

BUCHANAN RECORD.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1894.

Gen. Russell A. Alger has written a letter to the Detroit Tribune declining to be a candidate for the office of United States Senator.

The income tax clause of the Wilson bill will not be considered very soon. It has been referred to a Democratic caucus of the house, and will probably be strangled there.

The National Republican committee has ordered of the public printer 100,000 copies of Hon. J. C. Burrows' speech for distribution as a campaign document.

John H. Gear, ex-Governor of Iowa and present Congressman from the First district, was nominated by the Republican caucus of the Iowa legislature, on Monday, for U. S. Senator to succeed Hon. James F. Wilson.

Two passenger trains on the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western railroad collided Monday morning on Hackensack bridge, wrecking the trains and telescoping two cars. Fifteen passengers are known to be killed and twenty-five others seriously injured.

JAMES GOODRICH, a young man living about four miles east of Eau Claire, loaded his gun with a double dose of powder and shot and went after ducks, Monday. The first shot made burnt the gun, tore his right hand entirely off and badly lacerated and burned his face and chest.

The Legislature of Colorado is now holding a special session called by Gov. Vail to devise ways to improve the times by adopting his visionary views. The majority of the legislature does not think as the Governor does, and will probably adjourn as quickly as possible without carrying out his wishes.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Republican National Committee, held in Washington the 11th, Mr. Carter resigned the chairmanship of the executive committee on account of business. Joseph H. Manley, of Maine, was temporary chairman of the committee and Carter continues as chairman of the national committee.

It now leaks out that some of the "prominent" democrats of this state are mad because President Cleveland has appointed Harrison H. Wheeler as State Pension agent, and are writing letters to Democratic Senators asking them to vote against confirmation of the appointment.

At the meeting of the National Republican Committee, recently held in Washington, a resolution was adopted favoring the admission of all the territories as states. The Democrats have been claiming that the Republicans would only favor the admission of Republican territories, and this action of the National Committee clearly places the party where it has always stood, in the advance.

Some Chicago party caused an article to be published in a Pittsburg, Pa. paper, offering \$50,000 to any person who would give an idea to a smoke nuisance in that city. A Mid. diston, Pa. man thinks he has an excellent idea. It is for every voter to vote the Democratic ticket straight. It has abated the nuisance in his town, and thinks it would do so in any other town.

Gen. Alger, chairman of the executive committee for the relief of the miners in the Northern Peninsula, writes for publication:

Will you please say to the good people of Michigan that no further donations of clothing will be needed this winter for the iron districts of the Upper Peninsula, but that provisions will be required during the winter and spring to carry those people through.

About three months ago three Chinamen were arrested at Detroit under the Geary law, and have been in jail ever since awaiting such time as the government may appoint to hear their cases and have them sent back to China. An effort is now being made to secure their conditional release under bail to await the action of the government. This law may be all right, but such a long imprisonment before trial is all wrong, and a disgrace to our country.

Justice Long has sent an open letter to Pension Commissioner Lochren in answer to an order requiring him to appear and show cause why his pension should not be reduced from \$72 to \$50, which, after reviewing the case, criticizes the commissioner severely for his alleged unwarranted suspension of his pension, which action was set aside by the District Supreme Court. He asks the commissioner whether he will now withdraw the order requiring him to be again examined, or whether further proceedings are necessary to restrain him from enforcing it.

Dr. W. C. Ransome, of South Haven, is building a schooner in which, fully manned and equipped, he will set sail in the spring for a trip around the world. He will go through the great lakes to the Gulf of Mexico, and along the coast of South America, visiting places of interest; thence up the Pacific coast as far north as Alaska; thence to Hawaii, the South Sea Islands, Borneo, and the African coast. Then he will proceed through the Red Sea, Suez canal and the Mediterranean, visiting all ports of interest on the way and collecting curious objects of interest, sketches and photographs of the people and places. The vessel will cost \$50,000 equipped, and \$50,000 more will stock it with goods to trade with the natives.

Mrs. Jackett, a cook in a restaurant at Battle Creek, was working at a range when her clothing took fire and was burned from her body. She is in a critical condition.

Berrien Township S. S. Convention.

The Thirtieth Annual Convention of the Berrien Township S. S. Association was held at the Christian church in Eau Claire, December 30, 1893.

The association met at the U. B. church at 10 a. m., and adjourned to the Christian church to attend the funeral of Mrs. Della S. Lovell. At 11:30 Vice President J. H. Ulrey called to order. The choir sang, "There's Much We Can Do," and prayer was offered by Rev. Wm. J. Funky. Norman Nims moved to elect officers by acclamation. Motion prevailed and the election resulted as follows: President, J. H. Ulrey; Vice President, J. M. Willis; Secretary, Henry S. Robinson; Treasurer, Thomas Evans. The following standing committees were appointed: On Temperance and S. S. Work, N. Nims, Rev. C. W. Fellows and A. C. Palmer; on Ordinances, A. C. Palmer, Erastus Murphy and Henry S. Robinson; on Printing, Henry S. Robinson, Thomas Evans and Rev. J. S. Miller. Forenoon session closed by singing "The Water of Life" and benediction by Rev. J. S. Miller. The afternoon session was opened with one-half hour song service, followed by prayer by Rev. C. W. Fellows. Rev. J. S. Miller read a carefully prepared, instructive and interesting paper on the "Primary Object of S. S. Work." His theme was the exaltation of Jesus. At 2 p. m. President Grant came in and delivered his annual address, which was full of beautiful thoughts and wholesome truths and sound religious instruction and advice. "The Constraining Elements in S. S. Work" were next presented by Rev. W. J. Funky, in which he set forth the influence of Love of Jesus as leading influences in bringing children to Christ, which should be the only object of S. S. Work. Rev. C. W. Fellows favored the convention with a paper on the subject of "Christian Union in Church and S. S. Work," which was listened to with deep interest, and which elicited animated discussions on denominational teachings and the true foundation and standard of the Christian faith. Rev. J. S. Miller closed the discussions with scripture quotations pointing to Jesus as the Way, the Truth and the Life to all who love and serve Him, irrespective of creeds or no creeds. Children's hour was opened by a beautiful declamation by Miss Elsie Strong, who is always ready to respond to the call for S. S. work. The little Misses Percy Peck and Elva Becker recited clearly and forcibly the topics, "I love the Sunday School" and "Twice Mother." Master Natlie Morlan did well in his prayer recitation entitled, "Christ's Birthday." As there was a large number of absentees on the children's list other work was taken up. J. H. and Frank Ulrey favored the convention with a beautiful duet, and Miss Cora Ulrey, assistant teacher in the Kindergarten schools at Grand Rapids, delivered an excellent and instructive address on Kindergarten Principles in the S. S. The beautiful, truthful and impressive declamations given by Miss Elsie Kingery of Buchanan, and Miss Alice Kingery of St. Joseph, on "Christian Charity" and "Temperance Work in Prohibition" were listened to with deep interest and marked attention. The Secretary submitted the following report: The Sunday schools of this township are seven in number. The membership of these schools is as follows: Officers and teachers, 95; total scholars, 416; total membership, 501; average attendance, 451; amount of missionary collections, \$11.69; amount for State and County S. S. work, \$10.00; amount for support of these schools during the year ending December 30, 1893, \$210.30; total expenditures for the year, \$232.58. The evening session was opened with song service, and prayer by N. Nims. Thomas Evans gave a paper on "Boys, find your places," full of good advice. Miss Elsie Kingery responded to another call and gave a fine declamation entitled, "Where Shall Man Find Rest." Erastus Murphy read a paper entitled, "The Seven Wonders of the World," and closed with the remark, "To me the wonder is, that men will spend vast sums and go to the remotest bounds of earth to see these wonders, and yet they will neglect the great Salvation so freely offered without money and without price. The Misses Vera Stapleton, Mable Preston, Lora Keigley and Mabel and Carrie Esalhorst and Lena Stapleton gave excellent recitations on the topics, "The Methodist's Testimony," "Jim, the Dying Newsboy," "Say your Say," "The Sheaves and Lilies" and "Twilight." Miss Ella Snorr's essay, entitled "Early Piety," was a most excellent production, interspersed with words of truth and appropriate Bible quotations. Miss Anna Snorr's declamation, "The Rag Carpet of Life," was the last but not the least in interest, and was well received. Superintendents W. E. Parker and J. J. Becker presented some good thoughts and suggestions on the Superintendent's duties. The Committee on Ordinances reported as follows:

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father has called to Himself, to a higher and more blessed labor and reward, our beloved Sister, Della S. Lovell, and,

Resolved, That we deeply regret her loss, and,

Resolved, That in our deep sorrow for the loss of so worthy, faithful and beloved a member, we have consolation in the belief that she is sure to meet in the happy reunion of the saints in the great beyond.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to the bereaved family, with whom we sympathize deeply, and that the secretary spread the same upon the minutes.

R. MURPHY, Com.
HENRY S. ROBINSON, Sec'y.

Report of Committee on S. S. and Temperance work.

We, your Committee on Resolutions, beg leave humbly to submit the following:

WHEREAS, We, as a convention, see the importance of doing temperance work everywhere and always; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it is the duty of Christians and S. S. workers to strive to do more temperance work than ever before, and,

WHEREAS, We believe it to be folly to foster a business that makes criminals instead of honest men, that makes paupers instead of self-supporting men,

that makes sinners instead of Christians, and after making them such to tax ourselves for buildings to hold them, failors to watch them, gallowes to hang them and whole armies of policemen to pursue and arrest them, and,

WHEREAS, We believe it to be unchristian to tempt and allure the poor wretch who finds it so convenient in his path, and is kept drunk simply because the State lays the temptation in his way and he is too weak and frail not to stumble over it, and,

WHEREAS, We realize the immeasurable ruin wrought by intemperance and the liquor traffic; therefore, be it further

Resolved, That all Christian S. S. workers should be zealous, whole-souled prohibition to blot out these curses from our land.

Resolved Further, That it is the sense of this Convention, that in the lessons of the coming year great and constant aim of all teaching shall be to teach the Christ life, and that Jesus Christ is the Savior of the World.

NORMAN NIMS, C. W. FELLOWS, Sec'y.

The foregoing resolutions were all adopted by the Convention.

On motion of A. C. Palmer, a vote of thanks was given the Eau Claire people for the use of their church and kind hospitality. Closing song, "God be with you till we meet again." Adjourned to meet at Berrien Centre, Saturday, March 31, 1894.

HENRY S. ROBINSON, Sec'y.

An Appeal of the Home.

To the American Women:

The Woman's Republican Association send its New Year's greeting. We have often appealed to you to give your maintenance to the principles of the Republican Party. Many of you have nobly responded, and the good results of your efforts appear in various states and local communities.

One year has now passed, and the doors of the nation thought they wanted a change in its industrial policy; the change has come.

The present administration at Washington came into power with the promise of prosperity which even this favored nation had never known.

Heaven had furnished the basis of prosperity: Fertile soil, genial sunshine, "growing" rains, immense natural resources, answered the honest toil and brought returns in bountiful harvests and abundant raw material for manufacturing interests.

Mills and factories were in full operation, the hum of machinery, the ring of the bell and the shriek of the engine were the music of industrial prosperity.

The prosperity was secured and assured through the American system of a Protective Tariff.

The Democratic Party, the advocate of Free Trade, assumed control of the government, under contract to repeal this tariff which is declared unconstitutional.

Uncertainty as to what the Democratic majority in Congress will do and the fear that they will enact Free Trade have unsettled the commercial world and brought a panic of distrust to finance and trade.

Mills and factories are closed and idle workmen and workwomen walk the streets in vain seeking an opportunity to earn an honest living.

Soup houses and clothing dispensaries now take the place of "pay day" comforts and luxuries. Nor is there prospect of better times, unless the people of the whole country make themselves felt at Washington.

There is now pending before Congress a measure known as the Wilson Bill. It embodies the destructive theories of Tariff Reform. It is now supported by the administration and a majority of the members of Congress. If it becomes a law, many industries will be unable to compete with the pauper labor of the old world and will be permanently closed. Others will compete but labor will be the loser, wages will be cut down to the starvation level, and the American manufacturer may compete with the importer of foreign wares.

More than three millions of workmen are because of these conditions, actual and prospective, without work today. Add to this number the dependent women and children, and then count the famishing host.

Can nothing be done?—Yes. DEFEAT THE WILSON BILL.

Who cares for those who suffer, write—at once—a letter or postal card to your member of Congress, and to both Senators from your state, asking these representatives of the people to vote against the Wilson Bill.

Handkerchief Moody.

An Eccentric New England Clergyman of the Last Century.

The Rev. Joseph Moody, sometimes called "Handkerchief Moody," pastor of the Second church at York, Me., was the only son of the celebrated Dr. Samuel Moody, pastor of the First church in York. He was born in the year 1700, the year of his father's settlement. At the age of 18 he received the honors of Harvard college, and for 14 years he was a very useful and active man in civil life, being for some years clerk of York and register of deeds for the county. In each of these offices he has left ample testimonials to his care, industry and correctness. He was also judge to the county court when but 30 years old.

His father was desirous that he should become a preacher, as he was possessed of a powerful talent, and was a man of eminent piety. The opportunity of his father prevailed, and in 1722 Mr. Moody resigned his civil offices and was ordained. His wife, Lucy White, was the daughter of a clergyman of Gloucester, Mass., and together they worked among the people of York for seven years. On the death of his wife Mr. Moody fell into a melancholy state from which his friends in vain sought to arouse him.

Like his father his faith was remarkably strong. In 1745 he had been supplying his father's pulpit while he was absent as chaplain of the army of Louisburg. A day of fasting and prayer having been appointed in York to pray for the surrender of the enemy Mr. Moody prayed for about two hours. In the first part of the prayer he besought that the enemy might be given into the hands of our forces, and he turned and offered up thanks to the God of battles for what he had done for us. Afterward by comparing dates he discovered that the surrender of the enemy Mr. Moody prayed for about two hours. In the first part of the prayer he besought that the enemy might be given into the hands of our forces, and he turned and offered up thanks to the God of battles for what he had done for us. Afterward by comparing dates he discovered that the surrender of the enemy Mr. Moody prayed for about two hours. 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Pants Goods,

to be found in Berrien county, at the low-
est living prices for good work.
An Inspection is Solicited.
Front Street, Foot of Day's Avenue,
BUCHANAN, MICH.

Buchanan Markets.
Hay—\$6 @ \$10 per ton.
Lard—\$2 1/2 c.
Salt, retail—\$1.00
Flour—\$2.60 @ \$4.00 per bbl., retail.
Honey—14c.
Live poultry—7 @ 8c.
Butter—16c.
Eggs—14c.
Wheat—52c.
Oats—27c.
Corn, 33c.
Beans—\$2.00.
Live Hogs—3 1/4 c.
This is our combination for 1894
reading matter:
Record.....\$1.50
Weekly Inter Ocean.....1.00
Detroit Tribune.....1.00
New York Tribune.....1.00
Cosmopolitan.....1.50
Total to any subscriber who has his
subscription account paid up in full,
\$8.50.
A Farmer's Institute will be held at
Berrien Springs Feb. 1 and 2.
EN-JUDGE THOMAS O'HARA has
opened a law office in Benton Harbor.
MRS. CHAS. ATKIN, of Cassopolis, is
visiting Buchanan friends.
THERE were only five deaths in
Stevensville during 1893.
THE editor of the RECORD is con-
fined to his home this week by sickness.
MISS GERTRUDE HOWE, of this
place, spent Sunday in South Bend.
ATTORNEY V. M. GORE, of Benton
Harbor, was in Buchanan on Saturday.
MR. HERR SCHOCK, of Edwardsburg,
came this morning to visit Buchanan
friends.
PHILLIP G. JONES of Benton Har-
bor, has been allowed an increase in
his pension.
THE Oronoko township Sunday
School Association held its annual
meeting at Berrien Springs yesterday.
IN the Circuit Court last week the
case against Thornton Carter, for lewd
conduct, was nolle prossed.
THE Watervliet Record and Coloma
Courier are accusing each other of
using bad language.
PORTER JOHNSON, of Baroda, has
been arrested for violating the liquor
law.
MRS. ELLEN M. FOTCHKISS, of this
place, has been granted a widow's pen-
sion.
MR. S. L. BEARDSLEY, of Kalamazoo,
came yesterday to see his Buchanan
friends.
A Berrien Springs man telephones
the RECORD that Mr. Canfield has as-
sured him that the Dallen railroad
will be put through this spring.
AT the examination of Joseph King,
Berrien county's "materializing medi-
um," at Battle Creek, was bound over
for trial in the sum of \$500.
ON Sunday night burglars got into
S. Maudlin's store in Bridgman and
got away with about twenty watches
and some jewelry.
THE South Bend Tribune says John
Whalen, of Berrien Springs, went to
Elkhart to take a whisky cure and
died there of heart disease.
THE case of the People vs. Fulton
Powers, which has been hanging fire
in the Circuit Court for about a year,
will come up for trial today.
MRS. WILDERBRAND, nee Miss Birdie
Church, has moved from Detroit to
this place which will be her future
home.
JUDGE J. SUMMERFIELD, of Chicago,
came to Buchanan Saturday evening
to see his numerous friends and look
after his property north of town.
GUY L. BUNKER and wife, of South
Bend, visited relatives and friends in
Buchanan, Sunday and Monday. While
here Mr. Bunker sold to J. A. Waldron
two lots on Third and Lake streets.
WE call the attention of farmers to
the report of the Farmer's Mutual
Insurance Company in another column.
This company is worthy of their sup-
port.
THE Lady Macabees held their in-
stallation of officers on Tuesday even-
ing, ending with a fine banquet
which was enjoyed by about 125 Macabees
and their friends. Miss Daisy Ellis
of Niles was installing officer. Eleven
for membership were received.

THE Marshal at Benton Harbor has
found it necessary to notify the people
of that burg, through the papers, not
to throw paper upon the streets, as it
scarses horses and they run away. It
caused three runaways in as many
days.

REGULAR meeting of Buchanan
Camp Modern Woodmen of America
tomorrow evening. Every neighbor is
requested to be present. Camp will
open promptly at 7 o'clock. New
neighbors to be adopted.

If our subscribers desire the finest
collection of World's Fair views issued,
we advise them to write to the South
Bend Tribune at once. The Tribune
will send over 200 views to subscrib-
ers for a few cents. Better subscribe
now.

THE work of rebuilding the Lake
View hotel, at St. Joseph, is being
pushed as rapidly as possible, and the
house will be ready to receive guests
long before the excursion season com-
mences.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for
in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich.,
for the week ending Jan. 15, 1894:
Miss Lillie Mitchell, Mrs. L. A. Single-
ton—drop.
Call for letters advertised.
JOHN GRAHAM, P. M.

MR. HOWELL'S latest farce is called
"Masterpiece of Diplomacy," and con-
cerns the anxieties of the perennially
amusing Mrs. Roberts over the sup-
posed illness of her son. The farce will
appear in the February Harper's with
illustrations by Mr. Albert E. Stern.

THE Farmers' Institute which
closed last evening in Niles was well
attended and very interesting. Thos.
Mars, of Berrien Centre, was elected
President and Cyrus B. Groat, of Niles,
Secretary.

MR. ANDREW PANOFERN, an old
resident of Bakertown and vicinity,
died Tuesday morning, after an illness
of several weeks. The funeral service
occurred today, and the interment will
be made in Bakertown cemetery.

VEENDAM, the one-year-old child of
Mr. and Mrs. Abner Robinson, of this
place, died last Thursday evening of
heart disease, and the interment was
made in Oak Ridge cemetery on Sun-
day.

WM. PERROT Relief Corps will give
a social at the residence of Stephen
Scott, next Tuesday evening, January
23, for the benefit of the relief fund.
A good supper served from five until
eight o'clock for 20 cents. Music and
literary exercises after eight o'clock.
The patronage of every citizen is so-
licit to help a good cause.

WE learn that a petition is being
circulated asking for a pardon from
States Prison of "Bibi" McGilginey and
Frank Searis. While we are aware
that the average citizen will sign al-
most any petition when asked to do so,
we hope our people will think twice
before signing this one. These two
young fellows are not receiving more
punishment than they deserve, and
our town is better off without them.

ORLANDO BLODGETT and some oth-
ers went spearing on the river, one
night last week, and among other fish
secured by Orlando were some black
bass. This being contrary to the laws
of the State of Michigan he was ar-
rested and brought before Esquire Sa-
bin, who assessed a fine of \$5 and costs,
amounting in all to \$8.

THE M. C. R. R. Co. is cutting down
expenses by laying off all men who
can be spared. Henry Storm, the
clerk in the freight office here, was re-
lieved, and Mr. Peacock, the agent, re-
quested to do the work himself. Fred
Eaton of this place, who was employ-
ed in the freight office at Jackson, is
one of ten who were laid off in that
office.

THE Niles Recorder editor appears
to be sorely wrought up lest the village
of Buchanan get skinned. We will
simply inform him that the village of
Buchanan has got all it contracted for,
all it expected for its \$50,000 and more,
and is well satisfied. His publishing
Mr. Peter English as a scoundrel, and
then attempting to bribe about it, is a
personal matter which the editor
will most likely be called upon to settle
with Mr. English. It is sometimes
policy to be at least acquiescing with
your man before punishing him a
knap.

S. MARKLEY, of near Galien, Mich.,
was in the city recently on a train
and started for home, about two miles
east of the city. There is a gas lamp
at the corner of Territorial street and
Stevens avenue, and passing into its
glass, he did not see a horse and wa-
gon approaching. A collision resulted,
and one of the horses of the wagon
struck one of Mr. Markley's horses in
the breast, penetrating over a foot. The poor
animal died in a few moments.—B. H.
Banner.

Church Notices.

WITH joy and thankfulness we re-
port to the readers of the RECORD an
unusual interest in the work of God,
and salvation from sin in this part of
the Lord's vineyard. In these strin-
gent times many have sought and
found the pearl of great price and now
have a treasure in heaven, and rejoice
in hope of the glory of God. Five
more were received into membership
in the Methodist church Sunday eve-
ning, making 33 accessions in all. The
meetings at the Advent Christian
church are largely attended and very
profitable. Many are entering the
higher life and becoming deeply in-
terested in the salvation of the people.
Revival services will continue at the
Methodist church all day Sunday and
until further notice. Come and go
with us and we will do you good.

THE Union Revival meetings held by
the United Brethren and Presbyterian
churches are increasing in interest and
power. Last week they were held in the
Presbyterian church, this week, until
Friday evening, in the United Breth-
ren, then for a week in the Presby-
terian church. It is not known how long
the meetings will continue. Thus far
there have twelve come out for Christ.

MR. GEO. D. BAKER, who is a val-
iant and efficient member of the Chic-
ago police force, and Miss Ida M. Best,
daughter of Mrs. Harriet Best of this
city, were united in marriage at the
home of the bride, on Riford street,
Wednesday evening, Jan. 10, in the
presence of a small but pleasant com-
pany of relatives and friends. The
ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock
by Rev. A. E. Craig, pastor of the
Methodist church, and following the
usual congratulations a fine repast
was served to the company. The prin-
cipals received a large number of
gifts.—B. H. Palladium.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker are well-known
here, having until recently been resi-
dents of Buchanan. They visited
here last week, and started for Chic-
ago, their future home, Monday morn-
ing. Their many friends will wish
them much happiness.

CURIOUS accidents will always hap-
pen. Last Saturday evening Mr. Jo-
seph Weiler had finished his trading
and started for home, about two miles
east of the city. There is a gas lamp
at the corner of Territorial street and
Stevens avenue, and passing into its
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The Great Clearing Sale
Of all goods, both Summer and Winter.
An endless variety of
CLOAKS
AT HALF THEIR VALUE.

\$ 6.00 Cloaks for - \$3.00 \$15.00 Cloaks for \$10.00
8.00 " " 4.00 20.00 " " 14.00
10.00 " " 5.00 25.00 " " 18.00
\$30.00 Cloaks for \$20.00.

Bill McKinley is the Cause of All This.

Lawrence L L Unbleached, at - - - - - 5c
Pepperell R " " " " " 6 1/2 c
Lonsdale, bleached, " " " " " 8 1/2 c

C. H. BAKER,
OF THE CASH STORE.

MARRIED, Jan. 17, 1894, at the home
of the bride's mother, Mrs. Geo. Smith,
by F. H. Berick, Harry H. Beck, of
Buchanan township, and Rosa Smith,
of Oronoko.

MR. and MRS. ABNER ROBINSON de-
sires the RECORD to return their sin-
cere thanks to the friends who were so
kind to them during their recent re-
virement.

ST. JOSEPH will hold a special elec-
tion, Jan. 20, to vote on the question
of allowing the city to issue and sell
\$25,000 in bonds for the purpose of
grading and otherwise improving
some of their streets. A two-thirds
vote is necessary to carry the proposi-
tion.

IN nearly every town around us the
grocers are doing their customers a
favor by cutting regular prices to the
lowest notch. Our grocers had a
"spell" of that some time since, but
soon got enough of that kind of fool-
ishness to last them for some time.

THE electric lights were turned on
last evening for the first time, and the
event was duly noted by our people,
who filled the streets to see the lights
and hear the band play. The lights
burned steady and bright, and the im-
provement over kerosene lamps was
very noticeable. With a first-class sys-
tem of waterworks and electric lights,
Buchanan is strictly "in it".

J. W. BLACKFORD, formerly con-
nected with the Niles Recorder, but
now with the Grand Rapids Dispatch,
was stopped by a man and a boy, near
Mecosta, on the 5th inst., and relieved
of \$120 in cash, a gold watch and a
satchel. Times must have improved
with him since leaving Niles, to enable
him to have so much wealth.

AT the meeting of the County
Grange, held at Berrien Centre last
week, the following officers were elect-
ed for the ensuing year:
Mrs. Belle Royce, Master.
Eugene Clark, Overseer.
W. L. Kane, Secretary.
Erasmus Murphy, Treasurer.
R. V. Clark, Lecturer.
R. M. Hogue, Steward.
W. McCracken, Asst. Steward.
Vernor Russell, Gate Keeper.
Mrs. C. Bell, Patroness.
Miss Cora Barker, Flora.
Mrs. Samuel Mars, Ceres.
Mrs. W. L. Kane, Lady Asst. Steward.
The next session will be held in Beir-
ton Harbor in April.

A farmer named Wenger, living on
the Niles and South Bend road, is
said to be gifted with the power
to heal the sick by simply laying his
hands upon them. His day for heal-
ing the sick is the first Friday of the
new moon. A reporter of the South
Bend Sunday News attended his last
healing day, and says that among the
large crowd present were people from
Bertrand, Niles and Buchanan, this
county.

Marriage Licenses.
Jacob F. Harold, St. Joseph; Josie
Codd, St. Joseph.
L. Delbert Ewers, Coloma; May Rock-
well Miller.
Henry S. Trower, Pipestone; Hannah
Price, Pipestone.
Geo. D. Baker, Chicago; Ida M. Best,
Benton Harbor.
Freemont Fry, Niles; Lula Conklin,
Niles.
Milo L. Kensington, Chicago; Harriet
B. Adams, Chicago.
Thomas J. Neal, Marion, Ind.; Anna
Blacksmith.

THE residence of Henry Cauffman,
who resides south-west of this place,
was entered last Sunday while the
family was attending church, and nu-
merous articles of value were stolen.
The thief, who proved to be a man
named Harry Williams, started from
Cauffman's house to walk to Niles,
and was arrested just before entering
that city by Deputy Sheriff D. V.
Brown, and the stolen articles were
found in his pockets. He will have a
chance to serve the State at Jackson

DO you realize that every title to
real estate in Berrien county is in
jeopardy? If a fire should break out
in the old court house every one of the
records would go up in smoke. Think
of it; all the records pertaining to mil-
lions of dollars worth of real estate de-
stroyed, and the owners at the mercy
of abstractors.—St. Jo Press.

WHAT does the Press expect to gain
by such lies as the above? It knows
that the records of this county are not
kept in the old court house, and that
a fire in it would not come within sev-
eral rods of the fine brick building
where the records are kept. Its cause
must be very bad, when it is necessary
to resort to such falsehoods as the
above. We notice the Benton Harbor
Palladium copies the item from the
Press without comment. We suppos-
ed that paper was too honorable to lend
itself to circulating such falsehoods.

Constantine shipped 3,150,000 pounds
of wool to a single Coldwater buyer,
during 1893.

"Arguments and not abuse; facts
and not 'funny business'; reason and
not ridicule; sense and not slurs are
the weapons with which the county
seat will be won". This is the com-
mencement of an article in the St. Jo.
Press, and then the editor proceeds to
write several articles and squibs on
the question, and in every one he uses
either slurs, abuse or ridicule against
those who oppose the removal in a
manner that would do credit to a
blackguard. If the editor of the Press
believes what he says in the quota-
tion above he does not expect the peo-
ple to vote to move the county seat
from Berrien Springs to his end of the
county.

FROM GALIEN.
The ladies of the M. E. church will
give a C. C. social at the M. E. church,
Friday evening, Jan. 19. This social
will be something new for this place,
and an enjoyable time is expected.
Music during the evening will be dis-
persed by the Ladies Columbian String
Quartette.

A number of the young people went
to New Troy, Friday evening, to at-
tend a social, and had a very pleasant
time.

Maud, daughter of Mrs. Addie Wil-
son, died at the home of her grandpar-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Grice in
this place, Jan. 15, 1894. She was
born in Niles, Aug. 26, 1876. The fu-
neral services were conducted by Eld.
Wm. M. Roe of Buchanan, at the M.
E. church, Wednesday afternoon. A
large number of friends who had be-
come acquainted with Miss Wilson
during her short stay in Galien and
who had been drawn to her by her
quiet, winning ways, was in attend-
ance. Interment took place in Galien
cemetery.

JOHN FISHER, of Berrien township,
has three pigs seven months old, of
the Chester white breed, which weigh 307,
316 and 334 pounds respectively; al-
together 951 pounds. They were fatt-
ened on wheat.—Niles Star.

THE long continued contest between
the Lyles and Kimmeler's, owners of
the drill works at Dowagiac, is at an
end. Lyle Bros. have bought out
Kimmeler, and promise to start up the
works immediately. As this employs
about 200 men, this will be good news
to the people of that city. They have
large orders to commence on.

We Are The People
WHO QUOTE THE LOWEST PRICES.
LET THESE PRICES SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES.

Tin Cans, best quality.....3c, two for 5c
Three papers Tacks.....10c
Three dozen Hair Pins.....5c
Bird Cage Springs.....5c
5 papers Needles and 15 darning needles.....5c
Three dozen Clothes Pins.....5c
Coat Frames.....5c
Bird Cage Springs.....5c
Enamelled Hand Shears.....5c
Comb and Brush Case.....5c
Dust Pans.....5c
Put Covers.....5c
One quart Covered Pails.....5c
Lamp Burners.....5c
Fire Shovels.....5c
Class Cutters.....5c
Wire Potato Masher.....5c
2,400 Tooth Picks.....5c
Thirty-foot Clothes Line.....5c
Spring Clothes Peg.....5c
Four Hook Coat Rack.....1.00
Shoe Dauber.....5c

Combs, big assortment.....5c, 10c
Two quart Covered Pails.....10c
Six quart Flaring Pails.....10c
Large Tin Cupboards.....10c
Wire Clothes Line.....10c
Scrub Brush.....10c
Hair Brushes.....10c
Rolling Pin.....10c
Cutting Irons.....10c
Two-foot Jointed Rule.....10c
Towel Roller.....10c
One-quart Coffee Pot.....10c
One-quart Tea Pot.....10c
Three-quart Tea Kettle.....25c
Ten-quart Flaring Pail.....15c
Fourteen-quart Flaring Pail.....20c
White Wash Brushes.....35c
Spring Balance.....10c
Web Hangers.....25c
Alarm Clocks.....10c
No. 8 Wash Boiler, copper bottom.....1.00
No. 9 Wash Boiler, copper bottom.....1.25

We have not space enough here to enumerate what bargains we can give you, but this is a sample of a few. Come in and we will show you. We can save you from 25 to 50 per cent by buying of us.

MORRIS' THE FAIR,
DEALER IN ALMOST EVERYTHING.
BUCHANAN, MICHIGAN.

STATE ITEMS.

Some unknown miscreant visited
Edward Fuller's peach orchard in Ge-
neva township, Van Buren county,
one night recently, and destroyed fifty
trees.

Col. George P. Sanford of Lansing,
who was stricken with paralysis a
week ago, has died. He was prop-
rietor of State Democrat and until a few
years ago a prominent Democratic pol-
itician.

Mrs. Caroline Ketchum, the Lansing
woman who has been on trial at Mason
charged with sitting, while nude, for a
photograph taken by Webb & Wigle,
traveling photographers, was Saturday
found guilty and remanded for sen-
tence.

Belding, Jan. 15.—Adelbert Buck
has been bound over to the Circuit
Court on the charge of betraying Ad-
dia Salyer, who is not yet fourteen.
The girl has been married once and
has a boy two years old. Buck went
to jail in default of \$500 bail.

President F. J. Hecker, of the Mich-
igan Peninsula Car Works, says there
is not a scintilla of truth in the report
that the works will be removed from
Detroit, and says that by March 1 he
expects to see all the orders that can
be handled.

Frank Bardeen, of Otsego, Allegan
county, has been a witness in the
Coughlin trial at Chicago, and claims
that on the night of the Cronin mur-
der he saw Coughlin with the horse,
wagon and trunk that drew the mu-
tilated corpse from the Carleton cot-
tage.

The monthly report of the state salt
inspector, George W. Hill shows the
following number of barrels of salt in-
spected by counties in the month of
December: Manistee, 58,263; Mason,
48,204; Saginaw, 33,528; Bay City, 29,
558; St. Clair, 1,231; Midland, 3,178;
total, 183,678. In December, 1892,
there were 214,862 barrels inspected.
Wilber Loebe, of Otter Lake, is un-
der arrest charged with making and
passing counterfeit nickles.

NOTICE is hereby given that the an-
nual election of the Farmers' Mutual
Fire Insurance Company of Berrien
County, Mich., will be held in the vil-
lage of Buchanan, at the office of Wm.
R. Rough, in said village, Feb. 3, 1894,
at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of
electing a President, Secretary, and
four Directors for full term and one to
fill vacancy.
FREDERICK FRANKLIN, Sec.

NOTICE.—My wife, Susie, having
left my bed and board, all persons are
cautioned not to trust her on my ac-
count, as I will pay no debts of her
contracting. J. WALTER SMITH.
Dated Galien, Dec. 12, 1893.

I WILL be at the First National Bank
in Niles, Dec. 14, 21, 28 and Jan. 4;
First National Bank in Buchanan, Dec.
12, 19, 26 and Jan. 2; Dayton, Dec. 11,
18, 27 and Jan. 3; at my home, one
mile south of Dayton, Dec. 8, 15, 22,
29 and Jan. 5, for the collection of
taxes for Bertrand township.
CHAS. W. MATTHEWS.

Tax Notice.
Tax payers of Buchanan township
may pay their taxes at the First Na-
tional Bank at any time during bank-
ing hours.
CHAS. A. HOWE, Treasurer.

The St. Joseph Valley Nursery Co.,
located at Niles, will sell the farmers
and land holders of this vicinity, guar-
anteed Nursery Stock true to name at
panic prices. The officers of this com-
pany are well-known in the county,
and a guarantee at their hands means
something. Mr. FRED YOUNG is now
soliciting orders for spring deliver and
will be glad of your patronage.

WANTED, 25 girls to work in the
Featherbone Factory. No one need
apply who does not want steady work.
Address,
WARREN FEATHERBONE CO.,
Three Oaks, Mich.

LOOK HERE!
I have a good Windmill, Pump and
Tank, all in good order, to exchange for
a Livery Horse.
I. N. BATCHELOR.

Try KENT'S Coffee.
House to rent. Eight rooms.
J. G. HOLMES.

That new motor ground Coffee at
at KENT'S downes them all.

NEW FALL GOODS.
Mrs. BINNS' for cheap Millinery.
Fine Stationery CHEAP.
BINNS, opp. Hotel.

Try that motor Coffee at KENT'S.
FOR SALE.—House and Lot near
center of town. Price, \$350.
J. G. HOLMES.

KENT'S is the place to buy Coffee.
Everything in School Supplies, at
BINNS', opp. Hotel.

My Christmas Goods are here. Come
and see what I have.
H. B. DUNCAN.

Come and learn my prices on Wool
Hops. Only 25c.
H. B. DUNCAN.

THOS. LLOYD sells best Hard Coal

for \$7. Best Hocking Valley Soft
Coal for \$4 per ton.

All Coffee at KENT'S is ground by
water.

Try some of Van Meter's Bread at
LAMB'S.

Muskegon Baked Goods at
LAMB'S.

Sample Carpets for Rugs. Choice
for 25c. H. B. DUNCAN.

FOR SALE.—A second-hand No. 9
Garland Cook Stove in good condition,
for sale cheap. Inquire at this office.

Best Fall and Winter Underwear
will be found at
H. B. DUNCAN'S.

I have a lot of glazed sash for sale
at the price of the glass. Good for
many purposes as new sash. They are
six light, 10x16. J. G. HOLMES.

For the next 30 days I will close all
Hats, trimmed or untrimmed, for cost
to make room for new spring goods.
Will close all untrimmed Felts for 50
cents and \$1.

MRS. E. REDDING,
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.

DRESS MAKING.—MISS ELMIRA
BURKUS 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.

JOHN W. BEISTLE
Is the agent for White and New Home
Sewing Machines, in Buchanan. Need-
les and Oil. Office with Henry Lough.

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

FOR SALE. House and lot on Oak
street, second door south of old Furni-
ture factory lot. Price, \$600.
JOHN RICE.

25TH ANNUAL

LINEN SALE.

Geo. Wyman & Co.

Offer Table Linens, Napkins
and Towels at a special price
during January. As an extra
inducement for this sale we
will take off 10 per cent. Re-
member, during January only.
This will include Fine Table
Damask, Damask Table
Cloths and Napkins, all with
Napkins to match. Towels
and Toweling, Linen Sheet-
ing and Pillow Cases. Hem-
stitched Cloths and Napkins.
Marseilles Quilt. 8-4, 9-4 and
10-4 Sheetings.

Dress Goods Dept.

Advance sample pieces plain
and printed Dimities, printed
and plain White Goods. En-
tire new line of Black Goods.
We set out to close broken
lines of Silks suitable for
Waists and Black Silk Rhad-
simere at half price—75c,
worth \$1.50. Also, broken
lines fine wool Dress Goods, at
reduced price. 25c Jamestown
Dress Goods, half wool, 12 1/2c.

We recognize this as our
trial year. The goods must
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COME AND SEE US.

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Interest Paid on Deposits.
CALL AND GET TERMS.

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modations to regular customers.

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SPECIAL ATTENTION
IS CALLED TO MY NEW AND FASHIONABLE LINE OF
Fall and Winter Dress Goods.

SACKINGS in two toned and plain colors. SMALL BASKET WEAVES
in shot and illuminated effects. Handsome DIAGONALS in all colors.
SMOOTH WOOL SURFACES in tones and grays. We offer these

At Prices That Will Speak for Themselves.

Another line to which we call your attention is that of

