





# General Advertisement.

Hosiery. We offer Fast-black Stockings, regular made, for Ladies' Misses and Children and gentlemen, 2 for 25c, 25c and 50c. The best value we have offered lately. Also others from 5c to 10c per pair up.

Gent's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 25c and 50c; Ribbed, at 50c; Lisle Thread at \$1; Wool Gauze at \$1.25.

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, 5c, 10c, 2 for 25c, and 25c up; in Silk for 50c.

One lot—50 dozen—Ladies' Ribbed Drawers, 3 for 25c, worth 25c each.

Lace Curtains at 40c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50 a pair and up. Lace Curtains are handsomer and cheaper than we have ever shown. Also a lot of Remnants of Curtains, 1 to 2 yards long, 15c to 25c each; suitable for basement windows and sash curtains.

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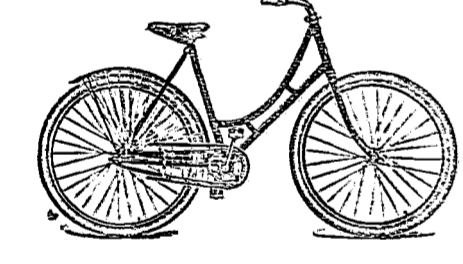
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We offer your superior advantages in anything you wish to buy.

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Store closed evenings except Saturday.

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From \$30 to \$100.  
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Gas or Vitalized Air, also all the modern applications to the gums for extracting teeth without pain. Fine Gold Fillings, and all modern Dentistry at reasonable prices.

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And a written guarantee given for five years Chloroform or ether with any physician you wish in attendance for \$1.00.

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Dr. Ostrander will be remembered as located in Buchanan for seven years.

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The undersigned will open on Saturday a store in the  
**ROE BUILDING, MAIN STREET,**  
and will carry a complete line of  
**Gents' Furnishing Goods,**  
HATS, CAPS, SHIRTS, COLLARS,  
CUFFS, NECKWEAR,  
and everything usually carried in a first-class store of this kind.  
Call and inspect my stock. You will find everything new goods and latest styles.  
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# BUCHANAN RECORD.

**D. H. BOWER,**  
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THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1896.

The American Newspaper Directory for 1896 accords to the Buchanan Record the largest circulation of any weekly published in Berrien County.

The South Bend Tribune of the issues during the G. A. R. encampment had a G. A. R. badge and the stars and stripes printed in red and blue on the first page, giving evidence of the wide-awake spirit of the paper.

Elsewhere in the RECORD we publish a communication from a committee representing Wm. Perrott Post, and relative to the observance of Memorial Day. We cannot speak too strongly in support of their request and would urge upon all our readers to keep the matter ever in their mind and aid the members of Wm. Perrott Post in their observance, both by your presence and co-operation.

**STATE CONVENTION.**  
At the Michigan State Republican convention, last Thursday, the delegates to the National convention were instructed to vote for Hon. Wm. McKinley so long as his name should remain before the National delegates at St. Louis. Hon. D. M. Ferry of Detroit was elected chairman of the State central committee, and Gen. H. A. Alger of Detroit, Thos. J. O'Brien of Grand Rapids, and John Duncan of Calumet, were elected delegates-at-large by acclamation, and Mark S. Brewer of Pontiac, was elected the fourth delegate on the second ballot. A pleasant feature of the convention was a speech by Hon. Chauncey M. Depew of New York.

Berrien county Republicans need not be ashamed of their representatives at the Detroit State Convention. They were men of stalwart Republican type, who are not ashamed to let their fellow Republicans know "where they are at." There was E. R. Gilson of the Benton Harbor Palladium and who, as president of the Republican Newspaper Association of Michigan, presided at the meeting of that body, at the Chamber of Commerce hall, with marked ease and ability reflecting credit on himself and his county. Then there was Comrade Roscoe D. Dix of St. Joseph, who was running across an old army friend every little while, and who had a cheery word for everybody. Hon. E. L. Hamilton of Niles, our robust candidate for Congressional honors this fall, who always had a smile and hearty hand-shake for every one. Victor M. Gore, who was congratulated upon every side for his eloquent and ringing speech, before the Convention, in favor of an honest dollar worth one hundred cents. Cashier E. F. Woodcock was present, with his quiet, but characteristic "get there" manner. Quiet but thoughtful "Lon" Vincent was there, and the manner in which he was elected a member of the State Committee indicated that every one knew "Lon" and just where he could be found. Others of the delegates were, representative Kingsland, H. A. Ricklife of Benton, A. S. Miller of Coloma, C. K. Warren of Three Oaks, L. J. Merchant of St. Joseph, Dr. W. Ryno and C. M. Edick. Taken altogether, the delegation was one that was "all right."

# SEEN AT DETROIT.

Any one attending the recent Republican Convention, at Detroit, will not be likely to soon forget the scenes of this representative gathering, nor the sight witnessed in the lobbies of the Russell and Cadillac hotels during that period. The earnest, thoughtful, discussion of the questions of the hour were conducted in a manner that showed an appreciation of the individual responsibility resting on each delegate. The various candidates for honor and position at the hands of their fellow citizens, were all present looking after their respective "booms" and working them all up in good shape.

The feature of the Convention was the large proportion of newspaper men in attendance. The happy thought of the Republican Newspaper Association of the State, in arranging for speeches from the gubernatorial candidates on the question, "What is the duty of the Republican party?" resulted in a meeting that was an inspiration to those comprising the large audience that had gathered in the Chamber of Commerce hall, Wednesday evening, to hear the speakers, and will do much toward crystallizing the public sentiment upon the most acceptable candidates. During the day and when the Convention was not in session, the corridors of the hotel afforded an ever-changing scene of interest to the onlooker. Prominent everywhere could be seen the features and figures of men who had, by their hard work and ability, won positions of prominence in the councils of the party.

Mayor Pingree could be seen at almost any time in the Russell House, either at his headquarters or in the corridor. Frank W. Walt of Sturgis, whom the Evening News described as the "particular friend" of Mayor Pingree, was around, at the Russell, and going about in his vigorous, hustling way and withal, so jolly that everyone had to stop and joke with him. Frank said he did not want to be a committeeman this year, but as long as Pingree said he was going to turn him down, he said he wasn't going to be turned down, by His Honor; and he wasn't, either. At the Russell house could also be seen candidates, Jas. O'Donnell of Jackson and Col. A. T. Bliss. Other familiar figures were the solemn looking A. W. Smith of Adrian, Col. H. O. Fifield of Menominee, Mayor Frank W. Gilchrist of Alpena, Judge Buck of Kalamazoo, Judge Heckert of Paw Paw, Judge Judge of Three Rivers, Warden William Chamberlain of Jackson, Col. J. H. Kidd of Ionia, Ed. and Geo. Dewey of Owosso, J. H. McCall of Ithaca, and that veteran journalist Don C. Henderson of Allegan.

At the Cadillac that prince of good fellows, State Game and Fish Warden Chase S. Osborn of the Saulte Ste Marie News could be seen, one minute ex-

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# THREE OAKS.

The funeral of John Sullivan, an old settler, was held last Sunday. The commencement exercises of the High school will be held the twenty-ninth. There will be two graduates. Examiner C. B. Groat has been visiting the schools of this township this week. The Spring Creek school closed Friday. The Maccaebes are hustling. Five were obligated last Wednesday, and a number of applications are on file. The order now has about eighty members in this place and will, no doubt, be increased to one hundred, in a few days.

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