

ECZEMA

From early childhood until I was grown my family spent a fortune trying to cure me of this disease. I visited Dr. Springs, and was treated by the best medical men, but was not benefited. When all things had failed I determined to try S. S. S., and in four months was entirely cured. The terrible Eczema was gone, not a sign of it left; my general health built up and I have never had any return of the disease.

CHILDHOOD

S. S. S. is a number of friends for skin diseases and have never yet known a failure to cure. Never fails to cure. Remedies for Cutaneous Diseases. S. S. S. is a number of friends for skin diseases and have never yet known a failure to cure. Remedies for Cutaneous Diseases. S. S. S. is a number of friends for skin diseases and have never yet known a failure to cure. Remedies for Cutaneous Diseases.

SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., Atlanta, Ga.

LADIES!

SOW SWEET PEAS NOW.

We have Emily Henderson, Blanche Perry, Catharine, residing in the hills. Also, Pulverose, Bullets, Cannon, Chicago Park and Giant Cassier, Pansies, Dwarf and Tall Nasturtium.

BOARDMAN & WEHLE

BUCHANAN RECORD.

D. H. BOWER, PUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR.

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1895.

The American Newspaper Directory for 1895 accords to the Record the largest circulation of any weekly published in Benton County.

Geo. Altgeld has called an extra session of the Illinois legislature to convene June 25.

The wife of State Senator Augustus Jewell of Dowagiac died Tuesday night, after having had an operation performed by Dr. J. N. Martin of An Arbor. Mrs. Jewell was prominent in social circles at Dowagiac.

The Paw Paw Free Press and Courier of June 14 has a resolution of thanks from Broadhead Post, G. A. R. to Rev. F. W. Mutchler, for his Memorial service, which the resolution declares "to be one of the finest ever delivered to one of our veterans."

As will be seen by our report, in another column, arrangements are being made for a fitting celebration of the Fourth of July at Buchanan. Let us all turn in aid and the committees with our time, money and influence, and if all our citizens work with a will the celebration here will be one to be proud of, when it is over. Let every one help the good cause along, and celebrate.

Arrangements are now made that make it necessary for the RECORD to press several hours earlier than in the past, which will enable us to get the papers to all our subscribers in the southern part of the county the same day as published, and in some instances gain a whole day on the arrival of the RECORD in distant points. County correspondents will please note this and endeavor to mail their correspondence by Tuesday night if possible.

The annual session of the State Council of Improvement Order of Red Men began at Macabee hall, at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning. Nearly every tribe in the state is represented. The tribe chiefs made their reports Tuesday, and the great council deliberated. The following officers were elected, in the evening: Great prophet, Charles Stevenson, Eaton Rapids; great sachem, Wm. Verran, Ishpeming; great warrior, M. A. Knight, Kalamazoo; great junior sachem, Robert Whitney, Grand Rapids; great keeper of the records, F. O. Temple, Grand Rapids; great keeper of Wampum, R. E. Brackett, of Lansing.

Monday's Storms.

Cyclonic disturbances in Kansas, Nebraska and Iowa, Monday, spread death and desolation over an extended area of territory. At Hartford, fourteen miles south of Emporia, Kansas, a cyclone struck the village, in the afternoon, and fatally injured a man and woman, and wounded and maimed many more. Fifteen residences and four four mills were wrecked, and the damage will run up into the thousands.

The cyclone struck in the open country, in Nebraska, and no loss of human life resulted, but frame buildings were wrecked, stock killed. For a mile in extent and 400 yards wide everything was swept away.

The family of John Rose, near Denison, Iowa, was struck by the cyclone, killing Rose's wife and injuring him, and other farmers in suffered heavily. Kansas City was deluged by a water spout that did much damage in the city, and two boys were killed by lightning, near the city. Nearly four inches of water fell in forty-eight hours, flooding the streets in the low-lying districts and filling many cellars.

Michigan Press Association.

The program is so far completed for the annual meeting and excursion of the Michigan Press Association that an outline has been published by the secretary. The Association will meet in Benton Harbor on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 9th and 10th. There will be business sessions and some local entertainment, the arrangements for which are not yet completed. The citizens will tender the editors and their ladies a drive about the twin cities and vicinity. After the business meeting and enjoyment of whatever entertainment may be furnished there, the Association will take the steamer at 4 o'clock Wednesday for Chicago, where connection will be made with the night train on the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul road for St. Paul, the party reaching that city about noon the following day. They will go thence to Duluth and return home by way of Lake Superior and the " Soo," dispersing at Lake Huron and Detroit.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

An entertainment will be given by the North Western College Glee Club, at the Evangelical church on Saturday evening, June 22, at 8 o'clock. They have been invited here under the auspices of the Young Peoples' Alliance of said church and, according to recommendations, it promises to be a musical and literary treat. The admission fee for adults will be 15c, and children under ten years 10c. Two-thirds of the net proceeds will flow into the treasury of the Young Peoples' society, and will undoubtedly be appropriated for missionary purposes.

At the examination of candidates for West Point last week, in No. 12, twenty-five applicants took the examination. Five stood so nearly alike that the Board had to adjourn and revise the papers before deciding, and the decision will be rendered some time this week. The five are, J. P. Hopkins, Cassopolis; Miller, Overton, Bangor; C. N. Roach, Paw Paw; W. P. Seymour, South Haven; Wm. Yore, Benton Harbor.

LATER—Jay Paul Hopkins of Cassopolis was the successful candidate for the West Point Cadetship, with Wm. H. Yore of Benton Harbor, alternate.

The following members of the Berrien County Pioneer Society have died since the meeting of 1894. Albert L. Drew of Chickaming, was the committee on obituaries and made a good report. The oldest member to die was 91 years of age and the youngest 50 years. The average was nearly 74 years:

Names.	Age.
Mrs. Daniel Ward Berrien township 65	91
Wm. R. Hogue, Pipestone.....	91
Geo. Clear, Berrien Springs.....	90
C. H. Ford, Oronoko.....	90
Samuel Summers, Oronoko.....	72
Mrs. A. J. Easton, Berrien township 62	72
David Sackel, Berrien Springs.....	71
L. E. Anderson, Berrien Springs.....	71
Michael Harner, Oronoko.....	71
Dr. O. P. Horn, Niles.....	71
Chas. F. Howe, Keokuk, Kansas.....	71
Wm. A. Leonard, Oronoko.....	71
J. B. Shearer, Oronoko.....	71
W. S. Farmer, Benton Harbor.....	70
Andrew Shearer, Lincoln.....	70
Mrs. Jacob Dester, Oronoko.....	67
Gov. Charles D. Drake, Chicago.....	64
Wm. McCoy, Buchanan.....	71
Abram C. Pennell, Berrien Springs.....	70
Mrs. John Tate, Berrien Springs.....	70
Samuel Michael, Oronoko.....	72
Larry Boone, Berrien Springs.....	63
Henry Woodruff, Watervliet.....	60
Joseph H. Drydson, St. Joseph.....	59
Mrs. Curtis Doughton, St. Joseph.....	59
Mrs. Isaac French, Oronoko.....	73
Mrs. Helen S. Drew, Chickaming.....	63
Henry C. Morton, Benton Harbor.....	75

BASE BALL.

For several days before last Thursday the principal talk upon our streets was the coming game of ball between the Buchanan Blues and the Berrien Centre team. In the two previous games played by these clubs they were so evenly matched that each thought itself the best, and when the opportunity for a third trial, offered by the management of Geppart's park, Niles, with a purse of \$50 to the winning team, interest in the game began to get higher, and both clubs became eager for the trial. As our boys had won every game they had played so far this season they felt confident they could defeat the Berrien Centre club for the third time and bring home that \$50, and they proved that their ability was equal to their confidence by winning a hotly contested game by a score of 8 to 3. It is estimated that not less than 300 people from Buchanan witnessed the game, who, when the game was completed, manifested their appreciation by blowing tin horns and almost splitting their throats with cheers. We venture the prediction it was the loudest "concert" Niles ever heard. The interest in the game, however, was not confined to the homes of the players, as interested spectators were present from Niles, South Bend, St. Joseph, Berrien Springs, Galien and other towns. The following is the SUMMARY.

BUCHANAN.	P. O.	R.	H.	E.
Moulton, I. L.	1	0	2	1
W. Hanover, J.	0	1	2	0
H. Hanover, J.	1	1	2	0
J. Rapp, S.	0	1	0	1
W. Hanover, J.	0	1	0	1
Rittiger, J.	0	0	1	0
W. Hanover, J.	0	1	1	0
Brook, J.	0	1	1	0
Hatch, J.	0	1	1	0
Total	1	5	13	2

BERRIEN CENTRE.	P. O.	R.	H.	E.
M. O. Becker, J.	2	0	0	0
O. Becker, J.	1	0	0	0
Ritter, S.	0	0	0	0
Margis, P.	0	0	0	0
W. Becker, J.	0	0	0	0
Armstrong, C. J.	0	0	0	0
Total	3	0	0	0

The annual meeting of the American Educational Association, the Michigan Auxiliary of the National Children's Home Society, was held in St. Joseph on Wednesday afternoon of last week. Supt. Dr. Amos Barlow presented the following as showing what had been accomplished by the St. Joseph Home from June 1, 1894, to June 1, 1895:

Children in Home at beginning of year.....	70
Returned for replacement.....	15
Whole number on hand during the year.....	100
Placed in homes first time.....	68
Replaced.....	14
Whole number placed and re-placed.....	82
Cost of board at close of year.....	10
Children returned to former homes and parents.....	2
Deaths.....	6
Total cost of caring for the year.....	\$3,253 51
Total expenditures.....	\$ 2,263 95
Balance on hand.....	21 56

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Pres., Hon. Washington Gardner, Lansing.

Vice Pres., John Higman, Jr., St. Joseph.

Sec., F. W. Weatherwax, Marine City.

Financial Sec., Dr. Amos Barlow, St. Joseph.

Treas., Nelson C. Rice, St. Joseph.

Legal Counselor, Hon. L. C. Fyfe, St. Joseph.

A Board of Trustees and a Board of Managers were also elected to look after the interests of the Home for the ensuing year, comprising some of the best workers in the state. It will be seen from the report of Mr. Barlow that the society has done much good, and deserves the support of the benevolent.

Annual Commencement.

The commencement exercises incident to the graduation of the Class of '95 of our High school took place at the opera house, on Thursday evening, June 13. The Class numbers fifteen nice young ladies and six young gentlemen, ten of the members graduating in the English course, one in the Scientific and four in the Latin course. The exercises in every part were a marked success. The rains of the early forenoon had so cooled the air the house was quite endurable, notwithstanding that it was crowded to its utmost capacity, scores of people leaving without obtaining a seat. The general arrangements, under the direction of Supt. A. J. Swain and Mr. W. F. Runner, were admirable in every respect, and especial credit is due the Junior Class for the appropriate and elaborate decorations.

The program, as outlined in our last issue, was ably sustained by a graduate, also by the quartet, Miss Olive Bronson, Mrs. H. D. Rough, Messrs. W. P. Hatch, F. J. Miller. Several sections were finely rendered by the quartet, and an orchestra composed of Messrs. Percy Hatch, W. C. Osborn, Harrison Merrill and A. B. Clark, added very much to the interest of the musical part of the exercises. Mrs. Iry H. Fowers presided at the picnic in her usual effective and happy manner.

Of the Class, as a whole, only words of praise can be said. Of course the young ladies were all handsome, as to manner, dress and floral decorations, and the young gentlemen were as dignified and fine looking as any seniors you ever saw. Of the essays and addresses we cannot speak at length, here must briefly state that the class as a whole did itself great credit, and each individual member merited unqualified approval for the excellent presentation of the various themes. The class proved the truth of their motto, "They can because they think they can." The exercises closed with the presentation of diplomas by Mr. D. E. Hinman, President of the Board, followed by a good night song by the quartet.

The floral presentations to the various members of the class were handsome and many, as were other valuable gifts. The evening's pleasant entertainment was made still more complete by an informal reception tendered by Supt. Swain. So our class of '95 goes out to the wider school of the world, and in due time will come the Great Commencement on high.

The grades below the high school room of our schools observed "last day", as follows: 1st and 2d grades held a picnic on Niles hill on Friday; 3d grade had exercises in their room on Friday morning; 4th and 5th grades gave a cantata in the open house Friday evening; 6th and 7th grades held exercises in high school room Friday afternoon, and the 8th grade held their exercises in their room on Friday.

PERSONAL.

H. H. Porter was in town Tuesday. Chas. Elliott was in Niles Monday. N. H. Bacon of Niles was in town Tuesday.

Geo. W. Noble went to Chicago on Monday.

Mrs. F. R. Harding is visiting at LaPorte Ind.

J. Boyd Thomas of Cassopolis was in Buchanan Friday.

Mr. L. D. Stevens visited friends in LaPorte last Sunday.

Miss Mamie Hoffman visited friends in Three Oaks last week.

W. H. Keller and family visited in Benton Harbor last week.

Mr. Dennis Alward of the Clare Press was in town Friday.

Mr. George W. Parson of Valparaiso is visiting friends in Buchanan.

Mrs. Amy Cottrell of Jackson was in Buchanan for commencement.

H. B. Baldwin of the Hatch Outcry Co. left for the East, Tuesday morning.

Alf. Richards, jr. of the Buchanan Cabinet Co., was in St. Joseph Tuesday.

Miss Mary McFallon of Niles has been visiting friends in Buchanan the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dora Woodin attended the Old Settlers' picnic at Cassopolis yesterday.

The Misses Klock of the Galien Advertiser visited relatives in Buchanan on Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Cassell and daughter of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting Geo. Hanley and family.

Messrs. Martin Steele, Bert Bailey and Herb Rose have returned from the University.

Mr. and Mrs. John Beilhart of Hillsdale county are visiting Buchanan relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Roe went to Chicago on Friday for a few days visit with relatives.

Miss Anna Taylor started on Friday for a visit with relatives and friends at different points in the East.

Mrs. I. Dumbolton was called to Bristol, Ind., on Monday, on account of the severe illness of her sister.

Mrs. Woodbridge went on Saturday evening for a week's visit with relatives at Cassopolis and Marquette.

Mrs. Geo. Papson started this morning for a visit with her sons, Messrs. Harry and Willie at Buffalo, N. Y.

Mr. J. E. French started Monday for Fargo, Dakota, in the interest of the Bissell Plow Co. of South Bend.

Mrs. W. W. Wells and children and Mrs. Geo. Rogers of Manistique are visiting relatives and friends in Buchanan.

Mrs. C. O. Cutting of Kalamazoo attended commencement exercises here. She was at one time preceptress of the High school.

Mr. W. Hartor and little daughter of Chattanooga, Tenn., visited the family Harry Binns and other friends in this city, this week.

Mr. Joe. Weckesser of Dayton, O., returned to his home Saturday, after a pleasant visit of five weeks with his sister, Mrs. John Morris.

Mr. Peter English reports that the preliminary arrangements for the establishment of a corporation for the construction of the projected Paw Paw river dam are nearly completed with the exception of the electric light contracts which he is now engaged in securing and on which depends the formation of an electric light company from the dam.—Benton Harbor Palladium.

Weather Crop Bulletin for Week Ending June 17, 1895.

The past week has been generally favorable to crops except in the states of the Ohio Valley and New York and portions of New England where rain is much needed and drought is becoming serious in some sections. Harvesting wheat has become general except over the northern portion of the winter wheat belt where it will begin this week. In Oklahoma and southern Kansas harvesting has been completed. Reports from the Dakotas, Minnesota and Iowa indicate that the outlook for spring wheat, which is now beginning to head, is excellent. Corn continues in excellent condition in the southern states and is growing rapidly in Kansas, Nebraska, Iowa and Wisconsin, and while the crop is generally doing well elsewhere it could be improved by rain in the states of the Ohio valley.

GLENDORA.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Miss Ida Hewitt is at home for a few days. She intends going to Buchanan soon.

B. O. Markham has changed his grocery location from the Gardner block to the Mills building across the street.

We had a very fine rain Tuesday which came very acceptably indeed.

Some of our farmers are having this week but the crop is extremely light.

Rev. C. Stewart moved to Eau Claire Tuesday, where he will take up his abode for a while. He will preach at Eau Claire and Sodus alternately. We regret the change for he will be missed very much in the work here.

Mr. Schlappi, who has been sick for some time, is much worse at present. The doctor says that he cannot live.

Mrs. Gottip Kool is some better at this writing.

The Odd Fellow supper Saturday night was a success, there being a good attendance.

Rev. Mr. Dowling of Chicago was in town last week.

L. H. Hampton met with the Board of Supervisors at St. Joe last week.

WASHINGTON LETTER.

REPAIRING MAIL BAGS.

A Great Industrial Establishment Located at the Nation's Capital.

Every one knows that Uncle Sam is engaged in various phases of business and that he is not without a good purpose, which is the proper conduct of the government of our sixty millions of people. Perhaps the average citizen does not realize, even those who are more or less familiar with Washington, that at the Nation's capital there is a large establishment controlled entirely by Uncle Sam, which is devoted to purely industrial purposes. It is the shop where the mail bags for the postal service are repaired. Some idea of the magnitude of this business can be gathered from the fact that the mail bags for the country are repaired in a large five-story structure where there are over two hundred and thirty persons employed.

The annual expenditure is about one hundred thousand dollars, and while this may seem to be a large amount to be used simply in the repair of mail bags, yet it is said by the post-office department officials, that if this shop was not in existence, that the government would spend two or three times as much as it does at present in the purchase of new bags. As every one knows, these bags are made of canvas or jut, and are subjected to considerable hard usage. Even an expert baggage smasher does not handle the luggage of travelers from the country with the recklessness that the mail bags are treated in their long journeys.

Time is a prime requisite in the dispatch of mails, and the bags are loaded and repaired in the most expeditious manner. The process is reversed, and the main consideration is the saving of time. When the bags become worn or torn, or damaged in any way, they are sent to the repair shop in Chicago to the great repair shop in this city. There is a small repair shop in Chicago, but however, minor injuries are made good. At the shop in this city, 200,000 mail bags are received, overhauled and sent to different parts of the country every thirty days. Some of the mail pouches are made of leather, and the express people to make the necessary repairs. There is in addition a mail lock shop, where fifteen skilled mechanics are employed, and about thirty other men and boys.

The men who repair the mail bags are not large, but the labor is unskilled, as it consists mainly in sewing and patching the canvas sacks. It is a singular thing, but occasionally mail bags are found in the sacks which are sent to the repair shops. This is mostly newspaper and circulars, but once in a while a letter is found. For this reason the bags are searched by the mechanics before they are put in the hands of the work people.

Some time ago a patent attorney in this city forwarded a book of patent coupons to a client to be used in securing the patent rights in his invention. He carried the letter, but it did not contain the coupons. A long while afterwards a post-office inspector called on attorney and asked him if he had not sent a book of coupons through the mail, which had not reached their destination. He said that he had, and the inspector produced the lost coupons, which he found in the mail sack, which had been forwarded to the repair shop.

It was evident that the letter had been filled by some one who supposed that the coupons had no value, and money value. A list is kept of the purchasers of coupons, and in this way the post-office inspector was able to trace the owner of the lost book.

As you are so good and so curious features of the mail bag repair shop was a woman employed as one of the repairers who had been totally blind for years. Her special duty was to examine the mail bags which were defective cords, either to repair them or to supply new ones. She did this work with wonderful quickness, and was regarded as one of the most efficient workers in the shop.

BENTON HARBOR.

From our Regular Correspondent.

June 18, 1895.

We enjoyed a much needed rain this afternoon.

There is a prospect of a full crop of peaches in this vicinity.

The "Chimes of Normandy" was presented last Thursday and Friday evenings, by local talent, under the auspices of the ladies of Holy Trinity (Episcopal) church.

And now another of our drug stores has adopted the ticket system and has put up a \$150 horse and buggy to give August 10 to the holder of the lucky ticket. Competition is very sharp here and our merchants have to hustle.

The C. & W. M. and Big 4 roads began using new train cards last Sunday. The 4.45 a. m. train now leaves at 8.35, just after the court-house flyer gets in. It has been made a fast through train to Indianapolis and does not stop this side of Niles. Passengers desiring to stop this side can use the local freight which follows it. The evening train comes 20 minutes earlier. The "flyer" runs as before.

The steamer Puritan bumped her nose Thursday morning coming down the Chicago river. Owing to a dense fog and a tug captain's misunderstanding of signals, she collided with the barge City of Toledo and had some of her bow planks torn off. The upright timber in front was also bent. She was not seriously damaged and finished her week's work before going into dry dock for repairs.

In view of the numerous complaints of pedestrians that have been made to the Common Council, that worthy body passed an ordinance prohibiting any wheeled vehicle, except baby cars and invalid chairs, from using any sidewalk in any part of the city, but it waived such a howl of indignation, that they have thought wise to reconsider it. A great, long remonstrance has been presented to them for their consideration, and if the ordinance is not repealed it is likely a test case will be made as to its legality. It is estimated that there are nearly five hundred riders of wheels in this city and encounters between them and pedestrians are of frequent occurrence, inasmuch as many of the latter are not willing to give even a portion of the walk, while some of the former are very careless. They are quite willing to keep off the walk within the fire limits as they have been doing, but to be relegated entirely to the street is, they think, a little too much. Some of them have draped their wheels in mourning. They are to meet at the city hall tomorrow evening to effect a local organization.

NEWS BRIEFS.

Jerrold Scott, a young man of 20 years of age, was drowned Wednesday afternoon, June 13, while bathing in Brown's lake, in Keokuk township.

The ministers of Hillsdale county have organized a ministerial association and they have pledged themselves to all that they can to secure a "better enforcement of the local option law."

The great test aluminum plant in the world has just been completed at Oak Ridge, Mo. It will have a capacity of 100 tons of aluminum per day; giving a daily output of about 20,000 pounds of metal.

Fire was discovered on the roof of the Dowagiac Chair Company's Factory at 4:30 o'clock Saturday. The fire was soon extinguished with little damage. This was the third time they have suffered a fire within the past few months.

Fire of mysterious origin destroyed the livery barn of John Shanks in South Bend, Sunday evening, and doing considerable damage to adjoining property. A number of nearly all boarders, and 15 horses, nearly all burned. The total loss is between \$15,000 and \$20,000, with \$3,500 insurance.

Harlem ship canal which connects the Hudson river with Long Island sound, was formerly opened Monday afternoon with a monster aquatic and parade, in which the United States army and navy, the state militia and naval reserve, the city police and fire departments and numerous civic bodies were presented. The parade was watched by 50,000 or more people stationed along the line of march, and many of the boats of the canal. The ceremony of pouring two barrels of water from the great lakes into the canal, symbolizing the union of the lakes with the sound, was accompanied with the firing of cannon by the United States cruisers Atlanta and Cincinnati.

ROYAL Baking Powder.

Highest of all in leavening strength.—U. S. Government Report.

As your enemies and your friend, so are you.

HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver Ills, Bileousness, Indigestion, Headache. A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

Our souls much farther than our eyes can see.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

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Next to excellence is the appreciation of it.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.

When she became a Child, she clung to Castoria.

When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.

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As your enemies and your friend, so are you.

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15 Years With Sait Rheum

Hood's Sarsaparilla Cures a Perfect Cure.

"O. I. Hood & Co., Lowell, Mass."

Hood's Sarsaparilla is an excellent medicine. I had been my

GREAT REDUCTION

— IN —

FINE CUSTOM MADE CLOTHING.

1-4 OFF FOR 30 DAYS, FOR CASH ONLY

All accounts must be settled immediately, as we must have money.

Call and See Bargains.

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In selling Furniture, honesty is the best policy, of course; and in advertising it modestly has some advantages.

For instance: We much rather you would be surprised at the variety, beauty and reasonable prices of what we really have to sell than be led to expect impossibilities from what we only say.

Think you would be more likely to become our customer. We may be wrong. At any rate come in and be surprised.

GEO. B. RICHARDS, AT THE OLD FURNITURE STORE.

Rich in the flavor of ripe fruit. And cold and sparkling—made fully to suit a fastidious taste. What else can be said? Save that such soda don't go the head.

THAT DESCRIBES THE

Ice Cold Soda

— AT —

LOUGH'S.

Have You Tried It Yet?

FRESH STOCK OF FRAGRANT PERFUMERY.

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Endeavor to buy perfumery to suit the many tastes, and we have just put in our case this week a very select line of odors. We keep Toilet Waters, Cologne, Powders and Soap. Shall be glad to show you.

DODD'S SARSAPARILLA, 75 CENTS,

is still curing people of "that tired feeling."

NEW 'BUS Baggage Line.

The undersigned wish to inform their friends and the public generally that they have started a 'Bus and Baggage Line in Buchanan, and are prepared to meet all trips and transfer passengers and baggage to and from all parts of the town and railroad. In connection they will also run a GENERAL DAYLINO BUSINESS. Prompt service. Reasonable rates. Orders may be left at Earl Hotel. Excursion parties taken to Clear Lake.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FARM AND VILLAGE PROPERTY. Also, one very desirable business lot on Day's Avenue.

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In addition to a complete stock of lumber, have a fine and large stock of Shingles at 75 cents per thousand up.

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For a Good Shave or Hair Cut go to WALTER ROBERTS' BARBER SHOP, Front St., over Long's Jewelry Store. ALSO AGENT FOR STAR LAUNDRY.

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COAL.

I handle the celebrated Lackawanna and Lehigh hard coal, and Jackson Hill Domestic Lump soft coal, Blacksmith Coal. Orders may be left at Runner's drugstore. J. A. STEELE.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, JUNE 20, 1895.

Entered at the Post-office at Buchanan, Mich., as second-class matter.

The American Newspaper Directory for 1895 accords to the Record the largest circulation of any weekly published in Berrien County.

Buchanan Markets.

Hay—\$9 @ \$8 per ton.
Lard—10c.
Salt, retail—\$1.00
Flour—\$3.60 @ \$4.00 per bbl., retail.
Honey—15c.
Live poultry—6c.
Butter—10c.
Eggs—10c.
Wheat—70c.
Oats—30c.
Corn, 50c.
Clover Seed—
Rye, 68c.
Beans—\$1.30 @ 1.50.
Live Hogs—4c.

IMPORTANT NOTICE.

Our friends who have appreciated our efforts to run a newspaper on a business basis, will begin to reap a substantial benefit as the result of their co-operation with us. Beginning with May 1, we shall make a reduction in the subscription price of the Record, making the price only one dollar a year in advance. All subscriptions will be discontinued upon the expiration of same, as in the past. Send in your subscriptions and take advantage of our liberal rate.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at the office of Treat & Redden every Friday during the month of June to receive payment of village taxes.

W. W. TREAT, Collector.

Arrange to come to our big celebration on July Fourth.

Mrs. John R. Bishop has a new Clipper bicycle.

Lost, an earring with set. Will find or please return it to this office.

Mr. J. F. Reynolds has had some nice cement walks put in on his Front street property.

Real Estate Transfers.

Enos Holmes et al. to Guy Osborn, property in Buchanan, \$40.

The Episcopal church choir of Niles took a ride down the river to this place, Monday, and were entertained while here by Mrs. Swasey.

A diamond bicycle race meet will be held at Gephart's driving park on July 16th. It will be under the L. A. W. rules.

The next regular review of East Five No. 10, L. O. T. M., will be held Tuesday evening, June 25.

R. K.

Samuel Aikus received a check for \$950 from his brother, Isaac Aikus, a real estate agent of Brooklyn, N. Y., as a wedding present.

A banquet will be given to the Buchanan Blues at the Earl hotel tonight. Covers will be laid for nearly fifty guests.

The Shipley Manufacturing Co. of Benton Harbor will establish a branch factory at St. Thomas, Ont., for the manufacture of their odorless glue.

A new time table went into effect on the M. C. R. R. last Sunday. There is no change in the departure of trains at this station.

Jay Paul Hopkins of Cassopolis, who has received the cadet appointment to West Point, is a cousin of Mr. E. J. Hopkins, of this place.

Wm. M. Yaw, living south of Gallen, has been away from home several days and his friends fear foul play. He had \$500 with him when he left home.

Miss Gertrude Shenstone, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shenstone of Kalamazoo, formerly of this place, was married last evening to Mr. Chas. Koehler of Kalamazoo.

Benton Harbor Council has passed an ordinance requiring bicyclists to ride in the road, and keep off the side-walks, and the 300 riders of that city kick vigorously.

The Womens' Christian Temperance Union will meet Friday, June 21, at 2:30 p. m., in Evangelical church. Mrs. Rev. O. J. Roberts will have charge of the program.

Rev. J. W. DeLong, Mrs. Geo. Sicksafoose and Miss Edith Beardsley went to Ligonier, Ind., as delegates of the Buchanan Y. P. C. U., to attend the St. Joseph branch convention held yesterday and to-day.

On Tuesday evening, Miss Ida E. Roberts entertained her friends of the "Class of '96" at her home on Phelps St. Though the evening was dark and rainy, nearly all the class were present and a very pleasant time was had.

Miss Lena Michael, formerly of this place, but who has been in the millinery business in Ann Arbor for a few years past, has gone to California, intending to make that state her future home.

Mayor E. F. Woodcock brought a small party from Niles to this place, one day last week, on his steam launch. As the scenery along the old St. Joe is grand, the party no doubt greatly enjoyed their ride.

Lewis Robb of Benton Harbor, who was convicted some time since for attempting to kill Fred Hobbs when he was Mayor of Benton Harbor, has been removed from Jackson prison to the Marquette prison.

The Niles School Board and the Alumni of that city get a "scorching" in the Star for sending to Mishawaka, Ind., for their printing. The "kick" is no doubt deserved, as it was not necessary to send so far for a good job of printing. The Record office could have done it, and "guaranteed satisfaction."

Church Notes.

J. W. R. Lister will preach in the Larger Hope church next Sunday, June 23, both morning and evening. Subject for evening discourse, "The commission given by Christ—to whom given."

The subject of the discourse, at the Evangelical church next Sunday morning, will be, "Proper Reverence for God's House," and in the evening a sermon on "Sabbath Observance."

Subject at the Presbyterian church next Sabbath morning, "In His Name." In the evening the Historical Lectures will be resumed, subject, "Woman in History; Deborah and Joan of Arc."

New passenger trains on the Vandalia enabling residents of Buchanan to leave here on the 8:08 morning train, arriving at St. Joseph shortly after 9 o'clock, and to return in the afternoon, reaching Buchanan at 7:22.

Word was received here yesterday that Mr. Mark Smith of New Carlisle, who went West a few years ago in hopes of improving his health, is on his way home in a very critical condition. Mr. Smith has many relatives and friends in Buchanan.

Married, Thursday, June 13, 1895, at the home of Miss Elmira Burrus on Day's avenue, by Rev. J. W. DeLong, J. F. Markley, of Buchanan, and Mrs. Annie Irving, late perceptress of Buchanan High School. They will make their future home in Hillsdale county.

In the case of the Ohio Pipe Co. vs. Buchanan Power & Electric Co., in the Circuit Court, the defendants failed to appear for trial, and the Judge instructed the jury to return a verdict of \$4,500.00 and costs in favor of the plaintiff.

The Buss factory at Benton Harbor, which has been in the hands of a receiver for the past two years, closed last Friday, passing into the possession of a Grand Rapids party. Sixty skilled workmen are thrown out of employment.

J. P. Jones, who was appointed postmaster at Gallen during President Harrison's term, and allowed to remain by the present administration, has sent in his resignation, and now every Democrat in Gallen is a candidate for the place.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending June 17, 1895: Mrs. Sarah Livingner, -Mrs. Filo Weaver, Mr. I. Kant, J. M. Babcock. Call for letters advised.

JOHN C. DICK, P. M.

Wm. Brown, the chicken thief, convicted at South Bend last October to serve two years in the Michigan City prison, left the prison Sunday without leave and was captured here Tuesday evening and returned to the prison yesterday morning.

James A. Lambert of Niles has a garden patch containing five acres of onions, 30,000 celery plants for the early crop and 10,000 will be set out for the late crop, about 8,000 cabbage plants, 2,000 cauliflower, three acres of potatoes, half-acre of beans, 300 tomato plants, besides parsnips, carrots, cucumbers, peas, lettuce, etc.

Does our Council intend to do anything this year towards making improvements on our new park, on Fourth street and Moccasin avenue? It is now several weeks since the last of the bodies were removed, but we have heard nothing of the park project since. Who will shed light on this subject?

At a meeting of the Buchanan Blues base ball club, Monday evening, new officers were elected, as follows: W. P. Hatch, President.

E. W. Sanders and R. F. Kompass, Vice Presidents.

Harvey D. Rough and Sig. Desenberg, Directors.

Fred Eaton, Sec. and Treas.

Albert Stevens, Manager.

Chas. Mathews, Captain.

Our notice of last week in regard to the Masonic banquet of the 24th is a misreading. Instead of being for Masons, their wives, daughters and lady friends, and members of Sylvia Chapter, as published, it should have read that only the Masons and their wives and the members of Sylvia Chapter were invited. It was thought the rooms would not accommodate the people if a more general invitation was extended.

For the accommodation of the patrons of the Buchanan post-office we give below the hours of closing the mails:

GOING WEST.

No. 5..... 6:28 A. M.

No. 10..... 1:27 P. M.

No. 3..... 2:43 P. M.

GOING EAST.

No. 2..... 9:18 A. M.

No. 16..... 12:15 P. M.

No. 14..... 5:10 P. M.

The trains are due here thirty minutes later than these hours.

Marriage Licenses.

Henry E. Bradley, 61, Benton Harbor; Helen Y. Jones, 46, same.

David W. Dunning, 27, Chicago, Ill.; Fairy Moore, 17, same.

At the Old Settler's picnic, at Berrien Springs, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

Pres. A. L. Drew, Chikaming, Royaltown.

Vice Pres., G. B. Williams, Royaltown; T. Murphy, Berrien; J. H. Hoyle, Lake.

Entertainers, C. D. Nichols, Berrien Springs.

Ex. Com., R. V. Clark, Buchanan; Levi Sparks, Berrien; Thos. Mars, Berrien; B. D. Dix, Berrien Springs; O. C. Spaulding, Royaltown.

Albert E. Dick, the mind reader, and Prof. Buford Curtis, who has been with the Madge Tucker Comedy Company as musical director, and Edward Pink, all Mishawaka boys, left today for Walkerton, where they will give an entertainment tonight, and from there will make a tour of Indiana and Michigan towns. Later they will give an entertainment at Mishawaka and in South Bend—Mishawaka Cor. South Bend Tribune.

Noah Martin, the owner of a beautiful little island of about five acres, three miles from the city down the river, is starting it off underbrush and fitting it up as a picnic ground, with croquet and tennis courts, swings, tables, and all the accessories of a pleasure resort. The steam yacht St. Joseph will touch at the island on its daily trips to and from Buchanan.—Niles Recorder.

THE EVER GLORIOUS FOURTH

TO BE CELEBRATED WITH A BIG C.

Arrangements are being made to have a Fourth of July celebration at Buchanan, and from the interest that is being manifested by our citizens, everything points to a great big time, for when Buchanan does anything it does it well. A meeting was held at the Earl hotel on Tuesday afternoon which was well attended by our citizens, and committees were appointed to make the arrangements necessary for the proper observance of the day. Arrangements have been made with "The Edgar" base ball club of Chicago to play two games with the Buchanan "Blues" on the fourth, and other attractions will be secured, besides a liberal fireworks display in the evening. Mr. W. P. Hatch was made chairman of the committee, Mr. S. Barnore, Treasurer, and Harry Binns Secretary. C. H. Baker was elected chairman of the finance committee; J. C. Rough, F. J. Millar and F. R. Eaton, committee on advertising; D. L. Boardman, E. S. Roe and F. J. Miller, committee on music; H. D. Rough, J. B. Peters and Jos. L. Richards, committee on sports; Willis Treat, S. Barnore and H. E. Lough, committee on fireworks; D. L. Boardman, J. B. Peters and S. Desenberg, committee on parade; general committee, J. M. Rouch, W. F. Hatch and H. H. Porter. Another meeting will be held at the office of the Hatch Cattery Co. on Friday evening at 8 o'clock.

The case of Vitallus M. Baker of Bakertown vs. Barnett Produce Co. of Chicago was given to the jury, at 5 o'clock Wednesday evening of last week, and 4 o'clock the next morning they returned a verdict of \$150 in favor of the plaintiff. The case was known as the "cabbage case," and grew out of a contract made in 1892 between the parties.

The laying of the corner stone of the Berrien county court house at St. Joseph will take place on July 4th at ten o'clock in the forenoon. The ceremony will be accompanied with appropriate exercises and an address will be delivered by Judge O. W. Coolidge, of Niles. The committee on exercises Messrs. J. F. Gard, Alex. Halliday and E. A. Blakeslee, extend a cordial invitation to the readers of the Record to be present and participate.

A dispatch in the Detroit papers from Niles says farmers report the appearance of a small bug in corn. The insect somewhat resembles the old-fashioned potato bug, with the exception that it is smaller and moves with greater rapidity. It is rapidly destroying the corn, and unless something can be done to exterminate the myriads of them the corn crop may prove to be a total failure.

One of the most interesting games of base ball was played Saturday afternoon between the Cabinet Co. employees and the employees of Kompass & Stoll. The game made lots of sport for the audience, if it did not develop points that will make the players league men at large salaries. The game was won by the Cabinet Co. by a score of 44 to 34, and several runs got away that the boys were unable to capture.

At 3:30 Tuesday-afternoon fire was discovered in the creamery and milk house of Ballard Bros, one and one-half miles west of Niles, on the Chicago road. As the flames spread rapidly the contents of the building, which consisted of a gasoline engine, milk and cream separator, cans, etc., were all consumed. If it had not been for the rain of yesterday, adjoining property would also have burned entailing a much heavier loss. The loss is about \$1,500, with \$450 insurance in the Berrien Co. Farmers' Mutual.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Buchanan Building, Loan and Savings Association, held Tuesday evening, the following directors were elected for three years: W. F. Runner, Chas. N. East and John W. Beistle. At the meeting of the directors held the same evening they elected the following officers for the ensuing year: W. F. Runner, President; John M. Rouch, Vice President; John C. Dick, Secretary; John W. Beistle, Treasurer; A. C. Roe, Attorney.

A letter received by manager A. C. Stephens of the Buchanan Blues, states that the Chicago Edgars, who are to play here July 4, are contemplating running an excursion to Buchanan, on the fourth, and would like to know how many persons can be accommodated by our citizens. They expect to arrive here at 12:28 Wednesday night and go back Friday morning. Any person who can furnish sleeping accommodations are requested to notify Mr. Stephens, at the Earl, who will make the necessary arrangements.

The M. C. R. R. will sell excursion tickets to all stations west of Detroit river at one and one-half cent per mile, on July 3 and 4. Good for return not later than July 5.

A. F. PEACOCK.

FOR SALE.

A good top buggy for sale. Enquire of HOWARD SMITH.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell excursion tickets from Buchanan to Three Rivers on June 10, 20 and 21, good for return June 22d, at one and one-third fare for the round trip.

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Awarded Highest Honors—World's Fair.

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MOST PERFECT MADE.

A pure Grape Cream of Tartar Powder. Free from Ammonia, Alum or any other adulterant. 40 YEARS THE STANDARD.

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A Nice Trimmed Hat

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SPRING CAPES,

— AT —

YOUR OWN PRICE.

C. H. BAKER.

At 9 o'clock Saturday morning, June 22, 1895, Mr. W. A. Palmer will sell to the highest bidder, on the grounds of the Buchanan Driving Park Association, all grass on said grounds, the association reserving the right to reject any all bids.

J. C. ROUGH, Sec.

They get their Shirt Waists and Stylish Wraps of MRS. BERRICK. Having bought the ice cream business of F. E. Batchelor, I am prepared to serve the best Ice Cream in the market, in any quantity.

EDWIN MUNSON.

GREAT REDUCTION IN MILLINERY, HATS, BLACK AND COLORED RIBBONS, FLOWERS, LACES ETC.

MRS. J. P. BINNS.

Money to Loan on Real Estate. The International Savings, Loan & Building Institution, New Haven, Conn., incorporation, authorized capital of \$20,000,000. See Thos. Lloyd, General agent for Buchanan and vicinity. May 9, 95.

A BARGAIN.

I have 80 acres of good land for sale cheap. Will accept house and lot in Buchanan in exchange.

J. G. HOLMES.

For a good meal, go to ARTHUR'S Restaurant.

Call at the MAIN STREET MARKET for all kinds of Fresh and Salt Meats. Mrs. Berrick has the noblest Hats in the city.

The U. S. Gov't Reports

show Royal Baking Powder superior to all others.

Choice cuts of all kinds at reduced prices, at MAIN STREET MARKET.

Ladies Visiting Cards.

We have just added a new series of script type which is just the thing for ladies' calling cards, invitations, etc. We have the latest styles of cards, and prices are reasonable. Call and see them, at the Record office.

DRESS MAKING.—Miss ELMIRA BURRUS 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.

The proper styles are at MRS. BERRICK'S.

Home Make Lard, at the MAIN STREET MARKET.

Art is nature concentrated.

"CURES ALL BLOOD DISEASES"

DR. MERIT MAKES IT FAMOUS

C&S'S FOR THE BLOOD

SO PLEASE DR. MIXER

ANT TO BEST TASTINGS.

THE TASTE BEST MICH.

ASK YOUR DRUGGIST FOR IT.

COME AND SEE US.

GEO. WYMAN & CO.

South Bend, Ind.

We close our store every evening at 6 o'clock, except Saturday.

CAN I INTEREST YOU IN WARM WEATHER GOODS?

I am showing large and attractive lines in Silk Mitts, Umbrellas, Parasols, Gauze Underwear, Laces, Embroideries! Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Fans, Challies, Dimities, Percales, Sateens, White Goods, Ribbons, Mosquito Nets, Prints, Ginghams, etc.

FULL LINE OF STAPLES

Always on hand at lowest prices. Come and see me. It will pay you.

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500 PAIR OXFORDS,

All widths, all grades, that must be sold.

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Leave orders for

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WITH

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PURE MANILLA, 600 feet to the lb. 6 1-4c.

Quality guaranteed

BUCHANAN, MICH., May 14, 1895.

MY DEAR SIR.

This new woman; you are interested of course, so I give you a pointer, (which you may freely tell to your dearest friends); its this: Just send that dear wife, sister, daughter, to

GODFREY'S HARDWARE STORE

for a new supply of Tinware. Don't let them wear themselves out scouring the old utensils. Just give them a LITTLE money and see what a large supply of kitchen ware they will bring home. Put the old wood stove in the wood shed and buy a new "SURPRISE" GASOLINE STOVE; and see how surprised you will be at their cheerful faces, and they want tease you for money to go to the Lakes, if work is easy at home. Paint and Calcimine your home, (I have plenty of

