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MICHIGAN PICKINGS.

WHAT IS GOING ON IN OUR OWN

STATE.

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Readers Gathered from Hero and There

Crimes Casualties and Other Occur-

rences of the Week Reported by Wire.

Jonia, Mich., Sept. 2.—Ionia was

thrown into excitement Monday night

by the arrest of two well-known

young men charged with making coun-

terfeit money. The prisoners are Frank and George Kingston, brothers,

about 30 and 35 years of age. The mat-

ter was traced here by John E. Murphy

St. Louis, who arrived Monday after-

noon. A printing press, plates carved out of boxwood, \$7,200 in \$20 bills, fin-

shed and paper enough for over \$1,-

000,000 in money are among the stuff

recovered. Of the \$7,200 of partially completed bills there was \$300 all

worked up and oiled, so that it would

puzzle a banker to discover that they

Pentwater, Mich., Sept. 7.—Asa L. Cartland, the father of Grace Haw-

thorne, an English actress, and of

Blanche Shelby, once the wife of Dan-

iel Shelby, hanged himself Friday night in the old dug-out he had as a

home. Cartland was 75 years old, and

lived alone in the old hut, and would

not permit any one to visit him ex-

cept his daughter-in-law. Cartland was born in Maine, but had lived in

Michigan for fifty years. Besides the

daughter named, he had another, Ber-

tie the wife of an editor in Cairo,

Egypt, and a son, Tracy D. Cartland,

the captain of a lake steamer. His

wife has lived in France with her

Michigan Bankers in Convention. Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 3.—The

annual meeting of the Michign Bank-

ers association opened here Tuesday

evening with about seventy-five mem-

bers present and about thirty more

came in on the late train. About forty

of the gentlemen are accompanied by their wives. The session was opened

with an address of welcome by the Hon. Roger W. Butterfield, followed by

the annual address of the president,

Lewis H. Whitney of this city. Harvey J. Hollister, cashier of the old

National bank of this city read a pa-

per on "Gold or Silver; Which, or

Both." He advocated the gold basis,

but urged the use of all the silver that

can be maintained at a parity with

Men and Books Missing.

Detroit, Sept. 2.-It was learned Tues-

day that Secretary John Dean and

Preasurer W. H. Hust of the bricklay-

ers union are missing, and that the

books of the union have gone with

them. About a week ago the police

found that these two men were playing

the races, and on speaking to them

cused before the commission of ex-

ceeding his authority. The trial was

to come up Friday, but neither of the

Charity Ball for Fire Sufferers.

Houghton, Mich., Sept. 7.—A charity

ball for the benefit of the Ontonagon

fire sufferers was given at the Light

Guard armory at Calumet Friday

night. There was a large attendance

About \$5,000 has been raised in Hough-

ton county for Ontonagon. Reliable

reports from the burned city say that

further cash contributions are urgently

needed. The people now have plenty

titute and must have a few dollars

each to enable them to begin life anew

Nominated for Congress

Reed City, Mich., Sept. 5 .- Judge J.

nominated for congress Friday by the

G. Ramsdell of Tranverse City was

joint convention of Democrats, Union

Silver men and Populists of the Elev-

enth district. The contest over can-

didates had lasted nearly all night.

Judge Ramsdell had hitherto been a

strong Republican leader, but dis-

agreed with the party's present finan-

Meeting of a Roman Catholic Synod.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 3 .- Ten diocese

of the Catholic church, including the

rchdiocese, which composes the prov-

nce of Cincinnati, are represented here

in a meeting of the provincial synod

by Archbishop Elder of Cincinnati, and

the bishops of Michigan, Ohio, Ken-

tucky, Tennessee, and Indiana diocese.

The sessions were held at the residence

of Bishop Foley, and were devoted to

Michigan Crop Report.

Michigan-Light frosts did very lit-

tle damage, which was confined to low

grounds, otherwise weather has been

favorable to crops and farm work

Ground is in good condition for seed-

ing and some wheat is sown. Corn is

glazing and much of it is out of dan-

ger. Cutting is in progress and soon

will be general, the yield being very

heavy. Potatoes still rotting in the

ground. Fruit is fine and plentiful.

Forest Fires Extinguished.

Houghton, Mich., Sept. 4.—Rain has

subdued the forest fires, which were

threatening sever lupper peninsula set-

iryness of the last six weeks gave the fire

out with a normal rainfall from now on

a foothold. Thy re not yet extinguished

Mysterious Disappearance

Niles, Mich., Sept. 2.-Mrs. Francis

M. Foster, about 55 years old and quite

well known, has mysteriously disap-

peared. It is feared she has either

committed suicide or met with foul

State Notes.

Franklin Wells, president of the

Michigan state board of agriculture,

was thrown from his buggy at Con-

The biennial session of the supreme

commandery of the Order of the Iron

Hall is in session at the Hotel Cadillac.

Detroit, with some forty delegates pres-

The mutilated body of an unknown

man was found on the Michigan Cen-

the pockets of the clothing was empty

Millford Littell of Cadillac. Mich.

was arrested at Galesburg, Ills., for

robbing his uncle, J. H. Snydam of

Eddie Leo, 12 years old, committed sui-

cide by hanging at Saginaw, Mich. He

was a cigarette flend and became de-

The August copper production of re-

porting Michigan mines was as fol-

lows: Atlantic, 269 tons 995 pounds;

Franklin, 151 tons 530 pounds; Quincy,

850 tons 1,480 pounds; Wolverine, 106

Comment on the Czar's Trip.

St. Petersburg, Sept. 8.—The Novoe

Vremya makes the important state-

ment that the czar's tour shows that

Berlin and Vienna, as well as Paris

and St. Petersburg are conscious of the

necessity of common action by the

powers to defeat the political designs

of Great Britain, which, it is added,

are clearly displayed in recent events

in Turkey. The item ends with an

intimation that the British press has

attached considerable hope for the suc-

cess of Great Britain's policy in the

fact that death has removed Prince

Lobanoff-Rostovsky, the Russian min-

ister for foreign affairs, who is under-

stood to have been a strong opponent

robbery and murder is suspected.

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Suicide of an Old Man.

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DRAIN LETTING.

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NOTICE is hereby given, that I, Charles F. Howe, I Township Drain Commissioner of the Township of Bertrand, County of Berrien, State of Michigan, will, on the 26th day of September, A. D. 1896, at the residence of Frank Wilson, in said Township of Bertrand, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the cleaning out, widening, deepening and extending a certain Drain known and designated as 'Extended No. One Drain,' located and established in the said Township of Bertrand, and described as follows, to-wit: Commencing 1237 feet east of 1; post on section line between sections 4 and 9, town 8 south, range 18 west, said point being in the bottom of Bakertown drain, thence west on section line between sections 4 and 9, 1400 feet; thence south 25° west 10 feet; thence south 12° west 400 feet, into Pike lake 50 feet, where this survey ends. The survey is again taken up at the center of inlet at the north end of Pike lake; thence north 33° west 700 feet; thence north 1012° west 800 leet; thence north 30° west 830 feet, into Wilson's lake, where the extension enters drain No. One, as heretofore surveyed; thence in the center of drain No. One to the center of others the Michigan Central Feil.

Pike lake; thence north 33° west 700 feet; thence north 10°; west 800 feet; thence north 33° west 800 feet; thence north 33° west 800 feet; thence north 33° west 800 feet; thence in the center of drain No. One to the center of the in the center of drain No. One to the center of culvert under the Michigan Central Railway, a distance or about 2100 feet through lakes and old ditch where it could not be measured with chain; thence through the center of culvert to the north end thereof; thence in the center of drain No. One 60 feet on land of Lincoln Burrus; thence in the center of drain No. One 118 feet on land of Louisa Marble; thence in the center of drain No. One 1820 feet on land of Anna E. Kremble: thence in the center of drain No. One 237 feet on land of Emil Koenigshof, which point is on the sonth line of the northwest ½ northwest ½ section 5, town 8 south, range 18 west, and is the upper end of said drain No. One.

Said job w'll be let by sections. The section at the outlet of the drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said drain, in the office of the Township Clerk, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by mereserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall be announced at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which f, the Drain Commissioner aforesaid "That is exactly what we are going to But all the same his words reminded me of something which in the excitement of the scene I had momentarily forgotten, and that was our duty. Pavannes must be saved, though not for Kit; rather to answer to us for his sins. But he must be saved! And now that the road was open, every minute lost was reproach to us. "Yes," I

added, roughly, my thoughts turned into a more rugged channel, "you are right. This is no time for nursing. We must be going. Mme. de Pavannes," I went on, addressing myself to her. "you know the way home from hereto your house?" "Oh, yes!" she cried. "That is well," I answered. "Then we will start. Your sister is sufficiently

recovered now, I think. And we will not risk any further delay." I did not tell her of her husband's danger, or that we suspected him of wronging her, and being, in fact, the cause of her detention. I wanted her services as a guide. That was the main point, though I was glad to be able to put her in a place of safety at the same time that we fulfilled our own mission, She rose eagerly. "You are sure that we can get out?" she said.

"Sure," I replied, with a brevity worthy of Bezers himself. And I was right. We trooped downstairs, making as little noise as possible; with the result that Mirepoix only took the alarm, and came upon us when we were at the outer door, bungling with the lock. Then I made short work of him, checking his scared words of remonstrance by flashing my dagger before his eyes. I induced him in the same fashion-he was fairly taken by surprise- to undo the fastenings himself; and so, bidding him follow us at his peril, we slipped out one by

one. We softly closed the door behind us. And loi we were at last free-free and in the streets of Paris, with the cool night air fanning our brows. A church hard by tolled the hour of two; and the strokes were echoed, before we had gone many steps along the illpaved way, by the solemn tones of the bell of Notre Dame. We were free and in the streets, with a guide who knew the way. If Bezers

had not gone straight from us to his vengeance, we might thwart him yet. I strode along quickly, Mme. d'O by my side, the others a little way in front. Here and there an oil lamp, swinging from a pulley in the middle of the road, enabled us to avoid some obstacles more foul than usual, or to leap over a pool which had formed in the kennel. Even in my excitement, my country-bred senses rebelled against the sights, and smells, the noisome air and oppressive closeness of the streets.

The town was quiet, and very dark where the smoky lamps were not hang-ing. Yet I wondered if it ever slept, for more than once we had to stand aside to give passage to a party of men, hurrying along with links and arms. Several times, too, especially towards the end of our walk, I was surprised by the flashing of bright lights in a courtyard, the door of which stood half open to right or left. Once I saw the glow of torches reflected ruddily in the windows of a tall and splendid mansion, a little withdrawn from the street. The source of the light was in the forecourt, hidden from us by a low wall, stir of many feet. Once a gate was stealthily opened and two armed men looked out, the act and their manner of doing it, reminded me on the instant of those who had peeped out to inspect us some hours before in Bezers' house. And once, nay twice, in the mouth of a narrow alley I discerned a the gloom. There was an air of mystery abroad, a feeling as of solemn stirand preparation going on under cover of the darkness, which awed and unnerved me.

sake—though she will be wild with anxiety—but also—"

"I know," I said, eagerly, interrupting her, "for his own, too! There is a danger threatening him."

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But I said nothing of this, and Mme. d'O was equally silent. Like most countrymen I was ready to believe in any exaggeration of the city's late hours, the more as she made no remark. THE WOLF.

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BY STANLEY J. WEYMAN

in a moment her face was turned our

way, and she glided forwards, her fea-

tures still hidden by the hood of her

cloak. She was close to us now, bend-

ing over us. She raised her hand to her

head-to shade her eyes, as she looked

more closely, I supposed, and I was

wondering whether she saw us-

whether she took the shapelessness in

the shadow of the curtain for her sis-

ter, or could not make it out-I was

thinking how we could best apprise

her of our presence without alarming

her - when Croisette dashed my

thoughts to the winds! Croisette, with

a tremendous whoop and a crash,

She uttered a gasping cry—a cry of

intense, awful fear. I have the sound

in my ears even now. With that she

staggered back, clutching the air. I

heard the metallic clang and ring of

something falling on the floor. I

heard an answering cry of alarm from

the window; and then Mmc. de Pa-

vannes ran forward and caught ber in

It was strange to find the room late-

ly so silent become at once alive with

whispering forms, as we came hastily

to light. I cursed Croisette for his

folly, and was immeasurably angry

with him, but I had no time to waste

words on him then. I hurried to the

door to guard it. I opened it a hand's

breath and listened. All was quiet be-

low; the house still. I took the key out

of the lock and put it in my pocket and

went back. Marie and Croisette were

standing a little apart from Mme. de

Pavannes, who, hanging over her sis-

ter, was by turns bathing her face and

In a very few minutes Mme. d'O

seemed to recover, and sat up. The

first shock of deadly terror had passed,

but she was still pale. She still trem-

bled and shrank from meeting our

eyes, though I saw her, when our at-

tention was apparently directed else-

where, glance at one and another of

us with a strange intentness, a shud-

dering curiosity. No wonder, I

fright—one that might have killed a

"What on earth did you do that for?"

Lasked Croisette, presently, my anger

certainly not decreasing the more I

looked at her beautiful face. "You

In charity I supposed his nerves had

failed him, for he could not even now

give me a straightforward answer. His

only reply was: "Let us get away from

this horrible house!" and this he kept

repeating, with a shudder, as he moved

thought. She must have had a terrible

explaining our presence.

more timid woman!

might have killed her!"

restlessly to and fro.

her arms.

bounded over me on to the floor!



supposed-shaking off the momentary impression—that what I saw was innocent and normal. Besides, I was thinking what I should say to Pavannes when I saw him-in what terms I should warn him of his peril, and cast his perfidy in his teeth.

We had hurried along in this wayand in absolute silence, save when some obstacle or pitfall drew from us an exclamation—for about a quarter of a mile, when my companion, turning into a slightly wider street, slackened her speed, and indicated by a gesture that we had arrived. A lamp hung over the porch, to which she pointed, and showed the small side gate half opened. We were close behind the other three now. I saw Croisette stoop to enter, and as quickly fall back a pace. Why? In a moment it flashed across my mind that we were too late—that the vidame had been before us. And yet how quiet it all was.

Then I breathed freely again. I saw that Croisette had only stepped back to avoid some one who was coming out -the coadjutor, in fact. The moment the entrance was clear, the lad shot in, and the others after him, the priest taking no notice of them, nor they of

I was for going in, too, when I felt Mme. d'O's hand tighten suddenly on my arm, and then fall from it. Apprised of something by this, I glanced at the priest's face, catching sight of it by chance just as his eyes met hers. His face was white—nay, it was ugly with disappointment and rage, bitter, snarling rage, that was hardly human. He grasped her by the arm roughly and twisted her round without ceremony, so as to draw her a few paces aside; yet not so far that I could not hear what they said.

"He is not here!" he you understand? He crossed the river to the Faubourg St. Germain at nightfall—searching for her. And he has not come back! He is on the other side of the water, and midnight has struck this hour past!" She stood silent for a moment, as if

"With all my heart!" I answered, she had received a blow-silent and looking at him with some contempt. dismayed. Something serious had happened. I could see that. "He cannot recross the river now?"

she said, after a time. "The gates..."
"Shut!" he replied, briefly. 'The keys are at the Louvre." "And the boats are on this side?" "Every boat!" he answered, striking his one hand on the other with violence.

it is over." "And the Faubourg St. Germain?" she said, in a lower voice. "There will be nothing done there.

"Every boat! No one may cross until

CHAPTER VII.

A YOUNG KNIGHT-ERRANT. I would gladly have left the two together, and gone straight into the house. I was eager now to discharge the errand on which I had come so far: and apart from this I had no liking for the priest or wish to overhear his talk. His anger, however, was so patent, and the rudeness with which he treated Mme. d'O so pronounced that I felt I could not leave her with him unless she should dismiss me. So I stood patiently enough - and awkwardly enough, too, I daresay-by the door. while they talked on in subdued tones. Nevertheless, I felt heartily glad when at length, the discussion ending, madame came back to me. I offered her my arm to help her over the wooden foot

of the side gate. She laid her hand on it, but she stood still. "M. de Caylus," she said; and at that stopped. Naturally I looked at her, and our eyes met. Hers brown and beautiful, shining in the light of the lamp overhead, looked into mine. Her lips were half parted, and one fair tress of hair had escaped from her hood. "M. de Caylus, will you do me a favor?"

she resumed, softly, "a favor for which I shall always be grateful?" I sighed. "Madame," I said, earnestly, for I felt the solemnity of the occasion. "I swear that in ten minutes, if

the task I now have in hand be finished, I will devote my life to your service. For the present—" "Well, for the present? But it is

the present I want, Master Discre-"I must see M. de Pavannes! I am pledged to it," I ejaculated.

"To see M. de Pavannes?" "Yes." I was conscious that she was looking at me with eyes of doubt, almost of

"Why? Why?" she asked, with evident surprise. "You have restored-and nearly frightened me to death in doing it-his wife to her home; what more do you want with him, most valiaut knight-errant?"

"I must see him," I said, firmly. I would have told her all and been thankful, but the priest was within hearing-or barely out of it; and I had seen too much pass between him and Bezers to be willing to say anything before him. "You must see M. de Pavannes?" she

repeated, gazing at me. "I must," I replied, with decision. "Then you shall. That is exactly what I am going to help you to do, she exclaimed. "He is not here. That is what is the matter. He went out

at nightfall seeking news of his wife. and crossed the river, the coadjutor says, to the Faubourg St. Germain. Now it is of the utmost importance that he should return before morning -return here." "But is he not here?" I said, finding

all my calculations at fault. "You are sure of it, madame?"
"Quite sure," she answered, rapidly. "Your brothers will have by this time discovered the fact. Now, M. de Caylus, Pavannes must be brought here before morning, not only for his wife's

She turned swiftly, as it startled, and lergy, the spirit, of those minutes come

I turned, and we looked at the priest. I thought we understood one another. "There is," she answered, softly, "and

would save him from that danger; but he will only be safe, as I happen to know, here! Here, you understand! He must be brought here before day-break, M. de Caylus. He must! He must!" she exclaimed, her beautiful features hardening with the earnestness of her feelings. "And the coadjutor cannot go. I cannot go. There is only one man who can save him, and that is yourself. There is, above all, not a moment to be lost." My thoughts were in a whirl. Even

as she spoke she began to walk back the way we had come, her hand on my arm; and I, doubtful and in a confused way unwilling, went with her. I did not clearly understand the position. I would have wished to go in and confer with Marie and Croisette; but the juneture had occurred so quickly, and it might be that time was as valuable as she said, and-well, it was hard for me, a lad, to refuse her anything when she looked at me with appeal in her eyes. I did manage to stammer: "But I do not know Paris. I could not find my way, I am afraid, and it is night,

She released my arm and stopped. "Night!" she cried, with a scornful ring in her voice. "Night! I thought you were a man, not a boy! You are afraid!"

"Afraid," I said, hotly; "we Caylus" are never afraid." "Then I can tell you the way, if that

be your only difficulty. We turn here. Now, come in with me a moment," she continued. "and I will give you something you will need-and your direc-

She had stopped at the door of a tall, narrow house, standing between larger ones in a street which appeared to me to be more airy and important than any I had yet seen. As she spoke, she rang the bell once, twice, thrice. The silvery tinkle had scarcely died away the third time before the door opened silently; 1 saw no one, but she drew me into a narrow hall or passage. A taper in an embossed holder was burning on a chest. She took it up, and, telling me to follow her, led the way lightly up the stairs, and into a room, half parlor, half bedroom-such a room as I had never seen before. It was richly hung from coiling to floor with blue silk, and lighted by the soft rays of lamps shaded by Venetian globes of delicate hues. The scent of cedarwood was in the air, and on the hearth in a velvet tray were some tiny puppies. A dainty disorder reigned everywhere. On one table a jewel case stood open, on another lay some lace garments, two or three masks and a fan. A gemmed riding whip and a silver-hilted poniard hung on the same peg. And, strangest of all, huddled away behind the door, I espied a plain, black-sheathed sword and a

man's gauntlets. She did not wait a moment, but went at once to the jewel case. She took from it a gold ring—a heavy scal ring. She held this out to me in the most matterof-fact way-scarcely turning, in fact. "Put it on your finger," she said, hurriedly. "If you are stopped by soldiers, or if they will not give you a boat to cross the river, say boldly that you are on the king's service. Call for the officer and show that ring. Play the man. Bid him stop you at his peril!"

I hastily muttered my thanks, and she as hastily took something from a drawer, and tore it into strips. Before I knew what she was doing she was on her knees by me, fastening a white band of linen round my left sleeve. Then she took my cap, and with the same precipitation fixed a fragment of the same stuff in it, in the form of a rough cross.

"There," she said. "Now, listen, M. de Caylus. There is more afoot to-night than you know of. These badges will help you across to St. Germain, but the moment you land, war them off. Tear them off, remember. They will help you no longer. You will come back by the same boat, and will not need them. If you are seen to wear them as you return, they will command no respect, but on the contrary will bring you—and perhaps me-into trouble." "I understand," I said, "but—"

"You must ask no questions," she retorted, waving one snowy finger before my eyes. "My knight-errant must have faith in me, as I have in him; or he would not be here at this time of night. and alone with me. But remember this also. When you meet Pavannes do not say you come from me. Keep that in your mind; I will explain the reason afterwards. Say merely that his wife is found, and is wild with anxiety about him. If you say anything as to his danger he may refuse to come. Men are obstinate."

I nodded a smiling assent, thinking I understood. At the same time I permitted myself in my own mind a little discretion. Pavannes was not a foci. and the name of the vidame—but, however, I should see. I had more to say to him than she knew of. Meanwhile she explained very carefully the three turnings I had to take to reach the river, and the wharf where boats most commonly lay, and the name of the house in which I should find M. de

Pavannes. "He is at the Hotel de Bailli," she said. "And there, I think that is all." "No, not all," I said hardily. "There is one thing I have not got. And that is

a sword!" She followed the direction of my eyes. started, and laughed-a little oddly. But she fetched the weapon. "Take it and do not," she urged, "do not lose time. Do not mention me to Pavannes. Do not let the white badges be seen as you return. That is really all. Aud now good luck!" She gave me her hand to kiss. "Good luck, my knight-errant, good luck-and come back to me soon! She smiled divinely, as it seemed to me, as she said these last words, and the same smile followed me downstairs: for she leaned over the stairhead with one of the lamps in her hand, and directed me how to draw the bolts. I took one backward glance as I did so at the fair stooping figure above me, the snining eyes, and tiny out-stretched hand, and then darting into the gloom I huv ried on my way.

I was in a strange mood. A few minutes before I had been at Pavannes' door, at the end of our journey; on the verge of success. I had been within an ace, as I supposed at least, of executing my errand. I had held the cup of success in my hand. And it had slipped. Now the conflict had to be fought over again; the danger to be faced. It would have been no more than natural if I had felt the disappointment keenly; if I had almost despaired.

But it was otherwise far otherwise. Never had my heart beat higher or more proudly than as I now hurried through the streets, avoiding such groups as were abroad in them, and intent only on observing the proper turnings. Never in any moment of triumph in after days, in love or war, did anything like the exhibaration the enback to me. I had a woman's badge in my cap-for the first time-the music of her voice in my ears. I had a magic ring on my finger; a talisman on my arm. My sword was at my side again. All round me lay a misty city of adventure, of danger and romance, full of the richest and most beautiful possibilities; a city of real witchery, such as I had read of in stories, through which those fairy gifts and my right hand should guide me safely. I did not even regret my brothers, or our separation. I was the eldest. It was fitting that the cream of the enterprise should be reserved for me, Anne de Caylus. And to what might it not lead? I fancy I saw myself already a duke and a peer of

France-already I held the baton. Yet while I exulted boyishly, I did not forget what I was about. I kept my eyers open, and soon remarked that the number of people passing to and fro in the dark streets had much increased within the last half hour. The silence in which, in groups or singly, these figures stole by me was very striking. I heard no brawling, fighting or singing, yet if it were not too late for these things, why were, so many people up and about? I began to count presently, and found that at least half of those I met wore badges in their hats and on their arms, similar to mine, and that they all moved with a business-like air, as if bound for some rendezvous.

I was not a fool, though I was young, and in some matters less quick than Croisette. The hints which had been dropped by so many had not been lost on me. "There is more afoot to-night than you know of!" Mme. d'O had said. And having eyes as well as ears I fully believed it. Something was afoot. Something was going to happen in Paris before morning. But what, I wondered. Could it be that a rebellion was about to break out? If so I was on the king's service, and all was well. I might even be going-and only 18-to make history! Or was it only a brawl on a great scale between two parties of nobles? I had heard of such things happening in Paris. Thenwell I did not see how I could act in that case. I must be guided by events. I did not imagine anything else which

it could be. That is the truth, though it may need explanation. I was accustomed only to the milder religious differences, the more evenly balanced parties of Quercy, where the peace between the Catholics and the Huguenots had been welcome to all save a very few. I could not gauge therefore the fanaticism of the Parisian populace, and lost count of the factor, which made possible that which was going to happen-was going to happen in Paris before daylight as surely as the sun was going to rise! I knew that the Huguenot nobles were present in the city in great numbers, but it did not occur to me that they could as a body be in danger. They were many and powerful, and as was said, in favor with the king. They were under the protection of the king of Navarre-France's brother-in-law of a week, and the prince of Conde; and though these princes were young, Coligny, the sagacious admiral, was old, and not much the worse I had learned for his wound. He at least was high in royal favor, a trusted counselor. Had not the king

visited him on his sick-bed and sat by him for an hour together? Surely, I thought, if there were danger, these men would know of it. And then the Huguenots' main enemy, Henri le Balafre, the splendid duke of Guise, "our great man," and "Lor-raine," as the crowd called him-he, it was rumored, was in disgrace at court. In a word, these things, to say nothing of the peaceful and joyous occasion which had brought the Huguenots to Paris, and which seemed to put treachcry out of the question, were more than enough to prevent me forecasting the

If for a moment, indeed, as I harried along towards the river, anything like the truth occurred to me. I put it from me. I say with pride I put it from me as a thing impossible. For God forbidone may speak out the truth these 40 years back-God forbid, say I, that all Frenchmen should bear the blood-guiltiness which came of other than French brains, though French were the hands that did the work.

I was not greatly troubled by my forebodings therefore; and the state of exaltation to which Mme, d'O's confidence had raised my spirits lasted until one of the narrow streets by the Louvre brought me suddenly within sight of the river. Here faint moonlight bursting momentarily through the clouds was shining on the placid surface of the water. The fresh air played upon, and cooled my temples. And this, with the guiet scene so abruptly presented to me, gave sheck to my thoughts, and somewhat sobered

At some distance to my left I could distinguish in the middle of the river the pile of buildings which word the He de la Cite, and could follow the nearer arm of the stream as it swept landwards of these, closely hemmed in by houses, but unbroken as yet by the arches of the Port Neuf which I have lived to see built. Not far from me on my right-indeed, within a stone's throw-the bulky mass of the Louvre rose dark and shapeless against the sky. Only a narrow open space-the foreshore-separated me from the water; beyond which I could see an irregular line of buildings, that no doubt formed the Faubourg St. Germain.

I had been told that I should find stairs leading down to the water, and boats moored at the foot of them, at this point. Accordingly I walked quickly across the open space to a spor, where I made out a couple of posts set up on the brink-doubtless to mark the landing place.

I had not gone ten puces, however, out of the shadow, before I chanced to look round, and discerned with an unpleasant cerie feeling three figures detach themselves from it, and advance in a row behind me, so as the better to cut off my retreat. I was not to succeed in my enterprise too easily, then. That was clear. Still I thought it better to act as if I had not seen my followers, and collecting myself, I walked as quickly as I could down to the steps. The three were by that time close upon me-within striking distance almost. I turned abruptly and confronted them. "Who are you, and what do you want?" I said, eyeing them warily, my hand on my sword. TO BE CONTINUED.

Letter Carriers' Convention Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 7.—At noon Monday the letter carriers' delegations, except Chicago and Detroit, had arrived for the national convention. They were promptly on hand for the parade at 2:30. Twenty-five hundred marched in the procession, several cities have opened headquarters and are working for the convention next year and Omaha is figuring for '98. The chief subject of discussion is the proposal to petition that the salary in cities of the first-class be made \$1,200: in others \$1,000. The convention was formally welcomed Monday evening. You'll Soon Get Used To It.

For you know we have removed to the corner room next to and east of the post office. So you will come THERE for your Papers, Stationery, etc., and not continue to go to the old place as you are now doing.

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NEXT TO POST OFFICE, BUCHANAN.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

another.

Short Paragraphs Stating the Events of the Past Few days,
The Colorado state board of health in its recent annual report holds it to be a duty to see that the indiscriminate transportation of sick people is forbid-den. The board claims that a variety of diseases is propagated by the traveling of sick people from one place to

Prussia's rescript of 1859, forbidding emigration to the three southern pro-vinces of Brazil, Rio Grande do Sul, Santa Catharina and Porona, has been withdrawn. It was of little effect, as these provinces contain many German settlers

In his pay envelope a Penńsylvania railroad employe living at Valparaiso, Ind., found a \$5 note on which was written: "This bill represents the last of a fortune, all squandered on women, wine and cards."

The 1,000 or more railroad employer of Cincinnati, who have been on the blacklist for participation in the Debs strike and who have been unable since to secure employment have been called to meet to take action to induce the railroad companies to reinstate

A party of twenty-eight Rockford, Ills., people have left for Williamsburg, Va., where they wil establish a colony. Several went in advance to make all arrangements for their com-The curiew bell will hereafter ring

at 10 o'clock instead of 9 at Canton City, Colo., on Saturday nights, extending the time an hour for young folks to be out. Burglars poisoned two valuable bloodhounds belonging to Marshal Bryan Davis at English, Ind. So many dairy cows have been killed

by order of the authorities about San

Jose, Cal., that the price of the remain-

ing healthy cattle has advanced 30

The people of Channahan, Ills., have decided to incorporate as a village. Barney McKernan of Phoenixville says that he is one of the two men now living in this country who took part in the famous charge of the Light Brigade. He was born in Ireland 69 years ago. He has lived in Phoenixville ever

A large landscape by Gainsborough, representing a wood, a rustic bridge, at auction in London, for \$5,000. In 1872 the same picture brought only

since.

tune's.

Ire Phillips and Ida Martin are under arrest at Danville Ills.; on a charge of robbing the residence of H. P. Patter-It was charged in France by the op-

position that the government had spent

1,000,000 francs in entertaining Li Hung Chang, but the official figures show that the whole cost, counting hotel bills and all, was 80,000 francs, or about **\$16,000.** George Ireland, living in the northern

part of Indiana, rode on a railroad train Thursday for the first time in his life, when he attended the county fair at Waterloo, Ind. The old settlers of Montgomery coun-

ty, Ills., held a meeting at Hillsboro

and listened to an address on early Illinois history by Nicholas Perrin of Lebanon. Pioneers of Dakota county, Neb., are holding their fifteenth annual reunion at Dakota City, with an attndance of over 5,000. Speeches and games make

up the programme. Atlantic City sends out a story of a beautiful young woman of Pittsburg whose hat, which was ornamented with a diamond buckle, was blown into the sea by a puff of wind, and was brought ashore by a faithful dog as the owner was mingling her salt tears with Nep-

Union of the Nineteeth Illinois district Charleston. Burglars robbed the postoffice and several stores at Lena. O., but secured only a small amount of money.

The Woman's Christian Temperance

Apples are so abundant in Maine this season that fine red Astrakans are being given to cattle in the neighborhood of Lewiston. The Chinese authorities have decided not to grant any more passports for the present to European-travelers de-

Edward F. Taylor, until recently

cashier of the Citizen's bank at Norman, O. T., is under arrest on a charge of falsifying his accounts. The Jerseyville., Ills., Journal has been purchased by J. M. Page, proprietor of the Jersey County Democrat, who will discontinue its publication. During a fight at Kilbourne, Ark.

sirous of entering Thibet.

David and Joseph McKee, father and son, were killed by J. C. Wilson, who was mortally wounded. Members of the Newhouse family from Rush, Marion, Henry and Madison counties, Ind., held a reunion at

The Mexican government is making an effort to extradite Santa Teresa, the Mexican "faith healer," from El Paso

In front of the First national bank of Seattle a man got into a row with his wife's divorced husband. The latter was proving himself an able fighter when the twice-wedded woman took a hand and came off best. Cartridges tested by the Roentgen

rays to show that they have been carefully loaded are offered for sale by a London gunsmith. It is proposed to substitute bamboo for ashwood for the lances of English cavalry regiments, as the ash is said to be brittle and not to be trusted in

actual warfare. A 15-months-old Jersey heifer, owned by Frank Casterline of Bazetta, O., adopted a pig, and continues to bestow her best intentions upon it.

Mombasa island on the African east coast, has just been connected with the mainland by a railroad bridge 1,700 feet long, built in three morths and a half. Hoke Smith at Atlanta.

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 7:-Hoke Smith. ex-secretary of the interior arrived here Friday morning from Lincolnton. N. C. where he had gone from Washington to meet his family, who have been summering there. tary is already installed in his old law offices in the building occupied by his newspaper, The Journal, and he, at once resume the active practice of his profession.

- Accident on the Rail.

English, Ind., Sept. 8.—An excursion train from St. Louis was wrecked at Taswell Sunday morning, either from a worn rail at a curve of from the spreading of the rails, the baggage car and three coaches jumping the track, and rolling down an embankment. The fetally injured are: John Gibson, St. Louis, William A. Kane, St. Louis.



Geo. Wyman & Co. will offer the coming season Undershirts and Drawers for men, as follows:

Hardifold Underwear. wick Underwear. Luzern Knitting Mills.

For ladies we have: The Hardifold Underwear. The Jaros Underwear.

We shall aim to keep these lines up during the season. They range in price from 250 to \$3.50.

## Hosiery.

We offer in Hose, for ladies, ed stocking we have ever seen, 25c; others at 5c and upwards.

## Dress Goods.

We offer our entire new line of Novelties in Dress Goods for the fall season.

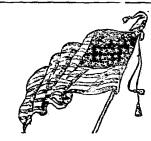
of Carpets for the fall season.

line are as cheap, if not cheaper, than they have ever been in the 36 years we have been in business.

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## BUCHANAN RECORD.

Only 166 out of a possible 575 of the weekly newspapers in Michigan are accorded a circulation in actual figures by the American Newspaper Directory for 1896, and the publishers of the Directory will guarantee the accuracy of its rating by a reward of one hundsed dollars to the first person who successfully assails it. Advertisers should note the fact that the Buchanan Recond is one of the 166 that are not afraid to let their customers know just what they are buying.



· For Governor. HAZEN S. PINGREE, For Lieutenant-Governor

For State Treasurer GEORGE A. STEEL For Anditor-General

WILLIAM A. FRENCH. of Bell, Presque Isle. For Attorney-General,

of Grand Rapids. For Superintendent of Public Instruction, JASON E. HAMMOND, of Hillsdale.

For Member of the State Board of Education JAMES W. SIMMONS.

For Member of Congress, EDWARD L. HAMILTON,

The Financial Plank. The Republican Party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879,

since then every dollar has been as good We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. . We are, therefore, opposed to the free coinage of silver, except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote, and until such agreement can be obtained, the existing, gold standard must be preserved. All our silver and paper currency must be maintained at parity with gold, and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolably the obligations of the United ... States, and all our money, whether coin or paper, at the present standard, the standard of the most enlightened nations. -Adopted by the Republican National | will be our next member of congress, lows:

OUR NEXT SENATOR.

The Senatorial Republican Convention, comprising Berrien and Cass counties, was held at Niles at 12 o'clock today. John Huff of Cass county was chairman, F. R. Gilson of Berrien was secretary. Edwin A. Blakeslee of Galien was nominated by acclamation. Congratulations, Senator Blakeslee

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

non. Edwin 8, Williams, of Niles The action of the Republican Repre sentative convention in renominating Hor, Edwin S. Williams, of Niles, is a fitting tribute to the ability of one of the best business men of our sister city of Niles. Mr. Williams was the first Republican representative we have had in sixteen years, and he had filled his position with credit to himself and his district. That Mr. Williams will be elected is conceded by every one, and he will add more credit to his record as he goes back to work for the interests of his party and his district, at

THE COUNTY TICKET. THE REPUBLICANS MAKE AN EXCEL

The Republican County Convention at Niles, last Thursday, was an exceedingly interesting one, and the ticket placed in nomination one that commends itself to all voters irrespective of party:

Hop. J. J. Van Riper for Probate Judge, was deservedly recognized by being given a re-nomination. E. H. Fergerson of Benton Harbor

for Sheriff, is a selection that means that the sheriff's office will be filled by a thoroughly capable gentleman. The nomination of our own John W.

Needham for Clerk is just what we have predicted would occur and is a good selection. For Treasurer, John Clark of Pipe-

stone will fill the position acceptably. Alfred O. French of Stevensville will carefully look after the Register's office, after election, and will do it well.

The nomination of George M. Valentine of Benton Harbor ensures the citizens of Berrien county that the Prosecuting Attorney will be a hustling oficial, and evil doers may as well "look a little out."

Then John C. St. Clair of St. Joseph and N. H. Bacon of Niles will be good Circuit Court Commissioners. C. B. Pratt of Coloma will continue

to do the county surveying as carefully as ever. Sam, Brown of Benton Harbor and Franklin Gowdy New Buffalo will be ideal coroners.

Taken all in all it's a good ticket and a sure winner.

R. W. Bird, formerly publisher of the *Enterprise* at Baroda, Mich., has All kinds of goods in our begun publication of the Star at Wa bash, Ind., a free trade organ.

The state of Vermont in 1892 had 54,168 voters and 92,239, nearly twice es many, saving banks depositors These people voted yesterday against having their deposits cut in two in actual value.—Canton (O.) Repository.

The New York Weekly Tribune of Sept. 3 is a valuable campaign document in itself. It comprises 24 pages, and contains Harrison's Madison Square Garden speech, Reed's Old Orchard speech, and McKinley's letter of ac-

A straw vote for presidential choice was taken among the employes of the National Sewing Machine Company of Belvidere, Illinois, where there are 1,246 voters engaged in the manufacture of bicycles and sewing machines. The vote was taken at the noon hour. and resulted, as follows: For McKinley, 1,224; for Bryan, 32.

The North American Review for September opens with a most interesting paper by H.s Excellency, Sir Alfred Moloney, Governor of British Houduras, entitled, "From a Silver to a Gold Standard in British Honduras," wherein is described a financial transaction unique in the history of courency, and the material benefits derived from an establishment of a country upon a gold basis.

The Sound Money Democratic Convention at Indianapolis last week placed in nomination a national ticket headed by Gen. John M. Palmer of Illinois for President, and Gen. S. B. Buckner of Kentucky for vice president. This ticket will receive much support from members of the Democratic party who are not in sympathy with the Chicago platform and indirectly will aid the chances of Major McKinley by placing many states heretofore claimed for free silver and Bryan, in the doubtful list.

The Twin Cities Mourn.

As will be seen by our dispatches and our correspondence, Benton Harbor has just been called upon to pass through another sorrow that is second only to the loss of the Chicora.

The loss of property is nothing compared to the eleven brave men who fearlessly met their death while endeavoring to protect property from destruction by the fire fiend. Buchanan extends sympathy to both St. Joseph and Benton Harbor in the great loss they have sustained.

Hon. E. L. Hamilton.

The republicans of this congressional district have placed in nomination Hon. E. L. Hamilton, of Niles, as their candidate to represent them in the next congress. No fitter man could have been named. Nursed in the cradle of republicanism he has grown to stalwart manhood in defense of the principles of the party of his choice. In the prime and vigor of manhood his gifts as an orator, coupled with his deep thought and thorough research, will give him prominence in congress nd to no new member, i is to any. Mr. Hamilton's early life was spent on a farm. He knows the wants of the great agricultural class. His sympathy is with them and his interests are identical with theirs. No man is in closer touch with all the interests of the district and all that pertains to a renewal of prosperity. His ability as a public speaker is far above the average of many of those who are

classed as orators. He will make a

thorough, aggressive and effective can-vass of the district, and whether the

conglomerate elements of the opposi-tion unite or not, Hon E. L. Hamilton

Bangor Advance,

THE NOWINATING CONVENTION.

The Republicans Meet in Niles and Enthusiastically Place in Nomination a Strong County Ticket.

work done at the Republican convention at Niles was all right and no sore spots have been left. The attendance was very large, every delegation presenting solid ranks for their favorite candidates. Promptly at the appointhour the convention was called to order by chairman F. A. Woodruff of the County Committee, who called upon Rev. L. Grosenbaugh to offer prayer. Mr. Woodruff then named Dr. H. Tutton as temporary chairman, Dr. Tutton, upon taking the chair, made a stirring address, and presided over the convention in an admirable manner. W. C. Hall of Three Oaks was selected as Secretary. The following commit-

tees were appointed: Credentials-A. L. Hammond, Benton Harbor; C. C. Hodges, New Buffa-

Permanent organization and order of business - D. H. Bower, Buchanan; G. W. Bridgman, Lake: Joseph Tenuant, Berrien; Henry L. Hess, Three Oaks D. C. Morrison, Benton Harbor. Resolutions-F. F. King, Sodus: F.

R. Gilson, Benton Harbor; L. A. Duncan, Niles; T. L. Wilkinson, Oronoko, L. C. Fyfe, St. Joseph.

mittees an adjournment was had until one o'clock. Upon re-assembling the committee

on credentials reported all delegations properly constituted. The committee on resolutions report-

The Republicans of Berrien county, in convention assembled, renew their hearty allegiance to the Republican party and its policy and principles as leclared at St. Louis and elsewhere in the conventions of 1896, and unreservedly endorse every nominee it has put in the field or who shall be hereafter named.

We congratulate the Republicans of the fourth Michigan district on the selection for Congress of that sterling and vigorous young Republican, Edward L. Hamilton, and pledge him our

united and earnest support. The committee on permanent organization and order of business reported as follows:

2. Report of committee on creden-3. Report of committee on resolu-4. Appointment of five tellers by the

5. Nomination and balloting for candidates in the following order: Judge of Probate, Sheriff, Clerk, Treasurer, Register, two Circuit Court Commisnoners, two Coroners. 6. Nominating speeches, to be limit-

ed to five minutes, and seconding speeches to one minute. The chairman of each delegation to collect the ballots of his delegation and deposit the result with the tellers. 7. Miscellaneous business.

8. Adjournment.

lers: H. F. Kingery, Buchanan; J. L. Bishop, Berrien; Wm. Plerce, Weesaw; A. L. Hammond, Benton Harbor; Van C. Garrett, Watervliet. After swearing in the various officers the convention proceeded to nom-

inate candidates for the various offices. On motion of Dr. Belknap of Niles, under a suspension of the rules.

Brooks, St. Joseph; Willard Teft, Lake; Benj. F. Earl, Niles; Alva W. Sherwood. Three Oaks. An informal ballot resulted as follows: Ferguson......114

The convention then proceeded to a formal ballot, which resulted: Ferguson..... 136 Brooks... 61

E. H. Ferguson, of Benton Harbor. having received a majority of the votes e st was declared the nominee for

sheriff, and upon motion his nomination was made unanimous. For clerk the following were placed in nomination: G. M. Dudley, Berrien Springs; Joseph R. Collier, Royalton; C. M. King, Sodus; John W. Needham, Buchanan; Carl J. Schultz. New Buf-

Needham.... **D**udle**y...** 56

Mr. Needham's friends were jubilant as their candidate lacked only eleven votes of a romination, and preparations were speedily made for the next ballot, which they were confident would result in Needham's winning out with "votes to burn." The result of the ballot showed that they had reasoned aright, as it gave the follow-

Needbam ......174 Mr. Needham's nomination was made

unanimous amid the cheers of his sup-The following telegram was received

ST, PAUL, MINN., Sept. 2.—Chairman Republican Convention, Niles, Mich.: encampment wants more business in J. E. Beal of the Ann Arbor Courier;

signal for an outbreak of cheers from the delegates. The following were placed in nomination for Treasurer: W. P. Harmon, Berrien Springs; J. F. Gard, St. Joseph; A. S. Miller, Watervliet: G. A. Correll, Bertrand: John Clark, Pipestone, The balloting for Treasurer resulted as fol-

tor, Saturday,

ma. Mr. Clark was made the unanimous H. W. Grover of Niles paid the REC-ORD office a call this morning. Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Peck of Saginav are visiting relatives in town.

Wm. Kelley of Grand Forks, N. Da kota, is visiting Buchanan friends. Mrs. E. Buckles of Walkerton, Ind. s visiting Buchanan relatives, this

Friday to visit friends, returning home Sunday.

ren, have returned to their home in

Miss Ethel Woodbridge went to Battle Creek on Friday for a days' visit with friends.

Estes in this place, this week. Mrs. Will Wilson returned to her

Mrs. Chas. Weller and niece, Miss Mary Silver, of Pokagon called on relatives and friends in Buchanan, Fri-

Frances Brown, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nims of Berrien Centre. Mrs. Edith O'Nell of Galena, Kan.,

Crawford Mr. Harvey Sharts of Cleveland, O., came to Buchanan Saturday for a few days visit with friends, returning home

Mrs. W. B. Blowers of Mansfield, Ohio, who has been visiting relatives here, will return home today, going

and Mrs. B. T. Moriey.

Chicago came Saturday for a visit with Mrs. Barnes' grandparents, Mrs. Jos. Clout of Day's avenue.

Mrs. Lloyd Bartmess and children of San Francisco, Cal., arrived in Buchanan Sunday, for a visit with Mrs. Bartmess' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hahn.

Mr. L. Wherle and family.

returned to their home in Chicago, Sat-Miss Mary Remington of Marcellus. who has been spending the summer

Mrs. Carrie Keeler of Englewood. Ill., who has been visiting relatives and friends in Buchanan and vicinity for several weeks past, left for her home

two years.

trip in the West. They will visit relatives in Iowa, and then go as far west as Washington. have been visiting the scenes of their

Mr. Allen Sparks of Leonardville.

gate from Kansas. Mr. B. Frank Bressler of the Buch-ANAN RECORD made the Palladium a pleasant call, today. He is a member of the Buchanan running team which

bor Palladium. Sept. 5. who, with Mrs. Peck, has been visiting relatives here, started for home today. Mrs. Peck will visit Detroit before returning home. Mrs. S. C. Peck of Saginaw will accompany Dr. Peck as far Inland, Neb., where she will visit rela-atives. Levi Spaulding, son of L. W. Spaulding will go to Denver with the

Miss Bessie Rose started to school at Buchanan last Monday morning. She will finish this year. Her standing was so good at the school here in this place that she was not required to take an examination before entering there. She goes to Buchanan on her wheel on Sunday evenings and comes back on Friday evenings, during the pleasant weather.—Galien Advocate.

Result of Free Trade in England. George B. Curtiss in his great Tariff his-"Protection and Prosperity", after showing in the most complete manner the origin of the Free Trade movement in England, its success and results, and giving a mass of testimony befoge the Royal commission concludes as follows:

against an economic policy. A similar condition of the working classes is not to be found in any civilized country on the face of the globe. Were the foregoing statements contained in reports of United States Consuls, or in letters written by the most trustworthy and candid protectionsts, they would be denounced and discredited discredited by every professional free trader in the world: But coming as they do, from an official report to the British parliament, from men who were held in such high esteem by the government as to appear worthy of executing such an important trust, they cannot be questioned. The report is above impeachment. The facts set forth are more appalling because they are true. "Throughout the whole kingdom, one person out of every four or five are buried by the parish." What a fact to Greeting to you all. Everyone at the S. Osborn of the Sault Ste Marie News; contemplate! "Of all who survive to the encampment, wants more business in J. E. Beal of the Ann Arbor Courier: age of seventy, one out of every three" is a pauper. Death at middle life is better

and speechless as expressions of national growth and prosperity, when the harbors from which they are sent and the country.

PERSONAL.

B. R. Desenberg is East buying goods. Louis N. Tatro was a Buchanan vis Mrs. J. Imhoff and Mrs. Harry Paul were in Niles, yesterday.

Miss Ella Hahn went to Chicago

Mr. and Mrs. V. Schram have returned from their visit with relatives in

home in Chicago, Monday afternoon, from a visit with relatives in town.

Mrs. Cecil Huntington of Parkman, Wyoming, came to Buchanan Saturday for a visit with her parents, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smee and children of Three Oaks visited Buchanan relatives over Sunday, the guests of

Mrs. W. A. Barnes and children of

vacation with relatives and friends

Mr. Leroy Garwood of Butte, Mon., is visiting his sisters. Mrs. Abel and Mrs. Jas. Case, in this township. This is his first visit to Buchanan in twentythe noon train today, for an extended

Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Vincent. who early days, the past few weeks, at North Adams, Mass., returned today. They report having had a pleasant

over Sunday. He was on his way home from the Indianapolis Democratic Convention, to which he was a dele-

visit to Benton Harbor.-Benton Har-

A Floating Hospital. Tens of thousands of child lives are than old age. Yet, even then, a pauper's grave is the lot of one out of five. No amount of accumulated wealth centered in the hands of a few, can compensate a

SUNDAY SCHOOL EVANGEL

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MORNING SESSION, 9:30.

Preparations for the Sunday School hour,

Organization and appointment of comm

Minutes of the last Convention, read l

AFTERNOON SESSION, 1:30.

Devotional exercises. Paper—How to increase attendance an

Adjourn for basket dinner at 12, m.

regulartiy at Sunday School,

Discussion

Discussion

the Secretary.

Congregational singing.

Singing.

Prayer.

?aper-

Gertrude Hall, and John J. a'Becket. Louise Chandler Moulton, Mrs. Lew Wallace, Francisque Sarcey, I. Zangwill, Agnes Repplier, Norman Kerr, M. D., H. C. Chattield-Taylor, Wm. Eleroy Curtis, Robert E. Strahorn, Colonel Tillman, and Ruth McEnery Stnart are also among the contributors to this one issue of a magazine that is sold for ten cents. Nor is this all. Among other writers not already mentioned is Camille Flammarion, who has an article on "The Wonderful New Eye of Science," which alone is worth the entire price of the magazine. The Cosmopolitan has been gradually perfecting its engraving and mechanical departments, until the publishers believe that, in the September issue, they present a number unrivalled in artistic and mechanical excellence. REV. O. J. ROBERTS. This column is open to any who has any com numication bearing upon practical Sunday School work, or has any news concerning the progress of the work. We solicit correspondence along these lines from all workers.

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Paper-How can we secure God's blessing upon our homes and Sunday School, -Why do parents remain from Sun 

including lesson helps.. E. K. Warren Miscellaneous business.

A short talk on Sunday School literature

Singing. Everybody bring Gospel Hymns Nos 1 3, 3, 4 and 5.

Sunday School Convention, Buchanan-Bertrand Township Sunday School Convention, at the Evangelical church in Buchanan, Sept. 19 and 20, 1896. Following is the program

SATURDAY AFTERNOON. 2:00—Song service.

2:20—Bible reading...Rev. J. F. Bartmess 2:40--Song. 2:40-Symposium, Why I came to this Convention, Mr. Frank White, Mr. D. H. Bower, Mr. Frank Rhodes, Mrs. Emma Estes, Mrs. Delia Scott, Mr. D. Paugborne, Mrs. E. F. Light, Mrs. Jas. K. Woods, Mr.A. C. Roe,

Mrs. W. A. Koehler, three min-

Normal Lesson: Subject, The Boo

of Esther. 3:50—Blind question box. 4:15—Boys and girls service. 4:30--Closing. SATURDAY AFTERNOON.

utes each.

7:30—Song service. 7:40—Address......Rev. F. C. Berger 8:15—Song. 8:20-Free Parliament. 8:35-Collection, Closing.

The choir, with James Baley as or-SUNDAY AFTERNOON. 2:40—Blind Question Box. Topic: Primary Work. 3:05—The relation of parents to the Sunday school.....Mr. James Case

> 3:30—Influence of Christian pupils on the non-Christian pupils, Mrs. Emma Estes 3:45—Discussion 4:00—Closing. 6:30-7:15—Union Young People' service, led by Miss Clara Hubbell. 7:30—Song service.

7:45-A Question Box, conducted by the

pastors of the town. The ones-

tions will be sent to them by mail two weeks in advance. S:20—Collection. Closing. Pastors and Superintendents are requested to specially announce this

United Brethren Conference. The annual Conference of the church of the United Brethren in Christ was held in LaGrange, Ind., beginning Sept. 2 and closing Sept. 6, Bishop Kephart of Baltimore, Md, presiding. The Conference was well attended by a large number of ministers and laymen,

who were royally entertained by the citizens of La Grange. The reports showed aggressive on the part of the church, throughout the entire Conference. Ten very promising young men were received into the ministry. Some of them received charges, while others went to college.

The iollowing appointments of the Stationing Committee were made for Building Material. Berrien District: GEO. SICKAFOOSE, P. E. Buchanan, Mission Station, J. F.

 ${f Bartmess}.$ Three Rivers. M. S., I. S. Cleaver. Goshen, M. S. J. W. Cummings. Nappanee, M. S., W. H. Northam. Sodus Circuit, C. V. Mull. Marcellus Circuit, W. Simons. Flat Bush Circuit, Louis Shaffer. Adamsville Circuit, H. Clark. Castle, M. S., J. L. Parks. Wakarusa Circuit. P. P. Kegg. Bremen Circuit, J. D. Coversone. Walkerton Circuit, J. W. Riley. Lapaz Circuit, R. E. Kauffman. Berrien Circuit, H. H. Flory. Mt. Zion Circuit, G. S. Slusser.

Lovers of good fiction will be interested in the October number of Demorest's Magazine. In addition to a delightful installment of Robert Louis Stevenson's last novel, it contains a strong story by Gilbert Parker—"The Lone Corvette"—which is one of the best he has written,

Appropos of Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt's disagreement with his son, and the latter's marriage to a woman very much older than himself, the editor of The Cosmopbilan, in the September fissue, seriously discusses the education most useful to modern life, and substantially, if not in words, asks: "Does modern college education educate?" The September Cosmopolitan, as if to show what a magazine can do, gives four complete stories in this single number, by such noted authors as Frances Courtenay Baylor, Maurice Thompson,

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Rackliff................. 68 On motion the nomination of Mr French was made unanimous. Under a suspension of the rules at torney G. M. Valentine, of Benton Har-

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Attorney by acclamation. For County Surveyor a ballot was needed to decide between C. Byron-Pratt, of Coloma, and M. A. Earl, of Niles. It resulted in the choice of Pratt by a vote of 147 to Earl's 94. John C. St. Clair, of St. Joseph, and N. II. Bacon, of Niles, were nominated

bor, was nominated for Prosecuting

choice of the convention.

Rose..... 48

Denison..... 28

Harding ..... 29

Becraft . . . . . . . 30

Hogue..... 12

The following men were placed in

nomination for Register of Deeds: H.

for Circuit Court Commissioners For Coroners the names of Samuel Brown, of Benton Harbor, and Franklin Gowdy, of New Buffalo, were pronesed and they were declared the canditates.

After extending a vote of thanks to Niles for ber magnificent treatment of the convention, the various glee clubs for music, and the Miami Club for the use of their rooms, the Republican convention adjourned, and one of the most interesting, enthusiastic and harmonious gatherings of the Republicans of Berrien county was a thing of the

BENTON HARBOR.

From our Regular Correspondent. Sept. 7, 1896. A case of strawberries was shipped from here to Kokomo, Ind. last week. Dora Robinson will leave for Albion the last of this month to attend col-

A hundred people went from the Twin cities last Thursday to South Bend to see Bryan. The Berrien Construction Co. has advertised for teams to do grading on the St. Joseph Valley road.

How can we record the calamity that outrivals the Chicora in disaster and sorrow. The firemen's tournament of last Friday and Saturday, consisting of a parade, races, ball games. dance, hose contests, etc., closed with a firemen's benefit at the opera house, Saturday night, by local talent, after which came the horrible sequel. Fire broke out in that building shortly before midnight and gained such headway that the St. Joseph fire depart ment was called on to assist. Hose was first laid in front of the structure. but the firemen were ordered to the rear. Some of them hesitated and refused, others to the number of about twenty, rushed into the narrow allev at the back, and had just raised the ladders in place when the wall fell, carrying death and destruction to the brave firemen beneath. Six men were

and several were slightly injured by falling bricks or live wires, among whom was John E. Barnes. The list of dead at this time is as follows: ST. JOSEPH. BENTON HARBOR Arthur C. Hill John Hoffman, Lewis Hoffman, Frank Watson,

Edward H. Gange,

Scott Rice, Frank Seaver, Thomas Kidd, Robert Rofe. William McCormick. Frank Woodley. The body of Thomas Kidd was taken to Chicago by boat Sunday night for interment. The funeral of the other five belonging to this city will be held

Will Mittan,

parlment by the city. a father's care. John Hoffman had a fearful wound in the back of his head and lived but a few minutes. Will Mittan was crushed instantly and is almost unrecognizable, as are some of

the others. Most of the men carried insurance and the total amount on the twelve is about \$12,000. The opera house has long been considered unsafe, and one of the walls bulged out about a foot in the middle. It was begun as a store and afterwards finished as an opera house. The whole city is in mourning, flags are at half

displayed everywhere. All business places close today from 10 a.m. to 5 Another fire that threatened to be a serious one broke out Tuesday night at the furniture store of Edick & Peck. After a hard fight the fire was subdued, the loss amounting to about \$4,500,

covered by insurance.

Michigan Press Association, The annual meeting of the Michigan Press Association was held at Detroit, Tuesday, Sept. 8. The following offiers were elected: celona Herald: Vico President, H. J. Stevens of Houghton, of the Peninsula News Bureau; Secretary, C. T. Fair-

tion were elected, as follows: Fred Slocum of the Caro Advertiser; Chas. line with Vermont. Have enjoyed C. G. Swensberg of the Grand Rapids rest long enough. Three cheers for Herald: H. C. Blackman of the Hills-Herald; H. C. Blackman of the Hillsdale Democrat; Mrs. T. S. Applegate of the Adrian Times, and L. A. Sher-

> After the meeting a brief outing to Cleveland, Buffalo and Niagara Falls was taken, the party returning on the Grand Trunk railroad.

D. Rackliff, Benton; R. M. Hogue, Sodus; C. M. Becraft, Watervliet; Otis Harding, Niles township; S. A. Denison, Galien; Howard Rose, Niles; A. O. French, Lincoin. The ballots were: 1st 2d French...... 77 115 161

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith and child-

Mrs. W. M. Cassell and Miss Alice Cassell of St. Louis, Mo., are visiting Geo. Hanley and family. Mrs. C. Cottrell of Vassar, Mich., is visiting her daughter. Mrs. Emma

Mrs. Sarah B. Smith has gone to Jackson, where she will assist Mrs. Wm. Chamberlain at the state prison. Mrs. E. C. Bradley of New York City who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Emma Estes, has returned home.

Mrs. S. L. Kingery and niece, Miss

came to Buchanan Monday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S.

deceased and from the various lodges

of an anchor and the Benton Harbor

Mrs. Ed. Benedict and son, George who have been visiting Mrs. Bendict's parents. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Richards,

Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Mansfield left, on

Kansas paid his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sparks of Buchanan, a visit

took a second prize in the firemen's tournament yesterday. It is his first

be long deferred, may be liberal enough to stimulate fair activity in trade and Never was such an indictment framed

nation for such a condition of the masses. A vast commerce, innumerable ships visitwhose flag flies at their mast head, are pleading for work,

The Modern Woodmen attended the funeral of John N. Hoffman, where Rev. J. H. Bicknell officiated, and then proceeded to the home of Lewis Hoffman, where Rev. W. P. French conducted the exercises. Rev. W. E. Brooks officiated at the home of Scott

public exercises. The procession formed on Main street and marched in the following order to the school yard:

Tlatoon of Police.
Frazell's Band.

Mayor and Visiting Councilmen in Carriages.
City Council in Carriages.
Platoon of Police.
Chicago Firemen.
Memphis, Tenn., Firemen.
Miles Firemen.
Dowagiac Firemen.
Elkhart Firemen.
St. Joseph Firemen.
Benton Harbor Firemen.
Benton Harbor Firemen.
St. Joseph Woodmen.
Coloma Woodmen.
Watervliet Woodmen.
Buchanan Moodmen.
Stevensville Woodmen.
Benton Harbor Woodmen.
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partment, after which Rev. Geo. B. Simons offered prayer. The choir sang "In the Sweet Bye and Bye" and Rev. L. W. Earl offered prayer.

fire department placed a pretty floral tribute apon each casket. Each was a trumpet of white flowers with myrtle handles, A handsome floral offering was received from the Fire Extinguisher Manufacturing Co., of Chicago. It

ganist, consisted of Dr. R. A. Kneeland, Fred Null, Mrs. J. N. Reed and Mrs, Geo. C. Dickenson. Several ladies fainted in the crowd. during the services. The procession, after the services, formed again in about the same order as before and marched to the funeral

men were interred,

It is Ellsworth's Now. Notable Change in the Dry Goods Line in South Bend. Mr. F. D. Ellsworth today became sole proprietor of the Rose & Elsworth dry goods store, 113 and 115 North Michigan street, having purchased all of the Rose and Morey interests in the business of the firm. On and after this date the store will be known as

building now occupied. Mr. Elsworth had previously been in business alone a number of years. He will conduct the business on a stricity cash basis and all charge accounts will be limited

Dr. George P. Morey, who represent-

ed the Rose and Morey interests in the

business, will remain a resident of

South Bend, -South Bend Tribune,

R. G. Dun & Co's Weekly says: There is a distinct increase of confidence, due largely to the continuing and heavy imports of gold, which have put an end to monetary anxiety, and also to political events, which are closely watched. While it does not yet start more mills and factories than are closing for want of work, it crops out in heavy speculative purchases of pig iron, wool, and other materials, by experienced men who believe that revival of business is not far off, and for the first time in nearly two months a slight upward turn appears in prices of manufactured products. In money markets, actual receipts of \$6,211,205 gold already, with total engagements including these of \$24,600,000, have caused a decided change, so that much more is done in commercial loans though rates are still high; 8 per cent being quoted for the very best manufacturing paper. The outgo of the interior was about \$3,250,000 more than receipts. The gain in confidence and in wilingness to lend and invest gives reason to hope that the necessary re-

plenishment of stocks, mhich cannot

saved in New York City every year through the good work of St. John's Guild, the Children's Aid Society, and similar or genizations. St. John's Guild does the most extensive summer work among the children. From June till the last of September the great Floating Hospital of the Guild makes daily trips through the bay and out into the ocean, stopping at the Seaside Hospital on the south side of Stat en Island to take aboard small convales cents and leave the small patients who take their places. The magnitude of the work will be appreciated when it is known that nearly six thousand mothers and children were given the benefit last season of medical treatment in the Floating Hospital and the pure exhibitating salt breezes of These children are gathered from the



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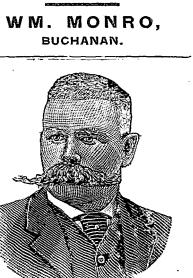
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ROSCOE D. DIX. of Berrien Springs For Commissioner of the State Land Office,

Last Thursday was a red letter day in county Republican politics, and the

Io; Frank Napier, St. Joseph.

. After the appointment of the com-

ed as follows:

We believe the present supreme test of true Republicanism is the elector's intention to vote for our able, honored and representative leader, William Mc-Kinley for President of the United

1. Temporary organization to be made permanent.

After the report had been adopted the chair appointed the following tel-

Hon, J. J. Van Riper was renominated for Judge of Probate, by acclamation, On the roll call of townships the following were placed in nomination as candidates for the office of Sheriff: E. H, Ferguson, Benton Harber; James

Teft.... 35

falo. The first ballot resulted as follows:

and read at this point of the proceed-ROSCOE D. DIX. your nominees.

The reading of the telegram was the

in this place, returned home Friday killed instantly, three died soon after, and two so badly injured that one died yesterday afternoon and the other's recovery is doubtful. Two were on an adjoining roof and were struck dead by an electric wire that came down,

at the Methodist church this afternoon at 2 p. m., followed by interment in the new Crystal Springs cemetery, in the new lct recently given the fire de-The death of John Hoffman and Will Mittan seem especially sad, as this leaves eleven children, only two of whom are over ten years old, without

mast, and black and white bunting is

President, L. E. Slusser of the Manfield of the Eaton' Rapids Journal; Treasurer, W. J. Hunsaker of the Detroit Journal. Delegates to the National Conven-

man of the Port Huron Times. The Association now numbers 175 members, and has \$400 in the treasury. Twenty new members were voted in at this meeting.

Miller ..... 85 83 Gard...... 58 57 53 Correll..... 51 41° 20 20 Harmon ...... 35 28 1 On motion of A. S. Miller, of Colo-

The Firemen's Funeral. (From Tuesday's Palladium.) The funerals of the heroes of the Benton Harbor fire were held with impressive services on Tuesday afternoon

at 2 o'clock. The Knights of the Maccabees conducted the funeral services of William Mittan, assisted by Rev. L.

Rice and Rev. Geo. B. Simons at the home of Frank Woodley. From these five simple home services five hearses carried the remains to the central school yard, where several thousand people gathered to attend the

Devotional exercises...Rev. Chas. Herring Paper-The Work of the Holy Spirit in the Sunday School.....Geo. Roberts Discussion. Paper-Who ought to go to Sunday School and why?.....Mrs. Frances Schlappi Discussion Singing. Paper—How can we secure conversition

Benton Harbor Woodmen Citizens in Carriages. The services were opened by the shoir, who sang "Rock of Ages." Rev. W. E. Brooks offered prayer and the choir sang again, "Jesus Lover of My Soul." Rev. J. H. Bicknell read the scriptural lesson and at the close Rev. W. P. French delivered an impressive funeral sermon—a sermon that will be long remembered by the throng of people who heard his helpful words. Rev. M. S. Woodruff made a few remarks and read a letter of sympathy from the chief of the Elkhart fire de-

The pall bearers were composed of firemen, Modern Woodmen and Knights of Maccabees. The caskets were covered with beautiful floral tributes from friends of the

The St. Joseph fire department sent

a beautiful floral offering in the form

and the fire department.

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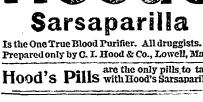
city's highways and byways by the Guild's workers; earnest, self-sacrificing women and men who spend of their time in the hot streets and sweltering tenements of the slums, searching out the little sufferers. The mother is given a card to one the Guild's physicians, who ascertains cacurately the child's condition; for ther are many more applicants than can be tak-en, and the aim of course is to care for those children who most need the care. If upon examination the child is found ill or weak enough for treatment, its mother if given a card of admission to the Floating Hospital.—From "Summer Aid for Helpless Children", in Demorest's Magazine for September,

se lines from all workers. Sunday School Convention. GALIEN TOWNSHIP. Program for the Sunday School Convention to be held at Olive Branch church, Sept. 13, 1896:

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BUCHANAN RECORD.

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#### Buchanan Markets.

Hay-\$7 @ \$9 per ton. Lard-100, retail. Salt, retail-\$1.00 Flour-\$3.60@\$4.00 per bbl. Honey-126. Live poultry-514@6c. Butter-12120. Eggs-8c. Wheat-55c. Oats -21c

Corn-250 Clover Seed-Rve-24c. Beans-\$.80@1.00 Live Hogs-\$2.75

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The RECORD is pleased to announce that we can offer the following special offers for campaign purposes for a limited time only, so if you are interested don't delay but act at once:

The BUCHANAN RECORD and The Weekly Inter Ocean, 1 year, \$1.35 The New York Weekly Tribune,

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Democratic Caucus.

A Democratic caucus will be held at John C. Dick's office on Saturday, Sept. 12, 1896, at 3 o'clock P. M. for the purpose of electing delegates to the County convention to be held at Niles, Sept. 15, 1896, and also to elect delegates to the Representation gates to the Representative convention yet to be called, and transact such other business as may properly come

> F. A. STRYKER, J. W. BEISTLE, CHAS. BLODGETT, Township Committee.

Frank Munson has been granted a patent upon an improved heating

Mrs. Frank Munson has bought out the bakery department of Mr. J. F. Crotser's grocery.

The LaPorte county Agricultural Association hold their annual fair Sept. 22-25, at LaPorte, Ind.

Born, at the residence of H. N. Mowres in this place, to Dr. and Mrs. Lester Peek, Thursday morning last, a girl.

Quite a number of Buchanan Maccabees went to Benton Harbor Tuesday to attend the funeral of Wm. I. Mittan who was a member of the Buchanan

All bicyclists who intend participating in the parade at the Sunday school rally Saturday, will meet in front of C. Bishop Grain Co's warehouse, on Day's avenue, and report to Miss Elsie

Mrs. Bertha Roe, who has formerly done baking for C. D. Kent and J. F. Crotser, is now in the bakery business for herself, having bought out the business of F. E. Batchelor, and will be glad to see all who are in need of anything in this line.

The Benton Harbor Evening News, in speaking of the ball game of last Friday, says of Silver's pitching: Silver seemingly had the Blues at his mercy all the time and they played a listless, rotten game with but one or two exceptions, notably Graham and

Dr. F. H. Berrick has recovered his health so rapidly since undergoing the recent operation, that he has resumed his practice and has a card to that effect in our local columns. We are pleased to learn that the doctor has gained so rapidly.

Invitations are out to the marriage of Jennie June, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Carothers, to William Henry Grimes of Battle Creek. The ceremony will take place, Tuesday evening of next week, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Carothers on Portage St.

Niles deserves great credit for the noble manner in which her delegation came to the support of Buchanan's candidate for County Clerk, at the re cent Republican' Convention, and the RECORD desires to take this opportunity, upon the behalf of Mr. Needham and his friends, to thank Niles for the solid support given our candidate, and to promise that when the opportunity offers. Buchanan will be only too glad to reciprocate.

A telegram was received here announcing the death, on Thursday evening, of Mrs. Mary V. Nicholson, at her home in Valentine. Neb., of dropsy. caused by heart trouble. Her funeral occurred at Valentine, Saturday afternoon. She was a daubgter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sparks of this place. She was born here and had spent the most of her life in this vicinity, going to Nebraska but a fewlyears ago.

Berrien County Battalion. The tenth aunual reunion of the Berrien County Battallion will be held in Galien, Sept. 16 and 17, 1896. The Camp Fire will be held in the evening of the 16th. Short speeches by Col. Ward of Benton Harbor, and others. Band and vocal music will enliven the welcome, at 10:30, by E. A. Blakeslee, response by Col. R. D. Dix. Dinner. complementary to the Old Veterans, at 12 m. Oration at 2 p. m. by James O'Donnell of Jackson and Department Commander Shakespeare of Kalamazoo.

to come and hear the old soldiers and J. GRAHAM., President, D. W. SWEM, Secretary.

A cordial welcome is extended to all

Camp Fire in the evening of the 17th.

# FIRST NATIONAL BANK, FOUR PER CENT

**BUCHANAN, MICH.** 

CAPITAL AND SURPLUS \$65,000. RESPONSIBILITY \$1,500,000.

INTEREST PAID ON TIME DEPOSITS

Drafts and Exchange made on all points, and a General Banking Business Transacted.

HERBERT ROE, CASHIER.

almost unanimously to greet Mr. John

W. Needham who was nominated for

County Clerk at the Republican Coun-

ty Convention at Niles, last Thursday,

The McKinley and Hobart club of

this place started the ball rolling, by

an old-time reception at the residence

of Mr. B. F. Needham, the father of

ing of last week, and the result more

than exceeded the highest anticipations

of the most sanguine. The house had

been handsomely decorated with flags

and bunting and illuminated with lan-

terns. At an early hour the crowd be-

gan to gather, and soon filled the house

and spaceous lawn to overflowing, with

to congratulate John upon his success

A feature of the reception was a club

of young ladies who marched to the

house, wearing big white ribbon badges

with the legend, "We Need M" and

"We're for Needham, you can tell;

A. A. Worthington made a neat ad-

dress of welcome, followed by I. L. H.

Dodd who gave the crowd some good

Republican doctrine. Mr. C. W. Noble

acted as master of ceremonies. The Baird

quartette, the Valley City quartette, and

behalf of those "who could'nt vote, but

After giving three rousing cheers

and a "tiger" for the entire Republican

ticket and for Buchanan's candidate.

the crowd congratulated Mr. Needham

The Dead Firemen.

We republish, from the Palladium,

the obituaries of two of the victims of

the recent horror at Benton Harbor.

The two men were formerly residents

JOHN HOFFMAN.

John Hoffman, foreman of the Morton

Hose Company, who leaves a wife and

John N. Hoffman was 39 years old, Aug. 23, and was born in Millersburg,

Pa., in 1857, where he married Lauanda Zerbe, July 29, 1879. He had work-

ed for Spencer & Barnes ten years.

WILL MITTAN,

the seventh victim, was 35 years old

was employed in Spencer & Barnes'

One of the saddest deaths is that of

of Buchanan:

six children.

We can't vote, but we can yell!"

carrying a banner inscribed,

at the Convention.

that offered itself.

Dr. E. O. Colvin has removed his of- An Ovation to the Next County Clerk. fice from over Kent's grocery, to the rooms over Carmer & Carmer's store.

The McKinley and Hobart club meeting last evening was well attended, the hall being so crowded that many had to stand during the entire evening. Mr. Freeman Franklin delivered a masterly speech, during the delivery of which he was frequently Mr. John W. Needham, Friday evened excellent music. Over fifty names were secured towards the formation of a marching club. Mr. Lewis Paul will be glad to enroll the names of any who wish to join the club.

Cass County Ticket. Cass county Republicans, last week, both ladies and gentlemen, who called placed the following ticket in nomina-

Judge of Probate-L. B. Des Voignes. Sheriff—N. J. Crosby. Clerk—Leslie Green. Treasurer-Norris Richardson. Register of Deeds-E. M. Lindsley.

Prosecuting Attorney—C. M. Eby. Surveyor—Fred E. Smith. Circuit Court Commissioners-Jos. R. Edwards, Andrew J. Smith. Coroners—Dr. C. W. Morse, Dr. A. And yell they did, at every opportunity

Reresentative—L. E. Wood.

Real Estate Transfers.

Chas. S. Pearson, to Arnold W. Pierce, 20 acres in Weesaw township,

the Niles Glee club sang some jolly John G. Holmes and wife to Melinda campaign songs, Mrs. Baird having Susan, property in Buchanan, \$50. composed one for the occasion. Very Abram U. Myers to Edward Bennett, pleasing instrumental music was renproperty in Chikaming township, \$250. dered by a quartette. Miss Georgie Frank L. Beaver to Wm. W. Snyder | Emery made a bright little speech on

and, property in Niles, \$400. Emma W. Robinson and Sam. Wil- could yell", and her speech was apber to Nathaniel Heath, property in plauded to the echo. the city of Niles, \$500

Received Their Certificates.

The Board of Examiners for Berrien county have issued certificates to the and wished him all manner of success successful teachers who were examin- in November, and departed for their ed at St. Joseph, Aug. 21 and 21. The homes. Buchanan teachers are, as follows: Second Grade-H. C. Eisle, F. G. Lewis, Laura Haggart, Lillie M. Abell. Third Grade-May Brewer, Emma Grover, Carrie Williams. Edith Beards-

ley, Nellie Fast, May Zerbe. There are now seventy-two second grade certificates held in the countythe largest number on record.

Marriage Licenses. Amel Herring, 34, St. Joseph; Lydia Cole, 21, Coloma. Frank C. Thomas, 32, Chicago; Belle Nisbelt, 24, same.

Clark Bristol, 52, Battle Creek; Martha His oldest child is 16 years of age. He Ann Richerson, 35, Buchanan, was insured for \$2,000 in the Modern Nickson Conner, 23, Hartford: Kittie Woodmen. His parents are both dead. Lee, 23, Wateryliet.

Ulrie J. Breaudry, South Bend; M. Lil lian Parmenter, 20, Niles. and leaves a wife and five children. He Henry Eisner, 28, Chicago; Bertha Trapp, 26, same. IJohn C, Mitterbarger, 24, Royalton Leonia V. Rutledge, 23, Bainbridge.

Harry Stowe, 27, Niles; Bertha Taylor.

"Bert." Bower, editor of the Bucii-Maccabees, Buchanan. ANAN (Mich.) RRCORD, carries the names of McKinley and Hobart and the other Republican candidates, at the head of his newspaper column. "Bert's" training in the Republican Newburgh Journal office evidently made a lasting political impression upon him .- Newburgh (N. Y.) Jourral. We thoroughly appreciate the kind words coming as the do from our old a fever, and had just returned from a office, and always cherish a warm spot her husband's death until 6 o'clock in our memory for "the boys" with whom Sunday morning. we passed so many pleasant years. We cannot. however, refrain from stating, that although we imbibed much good political training from the years spent in the Journal office, yet our Republicanism is a family inheritance, the writer's father having been editor of the Williamsport (Pa.) Gazette and a "died in the wool" Republican, way back in the '50s, "before the war", and who gave his life to uphold the stars and stripes. The writer has a distinct recollection, during the Greeley campaign of 1872 of aiding his older brother, a lad of 13 years, in forcibly converting a democratic cousin, of the same age, into an ardent supporter of Grant.

#### THE RALLY.

A GOOD TIME ANTICIPATED. Preparations are rapidly going on for the Sunday School Rally, next Saturday. All the schools are taking hold of the matter with a will, and every

indication points to a big turnout. The Niles band has been secured for the parade and the Niles schools will Bertrand delegations will arrive by wagon about a quarter to eleven and the procession will move promptly at eleven. The program and line of march was published in last week's RECORD, and will be carried out practically as

Every one is requested to decorate

The Republican county ticket nominated at Niles is all right, from top to bottom. Judge Van Riper's re-nomination gives wide-spread satisfaction. He lers. Mr. Hinman was elected to sucprosecutor and the rest of the ticket is composed of excellent material. There isn't a weak spot on the ticket, and it will be elected by a rousing majority.

—Benton Harbor Palladium.

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Strongest Bank in Southwestern Mich.

Remember we receive deposits from \$1.00 upward in our Savings Bank Department. Start an account and watch it The citizens of Buchanan turned out

Director's salary ...... \$100 Incidentals for repairs, etc..... 300

journed. Church Notes.

Rev. J. F. Bartmess will preach the U.B. church next Sunday. METHODIST.

The Michigan M. E. Conference will convene at Lansing, next Wednesday.

CHRISTIAN. welcome the sister who united with us

last Sunday morning. J. J. Roe now has full charge of the music in the Sunday school. That means success. Those who can answer all the question on "First Thing". will be recommended by the superintended. The senior Bible class must not take the banner for attendance, always. They had better look to their laurels. The young men are in the lead in offerings. Twenty new volumns for the Sunday school library will soon be here. What is your review question for next Sunday? We certainly had a Sunday school boom,

last Sunday. Keep it going. Rev. Wm. Roe preached at Galien, last Sunday. The pastor preached at Hill's Corners, at 3:30 p.m.

A WALKOVER.

AT THE REPRESENTATIVE CONVEN-TION TUESDAY. If every candidate for a place on a ticket had as easy a time as had our representative to the State legislature in the representative convention at Niles on Tuesday, no one would lose any sleep before the convention. At the appointed hour the convention assembled in Bullard's hall at Niles on Tuesday afternoon. Henry L. Hess of Three Oaks, called the assemblage to order and read the call. The committee named Geo. W. Noble of Buchanan as chairman, and their selection was confirmed. Carmi R. Smith, of Niles. was elected Secretary. After listening to a rousing speech by Hon. W. G Cochrane, speaker of the House of Representatives of Illinois, the conven tion proceeded to business. Major L. A Duncan, of Niles, in a very able speech presented the name of Hon. E. S. Williams, of Niles, as candidate for representative. H. L. Hess, of Three Oaks, supported the nomination and

factory, and came here from Buchanan when the factory came. He has been with the company nine years. He resided in the Winans row on Morton Hill next door to John Hoffman, another of the dead men. Mr. Mittan was a member of the Knights of the William C. Mittan is the oldest of family of ten brothers and one sister. and was born in Buchanan, in 1861. There he was married to Minnie Chase in 1886. He carried \$1,000 insurance. His father and mother still live near Buchanan. His family are as yet un-

Annual School Meeting. Quite a large number of citizens at-

reside. Mrs. Mittan is very sick with

tended the school meeting at the High School Building on Monday evening. The meeting was called to order by Moderator D. E. Hinman and Director W. F. Runner made the following re-TEACHER'S WAGES ACCOUNT. Sept. 2, 1895. On hand...... \$1482.18 Total receipts...... 4364.66

Sept. 5, 1896, Balance on hand . . \$1189.34 JANITOR'S ACCOUNT. Sept. 3, 1895, On hand...... \$ 23.12 Receipts..... 375.00 Sept. 5, 1896, balance on hand.... \$ 11.62 INCIDENTAL ACCOUNT. Sept. 2, 1895, On hand...... \$ 77.28 Sept. 5, 1896, Overdraft..... \$115.82 FUEL ACCOUNT.

Expenditures ..... 294.11 Sept. 5, 1896, Overdraft..... \$ 8.02 REPAIR ACCOUNT. 

Total balance in treasury including all Funds.....\$1089.14

After the adoption of the reports the election of trustees was held. The

High School building. It was decided that 38 weeks should constitute the school term. The appropriations made were as follows:

# if left three months or longer, at

## RESPONSIBILITY \$500,000.

We solicit your account, whether large or small.

W. C. EDWARDS, Cashier.

Sept. 22 to 25. On motion the meeting then ad-

UNITED BRETHREN.

Claude B. Roe will sing a solo, next Sunday morning. Do not forget to

HON. EDWIN S. WILLIAMS, OF NILES RENOMINATED BY ACCLAMATION

moved to make the nomination by ac- \$8,000 IN PREMIUMS AND PURSES. clamation. D. H. Bower, on behalf of Buchanan, also seconded the nomination of r. Williams and supported the motion of Mr. Hess. The motion was then carried unanimously by a rising vote. The old members of the representative committee were reappointed. viz: H. L. Hess, Three Oaks: E. L. Hamilton, Niles; Thomas Mars, Berrien Centre. There being some time by the officers of the society. The to spare a number of short speeches grounds will be open for the reception E. S. Williams, George W. Noble, Thos. | pressed that exhibitors will be prompt I. Babcock, J. K. P. McCollough and the several departments may be pre-

Mr. Cochran, after which the conven-sentable upon the day of opening. tion adjourned. An interesting event not down on the program occurred at the city hall just before the hose teams left for the races, this afternoon. It was the presentation of the \$35 ball nozzle to the million dollars worth of property in Buchanan racing team by the Ameri- the shape of orange groves and pinecan Ball Nozzle Company of New apple plantations As it took a number of years to bring these groves up to York, through the agency of Mr. J. A. a bearing point the loss was the most Crawford. It was a beautiful gift and severe. Any other state meeting with made all the boys' eyes dance as they | such a disaster would have to call for saw this prize go to the Buchanan

yesterday's race.—Saturday's Benton Harbor Palladium. Good Words from Niles. For Clerk, John W. Needham of Buchanan was nominated. Every one in this part of the county knows John. He is bright, well educated and will

be a worthy successor to the present incumbent, F. A. Woodruff.-Niles Sun. To a Star reporter, Mr. Needham expressed his appreciation for the assistance of the Niles delegates, and said their kindness would not be forgotten, and from a personal acquaintance with the young man, we are of the same opinion.—Niles Star.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich.. for the week ending Sept. 7, 1896: Miss Clara Winters, Minerva Price, Irvon Case, Mr. Thomas Hurstag Call for letters advertised.

· John C. Dick, P. M.

In a recent letter to the manufacturers Mr. W. F. Benjamin, editor of the Speculator, Rushford. N. Y., savs: "It may be a pleasure to you to know the high esteem in which Chamber-lain's medicines are held by the people of your own state, where they must be best known. An aunt of mine, who resides at Dexter, Iowa, was about to visit me a few years since, and before leaving home wrote me, asking is they berlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism lame back, pains in the side and chest, and Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy for bowel complaints. These medicines have been in constant use in Iowa for almost You can secure this with a full explana quarter of a century. The people ation of the cause, nature and extent have learned that they are articles of your disorder free of charge by en-

The Dowagiac Fair will be held, The W. C. T. U. will serve tea, coffee. sandwiches and cake, on the school

Regular meeting of Sylvia Chapter No. 74, O. E. S., will be held in Masonic Hall. Wednesday evening, Sept.

house grounds, Sunday school rally

16, 1896. MRS. DELIA SCOTT, W. M.

MISS C. R. WILLIAMS, Sec. Dr. Berrick has so far recovered his health as to resume his business. All who are desirous of securing his service, may find him at his home or at his office, in Mrs. Berrick's millinery

Jaxon Soap hurts no fabric.

Between South Bend and Buchanan or at bicycle track, a solid gold open face watch. Finder will be liberally rewarded upon returning same to

RECORD,office. For a good meal, go to Arthur's Restaurant.

AUCTION.

I will hold myself in readiness to do any and all kinds of auction work. Leave orders with J. C. Wenger, or at C. H. Baker's store, or write for terms. H. A. HATHAWAY, Deputy Sheriff, Buchanan, Mich.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell excursion tickets to Dowagiac, Sept. 22 to 25 inclusive, good for return Sept. 26th, at one and one-half cents per mile each way for the round trip. Account of Dowagiac Union Fair. A. F. Peacock. The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell excur-

are for the round trip, plus 50c for admission coupon to State Fair.

sion tickets to Grand Rapids, on Sept.

7 to 11 inclusive, limited to return

Sept. 12th, at one first class limited

The new Gallery beats them all for fine work and low prices. ELSON. Artist.

Opposite Hotel. W. H. KELLER, Groceries, Fruit. and Confectionary, at Scott's old stands Buchanan, Micb.

Send a 2 cent stamp for a handsome se f Jaxon Soap pictures. From all accounts Chamberlain Cough remedy is a Godsend to the afflicted. There is no sdvertisement about this: we feel just like saying it. The Democrat, Carrollton, Ky. For sale by Barmore, the Pruggist.

Competion is open to the world, and everybody invited to compete without charge for entries, except live stock and speed departments. Exhibitors of all sections are cordially invited to compete for the premiums offered, and insist in making a large and fine exhibit, with the assurance that every facility will be placed at thair disposal were made to the convention by Hon. of exhibits, Sept. 5, and the hope is ex-Mars, E. A. Blakeslee, C. R. Smith, W. in getting their displays in shape that

> Apply to A. W. BYERS, Sec. FLORIDA'S FREEZE. Every one of our readers has heard about the terrible freeze that swept across the southern part of the United States the winter of '94 and '95. and how it destroyed over one hundred

outside aid; but the citizens of Florida boys who won it by taking second in living, are again building up their went to work and besides making a groves and plantations. Those interested in how this is being accomplised should read the advertisement of the Florida Agriculturist in another column. This paper has been established nearly a quarter of a century and is a pioneer in all agricultural and horticultural matters. Sample copies can be secured by sending a 2-cent stamp to the publishers, E. O. Painter & Co. DeLand, Fla. The American Protective Tariff

> of Hon. W. J. Bryan and Hon. William McKinley, The document should be read by every voter. Address; W. F. Wakeman, General Secretary, 135 W. 23d Street, New York. HOOD'S PILLS cure Liver lils.

Biliousness, Indigestion, Headache.

A pleasant laxative. All Druggists.

League has inst issued document No.

59. "The Tariff", which gives extracts,

in parallel columns, from the speeches

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria. When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria. When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria. When she had Children, she gave them Castoria

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria. Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria Clairvoyant Examinations Free.

The first and most important thing for the proper understanding of and rational treatment of chronic or lingering disease of any kind, is its thorough examinations and true diagnosis. of great worth and merit, and unequaled by any other. They are for sale age, to Dr. E. F. Butterfield, Syracuse, here by Barmore, the Druggist. Sept. N. Y.

## GREAT SPECIAL SALE

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SHOE STORE.

A VERY LOW PRICE It will pay you to take advantage of this sale of

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Ladies' Shirt Waists.

Silk Umbrellas and Fancy Parasols. The price on these goods will be greatly reduced for the next 10 days. Come early and get

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the cream of the bargains.

Is not robbery. We do not claim to give you Gold

Dollars for 50 cents, but we do have the SHOES

for every dollar expended with us. G. E. SMITH & CO.

That please you, and guarantee to give 100 cents

THE NEW FIRM.



E.S.ROE.

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REMNANTS OF DRESS GOODS. Hundreds of ends from 3 to 8 yards, suitable Children's School Dresses, VERY CHEAP. BLA K MOHAIR. WRAPPERS. We are overstocked on wrappers. We will sell them at a loss. \$1.75 and \$1.50 quality for ......990 OUTING SUITS.

GLYCERINE BUTTERMILK SOAP, a box of three cakes, 9c. GROSSMAN'S-

BLACK SILK BELTS, with silver plated buckle, given away for......10c

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hase or anborn's Seal Brand Java & Mocha Best Coffee grown mthe World Perfection of strength & flavor

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Guaranteed absolutely purc-

#### their stores and residences in honor of the occasion and then, after decorat-Sept. 5, 1896, balance on hand.... \$12.02 ing, to turn out and witness the exercises. Saturday is the day.

occasion. Business meeting at 10 o'clock on Thursday, the 17th. Address of welcome at 10:30 by E. A. Blakeslee occasion. Business meeting at 10 o'clock is just the man for Judge of Probate. Ceed himself on the third ballot. Dr. Were sold here, stating if they were not she would bring a quantity with her, as she did not like to be without Sheriff. John W. Needham of Buchanan, will be a wideawake, capable place of M. M. Knight for a term of 3 them." The medicines referred to are Clerk. John Clark of Pipestone is one | years. It required two ballots to elect Clerk. John Clark of Pipestone is one of the best esteemed farmers of Ber- E. W. Sanders to succeed himself for 2 for its cures of colds and croup; Chamrien county and will fill the office of years, and the same number of ballots Treasurer with ability. Alfred O. to elect C. B. Treat for one year in French is another estimable farmer who will bring like capability to office place of himself. On motion the anof Register. George M. Valentine will nual school meeting was ordered held make a faithful and efficient public at half past seven in the evening at the

chair appointed Messrs. G. W. Noble, J. C. Wenger, and J. G. Holmes as tel-

THE FROG'S PARTY.

[Copyright, 1896, by Walter B. Guild, Roston.] CHAPTER III.

The king blew again on his whistle, and the frogs gave grave attention. "Who will run a race," said the king, "with our guest, the magically initiated Boy Mortal?" Twenty-seven of the strongest and swiftest ranners leaped from their seats, and immediately we all arose from the table. Those of us who were to take part in the race formed quickly at the starting point, and at a



Some of them forgot and began to jump. word from the king we were off. Frogs, when it comes to running, are by no means very speedy, and in their excitement, because I was gaining so fast, some of them forgot and began to jump. Of course with those who jumped I was nowhere, but with the runners I came in far ahead. The jumpers, on account of taking unfair advantage, were obliged to forfeit all claims to the race.

Felinus told the king that the Boy Mortal was able to get to the queen's palace gate, five miles away, as soon as his fastest jumpers.

It seemed that every frog prince, princess, count, duke, gardener or glove washer wanted to enter this race.

chance and might have one jump before I started. At the word all jumped a jump of nearly fifty feet, and while they were in

the air Felinus said, "Drop on my back quick and hold on." wings we were both invisible, and the way we flew over those frogs' heads made them seem almost as if they were

menced to arrive, there I sat, and Felihis right hand. Weren't those frogs surprised? Well, you can guess they did not believe their

eyes, anyway, until Felinus spoke and Towser his dinner, and he was great on said he was getting somewhat tired of catching in his mouth anything that waiting and guessed we would go back | you threw to him, I rolled up the moand bid farwcell to the king and the rest of the party. "If you will hurry back," said Felinus, "we will eat one of your fern fruits and wait there till you come. All promised rather shamefacedly to get back as soon as they could, and when they again arrived at the green corn balls. I couldn't help thinkscene of the banquet we were chatting with the king and the guests and eating some of the fern fruits. After about five minutes of pleasant

social time Felinus and I said goodby, and the two most beautiful royal frog ladies offered us their arms and escorted us beyond the hedge.

The high chief usher stood at the cat o' nine tail gateway to bow with his hand on his heart, and his frogship's most excellent trumpeter proclaimed in very loud tones:

All the frogs And pollywogs Ask you to come again. THE END.

CORN BALL TREES.

[Copyright, 1896, by Walter B. Guild, Boston.] The fairies had told mo that I was en-

tirely welcome to any of the fruit, berries, or other good things which I wanted to eat or drink in Fairyland, but that it never would do to carry any of these into the outside world, as it would cause people to ask questions, and I could not keep secret the matter of my visits to That is how it came about that the

torn ball trees gave me so much trouble. When we make corn balls, you know how sticky it will be before the sugar or molasses is boiled sufficiently, and how molasses candy that is not quite done is so soft and sticky that even butter will not prevent it from clinging to your hands. You might say that this is because the candy is not ripe enough-it needs to boil a little longer. Well, Felinus had told me that green fruit in Fairyland was no better than it was anywhere else and had shown me a ripe corn ball which grew on one of the trees in the queen's orchard.

Sometimes a ripe corn ball on the most thrifty trees in Fairyland will be as large as a man's head, and they always burst open in leaves about a quarter of an inch thick. This causes a really ripe fairy corn ball, when looked at from a distance, to appear like a giant rose. The leaves break off very much like thin corn cakes, but they are finer and better flavored. When ripe, they do not stick to your hands and are delightful to the taste.

Of course I was a boy at that time, and fruit was fruit if it looked fit to cat. Then, too, whether it was ripe or not, I was apt to eat it. So, as we flew past one of the corn ball trees, I reached out and picked a ball about the size of an apple. It locked all right, and although Felinus had warned me not to touch them until they were fully ripe still I thought that it was too bad to wait three weeks longer. The corn ball was about as hard as a green apple and did not stick to my hands at all, but the minute I took a good large bite and it became warm in my mouth you ought to have seen the fun begin.

Of course no boy wants a small bite

of corn ball or anything else. - Well, the way that corn ball stuck to ed to put up no candidate against my teeth would shame the stickiest Hartman, who followed Teller out of pitch you ever saw. It would have been fun for you to have seen me work. First, it fastened my teeth together so that it was hard to open my mouth. Then the half ripo corn ball would string from upper to lower teeth, not Herman Oelrichs did no accompany leaving either, and I would pull and trusted that something was the matter | validity of their dead father's will taand was just about to light on the op- ken as soon as possible.

posite side of Frog river, when, by using both hands. I got the corn ball to let go of my lower teeth. Meanwhile I had let go of Felinus, and plump I fell into the water. It was not deep enough to drown me, but there was no fun get-

ting wet just as I was going on a visit o the fairies Well, after I had waded out of the river and had sat down on the bank Felinus folded his wings and sat down beside me. Didn't he just laugh, though! It would have done you good to have seen him, he looked so happy and amused. There he sat on his hind legs hugging his sides for dear life. He laughed till the tears ran down his cheeks. 'Tis funny and very unusual to see a cat laugh, so Felinus did not proveke me very much. Asseen as Felinus could speak he said, "That reminds me of how you played it on old 'lowser last

Now, although the green corn ball did. not taste so good as it might, still sceing Felinus laugh so heartily made me feel



Felinus folded his wings and sat down better, and after I had struggled a few minutes more it finally came out of my mouth and stuck to my hands. "What do von know about Towser and green corn balls?" said L

"Oh," said Felinus, "I watched you long before you ever saw me; I had my wings spread so you couldn't see me, but I saw you when you took the molasses candy which was not boiled enough and when you tossed a ball of it to old Towser. You had given him some meat and pieces of cracker for his din-Felinus said all should have a fair | ner, and he caught the candy just as he would a dainty bone. I saw it all, and thought that some time you might know

how it was yourself." You see this was how it had happened. Mother was making some melasses candy and of course I didn't want to wait until it was done, for it seemed as though Of course the instant he spread his it took it an age to boil and get ripe. had brought in a dish of snow, and when mother told me to keep stirring the candy and put a little in the znow to see standing still. When the frogs com- if it was hard enough I didn't take any little teaspoonful, you can guess, but just picked up a gill dipper. I intended to have a good sized piece without waiting for ceremonies.

Well, 'twasn't hard: that was what ailed it, so as I had just been giving old lasses candy into a piece about as big as a small sized egg, and I said to Towser, said I, "Hi. Towser, old bey; catch it, Towser." The next moment it dropped into his mouth Well, you ought to have seen the time Towser had. It was just about like the time I had with the ing that when it came to green corn balls or green molasses candy it is better not to take too big a bite of either. When they are fully ripe, they are, however, as old Toby Hill used to say, "The healthiest yarb that grows."

CZAR AT BRESLAU. Royal Visitors Received by the Emperor

and Empress of Germany. Breslau, Sept. 7.-The czar and czarina have arrived. Their majesties were received at the railroad station by the Emperor and Empress of Germany, the royal princes and princesses, the chan-



THE CZARINA. cellor, Prince Hohenlohe, the minister for foreign affairs. Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, and a large number of military and civil officials.

After a cordial greeting had been exchanged between the two imperial parties, the czar inspected the guard of honor, and their majesties drove to the castle, escorted by a detachment of cavalry. The czar and Emperor William occupied the first carriage and the czarina and the Empress of Germany were in the second carriage The route to the castle was lined with troops, and the crowds of people present accorded the emperors and em-

presses an enthusiastic reception. Emperor William wore a general's uniform and the czar was dressed in the uniform of the Alexander regiment. The czar and czarina are located in the Landeshaus palace, which has been specially prepared for them. The czarina has with her her infant child, the Grand Duchess Olga, who was born in November last year. After luncheon the czar and czarina and the Emperor and Empress of Germany drove to the parade ground and wit-

nessed a grand review of the troops. All Three of the Boys Are Hearty. Kokomo, Sept. 8.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. William White, of this city, is the scene of more than usual activity since the advent of triplet boy babies a short time ago. The home receives a steady stream of visitors to see the trio of little fellows, all stout and hearty, trying to see which can do the most toward kicking the bed to pieces. They are ten weeks old now and named · after McKinley,

Hobart and Mount. Fusion Effected in Montana Omaha, Sept. 7.—The Democratic crats and Populists effected fusion Friday and divided the state ticket. The congressman was allotted to the Democrats, but the convention decid-

the Republican convention. San Francisco, Sept. 8.-Mrs Herman Oelrichs and her sister, Miss Virginia Fair, arrived from the east Sunday evening and are domiciled in the family residence at Pine and Jones streets. them, but will probably follow in a few days. Both ladies are anxious to have work and try to chew. Felinus mis- their testimony in the inquiry as to the

## OFFICER KILLS A BOY

He Was Shooting at a Man Who Assaulted Him.

TRAGEDY ON A CHICAGO STREET.

James Linhart, a 5-Year-Old Boy, Sho While Playing in Front of His Home by a Rullet Intended for Another and Dies in a Short Time-Tragedy Caused by a Crowd of Hoodlums Attacking an Officer While on Duty.

Chicaro, Sept. 8 .- In attempting to frighten off a gang of hoodlums who were bent on taking a prisoner from him Potrolman Mahoney shot and killed James Linhart, a 5-year-old child, near West Fifteenth and Jefferson streets. Monday afternoon about o'clock. The little fellow was standing in the middle of the street, down which one of the toughs was speeding, and received the bullet in the groin, the missile passing up through the abdomen and out at the left side, near the back. He clasped his hand where the bullet had struck him and toddled manfully to the door of his home, where he fell in a faint. As the child dropped to the sidewalk his mother rushed out and carried the bleeding form of the little sufferer upstairs and placed it on a bed, moaning in her sorrow, while the din of the struggle outside and the rattle of the patrol wagon and the ambulance that had been summoned added to the confusion. Mother Is Grief-Stricken.

"O, my boy, my boy, he's taken from me," wailed the grief-stricken mother. amid a chorus of cries from the other members of the family, as the little fellow, bleeding and still unconscious, was carried to the wagon to be taken to the county hospital. But the lamentations were drowned in the oaths of the hoodlums and the shouts of the police and the infuriated neighbors, for the patrol wagon that took Mahoney and his prisoner to the station and the ambulance that bore the child to the hospital left at the same time, and had to push their way through a frantic crowd of 500 or 600, who clamored for vengeance. The neighborhood is known as one of the worst for a policeman in the city. It was the rendez-vous of the Mortell and McGrath gang and a number in the crowd who took part in the affray are known as the "remnants of the Henry street gang." It is thickly populated and the least excitement always attracts a crowd. A short time before the accidental shooting of the Linhart boy Policeman Mahoney raided a gang of can-rushers in an alley between West Fourteenth and Fifteenth, Jefferson and Union streets He succeeded in catching one of the gang, a man who gave his name as Eugene Sullivan, and took him to a patrol box at Jefferson and West Fifteenth streets to call a patrol wagon. Officer Draws His Revolver.

While waiting for the wagon to arrive and struggling with Sullivan, who was trying to free himself, Mahoney was assaulted by two of Sullivan's companions, who had come to the latter's rescue armed with billies and clubs. One of them struck Mahoney on the right temple with a club, felling him to the pavement. He still clung to his struggling prisoner, however, receiving a bruise on the left side of his head in falling. Fearing that a larger number of the crowd of can-rushers. who were gathering around him, would assail him and secure his prisoner, the officer drew his revolver. At this the crowd scattered. The policeman fired at one of the men who had struck him and who was running west on West Fifteenth street. The man was about 150 feet away when the shot was fired and the policeman says that he saw no one else in that direction at the time. The Linhart boy was standing almost in front of his own home when the bullet, which missed the intended torget, struck him. He was taken as quickly as possible to the County hospital, where he died a few minutes after his arrival.

IN MEMORY OF WASHINGTON

Li Hung Chang Has a Floral Wreath Placed Upon His Bier. Washington, Sept. 8 .- One of the handsomest floral offerings ever placed upon the bier of mortal was deposited Monday by the minister of the Chinese empire. Yang Yu, upon the casket containing the remains of the immortal Washington. The emblem was in the form of a wreath, mammoth in design, and composed entirely of the rarest orchids. It was five feet in diameter, the base having sprays of bay laurel interwined with sashes of yellow, the Chinese color. It was the gift of the viceroy, Li Hung Chang. The Chinese minister chartered a special car to convey himself and the members of the legation to Mount Vernon.

It was but a brief and simple ceremony at the tomb. The portal was opened soon after the arrival of the party, and with a few words uttered in the Chinese tongue the minister himself took the great mass of flowers and laid it reverently upon the sarcophagus. It was a matter of regret with the earl, who made the purchase, that he was prevented by circumstances from depositing the offering himself. He had several days previously placed a wreath upon the bier Grant, at Riverside park, New York, and desired to perform a like office here, but the rain of Friday interfered and he intrusted the task to the representative of his government.

Escaped from State Prison. Waupun, Wis., Sept. 8 .- Richard Rail and George Clowes, two prisoners in the state prison here, escaped Monday night, cutting a hole in the roof through which they got outside the prison and then scaled the walls and escaped. Rail was sent up from Waupaca county for burglary in October, 1894, for three years and six months. Clowes was sent up from Kenosha county for life for murder. Searching parties are now out.

Killed by a Train. Seattle, Wash., Sept. S .- The body of W. Mack, salesman for Gordon Morrison, wholesale jewelers of Chicago, was found in the suburbs of this city Monday, he having been run down and killed by a Northern Pacific passenger

LABOR DAY AT CHICAGO. Monster Parade Marches Through the

Streets of the City. Chicago, Sept. 8.-There was but a few minutes' delay in starting the monster tweifth annual parade of organized workingmen Monday. Shortly after 10 o'clock Grand Marshal Edward Carroll gave the word and the procession was immediately in motion. The start was from near Twelfth street and Michigan avenue, and as the head of the parade passed down Michigan avenue toward Jackson

street out of each of the intersecting

streets various organizations dropped

into the line. The sight was a remarkable one. The marchers trampled along like old vet-erans, thousands of them having taken part in similar demonstrations in years past. Among them could be seen the familiar faces of many who have borne the brunt of the fight being waged in the labor movement and many whose names are known throughout the United States. After the parade the workmen went to Sharpshooters park and listened to a speech from Candidate Bryan.

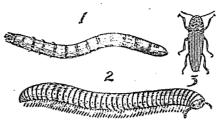
Romb Thrower in London. London, Sept. 8.-This city has a "bomb outrage" to discuss. At about 11 o'clock Sunday night an unknown man threw a clumsily constructed bomb into the premises of Farmer & Brindley. marble masons and sculptors at 63 Westminister Bridge road. The missile exploded and the report caused a large crowd of people to assemble in the vicinity. The police investigation which followed showed that no serious damage was done. An empty tin can with its ends blown out was found near the spot where the "bomb" exploded. A man shortly after the explosion was seen running away from the neighbor-



CIRCUMVENTING WIREWORMS. Fall Cultivation the Best of All Methods. Poisoned Clover Baits.

Among the most prominent of the pests that infest field crops are the wireworms. These are long, slender grubs of a yellowish white color, and with unusually hard bodies. Their wirelike form and the hardness of the body have suggested the common name. Fig. 1 in the cut represents a wirewerm about twice natural size. Unfortunately the term wireworm has been misapplied to certain animals-the millepeds-which are not true insects, but belong to a different class in the animal kingdom. Fig. 2 in the cut represents a milleped. The true wireworms are the young of click beetles, or snapping bugs as they are more commonly termed. Our common kinds of click beetles are mostly small or of medium size. A few are larger. They are usually of a uniform brownish color. Some are conspicuously spotted. A click beetle is represented at Fig. 3.

Three years' experimenting with both defensive and offensive measures at the



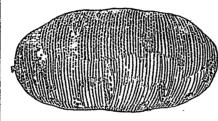
L-WIREWORM. H.-MILLEPED. HI.-CLICK

Cornell station failed to discover a single satisfactory method of protecting seed, or of destroying immature wireworms in the soil. The scope of these experiments was large, embracing all the known methods. Professor Slingerland tells, however, in his report that fall cultivation will destroy the wireworms ready to pupate, the pupæ and the beetles. The beetles can also be trapped and killed in large numbers with poisoned clover baits. Such a short rotation of crops as will include a period of thorough cultivation in the fall will prove the best method of fighting these

pests yet suggested. In experimenting with poisoned baits. instead of these attracting the wireworms, as was expected, their parents, the click beetles, came to the baits in large numbers. The clover attracted by far the larger number, 65 per cent. It was found that the beetles were the Lost active at night, and that they seek their food chiefly by running over the surface of the ground. The wads of poisoned clover baits wore placed under boards in various parts of a badly in-

New Potatoes. In looking over the spring catalogues, the Money Maker potato is conspicuous, not only from its name, but from the claims made by those interested. It is claimed to be the "most productive potato in America and absolutely rotproof." It is a late sort.

Uncle Sam is another newcomer for which phenomenal merits are claimed, such as heavy yielder, shallow eyes,



THE MONEY MAKER.

good form and extra cooking qualities. Honeoye Rose, also new, it is said, is "as early as the Early Rose and better in every way." Our readers, while interested in all that is new, will plant largely of old and well tested varieties until time has proved the now sorts worthy of general acceptance. In the mean time it often pays to experiment in a small way with novelties as they

The Chinch Bugs.

From the Iowa experiment station comes a bulletin on fighting chinch bugs. In this it is advised as a means of prevention to destroy all old rubbish, straw, cornstalks, etc. When the bugs appear in limited areas, apply keroseno emulsion in sufficient quantities to destroy old bugs and young larvæ. If large areas are affected, plow under the crop and roll the field immediately. Decoy crops, such as wheat or barley, may be planted quite early, and bugs which collect on these early sown grains may be killed by plowing under, or some similar process. Migration may be prevented by cutting such a crop of wheat or barley a little before maturity, removing the crop and burning the stubble as soon as it is dry. Dusty furrows may be used when other means are not practicable. Plow a strip a few yards wide, and thoroughly pulverize this with a harrow. Then in this strip make two or three deep furrows, or a series of shallow ones, with sloping, dusty sides. The white fungus, or chinch bug discase, proved only partially successful last year, and it cannot be relied upon to check this pest to the exclusion of other well known measures, which shall be diligently applied whenever neces-

Remedies For Cabbage Worms. Kerosene emulsion, pyrethrum and saltpeter are all good, and hot water at a temperature of 130 degrees sprinkled over the heads with a common watering can is probably as effective as anything. Whichever remedy is employed, however, the applications must be repeated so long as any worms remain, for the great difficulty is that the worms, which are under several thicknesses of leaves. are difficult to reach.

THE POTATO CROP.

Profitable Varieties - Second Crop Seed. When Mulching Pays-Fertilizing. A valuable digest made of bulletins reported from 36 stations where experiments with Irish potatoes have been conducted, and published by Home and Farm, affords much information of general interest. Wisconsin, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Kentucky and Missouri stations, after testing varieties for two to six years, find the most prolific to be Alexander's Prolific, Beauty of Hebron, Burbank, Charter Oak, Dakota Red, Pearl of Savoy and Rural New Yorker No. 2. Southern stations find the Triumph (sometimes called Red Triumph and Tennessee Red Triumph)

most prolific and in every way best. Home grown seed generally gave slightly better results than seed from abroad, and at southern stations-the difference in favor of home grown seed was marked. Spring planting from fall crop or second crop seed of the previous year has everywhere given far better results than spring seed of the previous year. Three stations have experimented with seed from the best hills, and all agree that these improve yield and quality.

Twenty stations have tested the merits of one eye, two eye, quarter, half and whole seed, with conflicting results. In this matter it has been decided, however, that the larger the seed pieces the earlier the crop, and the richer the land the less difference in yield between large seed and small seed. On poor land the large seed gives much the best results. To plant large seed whole requires 30 to 40 bushels of seed per acre, while for single eye pieces three to four bushels are sufficient. For very early crop, plant large seed whole; otherwise quarters

seem most profitable. Ten stations have tested the merits of seed ends, stem ends and middle pieces, and the average results show no material difference. Early varieties and early planting give best re-

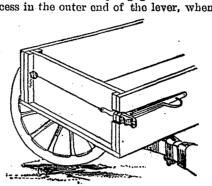
Five stations have experimented as to depth of planting, the best results in most cases being from a dopth of two to three inches. Eight stations have experimented on distance, drills generally giving better results than hills. A fair deduction favors rows 30 inches apart and small seed pieces 12 inches, quarters 18 inches, halves 24 and whole seed 30 inches apart in the row. Alabama, Kansas and Utah stations favor level culture. while the Indiana station favors ridging, and Maryland, New York and Ohio find no difference. The general tendency is toward thorough preparation of soil and shallow, level culture.

In dry countries and dry seasons mulching pays well; otherwise it is injurious. In fickle climates mulch half the crop. The best fertilizer depends on the deficiency of the soil. Generally commercial fertilizers are preferred to barnyard manure for potatoes. Rolling seed in flour of sulphur or soaking an hour in 15 gallous of water in which 21/2 ounces of corresive sublimate has been dissolved prevents scab. Sublimate corrodes metal and is a rank poison; hence mix in a barrel and be careful. Spray the growing plants early and often with bordeaux mixture containing paris green, and neither bugs nor blight will trouble the crop. End Gate of Wagon.

A simple and durable device for se-

curely holding the end gate of a wagon in place, and permitting of quickly loosening it for convenient removal, is shown in the accompanying illustration from the Philadelphia Times. The end gate slides loosely in cleats, extending through one of which is a short screw rod with a nut on its outer end and an eyo on its inner end, and the eye is connected by a rod with a link adapted to engage a projection from the fulcrum end of a lever pivoted in a bracket attached to the other side of the wagon

The link is readily engaged with a recess in the outer end of the lever, when



DEVICE FOR HOLDING THE END GATE. the latter is swung outward, after which the lever is swung inward close to the wagon body, as shown in the illustration, thus drawing the two sides of the wagon body toward each other to bind the end gate in place. As the screw eye may be drawn in by means of the nut, any slack in the link and transverse rod may be readily taken up, permitting of always closely binding the sides upon the end gate, and, as the clamping lever is entirely on the outside of the wagon body, it does not obstruct the loading or unloading of the wagon.

VALUE OF HOG PASTURE. A Brief Report of Two Years' Experiments

Conducted at the Utah Station. The Utah experiment station has i sued a bulletin on the value of pasture in swine growing, giving the results of two years. Numbered with the more important conclusions reached are the following:

Pigs allowed to run at large over 18 acres of good pasture and fed a full ration of grain made the most rapid growth and required the least grain for one pound of gain. The pasture in all the various feeding trials contained eight varieties of grass in mixture, and about one-half of it was alfalfa, a fact to be borne in mind in considering the bearing of these experiments upon the question under consideration. Pigs confined in movable pens in the pasture grew more slowly than those running loose and required an increase of onefifth more grain to make a pound of gain. Pigs on pasture and fed under three different conditions gained 921/2 per cent more and ate but 2 per cent more than pigs getting grass and otherwise similarly fed, but confined in pens, the grass in this latter case being cut for them. The grain required to produce one pound of gain under these circumstances increased 40 per cent as compared with those at pasture. Satisfactory gains were made by pigs fed but part rations of grain on pasture. Those getting a three-fourths grain ration gained more than did those fed a full grain ration and grass either in the

yards or in pens. It will be observed from the foregoing that the exercise taken by the pigs which did their own foraging contributed largely to their gain, proving that the pasture had a value of its own apart from the mere question of the amount of food eaten from it. As nearly as can be estimated this exercise alone increased the gain 22 per cent, while the amount eaten increased but 1 1/2 per cent, and it at the same time decreased the amount required for a pound of gain 22 per cent. Grass cut and fed green to pigs, whether in pens or in yards, and whether with a full or part grain ration or without any grain, proved to be of very slight value. Confined in pens and fed on grass alone, which it will be remembered was chiefly alfalfa, for three months, lost over a quarter of a pound per day.

From these conclusions it would seem that what with other animals is called soiling has but little, if any, value with swine, and the true value of grass lies largely in the pigs getting it for themselves from a pasture. Indeed one of the opinions put forth by the bulletin is that grass fed to pigs in the yard is really detrimental, it requiring more grain to make a pound of pork with the grass than without it. These conclusions are quite radical, but the experiments upon which they are based, if accurately reported, seem to warrant them, says as good authority as the Iowa Homestead.

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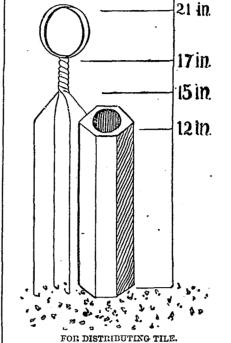


Planting Corn. G. E. Morrow, writing to Prairie

Farmer, says: The depth at which corn should be planted depends largely on the date and the quantity of moisture in the soil. In early spring the surface is warmer than the deeper soil and shallow planting is advisable. There is no good reason for doep planting at any time if there is sufficient moisture in the soil. Deep planting in compact clay soils is undesirable. If the kernels are covered one to two inches, this is abundantly deep in a vast majority of cases.

Clover Sown Every Month. A. A. Crozier reports that at the Michigan station red clover was sown during the latter part of each month in the year. Success resulted only when seeding was made in February, March, April and December. The July seeding failed to come up until the fall rains began, and the plants from seeding in July, August, September and October succumbed to the winter.

Handling Draintile. A labor saving implement invented by an Ohio Farmer correspondent, but not patented, may prove of interest to readers who anticipate laying tile next spring. To make it, take two pieces of common fence wire, each 52 inches long. Place them side by side and give them three twists at the middle for the "top of the handle." Then bend around a four inch block and twist all together for two inches, as shown in illustration. Next draw tho ends all together and trim



them even. Then bend a hook on the end of each as shown, having the hook on the inside of all the four arms, and make large enough to hook over a threefourths inch piece. Let the hook at the end turn up three-fourths inch. This will make an implement a trifle larger than the one illustrated, but will be all the better for a tall person, as the larger tile will be more easily adjusted. The object in making shorter would be for a short person to "clear the ground."

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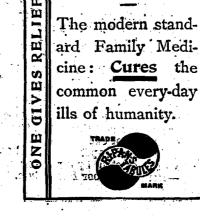
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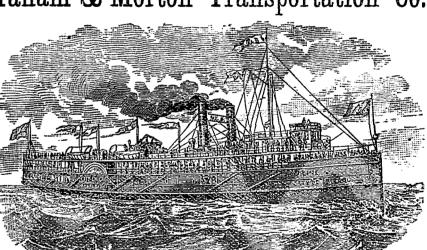
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