

CARMER & CARMER'S SHOE SALE.

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

Call and see what
we will do for you.



Shafer Sells It

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 Suiting, imported to sell at 50c in navy brown, green and red effects, as well as all the linen shades, for 1.50 per yard.

We thought 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, 12c. This lot we just bought for this sale.

One lot White Apron checks, 10c quality, for 5c; other lots equally as cheap at 6c, 8c, 10c.

We are receiving our advance novelties in Dress Goods.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT.

500 pieces cream and white ground Printed Challies, 5c quality, for 2c. We bought these for this sale.

500 pieces standard Prints, 3c.

We now have our new line of 10-14 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 Fur 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.

Shredded Wheat Biscuits

AT
C. D. KENT'S.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

D. H. BOWER,
PUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR.
THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1897.

Hon. James O'Donnell of Jackson will deliver the principal address at the soldier's reunion at Lapeer September 17 and 18.

Gen. Kidd of the Iowa *Scout* has been given the position as secretary of the board of engineers for deep waterways, with a salary \$3,000 per year.

The type, presses, and other material used in publication of the *All-Allegan Democrat*, which will presently occupy the building which was the *Journal* office.

The *Coloma Courier* completed Volume V of its publication, last week, and celebrated the event with a "write up" at that thriving little town. Editor Bryant gives *Coloma* value received, every week.

Editor E. F. Brown of the *Three Oaks Press* shows his usual enterprise by publishing an excellent account of the G. A. R. reunion, and issuing as a supplement to the *Press*, a handsome half-tone of the arch of welcome, erected by the citizens of that village.

The evidence accumulates with each day's advance to the long-continued depression in financial circles has passed, and thanks to five years of forced economy and cessation of speculation, coupled with today's abundant harvest at remunerative prices to the agriculturist, a new prosperity is coming to the people. From address of Comptroller Eckels (Dem.) before American Bankers' Association, Aug. 18, 1897.

The July earnings of the railroads of the country show a marked improvement over July of last year, or the year preceding. This will be encouraging to the thousand of railroad men through the country whose attitude in favor of sound money last fall, was an extremely important issue of the campaign, and whose votes did much to stay the tide of battle in favor of McKinley and sound currency.

Under the new law enacted by the last Legislature for the immediate registration of deaths, township, village and city clerks will act as local registrars, after Aug. 29, receiving certificates of death and issuing burial or removal permits. Cities having such registration at present, conducted by the local boards of health, retain the health officer as registrar in place of city clerk. Thus Michigan has come into line with other progressive States of the Union in establishing a modern system of mortality registration. The old law obtained very imperfect results, it being estimated that nearly a third of all the deaths that occurred failed to be recorded. Prompt and accurate mortality data are of great sanitary value, besides which the individual records are often of personal interest and legal importance. The blanks for use under the new law are being sent out by the Secretary of State to the township, village and city officers who act as registrars of deaths.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

The celebrated Hickory Creek drain matter was taken from the Probate court to the Circuit court upon a writ of certiorari which is returnable in the Circuit court Sept. 9.

James P. Kakebocke, a native of Holland declared his intention to be a citizen of the United States Wednesday in the County Clerk's office.

NEW CASES.

John Lane has commenced suit against John J. Hauser to recover \$1,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Solon Lacey to Fred C. Schmidt, property in the city of Niles, \$1.

Auditor-General to E. B. Long and A. E. Rubidge, \$ w sec 13, in Weesaw tp, \$75.24.

Auditor-General to O. C. Howe and V. I. Cammack, Dk. Band s e 4 lot 6, village of Eau Claire, \$305.

Eliza A. Keane and husband to Ralph D. Keane, 15 acres in Weesaw tp, \$700.

John Schaub and wife to Louisa Bucher, 10 acres in Royalton tp, \$1,000.

Louisa Bucher to John Schaub, her interest in 40 acres in Royalton tp, \$1,000.

Otto Schmel and wife to Benjamin Schmel, 10 acres in Hagar tp, \$800.

August Vetterly to Jacob McDowell

10 acres in New Buffalo tp, \$180.

Michael B. Hauser and wife to Chas. L. Scott, lot 14 in village of Baroda, \$82.

Martin A. Schultz and wife to Hermann Grice-chen, 34 acres in Berrien tp, \$1900.

R. A. Brayman to Thos. L. Wilkinson, lot in village of Berrien Springs, \$30.

Arthur Ingelright and wife to D. W. Gatzday, 1 acre in Buchanan tp, \$10.

Sylvester Westfall to Elva R. Norton, an undivided 1/2 of 80 acres in Niles tp, \$265.

Geo. A. Collins and wife to Horatio Lloyd, pt lots 70 and 71 in village of Three Oaks, \$225.

Wm. K. Whitehead and wife to Chas. H. Weed and wife to Featherbone add to village of Three Oaks, \$400.

Stephen A. Earle and wife to Frederick R. Eaton, 270 acres in Oronoko tp, \$10,000.

James P. Versaw and wife to Emerson Hugue, 20 acres in Sodus tp, \$1250.

James P. Versaw and wife to Wm. C. Luckner, 15 acres in Sodus tp, \$1000.

B. F. Shemely to J. W. Beistle, 40 acres in Chikaming tp, \$800.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
Wm. Barber, 19, Niles; Orta Buck, 21, Galien.

Chas. P. Mangold, 25, Chicago; Laura L. Kuhlman, 21, same.

Walter Wheeler, 19, Bridgman; Blanche Daut, 16, same.

Robert H. Reed, 23, Texas; Harriet La Frances, Chicago.

Geo. O. Bishop, 26, Benton Harbor; Elizabeth Marti, 23, Coloma.

Class. Herite, 23, St. Joseph; Bertia Fryson, 31, Balmiridge.

Golfrey Beldhart, 27, Tillie Sheldon, 24, Glen Lnd.

William Collins Parsall, 27, Lillian Bernard, 25, Benton Harbor.

LAST RAIL

Spiked Down, Saturday Afternoon, on The Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railroad.

Saturday afternoon witnessed the completion of the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railway and direct railway communication between Benton Harbor and Buchanan.

A party of railroad men started from Benton Harbor, Saturday afternoon, to witness the laying of the last rail. They arrived at Hineman a little too soon to come all the way by rail, and were compelled to walk few yards to the other end of the line where they boarded a locomotive in waiting and came on to Buchanan. The last rail was laid about 4:30 o'clock, Saturday afternoon, but no regular train schedule between Buchanan and Benton Harbor will be run until next week.

PERSONALS.

Mr. Peter English was in town, Tuesday.

Mr. Frank English visited in town, this week.

Mr. B. F. Needham was in Three Oaks, Monday.

Mr. Frank S. Lamb was in Niles on Wednesday.

Mr. N. Hamilton was a Niles visitor, yesterday.

Mr. T. C. Elson of Berrien Springs was in town Tuesday.

Rev. W. W. Divine went to Fabius on Friday of last week.

Miss Adah Kingery wheeled to South Bend, this morning.

Mr. I. L. H. Dodd made a business trip to Chicago, last week.

Mr. C. H. Baker of New Carlisle, Ind., was in town, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DeMott are in Buffalo attending the G. A. R.

Mr. D. H. Patterson of the M., B. H. & Co. Ry was in town, Monday.

Sig Desenberg returned from his New York trip yesterday morning.

Miss Jessie Harper went to Cassopolis, Monday, for a two week's visit.

Mrs. Harriet and Jeanette Gano of Benton Harbor are visiting the Inhoff sisters.

Rev. Geo. Sickafosse went to Goshen to attend quarterly meeting, on Friday.

Mrs. S. Alkus of Chicago is spending a few days in town visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gano of Georgia are visiting relatives and friends in this place.

Dr. Orville Curtis left for Albany N. Y. last Saturday for a visit with relatives.

Miss Theda Plimpton of Benton Harbor is visiting Buchanan relatives, this week.

Miss Elsie Kingery returned home Wednesday evening, from a visit with friends at Saugatuck.

Mrs. J. A. Kirk of Chicago came to Buchanan, Wednesday evening, for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Kompas and son of Niles spent Sunday with Buchanan relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Smith returned home from their wedding trip, Monday morning.

Dr. Emory Roe and wife of Chicago and Mr. and Mrs. E. Roe spent Tuesday at Hudson Lake.

Miss Edith Noble of Ann Arbor visited with the family of her uncle, Mr. G. W. Noble, this week.

Miss Mabel Carr of Dowagiac came to Buchanan, Friday afternoon, for a few days visit with friends.

Mr. H. O. Pierce of Niles was over to look after the receiver's interest in the Hatch Cattery Co., Monday.

SUNDAY SCHOOL EVANGEL.

Shiawassee county will hold its Convention in October.

All Sunday school workers ought to plan to go to Port Huron to the State Convention.

Every Sunday school should have a home department, in charge of a competent Superintendent. We need to make more of the Bible in the home.

Teachers ought to look forward to good hard work, preparing themselves for their special work. Study how to find the needed time to follow some definite course of Bible study designed to be helpful to teachers.

Lesson for Aug. 29: Acts 19:21-34, Golden Text: Verse 34.

Notes: 1. Paul was an energetic, active man. See how much territory he has covered since last Sabbath's lesson. Every consecrated man who has common sense is a worker.

We have no patience with a lazy person, young or old, saint or sinner. Indeed, we doubt whether there are any lazy saints. Some people are too pious; they observe the fourth command, by having a seven-day Sabbath, forgetting that it also says, "Six days thou shalt labor and do all thy work." It is an easy thing to shout, "Glory to God, Hallelujah," but not so easy to get around and "hustle" for God and righteousness. The Lord may have some use for a lazy man or woman, but we fail to see it.

2. Silver made trouble at Ephesus. It has made trouble in later times, and the end is not yet. The trouble here was, that the power of the Gospel was making havoc with the gain of the craftsmen who made silver shrines to Diana, a heathen goddess. It is a good sign when the Gospel is preached with such plainness and power, that Satan gets mad about it, and his servants get mad also. Ministers must say smooth things. College presidents must not dispense the placetrats, lest some "gain" be lost. When we find every one speaking well of us, we may be sure that God is not pleased with us nor our work.

3. HAY FEVER.
Hay Fever and Summer Colds are "broken up" by "777". Dr. Humphrey's Famous Specific. 25c; all druggists.

For years I have been a sufferer from chronic catarrh and hay fever. I tried every remedy, but nothing helped me. I grew weary of the doctor's visits, and was about to give up when I decided to try, and I am very thankful that I did, for I feel like a new man. I can now breathe freely, and I feel like a new man. I feel like a new man. I feel like a new man.

Allen's Foot-Ease. It cures painful, smarting feet and instantly takes the sting out of corns and bunions. It cures itching, burning, and smarting feet. It cures itching, burning, and smarting feet. It cures itching, burning, and smarting feet.

There is a Class of People Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GLEANER'S BLEND. Children who drink the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over 1/2 as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15c and 35c per package. Try it. Ask for GLEANER'S BLEND.

Mr. John D. Groves of Kalamazoo was in town visiting his brother, Mr. Chas. Groves, and their mother, Mrs. J. C. Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and Miss Gertrude Simmons left for Detroit Tuesday. Miss Gertrude will make an extended visit.

Misses Etha, Winnie and Bernice Morley of Glenora are visiting at the home of their grandfather, B. D. Harper, this week.

Mrs. W. C. Edwards arrived home from Boston, Mass., last Thursday. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Elder, who had been receiving medical treatment at Boston and who, we are glad to state, is rapidly regaining her health.

BENTON HARBOR.

The new road is twenty-seven miles long and cost about \$800,000.

Mrs. B. J. Allen has returned from Chicago, much improved in health.

Chas. S. Guy has purchased the Hotel Higbee and assumed control.

Benton Harbor made Buchanan a short call, last Saturday, via the new road.

A. W. Wells of St. Joseph expects soon to build a three-story brick block, on State street.

Quite a number of our people left, Friday morning, for the G. A. R. Encampment at Buffalo.

The Big 4 Co. has yielded to the pressure brought to bear upon it, and adopted the Twin City telephone telephone service.

Another medium, a Mrs. Brown of Chicago, proposed to locate the Chicago and get the \$10,000 reward.

Ed. Jeru, whose hotel was burned in the fire of Aug. 15, has leased the Allmendinger hotel and will continue the business.

We expect a large delegation from Buchanan, Thursday, the occasion being the Maccabee picnic at St. Joe.

Mrs. S. B. Downer tripped and fell on a defective sidewalk, on Territorial street, and now sues the city for \$500 damages, as she was badly injured.

BUCHANAN, MICH., Aug. 14, 1897.

L. O. Chatfield, Sec. Phoenix Accident & Sick Benefit Association.

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TRENBETH,

The Tailor,

Will save you money by ordering your Spring Suit of him.

Look at These Prices.

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.

W. TRENBETH,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
Buchanan, Mich.

IF YOU have used your eyes thirty years, they are no doubt beginning to show signs of wear. Consult me about this matter. I am prepared to restore your eyes to a normal condition by fitting with easy wearing glasses.

H. E. LOUGH.

Dr. E. S. DODD & SON
DRUGGISTS & BOOKSELLERS.

Have received for school: Books, all kinds; Tablets, great variety; Inks, several kinds; Slates and Sponges; Pencils and Erasers; to be sold as cheaply as can be done and avoid loss.

We also still sell **Dodd's Sarsaparilla.** 75c PER BOTTLE.

Besides the GERMAN COUGH BALSAM and LIVER PILLS.

PARKINSON SELLS CLOTHING.

MAIN STREET.

THAT'S SO.

I have secured the agency for the celebrated **Cowagiac Flour**, and have the same on sale at my Bakery.

BERTHA ROE,

The Buchanan Floral Co.
AVA SCHRAM, MANAGER.

Flowers, Ferns, Plants, Snippets, Palmes, Roses, Carnations, Azaleas, Pansies, Primroses, Hydrangeas, Boxwood, etc., etc.
Greenhouse No. 19 River Street.

New Meat Market

I have purchased the market formerly owned by Mr. J. G. Corey and will constantly have on hand all kinds of meat, poultry, lard, etc. Especial pains will be taken to procure the best that can be obtained. Call and give me a trial. I will give you perfect satisfaction.

FRANK A. TREAT.

DON'T FAIL to take in **BOARDMAN'S** Harvest Crockery Sale.

AT YOUR DOOR.

1 pound Corn Meal 10c
1 pound Baking Powder 10c
1 gallon Syrup 10c
1 dozen Cans 10c
1 can Sugar Corn 10c
1 pound package Baking Soda 10c
Fresh lot of garden and flower seeds.

W. H. KELLER.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 26, 1897.

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

Only 100 out of a possible 575 of the weekly newspapers in Michigan are accorded a circulation in excess of 1000. The American Newspaper Directory for 1896, and the publishers of the Directory will guarantee the accuracy of its rating for a reward of one hundred dollars to the first person who successfully secures it. Advertisers should be careful to send their notices to the first person who successfully secures it. Advertisers should be careful to send their notices to the first person who successfully secures it. Advertisers should be careful to send their notices to the first person who successfully secures it.

BUCHANAN MARKETS.

Hay—\$8 to \$10 per ton.
Lard, retail—5c.
Salt, retail—\$1.00.
Flour, per lb.—\$4.50 to \$5.00.
Honey—18c.
Live poultry—5c to 7c.
Butter—15c.
Eggs—10c.
Wheat—\$4.
Corn—17c.
Clover Seed—\$3.50 to \$4.50.
Rye—30c.
Beans—80c to \$1.00.
Live Hogs—\$8.25.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

See As Lost.
Girl Wanted—See local.
Horse Found—See local.
Farm Team for sale—See local.
New Millinery Store—See local.
Estate of William J. Hall See legal.
Niagara Falls Excursion—See local.
Special meeting, Masonic Lodge—See local.
Special meeting, Sylvia Chapter. See local.
Phonix Accident and Sick Benefit Association—See local.
Thee. Noel of Chicago has a quarter-acre in this week's Record, and has several propositions to make you on Vitae-Ore.

Wesley Noe of Benton Harbor has been granted a reissue of his pension.

Petitions are being circulated by the various candidates for post-master.

Mr. William Powers is moving into his new residence on Oak St., today.

The Riverside Campmeeting is a big success this year notwithstanding the cool weather.

The Misses Shafter have closed their dressmaking parlors until the first week in September.

Mr. J. G. Corey has purchased the Depot meat market at Niles, recently owned by Joseph Saier, and opened it for business Saturday.

Cutler Tent, K. O. T. M., at their special meeting on Saturday, arranged to go to the Berrien County Macabe picnic at St. Joseph today.

Miss Nina Hutton, who is well known to many of our readers, has been appointed cadet for the 1st Primary in the Niles public schools.

The barn of Willard Marble was burned Monday night. Mr. Marble lost two horses, a large quantity of wheat, hay and grain. The loss will amount to about \$4,000, with \$1,250 insurance.

A lodge of the International Congress was organized in Allegan, last Monday evening, with a membership of about twenty-five. Regular meetings will be held the second and last Tuesday evenings in each month.

Alva Green, a former resident of this county and a brother-in-law of J. S. Helmick of this place, was killed in a runaway in Lake City, Iowa last week. His wife, who was with him, was seriously injured.

The Womens Foreign Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will be entertained by Mrs. Seth Smith, Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Knight, at the home of Mrs. Smith on Wednesday afternoon Sept. 1st. Election of officers for the coming year.

The Buchanan Cycling Club hold their first bicycle meeting under sanction of the L. A. W. on Thursday, Sept. 2. Prizes to the amount of \$150 have been put up, and everything points to a big meeting. Entries should be made to Lee Miller, Secretary.

The following are the new officers of the Young People's Picnic Association:

W. C. Hall, Three Oaks, President.
Herbert Roe, Buchanan, Secretary.
H. L. Huntington, Benton Harbor, Treasurer.

Chas. S. Quilley, Niles, and F. A. Tichenor, Niles Tp., Vice-Presidents.

Vitae-Ore.

Mr. Theo. Noel of Chicago, the proprietor of this well known remedy, who has been spending several days in Buchanan and vicinity, has been greeting old friends acquaintances about town. Mr. Noel was born "over the river", on a farm near this place, and is well-known to many in the place. This being the fact, his advertisement will be read with more than usual interest.

Old Settler's Picnic.

The Old Settler's Picnic of St. Joseph, Ind., and Berrien county, Mich., will be held at Clear Lake, in St. Joseph Co., Ind., Aug. 28, 1897. The following are the committees:

Arrangements—J. K. Roy, W. McDonald, Wesley Scott, A. Witter, Will Korn, Al. Harman, J. W. Slarty, W. C. Jackson, Mrs. L. A. Lydick.

Speakers—W. C. Jackson, Frances Wells.

Music and Refreshments—Portage Prairie Cornet Band.

The committees will leave nothing undone to insure a good time, to which everybody is invited to come with well-filled baskets and bring your friends and enjoy a day of recreation with old friends.

It Pays to Trade at MORRIS' THE FAIR.

Dealer in Almost Everything.

The Watchword for Economy.

Buchanan, Mich.

CHURCH NOTES.

LATTER DAY SAINTS.
There will be a two day's meeting of the Re-organized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, at the Larger Hope Church, Saturday and Sunday, Aug. 28 and 29, beginning on Friday, Aug. 27. Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. and preaching at 10:30 a. m., Sunday, and preaching at 7:30 of each evening. Leading ministers are expected, and all are cordially invited.

METHODIST.
The Epworth League devotional meeting will be held at 6 o'clock, Sunday evening, Subject, "St. Paul's prayer for himself." Leader, Rolla Barr. Will not each member who can, try and be present? Come and take part in the service.

EVANGELICAL.
The camp-meeting has opened and continues with unusual interest and the attendance is fully as large or larger than any previous year. About fifty tents and cottages grace the grounds. The meetings have been deeply spiritual and several conversions have taken place.

The services of Prof. S. L. Umbach were highly appreciated and very helpful. The many friends of Rev. Geo. Johnson were glad to have him in their midst for a few days.

Rev. S. P. Spreng, editor of the Evangelical Messenger, from Cleveland Ohio, will be here, nothing preventing, on Friday and will officiate over Sunday. This will be the big day of the meeting. Other ministers present thus far are S. S. Albert of Elkhardt, D. J. Feather of Marcellus, N. Frye of Three Rivers, F. Koehler of Royalton, J. R. Niergarth of St. Joseph, W. H. Wagner of Marshall, L. V. Saldon of Lima, D. O. Ruth of Bristol, Rolland Holsaple of Litchfield, J. Young of Portage Prairie and Ed. G. Frye one of Buchanan's former boys, pastor at Nashville, Mich.

The camp meeting will close on Sunday evening.

CHRISTIAN.
Sunday subjects: Morning, "Moses," the last of a discussion on his life and character; evening, "What is that in thy hand?" A sermon for humble workers.

COMMON COUNCIL.

OFFICIAL MINUTES.
A special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was held in the Council Chambers, Monday evening, Aug. 23, 1897, at 7:30 p. m.

President Sanders presiding. Present Trustees—Messrs. Bainton, Boardman, Graham, Richards and Wood.

Absent Trustee—Mr. Corey. (This meeting was for the purpose of adopting a grade map of the Village, legal notice of which is given in another column.)

The following report of the committee on streets, walks and bridges was read by Trustee Graham:

To the President and Common Council of the Village of Buchanan:

We the Committee on streets after careful inspection, report the following walks in bad and dangerous conditions and recommend they be replaced with Cement walks made of good material and of usual thickness and width.

Walk in front of property occupied by Geo. St. Smith South Side of Front street.

Walk from Front to Third street on East Side of Detroit street.

Walk on West Side of Lake street from Front to Front street excepting where Cement is now in use.

Walk in front of Mrs. Bendley's property on East Side of Moccasin Ave.

Walk from Portage street to intersect with walk in front of property owned by J. G. Corey on North Side of Front st.

Walk in front of Mathew's property on South Side of Front st.

A cement cross walk on West Side Days Ave. across Alexander st.

Walk in front of property owned by Mrs. Scott, Mrs. Bainton and P. T. Henderson on Oak street.

Walk on East Side of Oak st. from and in front of property occupied by Harry Bainton North to Record Buildings.

Walk in front of property occupied by Benj. Fields, Fred Smith and that owned by Lena Dutton on West Side Portage st.

JOHN CHESS ELLSWORTH.

CHAS. L. BAINTON.
Moved by Trustee Wood, supported by Trustee Richards, that the report of the committee on streets, walks and bridges, as read by Trustee Graham, be accepted and adopted. Ayes, 5; nays, 0.

Moved by Trustee Graham, supported by Trustee Bainton, that Mr. F. S. Whitman be appointed Civil Engineer of the Village of Buchanan, and not to receive a salary but to be paid for the amount of work he does. Ayes, 5; nays, 0.

To John Graham, S. A. Wood, Chas. L. Bainton, George B. Richards, Dell Boardman and John G. Corey.

You are hereby notified that a special meeting of the common council of the village of Buchanan will be held in the council chamber in said village on Monday evening, August 23rd, 1897 at 7:30 p. m. E. W. SANDRENS, President.

This is to certify that I served the above notice on John Graham, S. A. Wood, Chas. L. Bainton, George B. Richards, Dell Boardman and John G. Corey by delivering to each of them a true copy thereof six hours before the time set for said meeting.

CHAS. RUSSELL,
Marshal.

On motion of Trustee Bainton, supported by Trustee Graham, the Council adjourned.

W. N. BRODRICK, Clerk.

First Time Card for New Road.

Taking Effect Aug. 25th. Will Run for a Few Days to Berrien Springs.

Time table No. 1 of the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor and Columbus railway is out, taking effect Thursday, Aug. 26. It provides for trains to leave Benton Harbor at 7:15 a. m. and 4:45 p. m., reaching Berrien Springs, 16 1/2 miles, at 8:05 a. m. and 5:35 p. m. Returning, the trains leave Berrien Springs at 8:03 a. m. and 6:30 p. m., reaching Benton Harbor at 9:20 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Trains will be extended to Oakland and Buchanan next week.—Benton Harbor Pullman.

THE BUCHANAN SCHOOLS.

Their present condition and their outlook for the coming year.

The public schools of this city were placed upon a solid foundation by the prudent and far seeing men who organized, and shaped public policy with reference to their management at an early day.

In addition to the wisdom displayed by the early school officers, Buchanan has been fortunate in securing well qualified superintendents and accomplished teachers.

The standard of excellence heretofore established has been well maintained and the Board of Trustees confidently anticipate a continuance of the same during the ensuing year with the following corps of teachers:

Prof. J. W. Cupples, M. A., Supt.; Miss Laura Haggart, Principal; Miss Sara Farmer, 1st Assistant; Miss Lilly Abell, 2nd Assistant; Elsie Kingery, 8th Grade; Anna Treat, 7th Grade; Miss Dispenette, 6th Grade; Miss Lottie Thayer, 5th Grade; Miss Emma Linsley, 4th Grade; Miss Anna Simmons, 3rd Grade; Carrie Williams, 2nd Grade; Miss Carpenter, 1st Grade.

In anticipation of a largely increased attendance in the Fall Term the school buildings have been repaired throughout—in fact they were never in as good shape as they are to-day.

The location of the Buchanan school buildings upon large, well-kept grounds is all that could be desired; its surroundings are beautiful, climate healthful and sanitary conditions perfect.

The courses of study will remain substantially as they were last year. In the high school, there will be the classical, Latin, Scientific and English, each extending over a period of four years. These courses have been framed upon the basis laid down by the State University, so that graduates holding diplomas of graduation are enabled to enter the Freshman class in the State University, or any other college in the state.

In fitting pupils to enter the University, the High school aims to furnish the best facilities within its reach. The pupils who have gone to the University have been invariably successful in their work. Thirteen pupils attended the University from Buchanan last year.

While every facility is offered pupils who wish to prepare for the University or college, this is not done to the detriment of others preparing for business or for teaching. The aim to make the work done of such a character as to be most serviceable and practical for all. Bookkeeping, Commercial Law and Business Forms will not be neglected.

The schools are well supplied with apparatus for illustrated class work; maps, charts, globes, reference books etc. There is a good reference library of encyclopedias, histories, dictionaries, annuals, gazettes etc., in each room. At the pupils service, a circulating library of 2500 volumes. The High School collection of Physical apparatus, consisting of mechanical powers, specific gravity apparatus, air pumps, mirrors, induction coils, dynamos, heliostats, microscopes, frictional machines, batteries, Italy Electrical machines etc. is in good working order.

The Chemical apparatus is quite complete. Well lighted laboratories thoroughly equipped furnish good facilities for the study of Chemistry.

Candidates for admission to the different grades, will not be required to undergo any severe examination, only such as will enable the examiner to ascertain and decide whether the candidate is able to do the work of the proposed grade.

Those applying for admission to the High School should come prepared to pass a good examination in Arithmetic, Spelling, Geography, English Grammar and U. S. History.

Prof. J. W. Cupples, a Normal School and University graduate, eminently qualified to take charge of gradal schools, will teach either Greek or Science.

Miss Laura Haggart whose excellence in Latin and Mathematics, qualify her to take charge of the High School is from the University.

Miss Sara Farmer is a graduate of the Normal School and will teach German and Higher English with her accustomed success. Miss Lilly Abell, we are glad to say will teach History, Book-keeping and English in which she has proved very proficient. The other teachers in the Buchanan schools have proved their fitness by a long successful term of service many of whom have received Normal training.

Catalogues will be mailed to all who may apply for them or further information obtained upon application to C. B. Treat, Secretary of the School Board or to Prof. J. W. Cupples, Superintendent.

Miss Josephine House of Saginaw City and Miss Alice Loshbough of this place have purchased the "Emporium" millinery store from Mrs. Berrick. These young ladies are both experienced milliners, Miss House having been for several years engaged in the business in Saginaw. Miss Loshbough is already well known in this community. The "Emporium" will endeavor to secure its share of the trade of Buchanan and vicinity through good work and well selected stock.

A special meeting of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M., will be held on Monday evening, Aug. 30, for work on the E. A. degree. By order of W. M.

B. D. HARPER, Sec.

THE MAN WHO NEVER MADE A MISTAKE.

Didn't keep a store We admit we make mistakes. We are human The mistake we want to rectify just now, is an error in calculation. In calculating our Oxford and Slipper purchases we set the figure a trifle too high; the result is too many Oxfords and Slippers. We were tempted and fell. We offer you a greater temptation by making the prices much lower.

Come in see the Bargains you can get.

B. R. DESENBERG & BRO.,
The One Price Large Double Store.

I have just received Full Lines of Children's Two Piece Suits

In all the shades at prices that will be eye openers. Still the sale of Shoes at 57c, 93c and \$1.19 goes on. These are good goods, not shoddy stuff to make a show but clean new good. The best plow shoe in Berrien County.

G. W. Noble.

"AT THE POPULAR STORE."
ELLSWORTH'S
SPECIALS IN DRESS GOODS
This week.

We have more Dress Goods than we have shelf room for. This is the reason for the large reduction in price.

Wool Dress Goods in Fancies which sold from 32c to 75c, you can purchase now for 25c

Wool Fancies and Silks and Wool Fancies, which sold from 60c to \$1.25 we are letting out at 50c per yard.

Only 100 pieces of the above two numbers to be sold. Early purchasers will get the best selection

SILK UNDERSKIRTS

Running in price from 95c down to 65c, 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.

We are selling some very good

BLACK SATEEN SKIRTS at \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00.

COTTON MARINE SKIRTS at \$1.00, \$1.75, \$2.00.

WOOL MARINE SKIRTS at \$2.00, \$2.25, \$3.00.

These skirts are well made and carefully finished—have all the good points good skirts ought to have.

Watch our August advertisements closely, for we intend to offer some very good things to our customers this month.

JOHN CHESS ELLSWORTH,

113-115 N. MICHIGAN ST., SOUTH BEND, IND.

Letters unclaimed remaining in the P. O. at Buchanan for the week ending Aug. 23. Call for letters advertised:

Miss L. Alice Smith, Miss Nory Philophy, Mrs. Julie F. Curtis, Mrs. C. D. Stuars, Joseph Barnard, C. W. Sheridan, Mr. Geo. S. Barnard.

Girl wanted at Arthur's Restaurant.

Special meeting of Sylvia chapter No. 74. O. E. S. will be held in Masonic Hall Wednesday, Sept. 1, 1897.

Mrs. DELIA SCOTT, W. M. MESS C. R. WILLIAMS, Sec.

The Michigan Central Railroad Company will run a special excursion train to Niagara Falls and Alexandria Bay on Thursday, Sept. 2 passing Buchanan at 8:55 p. m. Fare from Buchanan to Niagara Falls and return \$6.75 and Alexandria Bay \$12.25. Tickets will be good going only on special train but may be used to return on all Michigan Central trains except No. 5. Niagara Falls tickets will be limited for return not later than September 6. Alexandria Bay tickets will be limited to return not later than September 9.

A. F. PEACOCK, Agent.

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.

A. F. PEACOCK.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell Excursion tickets to Columbus, Ohio on Sept. 16, 17 and 18th. Limited to return not later than Sept. 25th at one first class limited fare for the round trip.

A. F. PEACOCK.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell Excursion tickets to Grand Rapids, Mich. on Sept 6 and 11 inclusive Limited to return not later than Sept. 13th at one first class fare for the round trip with fifty cents added for admission to State Fair.

A. F. PEACOCK.

CORSETS! CORSETS!

ONLY 35 CENTS

Splendid fitting, well made and only a few of them left, SO HURRY UP.

Still another drop in the sale of **Shirt Waists.**

\$1.00 Waist for 40 cents;
\$1.25 Waist for 50 cents;
\$1.65 Waist for 75 cents;

All Summer Goods cheaper than ever to make room for the Fall Stock.

S. P. HIGH.

SPLENDID LINE OF TABLETS AND ALL SCHOOL SUPPLIES

AT **RUNNER'S**

THE **AERMOTOR,**
The Original and Best Steel **WIND MILL**

Is sold exclusively in Buchanan by **E. S. ROE.**

"Prices Low"

A LADY'S FOOT should look trim and neat.

A LADY'S SHOE to give the best wear should fit perfectly.

In no way can these things be better accomplished than by wearing



Phelps, Dodge & Palmer Co.'s **TRILBY SHOE**

Made of Selected Dongola Leather. Either Lace or Button.

STYLES UNEQUALLED

For Sale by **G. E. SMITH & CO.,**

Buchanan, Mich.

Wilford C. Stryker,

DENTIST.

Over Mrs. Berrick's Millinery Store, Main St Buchanan, Mich. All kinds of dental work. Prices reasonable. At Dr. Buhland's old office, Gallien, every Wednesday. 171

LOST,

An Ice Ax. Return to **HUTSON BROS.**

Tell Your Neighbor, Tell your friends, tell everybody to use Carter's Canada Pills, the best in the world, for headache, torpid liver or biliousness. Price 25c. At Barmore's Drug Store. Aug.

Farmers wanting commercial fertilizers for their fall seeding, call on **ENOS HOLMES,**

Agent for Northwestern Fertilizer Co.

PICKED UP.

A stray horse. Owner can have same upon proving property paying expenses upon calling on J. C. WENGBER, Deputy Sheriff.

A Reliable Cure of Chronic Diarrhoea.

In 1862, when I served my country as a private in Company A, 167th Pennsylvania Volunteers, I contracted chronic diarrhoea. It has given me a great deal of trouble ever since. I have tried a dozen different medicines and several prominent doctors, without any permanent relief. Not long ago, a friend sent me a sample of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after that I bought and took a 50-cent bottle, and now I can say that I am entirely cured. I cannot be thankful enough to you for this great remedy, and recommend it to all suffering veterans. If in doubt, write me. Yours, gratefully, HENRY SPRINGBERG, Altoona, Pa. Sold by Barmore, Druggist.

Aug.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy always affords prompt relief. For sale by Barmore, Druggist.

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Chloroform 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. You can secure this with a full explanation of the cause, nature and extent of your disorder free of charge by enclosing a lock of hair, with name and age, to Dr. E. F. Butterfield, Syracuse, N. Y. -adv. May 5-00

SWEEP OVER FALLS.

THREE PERSONS LOSE THEIR LIVES AT NIAGARA.

Thousand of People Watch the Doomed Men Drift Down to Certain Death—Five Children Drowned in the Harbor at Toronto by the Capsizing of a Boat.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 24.—A sailboat containing three men was caught in the rapids above the Niagara falls at about 10 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The three occupants of the boat were: Warren Bush, aged 21, Chicago; Charles Ganser, aged 29, Chicago; Frank Weaver, Buffalo. The men had been in camp at LaSalle on the river, a few miles above the falls. They went for a sail Sunday afternoon, lost control of the boat, and were drowned, as stated.

Three Persons Killed Outright and Eight Others Injured. Chicago, Ill., Aug. 24.—The explosion of a boiler at the brickyard of W. H. Haldy shortly after 7 o'clock Monday morning three persons were instantly killed and eight injured. The dead are: Riley Bradley, engineer; George Wicks, who handled molder; Henry Schiller, who tampered mud. The injured are: Ed McCurdy, leg broken; Proctor McCurdy, cut head and arm; John W. Woodford, arm broken; James Keyes, scalded; Isaac Thomas, Will and James Curtis, slightly injured.

Five Children Drowned. Toronto, Ont., Aug. 24.—Five children died in the harbor in the afternoon by the capsizing of a boat. The dead are: Albert Driscoll, aged 8; George Harvey, aged 11; Jack Bethel, aged 10; two others whose names were not given.

Grand Army Encampment. Arrival of Command-in-Chief Clarkson at Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., Aug. 24.—G. A. R. Grand Army week opened with fair weather. All indications point to a colossal encampment beyond expectations of the most sanguine citizens.

Castillo's Slaver Gained. San Sebastian, Aug. 21.—Miguel Anzures, who shot and killed General Novas del Castillo, the president of Spain, at the baths of Santa Agueda on Sunday, Aug. 2, was executed at 11 o'clock Friday morning according to the sentence of the court-martial imposed upon him on Monday last, after his trial had been adjourned several times.

Forty Persons Injured. Terrible Smash-Up on the Lake Erie and Western Road.

Lima, O., Aug. 23.—An east-bound extra freight train on the Lake Erie and Western railroad crashed into an excursion train on the Detroit and Lima Northern on the same line at Lima, Ohio, on Sunday.

Fatal Fall of an Aeronaut. Chicago, Aug. 23.—Aeronaut Walter Allen fell 300 feet from his balloon to the earth at Electric park Friday night.

Terrible Explosion of Gunpowder. St. Johns, N. F., Aug. 21.—At Blaine Sablon, a child dropped a lighted match into a barrel of gunpowder. The explosion which followed wrecked the house and seriously hurt three persons.

NEWS CONDENSED.

History of the Past Week Given in Brief

James Hogan, a wealthy farmer of Creston, Ia., committed suicide by taking poison.

Lyman Harris of Tokonaha, Mich., was crushed to death under a falling wheat stack.

Incendiaries burned two barns on the Samuel Gray farm, ten miles north of Chicago, on Sunday.

L. M. Keller, a traveling salesman from Chicago, has been arrested at Wilbur, Neb., and will be taken to Galesburg, Ill., to answer to a charge of securing \$300 on a forged check.

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Charles L. Gring, 15 years old, in stealing a ride to his home at Streator, Ill., was killed by a train.

A Chicago and Alton north-bound train, on the night of Monday, Aug. 21, driven by C. M. Berry, killing him instantly. He was 19 years old.

Governor Tanner has issued a proclamation calling for a special election to be held in Calhoun county, Ill., Tuesday, Nov. 2, for a county judge to succeed Judge John Zahrl, resigned.

Dr. George L. Dorsey died at Princeton, Ind., of heart disease.

Albert Peters, one of the notorious Lewis gang of murderers, under sentence to be hanged next Tuesday, broke jail at Fayetteville, Mo., by cutting through the wall.

A statue of De Lesseps is to be placed at the entrance of the Suez canal.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Farmers of Layden township Thursday killed a man whose identity is not known and who had assaulted Mrs. Pauline Fenske, the young wife of a German farm hand living two miles north of Mannheim.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—Dollars wheat on the local market is at last really. Despite predictions of the bears the remarkable price was reached, and, although there was a reaction at the close, those interested believe the high figure will be more than equaled the coming week.

Chicago, Aug. 21.—The most remarkable session of this sensational and surprising week in the Chicago wheat trade, the price of standard wheat today is at an enthusiasts predicted. It was 82c at the last moment, and the event of it wheat after the weary efforts to get it out of the 50s and 60s for months and years past sent a thrill through the wheat market.

Chicago Teachers Aroused. The women teachers of grade schools in Chicago have formed a public school teachers' federation, with Miss Elizabeth K. Burdick of the Prescott school president.

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TROUBLE IN PINGREE'S FACTORY.

Men Refuse to Arbitrate Because They Say the Company Would Win.

Detroit, Aug. 21.—The firm of Pingree & Smith, of which Governor Pingree is one of the members, has a strike on its hands and the firm is substantially paralyzed. The men employed at making shoes laid down their tools and left the shop. Nine-tenths of the trouble hinges on one grade of shoe. It is a question of No. 15 which designs its qualities. The men claim that the quality of the No. 15 shoe has been improved until it is as good as No. 16, and that it is sold by the firm for the same price, consequently, they say, the men should receive pay for making a second-rate shoe in No. 15 instead of a third-rate shoe.

The new scale of wages was given Frank C. Pingree by the men two or three weeks ago. "I told them at the time," said he, "that if there was any raise the firm could not possibly accept it; but they said they could not afford to pay one penny more for making shoes. We are making no profit." Pingree complained bitterly of the men's attitude. "Pingree & Smith," he said, "have treated their employees better than any other shoe firm in the country and do not deserve such treatment. I would like to see the men arbitrate the matter, as they had always done in the past."

"We will not arbitrate," the men say, "because the firm can win if we do. If we do," Pingree said bitterly, "the men were using Governor Pingree's political aspirations as a club. They said that if we did not fight them on that account, but as a matter of fact the governor has nothing at all to do with such questions. He will attend to them exclusively. If he gives no attention to the factory."

Woman Brought to Death. Millington, Mich., Aug. 23.—Miss Mary Freeman, 40 years old, was recently killed by a train at Millington. She was on her way to her brother's barn, closed and locked the door, and set the dog on her. Her cries attracted the attention of a group of farm hands, who tried to save her life. The fire was put out by hard work, but the woman died. The corpse was tightly buried.

SEIZED BY GREAT BRITAIN. Alleged Filibustering Steamer Bermuda Is Confiscated. Philadelphia, Aug. 24.—The British steamer Bermuda, Captain L. J. Brown, arrived at this port from Port Antonio, Jamaica, Monday, having on board as passengers, in addition to Commissioner of Navigation Eugene Tyler Chamberlain and Dr. Parker, a number of the alleged filibustering steamer Bermuda, which has been seized out there by the British government.

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FARMER'S HITCHER.

A Hitching Strap For Stalls—Device For Bracing Horses.

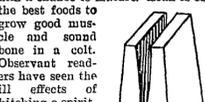
The intelligent reader will quickly perceive the idea depicted in the accompanying illustration, which appeared originally in The Farm Journal. The horse or colt that is accustomed to getting into the stall can be prevented from doing so by the use of a strap fastened to the top of the stall.



HITCHING ARRANGEMENT FOR STALL. The animal cannot get its head quite down to the floor. This or a similar device is necessary in some cases. The one illustrated will be quite effective.

Barrow For Corn Fodder. Do you want a handy barrow for corn fodder? If so, follow their directions from The National Stockman, and the inventor of the barrow shown in the accompanying cut.

The two sides are 4 feet long and 1 1/2 inches by 3 inches. The uprights are 2 feet long and 2 inches by 1 1/2 inches. The crosspieces are 2 feet long and 2 inches by 1 1/2 inches. The straps are 2 feet long and 1 1/2 inches by 1 1/2 inches.



CORN FODDER BARROW. Legs are fastened on with a single bolt and the uprights by a log screw. The braces for the uprights are notched in and nailed. When it is desired to use the barrow for grass, put in a floor of half inch white pine, also nail half inch boards from B 1 to B 2 and from B 1 to B 2. White pine or cypress will be stronger enough for the dimensions given.

Steel Roads. Among other projects in prospect by Secretary of Agriculture Wilson is that of steel roads in western states deficient in stone and gravel, rail trails of steel, he is said to believe, offering the best and cheapest material. Sample steel roads are to be first tested near some of the experiment stations.

Meru Mentions. From Nebraska comes news of one of the biggest wheat crops in the history of the state with corn crop in fine condition.

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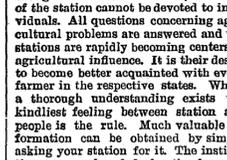
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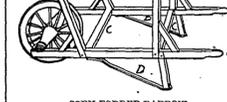
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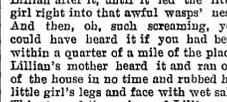
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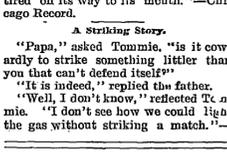
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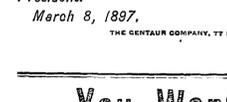
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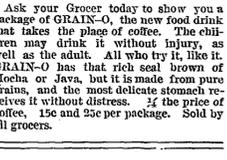
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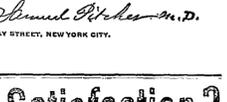
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