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SHOE SALE.



All goods sold way down to make room for Fall Goods.



Call and see what we will do for you.



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The Delicious OOGI Pure uncolored Japan Tea.

At this season we receive supplies of fresh vegetables and fruits daily.

Our goods in this line are well cared for, kept fresh, and delivered promptly, which is a point to be considered when buying fruits or vegetables.

Just received a new lot of Minneapolis Spring wheat flour.

I. C. SHAFER.

Bargains for August.

GEO. WYMAN & CO.

offer you merchandise at the lowest price ever set out by us.

DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.
One large lot all Linen Homespun Suits, imported to sell at 50c, in navy brown, green and red effects, as well as all the linen shades, for 15c per yard.

We bought these goods at our price for this sale. The goods cannot be matched for three times the price.
One fine lot Organadies, sold first of the season at 35c. We now guess the price, 12½c. This lot we just bought for this sale.

One lot White Apron checks, 10c quality, for 5c; other lots equally as cheap at 6½c, 8c, 10c.

We are receiving our advance novities in Dress Goods.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.
500 pieces cream and white ground Printed Chiffons, 5c quality, for 2c. We bought these for this sale.
500 pieces standard Prints, 3c.
We now have our new line of 10-4 Blankets at 35c, 40c, 45c and upwards.

RIBBON DEPARTMENT.
Great variety Taffeta Ribbons at 20c and 25c.
All our Printed Parasols, \$1.50 to \$2.50 qualities, we offer Saturday until all are closed at a uniform price of 50c each.

CLOAK DEPARTMENT.
We have a few Shirt Waists left at half price.

We have a few dozen Percale Wrappers left at 50c and 75c.
We have cut the price on our finest Suits and Skirts to close the season with.

We never sell only the best qualities of goods. We keep nothing poorer than a standard print. They count 64 picks each way to the inch.

COME AND SEE US.

GEO. WYMAN & CO.
South Bend, Ind.

Closed evenings except Saturday.

BUY THE BUCHANAN EXTRACTS.
Vanilla, Lemon, Wintergreen, Peppermint, Fennel, Ginger, Orange, Pineapple, Rose, Clove, Almond, Pure Extracts, etc.
Manufactured by **JOHN SHOOK**, Buchanan, Mich.

ORVILLE CURTIS, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon.
Office, Main street, adjoining First National Bank building.
Office hours until 9 a. m., 1 to 3.30, 7 to 8 p. m.

Shredded Wheat Biscuits
—AT—
C. D. KENT'S.

BUCHANAN RECORD.
D. H. BOWER,
PUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1897.

The Ohio and Iowa Democrats who made the silver question the sole issue of their State campaigns this year are very blue now. The bottom has fallen out of the silver argument by reason of the further drop in the price of silver and the further increase in the prices of farm products and general prosperity, and now they are left with nothing to support their doctrine or their platforms.

The first six months of the McKinley administration is in marked contrast with the corresponding period of the Cleveland administration. Then banks were tumbling, business houses were putting up their shutters, manufacturing closing, farm prices falling, railroads going into the hands of receivers, men were idle everywhere, and strikes and riots were the order of the day. Now the railroads cannot furnish cars enough to move the crops, the prices are good, and the farmers hunting for more help, mills and factories are reopening, banks are complaining only of a plethora of ready money, and general activity and cheerfulness are resuming.

R. G. Dan & Co's Review says: Every city reporting this week notes increase in trade, and nearly all bright crop prospects. The great change in business is emphasized by the presence of a multitude of buyers from all parts of the country, by their statements of the situation at their homes, and more forcibly yet by the heavy purchases they are making. But the customary signs of prosperity are not lacking. The strong rise in stocks, the growth of bank clearings and railroad earnings, the heavy speculation in many products, but most of all in wheat, have made the week one of surpassing interest even to those who best remember the upward rush in 1879. At the principal clearing houses throughout the country payments in July were for the first time slightly larger than in 1892, and 11.0 per cent. larger than last year; in the first week of August 7.7 per cent. larger than in 1892 and 23.4 per cent. larger than last year, and in the second week of August they are 17.9 per cent. larger than in 1892, and 88.1 per cent. larger than last year.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

PROBATE COURT.
Probate Judge Van Riper hasn't taken a rest for four years, and accordingly, to do himself justice, he left Monday night for Waukegan, Wis. where he'll drink of the excellent springs, and also take in other resorts in that lake state. In the judge's absence, Probate Clerk C. M. Van Riper will conduct the business in his usual pleasing manner.

Estate of William Burrus, deceased. Will of deceased admitted to probate and Lincoln Burrus was appointed administrator with the will annexed.
Estate of John Sunday, deceased. Petition filed by David T. Feathers, administrator, for final settlement of his accounts and for distribution of the estate. Hearing Sept. 6.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Henry R. Adams to Wilson Leiter, property in the village of Buchanan, \$800.

Albert J. Judy to Emma E. Judy 20 acres in Buchanan tp, \$1.
Edgar Stout to Henry and Julius Prillwitz, 60 acres in Chikaming tp, \$1,200.

Chas. H. Chapman to Geo. W. Chapman, property in the city of Niles, \$300.
Hiram B. Wilcox and wife to Henry Prillwitz, 20 acres in New Buffalo tp, \$975.

John J. Johns and wife to Jacob Johns, 40 acres in Lake tp, \$1,800.
Geo. C. Gale to Gilbert Burdick, property in village of Berrien Springs \$900.
Wm. A. Fox to Frank B. Fox, property in Lincoln tp, \$500.
Benj. F. Fish to Julia Gilbert, lots 13 and 14 blk 4, Davis' add to city of Niles, \$1,100.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
Wm. McGowan, 74, Buchanan; Sarah Coville, 76, same.
J. O. Wilkinson, 37, West Virginia; Ella M. Ely, 30, Niles.
Frank Hillberg, 32, Stevensville; Gusta Shook, 32, same.
Chas. R. Gardeman, 35, St. Louis, Mo.; Ida L. Presley, 30, St. Joseph.
Glenn E. Smith, 31, Buchanan; Bertie Belle Peck, 21, same.
Harry L. Barnhart, 30, Oronoko; Maggie Claypool, 18, Buchanan.
Patrick T. Kelley, 27, Chicago; Anna E. Kerr, 23, same.
Harry D. Babitt, 23, Chicago; Lois G. Zimmerman, 23, same.
Vinson H. Manifold, 33, Ingalls, Ind.; Maud May Russell, 33, Eden, Ind.
Samuel S. Ritchie, 33, Chikaming; Cora M. Allison, 19, New Troy.
Pearl Woodward, 22, Coloma; May T. Harris, 17, New Richmond.
Chas. R. Gardeman, 35, Niles; Martha Dillmer, 20, same.
Howard E. Sterns, 24, Glendora; Irene May Parcell, 21, Stevensville.

THE TEACHERS' INSTITUTE
IN SESSION AT THE HIGH SCHOOL BUILDING.
Able Instructors; Enthusiastic Teachers; Large Audience.

WEDNESDAY MORNING.
The institute work began at 8:15, with a half-hour's exercise in learning new songs, after which a short recess was taken and the regular work was begun by responsive Bible reading. A few new enrollments were made, then forty minutes were spent in listening to a talk on school management by Mr. Lewis. As an introduction, he stated that since the institute consisted largely of young teachers, his remarks would be largely for their benefit. He then gave some excellent advice and as to getting positions, and some suggestions for the first day of school.

In the line of advice, the first point was, "Be thorough in your scholarship." Second, Do not engage a school before you have a certificate. It is an unbusiness-like method, and is very annoying to the County Board as well as School Boards. Third, Be courteous to other teachers in engaging your school. Do not resort to the low principle of underbidding a fellow teacher. It pays to be fair and honorable. Fourth, Having secured your school, visit the school house, learn all you can of the needs and habits of your district by consulting your Commissioners, your school board, the influential patrons, and by studying the school records. See your predecessor, if convenient, and see what children need special attention.

The following suggestions were given for the first day of school:
First, Fortify yourself by all available information, and have plans for your work. Second, Be on hand very early.

Third, Meet the children with a pleasant "Good morning," thus beginning to win their confidence. Ask them their names, make pleasant and encouraging remarks.

Fourth, Begin by singing some familiar tune, and encourage all to join.

Fifth, Be ready to assign lessons, get the pupils to work before they begin to busy themselves in a way that may be annoying.

Sixth, Be careful in seating pupils. Allow them to take their choice in seats, with the understanding that you will re-arrange them when you see fit. Note physical defects in pupils as to sight and hearing, and seat them accordingly.

Seventh, Be careful about regulating light and ventilation.

After singing a lively song, the work of the sections was taken up. In United States History, Conductor Briggs gave the following outline for the study of the colonies:

1. Time—Fix important dates in natural order.
2. Place—Be definite as to place, and show how the geographical location has influenced the growth and prosperity of the colony.

3. Authority—Show whether it is favorable or unfavorable to development.
4. The colonists—Their character; their aims.

5. Object—For what reason was the colony founded.
6. Government—Whether oppressive or liberal.
7. Religious.
8. Growth.
9. Events.

By taking Massachusetts colony for an example, a very interesting and highly instructive lesson was given.

Prof. Briggs then gave some suggestions on how to arrange lessons to save the time of the pupil, the main object being to point out to the pupil what objects to study carefully.

The reading of Caesar was conducted, as on Tuesday.

Mr. Loomis continued the work of factoring in algebra and percentage in arithmetic.

Some valuable short business methods for practical application were also given in arithmetic.

By a series of sharp questions and short problems, he showed a common weakness in mental work, and suggested teachers should drill pupils in mental rather than in mechanical processes.

Mr. Lewis continued the work of Tuesday in civil government, and advised the teachers to make a more careful study of caucuses and conventions. In physiology and grammar, the work of the previous day was continued.

After the section work of the day was finished, the query box, a substitute for the round tables, was opened and many important questions answered.

gave a talk on "Teacher's Preparation." He began with the maxim, "Great duties require careful preparation," then proceeded to show what very great duties devolve upon teachers, and how unprepared any young man or young lady is, even if a graduate of a high school or college, without some special training for the work. He explained the need of physical, mental and moral preparation. Mental preparation is compelled by the state, as shown by teacher's examinations. Physical development is essential to success in teaching. A poor physical development can be greatly benefited by systematic training in physical culture and by taking plenty of sleep. As to moral development, he explains clearly why every teacher should lead a pure life, and why he should not indulge in the use of tobacco or liquor, use profane language or have obscene habits. Since so much devolve upon teachers, they should, as a class, be of a higher, moral and intellectual standard than those upon whom less depends.

As to preparation for recitation, he gave eight points worthy of consideration by every teacher. Here they are:

First, Every teacher needs preparation, that the teacher may know what the lesson is.

Second, What is the purpose of this lesson?

Third, What is the connection of the lesson?

Fourth, What points are to be emphasized?

Fifth, What faculties of the mind shall be appealed to?

Sixth, Means of illustration.

Seventh, Consider children of peculiar ability.

Eighth, Assignment of lessons.

The advantages to the class of this preparation of lessons are efficient and economical use of class time, concentration of pupils, power, securing and holding attention, to the teacher, an ease of control, freedom of mind, removal of worry, and feeling of satisfaction of work done well.

The section work of today was a continuation of Wednesday's work.

THURSDAY EVENING.
The exercises consisted of the following program:
Song—Michigan my Michigan, by audience.

Solo—Mr. Bower.
A talk on the "Old District school house" by Prof. Lewis.

Recitation, by Viola Conrad.
A brief talk on "Born Teachers", by Prof. Loomis.

Duet—Misses Baker and Bronson.
Commissioner Clarke gave a short talk on "Our School System."

Recitation, by Miss Susie Mars.
A large appreciative audience was present and a pleasant evening was passed.

FRIDAY.
The usual morning exercises were followed by a talk on "Opening Exercises", by Conductor Briggs. He warned against a formal routine in opening exercises, as well as against exercises that were not of an educational nature. The exercises should prepare the children for the day, and may consist of singing, of Bible readings, of quotations, declarations, essays, or current events.

Mr. Loomis made a few remarks on "Cautions and Punishments." He gave the following principles to follow:

First, Never intrude your personal feelings in punishment.

Second, Never confuse the moral question involved with the loss occasioned.

Third, Do not be irritated by petty annoyances.

Fourth, Be sure you are punishing the right pupil.

Fifth, Do not be fickle in management.

Sixth, Do not be too hasty.

Seventh, Do not always be punishing.

Eighth, Do not inflict petty punishment.

Mr. Lewis discussed "The Recitation", under the heads of "Use of the Recitation", "The Teacher and the Recitation", and "Don't". The uses of the recitation were given as "mental discipline of the pupil", "to impart instruction", "to awaken interest", "to cultivate habits of attention", "to correct errors", "to determine the amount of work done", and "to fix in the mind of the pupil what he learns". In regard to "The Teacher and the recitation", he gave the following suggestions:

Do not call a recitation until you are ready to hear it.

A teacher's place in recitation is before the class.

Teach position, manners and courtesy by example.

Conduct the work so as to keep the whole class busy.

Be interested yourself and show it.

Speak in well chosen words and with clear enunciation.

Do everything in a systematic way.

Encourage timid pupils.

Vary the methods, if interest begins to lag.

His "Don'ts" were:

Don't talk too much.

Don't be too ready to help pupils out of difficulty.

Don't ask direct questions and indicate by tone or looks how it should be answered.

Don't discourage free discussion.

Don't laugh at sensitive pupils.

Don't allow pupils to talk promiscuously.

Don't feel that you must canvass the whole lesson.

Don't use the time of the recitation in scolding.

Don't forget to observe order in calling or dismissing classes.

Don't fail to criticize yourself as to methods of conducting recitations.

In Commissioner Clarke's remarks, he suggested that Arbor Day be observed earlier in the spring, regardless of the Governor's proclamation, that the State manual be studied more carefully, that every teacher take the Reading Circle work, and that Township Associations be organized as far as practicable.

The section work of the day was carefully carried out.

Reading was closed by an outline of Julius Caesar, in United States History, the closing lesson was on "Acquisition of Territory". In arithmetic, bonds, discount and interest were discussed, while in algebra, quadratic equations was the subject of thought. The work in physiology was supplemented by the microscope. The circulation of the blood was traced in a frog's foot, and the

germs of numerous diseases were examined. The work in civil government closed with a lesson on "Senate Powers", and in grammar with "The uses of infinitives and participles".
The work closed at 4 o'clock. In the closing remarks of the Instructor, Berrien county was highly complimented for the high class of teachers she possesses and each expressed an earnest desire to meet them all again. An unanimous vote showed the appreciation of the teachers for such able and earnest instructors, and for the kindness and courtesy shown by the good people of Buchanan in trying to make everybody feel at home and to make the institute a general success. As a whole, the institute was a perfect success, an educational treat to everybody who attended.

An Interesting Relief.

In overhauling the Record office to make room for additional equipment, an interesting relic was discovered. It was a 48-page pamphlet containing the laws of the State of Michigan relative to assessing property and dated, April, 1888, and printed under the supervision of Whitney Jones, Auditor General. The imprint on the pamphlet is that of Homer & Kerr, State Printers. The book had a local interest, as it was used as a scrap book, and the proceedings of several meetings of the Buchanan Board of Trustees were pasted in the book. The first meeting was that of March 27, 1885, and the following named were present: N. B. Collins, President; trustees, L. P. Alexander, John D. Milloy, A. C. Day, Daniel Totten and William Pears. The following officers were elected at that meeting for the ensuing year: Clerk, E. A. Ross; Treasurer, Homer N. Hathaway; Assessor, Geo. F. Henningway; Overseer of Highways, John D. Ross. The next meeting occurred, April 4, 1885, and in addition to the other trustees named, Mr. Geo. B. Treat was present. A resolution authorizing a first payment of \$800 toward the purchase of what is now known as Oak Ridge cemetery was passed at this meeting. Another meeting was held on April 15, 1885, for the purpose of considering the time and manner of conducting the funeral obsequies of his Excellency, Abraham Lincoln, late President of the United States of America." Proceedings of several other meetings were also pasted in pamphlet.

BERRIEN CENTRE.

From our Regular Correspondent.
Aug. 16, 1897.
Bert Ober, freight clerk in the Big Four offices at Goshen, was visiting friends at Berrien Centre over Sunday.

Quite a number of families attended the Camp meeting at Crystal Springs on Sunday.

Mrs. N. Nimmis is attending an annual meeting of her former classmates at South Bend, to-day.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Nimmis are contemplating a visit to Ohio and New York State, the last week in Aug.

Mrs. M. E. Fifield of Chicago who has been attending the Camp Meeting in attendance at Berrien Centre Sunday School, yesterday.

Wheat is 80¢ per bushel to-day. Some fine rye brought 37½¢.

There is a rumor that the merry sound of wedding bells will soon be heard in this vicinity.

Mr. T. Mars is said to be negotiating the sale of the store at the corners, belonging to the Rutter estate, but the parties cannot so far agree on the value of the stock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Harman of Berrien Springs, visited friends at Berrien Centre on Sunday.

Burglars effected an entrance through the cellar window into U. Shaffers' store on Monday night carrying away about fifty dollars worth of goods. The depot was also broken into but nothing more than the agent's revolver seems to have been taken.

No clue so far. Tramps have lately been stealing chickens and potatoes, and borrowing kettles and matches by which to cook them.

The annual picnic of the Murphy and Michael families will be held in Mars' grove, Aug. 10.

R. V. Becker and sister, Laura, went to Chicago on Sat. and returned Monday morning.

The fruit our farmers are shipping seems to be bringing a fair price at this present time.

Mrs. Saddle Neatener of New Whatcom, Wash. with her three children, arrived here on Friday last at noon. They traveled over 8000 miles in about 66 hours. Mrs. Neatener has come to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Becker, and her brothers and sisters and relatives and will remain sometime before returning to her far western home.

Jno. D. Barnhart of Ouster, Mich., is visiting his brothers and sisters of this place. His boyhood days were spent here at Berrien Centre.

BARODA.

From our Regular Correspondent.
Miss Bartlett of Detroit is visiting her brother Dr. Bartlett.

Miss Alma Gardner of Sodus was in town over Sunday. Miss Gardner will teach in the Primary room this year.

Miss Minnie Gardner is visiting friends in South Bend, Ind.

Mr. Frank Kizer of I. Ind. was in town a few days last week.

Miss Clara Upham went to Buchanan to work, Monday.

Dr. Royce's team ran away last week. The doctor was hurt quite badly.

PERSONALS.

B. F. Needham was in Niles, Monday.
Miss Mamie Hoffman is in Chicago, this week.

Chas. C. Diggins was a Niles visitor, Monday.

Mr. Howard Stearns of Glendora was in town Tuesday.

Mr. A. E. Clark of Galien was in Buchanan yesterday.

Miss Ethel Redding is attending school at Morris, Ill.

Mr. Chas. A. Bower of Minneapolis returned home, Friday.

Mrs. Jacob Imhoff and daughters were in Niles, Monday.

Mrs. G. H. Parkinson is in New York buying millinery.

Harry Paul returned from Cincinnati, Monday afternoon.

Miss May Parvis and Mr. Will Bradley were in town, this week.

Mr. Theo. Noel of Vitae Ore fame is spending a few days at Clear Lake.

Mrs. John Brocous and Mrs. Geo. Howard were in South Bend, Monday.

Misses Lulu and Eva Morris are visiting relatives in Elkhart, this week.

Mrs. Imogene Blake and children returned to their home in Chicago, Monday.

Miss Martha Mauldin of New Carlisle is visiting her cousin Mrs. S. Arney, this week.

Mr. A. L. Sewell is enjoying himself at New Troy as the guest of his son, Mr. Frankline Sewell.

Mrs. M. Donald of Niles and Mrs. S. Arney of this place visited relatives in New Carlisle, over Sunday.

Mr. Clark Bristol returned to his home in Battle Creek, Wednesday, from a visit with Buchanan relatives.

Mr. E. Willard left on Monday for Dayton Ohio, after spending a few weeks with his parents and friends.

Mrs. Salem Swayze of Muskegon, Mich., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. E. S. Dodd and Mrs. Dr. H. M. Brodick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton and Mrs. M. Bolton of Niles spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Hamilton.

D. V. Brown and daughter, Miss Frances, went to the St. Mary's Academy at Notre Dame, Sunday afternoon. Miss Frances expects, in a few days, to go from there to attend school at St. Angela's Academy, at Morris, Ill.

BENTON HARBOR.

From our Regular Correspondent.
August 17, 1897.
Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Spencer and daughter Jean are visiting in Iowa and South Dakota.

The Baptist society will give an excursion to Chicago, August 23, or if the lake is rough it will be next day.

The Alger Guards are trying to get the place in the State militia made vacant by the withdrawal of the Ionia company.

The contract for the Eastman Springs street railway has been let to O. Westcott. Work has commenced and the road is to be done by Sept. 10.

It is expected that the Big Four and West Michigan roads will build a union depot here. The will perhaps let the new road use part of it.

There were 130 cases of measles in the city during the month of June. Out of 190 cases of contagious diseases since Jan. 1, there was but one death.

Allen Brunson gave the News a bushel of fine apples on one of which "Evening News" had been made to grow in some mysterious way.

Owing to the delay in finishing the new road the picnic of the Methodist and Congregational sabbath schools which was to have been held at Berrien Springs tomorrow will be postponed one week.

Frank Roby, one of the four prisoners who escaped from the county jail two week ago was arrested at Arcola, Ill., by the marshal of that place and was brought back to St. Joseph by Sheriff Ferguson Saturday night. He professes great ignorance concerning the escape, does not know where the other three are or where the saw came from which set them free. Lewis Ake, another of the escaped prisoners, was also captured.

There were 4000 visitors in the Twin Cities Sunday. Several hundred wheelmen from Chicago who chartered to make the trip, but were so troublesome that President Graham will not be likely to accommodate them again. They slyly blew the boat whistle, stole bottles of beer and even tore out some of the electric lights. On the return trip the lake was very rough and most of them were very sick, but they got little sympathy from the crew.

About 9 o'clock, Sunday night, fire was discovered in the cooper shop and store room of the Colby-Hinkley Co., Tac high wind soon spread the blaze to the French hotel and other buildings, until three houses and two barns were added to the flames, seven buildings being destroyed. The St. Joseph fire boys were sent for and helped get the fire under control. The loss is estimated at \$12,000, with some insurance.

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Fine all-wool Suits made to order for \$16, \$17, \$18, \$19 and \$20. Pants made to order from \$4.00. A fine line of Fancy Vestings. A large line of Piece Goods to select from.

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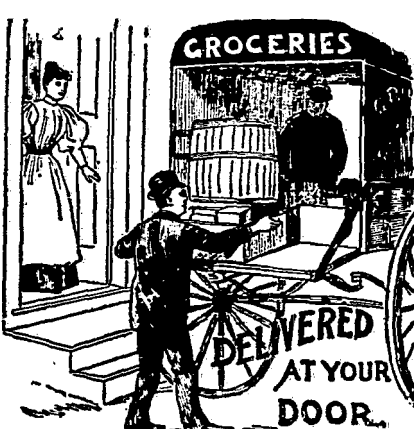
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W. H. KELLER.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 1897.

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BUCHANAN MARKETS.

Hay—\$8@10 per ton.
Lard, retail—8c.
Salt, retail—1c.
Flour, per lb—\$4.50@5.00.
Honey—18c.
Live poultry—3c@7c.
Butter—15c.
Eggs—10c.
Wheat—84c.
Oats—17c.
Corn—34c.
Clover Seed—\$3.50@4.50.
Rye—30c.
Beans—\$6c@1c.
Live Hogs—\$3.25.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

All "copy" for change of advertisements must be in our office by Wednesday of each week to ensure the change being made.

Office to rent. See local.
Farm for sale. See local.
Commercial Fertilizer. See local.
Five cents for old clothes. See local.
Household goods for sale. See local.
Special meeting K. O. T. M. See local.
W. T. Martin, piano tuning. See local.
Michigan Central excursions. See local.
S. P. High is advertising some special in corsets, this week.

Parkinson, on Main street, has a change in his ad., this week.

Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son are advertising school books and supplies, this week.

Messrs B. R. Desenberg & Bro are advertising excursions and slippers, in this week's issue.

Herb. Hanover is braking on the M. B. H. & F. Ry.

Mr. Calvin Myler is seriously ill, at his residence on Front street.

The family of Mr. Nathaniel Hamilton held a reunion last Saturday.

Mr. Jacob Miller has put in a cement walk in front of his Front street property.

Mr. L. Wehrle has purchased a harness shop in Three Oaks, and is moving his family to that place, this week.

The old settlers of Berrien Co., Mich., and St. Joseph Co., Ind., will hold a reunion at Clear Lake, Ind., Saturday, August 28.

The game of base ball, last Friday, between Hartford and Buchanan proved very exciting and close, the score being 13 to 11 in favor of the Blues, ten innings being necessary to complete the game.

Last week's issue of the Dowagiac Standard shows that Editor Webster of that paper is as wide-awake as ever. That issue of the Standard was an "anniversary and camp meeting number." It closed the fifth year of publication, and also covered the camp meeting at Crystal Springs, with special articles, illustrations and a complete list of the camps.

The second annual meeting of the O. S. of W. T. Society met at the home of Mrs. Libbie Brownfield at South Bend on Monday. An enjoyable time was had by all present. The officers of the past year were re-elected for the ensuing year. The next meeting will be held Aug. 17, 1898, at the home of Mrs. Lucinda Staples at South Bend. Those present from Buchanan were, Mrs. S. L. Kingery, Mrs. Mary Straw and Miss Mattie Brown.

The Berrien County Battalion, G. A. R., reunion at Three Oaks, last week, was a decided success, that thriving village fairly outdoing itself in the matter of entertaining their guests. The number registered was nearly 250 veterans, which is a remarkable showing. Nearly two thousand visitors witnessed the exercises, excellent addresses being given by Department Commander A. T. Bliss, Adjutant C. V. R. Pond and Rev. Frank Fox. The officers elected for the ensuing year were: President, John Lane; Vice President, Dwight Warren; Secretary, L. J. Merchant. The next reunion will probably occur at St. Joseph.

While at work on the Aiken farm near Buchanan Tuesday, Mr. John S. Helmick picked up a land turtle that has quite a history. On its shell was inscribed the initials of Mr. Richard Demont with the date 1860 and then below was a later date, 1870. The initials of Chas. Montague were also inscribed on the shell with the date 1895. Mr. Demont Montague, whose farm adjoins the Aiken farm, says he distinctly recalls the circumstances under which Mr. Demont came to cut his initials on the turtle and states that the turtle has been roaming about the two farms as long as he can recollect. Mr. Helmick took the turtle to town to show a few friends and then carried it back to its old haunts.

The guests and cottagers at Clear Lake were highly entertained in the parlors of the hotel one evening last week by Mr. Albert Weekessey of Dayton, O., a brother of Mrs. John Morris. Mr. Weekessey is peculiarly gifted with the art that made Herman the king of magicians, famous the world over, and produced many of his most mystifying tricks. Through the influence of his wand fair flowers grew from seed to blossom in a few minutes and from his deft fingers silver dollars fairly rolled into his coffers. The program was too extensive to permit of a complete review here. We are however in hopes of persuading Mr. Weekessey to repeat the performance for the benefit of the many who have heard of his wonderful ability.

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CHURCH NOTES.

Elder W. Chapple will preach at Hill's Corners next Sunday morning and evening. Subjects: Morning, "The preacher's inaugural"; evening, "Our Calling."

Rev. E. R. Black will preach next Sunday. Subjects: Morning, "The crossing of the Red sea"; evening, "The forgotten vow."

Regular services at 10:30, Sunday morning. Sunday school at 12 m. There will be no service in the evening.

The Epworth League devotional meeting will be held Sunday evening, at 8:15. Subject, St. Paul's prayers for the church. Leader, Mrs. Ella Rynearson.

The League meeting for the two last Sunday evenings were fairly attended, and all present had the experience of good meetings. Now let the campmeeting fire be added to the service. Come prepared to help make the Epworth League what it ought to be—a revival band.

The camp is being settled this week and the attendances promises to be large this year. The demand for tents is unusually large and a number will be present from abroad.

The meeting will open this week Friday evening at 7:30 and Rev. F. Koehler, pastor of Royalton charge will preach the opening sermon. Prof. S. L. Umbach of North Western College has been secured for a part of the meeting and will officiate over the first Sunday.

The order of service during the meeting will be as follows:—7:15 A. M. Worship, 9 A. M. social service, 10 A. M. preaching, 1 P. M. children's meeting, 2 P. M. preaching, 4 P. M. young peoples meeting, 7:30 P. M. preaching.

We invite all Gods people to participate in this meeting and we hope the meeting may prove a spiritual uplift to Buchanan and vicinity.

OBITUARY.

PHILO S. SMITH was born in Fairfield county, Conn., Feb. 14, 1826; died at the home of Frank Batchelor, Aug. 17, 1897, aged 71 yrs., 5 mo., 23 days.

The deceased was one of the oldest inhabitants of Berrien county. Came to Hillsdale county, Mich., in the year 1835, and to Buchanan in 1850, where he has since lived, with the exception of a few years spent in the West. He was one of the few white men here when Dr. Roe came to this place, and when he came on Niles hill and looked down into the valley, where now Buchanan is built, nothing but trees, brushwood and briars could be seen, and during these forty-seven years, he has noticed with much interest and pleasure, our beautiful village grow, and take form and beauty.

He was married, Feb. 4, 1847, but lost his companion by death, Feb. 23, 1888. Has one brother and one sister, Mrs. J. Russell, living. When Mrs. Nellie Batchelor was but a babe in arms, three months old, the deceased adopted her into his home, where she was tenderly reared, and when she had a home of her own, and old age came upon him, it was in her home he found shelter and rest, and during his last few years of life a constant sufferer, he was tenderly cared for and patiently nursed by Mr. and Mrs. Batchelor, who he dearly loved and looked upon as his own children.

Funeral services were held at the home of Mr. Batchelor, Thursday morning, Rev. W. W. Divine officiating, and the remains laid to rest in Oak Ridge cemetery.

The C. Bishop Grain Company is equipping their elevator at the Michigan Central Railroad with a grain cleaning machinery, to be driven by an electric motor.

GALLEN.

From our Regular Correspondent.
The house of John Germinder burned Friday noon. Loss \$2500 insured for \$1400.

O. R. Butler and lady friend spent Sunday at Lakeside. The telephone has been completed after a delay of several weeks owing to the crossing of the railroad here. Clarence Glover has been engaged on the M. B. E. & C. R. R. and will move to Buchanan at once.

B. R. Jones was in Buchanan on business last Sunday. He reports a pleasant drive, but says it was a little damp. J. Snell left Tuesday for a short vacation he expects to visit his parents at Saginaw and then make a trip through the northern part of this state and through Wisconsin. Wm. Carlisle, M. Carlisle and Alva Pyle attended the picnic at Lakeside Tuesday and all report an enjoyable time. Sam Penwell and Lilly Martin were in Niles Saturday. The ice cream social at the Baptist Church was well attended. There will be a social held at the M. E. Church next Saturday night. Floyd Prince who has been spending his summer vacation at Piquette Mich., returned home last Monday. A party was given at B. L. Longfellow's Saturday night. Mr. Snell entertained them with his photograph. Mrs. Clara Teeter of Coloma visited here this week. We had a street show in town last Friday. W. E. Outshaw returned to his home in Benton Harbor last Monday. Dr. C. J. Bulhard drove over from Niles Tuesday, he says his daughter Mary has poor health this summer. Dr. A. N. Van Riper of New Carlisle was in town Tuesday morning. R. W. Montross was at Barren Lake the most of the week.

MARRIAGE.

ROSE-HIGBEE.
The marriage of Mr. Carleton Raymond Rose of Ann Arbor and Miss Winifred Higbee, only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert Henderson, took place at the beautiful residence of the brides parents on Front St. Thursday evening, Aug. 12, 1897. The ceremony took place in the front parlors, the happy couple standing under a canopy of vines and flowers. Rev. W. W. Divine officiated, using the ring service of the Methodist ritual. The groom was in the Conventional black and the bride in pure white, and they presented a beautiful appearance. After the wedding supper Mr. and Mrs. Rose left on the midnight train, and in the near future will be "at home" in Champaign Ill. where Mr. Rose has a position in the College of that city. A large number of beautiful and useful presents were bestowed on the happy pair. The guests from abroad were Dr. and Mrs. Rose of Ann Arbor, parents of the groom; Mrs. L. C. Hill, Denver, Col.; Mrs. Cassins Wakefield, Morenci, Mich., sisters of the groom, and daughter Miss Esther Wakefield; Mr. E. W. Higbee, Milford, Ind. brother of the bride; Miss Annie Moon, Warsaw, Ind.; Miss Nina M. Holden, Michigan City, Ind.; Miss Mabelle Halleck, Ann Arbor, Miss Sadie E. Sheehan, Niles; Miss Hattie Howe, Chicago.

SMITH-PECK.
A very pretty wedding occurred Tuesday, August 17, 1897 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rough, Main st. The contracting parties were Mr. Glenn Eyrice Smith and Miss Bertie Belle Peck.

Miss Peck is a very estimable young lady and one of Buchanan's social favorites. Mr. Smith is a bright and enterprising young merchant man and is engaged in the shoe and gent's furnishing goods business. The wedding was an elaborate one and though the invitations were limited to the relatives and most immediate friends, the number in attendance was large. The guests assembled at 12:30 and at one o'clock Mr. Fred Noll of Benton Harbor awakened the strains of the "Bridal Chorus from Lohengrin," the bride and groom accompanied by Herbert Roe of this city and Miss Olive Brenner of Cincinnati, Ohio, as best man and maid of honor. Little Marguerite Peck preceded the bride and groom strewing flowers as she went. The ribbon bearers were Misses Susie Butler, Daisy Emery, Adah Rough and Georgia Wilcox.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Cleaver of Three Rivers, Mich., assisted by Rev. J. F. Bartmess of Buchanan.

The bride was daintily gowned in white silk with Mouseline de soie overdress and carried white roses. The maid of honor wore white organdie and carried yellow roses.

The groom wore the conventional black. There were many handsome gowns worn by the ladies present and under the flash of the electric lights every thing was a scene of beauty.

In the center of the back parlor was arranged an elegant table and it was there that the ceremony was performed and the happy pair received the congratulations of their many friends after which a wedding breakfast was served.

The newly wedded couple left for Chicago at 4 o'clock via St. Joe. and the lake, amid showers of rice and old shoes and many wishes for their future happiness.

They will reside in Buchanan where they have a home all prepared. They received many valuable gifts among them a check for \$100.00 from father and mother of the groom.

The guests from abroad were Mrs. S. H. Brenner and daughter Olive, Cincinnati, Ohio; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Peck and Fred Noll, Benton Harbor; Mrs. H. M. Rubel, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Lohman, Kalamazoo; Mr. and Mrs. Chas Simonds and daughters Minette and Millicent, Niles; Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith and sons Elmer and Clinton, Berrien Centre; Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Peck and daughter Marguerite, Saginaw.

MCGOWEN-COWELS.
Married, Aug. 16, 1897, at the home of the bride on River street, by Rev. J. F. Bartmess, Mr. Wm. McGowen and Mrs. Sarah Cowels, all of Buchanan.

BERRIEN SPRINGS.
From our Regular Correspondent.
Miss Gertrude Whitner has returned to her home in Akron, Ohio.

Harry Fox and wife, of Niles, were in town on Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Walters and daughter, of Pinley, Ohio, are visiting Mrs. Walters' brother, Rev. Mr. Smith, and family.

Mr. E. J. Helmick, wife and son, from Ordway, South Dakota, have been visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

James Boon, of Pokagon, was in town last week.

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SILK UNDERSKIRTS.
Hanging in price from \$15 down to \$6.25, a fresh line just opened. Should you care for a silk undershirt now is the time to buy one, for our assortment contains the latest styles.

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Letters unclaimed remaining in the P. O. at Buchanan for the week ending Aug. 8. Call for letters advertised: Mrs. M. E. Suion (2) parcel, Mr. G. H. Gale, Dr. Howard Curtis, Otto Porter, H. R. Johnston, G. L. Dwinell.

JOHN C. DICK, P. M.
Regular meeting of East Hve No. 19, L. O. T. M., Tuesday evening, Aug. 24, 1897.

MATTIE BANTA, R. K.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell Excursion tickets to Springfield, Ills. on Sept. 18 and 19 limited to return not later than Sept. 27th 1897 at one first class limited fare for the round trip act A. O. O. F. Sovereign Grand Lodge.

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The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell Excursion tickets on Aug. 27th limited to return Aug 28th at one and one third fare for the round trip act A. O. U. W. Lodges of Michigan reunion.

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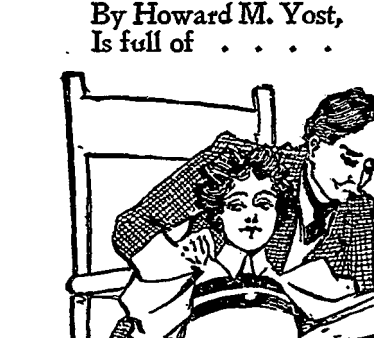
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