PETER KNEIBUS, of Bainbridge, has been Superintendent of one Sunday school for thirty-three years.

MR. AND MRS. H. H. KINTON, of Tampa, Florida, are here for a visit with old time friends.

E. E. SIMMONS, of Gallien, is happy because each of his two sons has a brand new sister. All doing well.

A NEW time card went into effect on the Michigan Central last Sunday. It will be found in another column.

A CHILD of Dr. Joel Pardee, of Three Oaks, a victim of diphtheria, was buried at Berrien Springs yesterday.

I. N. BATCHELOR requests the person who borrowed his large rope to return it. He wants to use it.

ELDER Wm. P. Bardsall will preach in the Christian church next Sunday, morning and evening.

MISS ELSIE KINKLEY went Friday for a two weeks' visit with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. N. Nims, at Berrien Centre.

A warning posted at either end of the river bridge, reads: "post. no. bills, or sings, on this bridge, by order of committee."

KAUFFMAN BROS. now come to the front with the work of threshing 1000 bushels of wheat and 700 of oats in nine hours.

MRS. THOS. DOLAN's neighbor's made her a call Tuesday evening to celebrate the anniversary of her birth. They presented her with a nice rocker.

MR. ISRAEL ENGLISH will soon open a plumbing establishment in the building on Main street lately used by Wagner Bros. as a meat market.

NILES capitalists are subscribing capital for the manufacture of sand concrete brick in that place. It takes sand to tackle such a venture.

QUITE a number of strings of good-sized fish were caught by the boys below the dam, Sunday afternoon, when the water was shut off.

MRS. CLYDE VALENTINE and Miss Jessie Valentine, of South Bend, were visiting with Buchanan friends this week.

Mrs. LAURA COURTRIGHT and son Paul, of Mitchell, S. D., came last Thursday evening for a visit with Buchanan friends.

Mrs. HUNTINGTON AND SON, who have been visiting the family of B. T. Morley for a few weeks past, left for their home Friday. Miss Ella Morley accompanied them, and will probably remain some time if the change suits and she secures a position in some school in that state.

MISS LINNA DUTTON came Saturday, from Michigan City, to spend a week or ten days with her parents and friends.

A FIRE in Benton Harbor, Monday, destroyed five barns and sheds. It was a close call for some of the business houses.

J. D. KRIEGER, of Bainbridge, shipped twenty-four barrels of Duchess of Oldenberg apples, and they brought him nearly \$4 per barrel.

THE corn crop in this vicinity and between this place and South Bend has been quite badly injured by dry weather.

MISS GRACE E. WATSON, of Dowagiac, is with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Ingalls for a two weeks' visit.

THE telegraph wire men have been working in this place and vicinity the past few days, and have strung two wires.

MR. AND MRS. ED. ROBERT, of Arlington, Neb., who have been visiting Mrs. Egbert's parents in this place, returned to their home on Monday.

THE Sheriff has notified the merchants of Berrien Springs that they must keep their stores closed on Sunday, and the Era kicks.

MR. AND MRS. ROBERT PATTERSON, of North Amburst, O., were here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Patterson's grandmother, Mrs. Chamberlain.

THE Palladium pronounces the Young People's picnic at that place a failure, on account of a counter attraction by the Modern Woodmen in St. Joseph.

HENRY LANDNER and Ed. LaPiere, of Niles, visited this place Tuesday to see the improvements at the river. Mr. Landner has a nice steam yacht which he expects to place upon our pond.

A LOTTERY drawing was had in Niles last evening, contrary to the peace and morality of the people, and against the statutes in such cases made and provided. The prize was a bicycle.

MRS. E. NEAR and children, of Ottawa, Ill., who have been visiting the families of John Smith and Chas. W. Cook, returned home on Tuesday morning.

STRAYED AWAY LAST FRIDAY. Two peafowls, one large and one small. Any one finding and returning them to E. E. Russell, in the Barnes house, will receive a liberal reward.

CHAS. A. HOWE and A. F. Peacock have each been granted a patent on a coin-controlled vending apparatus, or in plain English, nickel in the slot machine.

THE Peterson Magazine keeps up its reputation of old, for good stories and latest fashions. Peterson and the Record are sold together for \$3 per year for both papers.

F. M. WALKER, of Sodus, this county, is said to have a family heirloom in the shape of a bullet mould used by his grandfather in the revolutionary war.

THE Lakeside Anti-Horse Theft Association held their annual picnic at Lakeside, on Tuesday. There was a large attendance and a pleasant time was enjoyed.

A. C. MATHEWS will sell a large lot of personal property, consisting of horses, cows, wagons and other articles, at the homestead in this village, on Wednesday, the 23d inst. N. Hamilton, auctioneer.

THE Evangelical camp meeting opens to-morrow (Friday) evening. Rev. Wagner, pastor of the Prairie church, will preach the opening sermon. Some of the best speakers will be present during the session.

WE desire in this way to thank the W. R. C. and Post, and all the friends who so kindly assisted in our great affliction.

MR. AND MRS. J. G. GOREY AND FAMILY

REGULAR meeting of Sylvia Chapter No. 74, O. E. S. meets next Wednesday evening, Aug. 23. All members are requested to be present, and come early. By order of W. M.

MRS. G. O. HAMILTON, Sec.

THE Coloma Courier comes to the rescue of the men of that town. It says the umbrella advertised was found by a lady. We know now that the men of that town are just like other people.

MONDAY night burglars were busy in Niles. They succeeded in relieving George Merritt of \$20 and a silver watch. The electric light office was entered, the money drawers pried open, but no money found.

THE Crystal Springs camp-meeting closed Tuesday evening. The attendance was not so large as in former years, but the interest was deep, and several conversions are reported. The lack of attendance was probably owing to the very dry and dusty roads.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Aug. 14, 1893: Vasil S. Bozovsky, Miss Pearl Wright, J. J. Wilson, W. C. Wilmut.

Call for letters advertised.

JOHN GRAHAM, P. M.

REV. O. J. ROBERTS is taking his vacation, leaving yesterday for a short visit to the fair, from which place he will go to Petoskey for a rest. He expects to be absent three weeks, his family accompanying him.

A small rifle in the hands of a Niles boy got in its work Tuesday afternoon. Harry Glenn and Amos Bachman were in the dam practicing with the gun and young Bachman received the ball in the left side, passing through his body and lodging in his right side. He died in about an hour after the accident. He was 13 years old.

THE RECORD is in receipt of a notice of the death of Mrs. Loretta Ross, well-known by many in this place, which occurred in Chicago August 7. The remains were buried in Forest Home cemetery, in that city.

DURING the Evangelical camp-meeting, E. J. Hopkins will run a "bus to and from the grounds, each day. Parties wishing the "bus to call at their residences will please leave word with Mr. Hopkins or at Stetler's jewelry store.

WORD has been received from Mr. Dallin, who is now in London, England, that he has been successful in securing financial aid for his railroad, and that it would be immediately pushed forward to completion.

THE remains of Ernest Russell, who died suddenly on Wednesday night, the 9th inst., were taken to Chicago Saturday morning for interment. Mr. Russell, who was away when his son died, returned to his home Thursday evening, from Benton Harbor.

SANDPELS have been very numerous on the river lately. A fishing party report that the other night, as soon as they lighted their oil jack the flies came in such swarms as to half fill their boat in a short time.

AN exchange reports Mr. J. H. Feather, of this county, as saying there is no such disease as yellow in peaches, but that impoverishment of land and worms is what is the matter. He sprinkles salt around diseased trees with good results.

BUCHANAN CAMP, Modern Woodmen of America, will adopt several new neighbors tomorrow evening, and every neighbor is requested to be present promptly at 8 o'clock. If you want the cheapest and safest life insurance in the world, send in your application.

H. GROVER, Clerk.

WE are informed that Mrs. F. B. Swift of this village has fallen heir to a considerable sum, by the death of an uncle in Detroit. The fortune consists of money and Detroit city property. Mrs. Swift will remove to that city in a few weeks.

MARRIED, Monday, Aug. 14, 1893, at the residence of Adam Hahn in this place, by John C. Dick, Esq., Mr. Harvey Steiner and Mrs. Jeanette Miller, both of South Bend, Ind. The bride was a former resident of Buchanan, the wife of Elmer Day, from whom she was divorced a short time ago.

GEORGE BREDE, who was mentioned last week as being under arrest for robbery, so far recovered from his attempt to escape punishment by hanging himself, that he was taken before Judge O'Hara on Friday, plead guilty and was sentenced to four years in Jackson penitentiary. He was taken Jackson on Monday.

CLOSED FOR REPAIRS—Railroad Commissioner Billings was in this place Friday, and has closed the St. Joseph Valley railroad to all traffic, even to the hand-car, until the track shall be put in good condition and fences built.

Farmers along the line who have been pestered by the want of fences will be allowed to fence across the track at their lines. This comes very near closing the thing up.

THERE will be no services in the Evangelical church next Sunday or the Sunday following, on account of the camp-meeting which begins to-morrow at 7:30 P. M. and continues until the 28th inst. Sunday School will be held at the camp ground Sunday at 9:30 A. M. Bishop Breyfogle, of Reading, Pa., is expected there on next Tuesday and Rev. W. H. Bucks of Tiffin, Ohio, on the following Sunday.

GOOD FISHERMEN.—Last Friday afternoon Messrs. A. E. Weckesser, of Dayton, Ohio, John Morris, R. F. Kompass and Chas. Fuller, of this place, caught seventy-three fine bluegills, bass and perch, at Clear Lake, in less than three hours. Feeling so good over their success they returned to the same place the next day and caught as many more. They would like to hear of some one who had better success.

DIED.—August 12, 1893, Rollie Ray Hartline, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hartline, aged 1 year and 7 months.

Jesus, tho' our hearts are bleeding
Over the spots that death has won,
Thou didst give and thou hast taken,
Blessed Lord, thy will be done.

Thou' our hearts are filled with sorrow,
And we miss our little boy,
We can always trust in Jesus,
Jesus will take care of little boy.

Again we hope to meet our loved one
In that bright celestial dome,
There always be united,
Where pain and death can never come.

DURING the forepart of this week a considerable amount of damage was done by fires in Weesaw and Lake townships. Everything was so dry that the fire would travel rapidly in grass and stubble fields. A large amount of fencing was burned. Mr. Chas. Wilson's house and contents were burned, during the absence of the family, and nothing was saved. Yesterday's rain will act as a check on the fires.

NUMEROUS boating parties pass down the river. Two of these have shot the rapids at the dam, making a plunge of about four feet, while the workmen have been there. The first of these was by Will Fox and a friend from Niles. Monday afternoon the second boat with a couple of strangers aboard went through, a frightened lot before they passed the last of the breakers. Just enough adventure to give good spice to their trip.

TWO weeks since the RECORD contained a statement that there is a young man in this town who goes to Church from one to ten times a day seven days in a week, and was not specially noted for his piety either. A young lady and her mother and a young man complain that this is a slander upon them, and demand a retraction. The RECORD is always anxious to retract any slanders, and makes no exception in this case. So our readers will please consider the slanderous part of that article retracted.

DIED.—Mrs. Charles Schwartz died at their home, north-west of Clear lake, last Friday, Aug. 11, after a sickness of a few weeks of heart disease. She was 24 years of age. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon from the Evangelical church in this place, conducted by Rev. Johnson in English, and Rev. Zimmerman, of Gallien, in German. The remains were buried in Oak Ridge cemetery.

MRS. HALL, of Michigan City, a sister of Wm. Thayer of this place, committed suicide by drowning in the canal, in the former city, on Saturday night. The lady has been insane for some time. She was 45 years of age and a widow, her husband having died 22 years ago. She had one married son, who is a fireman on the Michigan Central and resides at Michigan City, with whom Mrs. Hall lived a part of the time. The remains were brought here for interment in Oak Ridge cemetery, the funeral being from the Presbyterian church, Tuesday afternoon, Rev. O. F. Roberts officiating.

SUNDAY morning the engineer of a freight train on the M. C. railroad, while switching at New Buffalo, discovered the body of a man on the tracks. It was lying c/o asswise of the track, the back of the head was smashed in and bruises on other parts of the body. His pockets were all turned out but one and everything of value taken therefrom. The body was discovered to be that of George Shook, aged 35 years. He was a son of Moses Shook, living south-west of this place. An inquest was held Monday, when the jury came to the conclusion that he was murdered and probably thrown off some train. The funeral was held Tuesday and the interment made in the Howe cemetery.

OUR citizens were shocked on Monday afternoon to receive the news from Chicago that Mr. Japhet Godfrey, of the firm of Reonic & Godfrey of this place, and his wife and two of his children, Grace, aged 13, and Harry, aged 7, and also nephew of Mr. Godfrey named Will Ullery, aged 17, were the victims of a Chicago hotel fire, in which little Harry lost his life, and all the other more or less severely injured. Will being so badly burned that he died in the afternoon. The report, however, proved erroneous so far as Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey and Grace being burned. Neither of them being injured. Last week we noticed that Mrs. Godfrey and the two children had gone to Niagara Falls, and later would be accompanied by Mr. G. to the World's Fair, at that time they no doubt anticipated a pleasant time, but their pleasure has terminated in a sad way. From the Chicago papers we learn that they were stopping at the Senate hotel, a business building located at 184 East Madison street, which had been temporarily turned into a hotel for World's Fair visitors. The partitions between the rooms were made of light wood, which made the building a dangerous one to be in case of fire breaking out. The fire was started just before 7 o'clock in the morning, before many of the roomers had left their beds, and in thirty minutes the building was burned out and seven lives were lost and many people injured, some of them very badly. The body of little Harry was brought here Tuesday morning, the remainder of the family coming in the evening. The funeral of the little fellow was held from the house yesterday forenoon, and the interment made in Oak Ridge cemetery. The body of Will Ullery was taken home by his father, who resides about five miles north of Niles.

In Memoriam.

Stephen Elbert Harner, whose sad fate shocked our community one week ago to-day, furnishes a subject for our sincere meditation. Closely allied with the youthful interests and associations of the neighborhood, the severance of our earthly ties serves to emphasize our fraternal feelings towards him, and prompts us to express our sincere sympathy and share in the deep sorrow that has fallen on his home. Therefore, Resolved, That in the death of Stephen Elbert Harner our Sabbath School is bereft of a bright and promising pupil, the community a noble and exemplary youth, and the sorrowing home is deprived of one of its brightest jewels.

Resolved, That this dispensation of Providence serves to admonish each of us to be ever ready, for we know not at what hour the King may come.

Resolved, That we extend to the parents and brothers of our departed member, our undivided sympathy in their sad affliction and bereavement.

Resolved, That a page in the current record of our school be set apart and dedicated to the memory of Stephen Elbert Harner.

Resolved, That our Secretary be hereby instructed to present to the bereaved family a copy of this memorial, and a copy be sent to the Berrien Springs Era, Michigan Independent and Buchanan Record for publication.

ELMER D. CLARK,
GEORGE R. PARKETON, Com.
LIDA HALLENBECK.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

August Margkie, Livingston.
Anna Charlotte Dalka, "

Joseph A. S. Boylan, B. Harbor.
Sarah Wentworth, "

Andrew Gillislie, Chicago.
Rose Lynch, Hagar.

John N. Spencer, Indiana.
Addie Foster, "

Geo. Millbarger, Royalton.
Rose Penland, "

Orry Acton, Benton Harbor.
Eva Randall, Coloma.

Harry Steiner, South Bend.
Jeanette Miller, "

Stephen A. Feather, Ononago.
Minnie L. Calderwood, B. Harbor.

Anderson A. Hopkins, Ann Arbor.
Kate H. Edwards, Niles.

Geo. Garland, Chikaming.
Harriet Petersen, "

A man and his wife are camping near St. Joseph. They claim to have walked all the way from Iowa. They only possessions are a few cooking utensils, bed clothes, and a small tent, all of which they carry in a baby carriage.—Detroit News.

THE residence house of Cyrus B. Groat, in Berrien township, narrowly escaped cremation yesterday. The kitchen roof caught fire near the chimney, and quite a hole in the roof was burned before the fire was put out by some of the help about the house, in the absence of Mr. Groat.—Niles Sun, 16th.

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P. S.—Just received a fine line of Men's Pants, and new designs in Men's Shirts and Boys' Waists.

On one day last week 25,000 bushels of early peaches were shipped from Saugatuck and Douglas.

THE citizens of this city will, on Monday evening, Aug. 28, have an opportunity of seeing those pleasing players, Mr. Francis Labadie and Miss Hattie Rowell, in the glorious electrical spectacular drama, "Faust." This production is elaborate in every detail, and was especially written for Mr. Labadie and his company. The play is replete with scenic and mechanical effects, nearly all of which are new and of a novel character, nothing like them having ever been seen in this place. Among the most noticeable scenic effects are the vision of Marguerite, the transformation of Faust, the electric duel, the grand cathedral scene, and the famous Broken scene on Walpurgis night. This latter scene is a masterpiece of marvelous mechanical ingenuity. The whole stage seems to be alive with demons, dragons, serpents, witches, and animals of every description known only in mythological tales, that seem to come and go at the beck of their master, Mephisto, the evil spirit. The company carries a vast amount of special scenery, and its costumes are new and gorgeous, having been especially designed by the famous Acme Costume Co. of Owosso, Mich. Reserved seats are now on sale at H. E. Lough's jewelry store.

THE M. C. R. R. Co. will sell tickets from Buchanan to Chicago until Oct. 30, limited for return not later than Nov. 5, for \$4.20 for the round trip.

A. F. PEACOCK.

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H. B. DUNCAN.

ALL of my Hats must be disposed of regardless of price, to make room for Fall stock.

MRS. DEBUNKER.

A DIFFERENT TALE.
Johnnie Jones and his sister Sue, bought a CATARACT No. 2. And, Oh, my goodness! how they flew—Them two—them two; And they never stopped to chew—The little peach of emerald hue; So for them no trouble began to brew; They escaped what the doctor couldn't subdue. And I tell you what I'd do, If I were you, I'd buy one too, THE C. H. SCHUB CYCLE HOUSE, Chicago, Ill.

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RESOURCES:	
Loans,	\$231926.51
U. S. Bonds,	50000.00
Premiums paid,	6000.00
Expenses,	424.80
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures,	16000.00
Cash,	37935.00
	\$342287.21
LIABILITIES:	
Capital paid in,	\$50000.00
Surplus and profits,	17690.83
Circulation,	44990.00
Deposits,	229006.38
	\$342287.21

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