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HUMPHREYS'

A CLEW BY WIRE

Or, An Interrupted Current.

BY HOWARD M. YOST.

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CHAPTER I—Nelson Conway, suspected of a Philadelphia bank robbery, reaches his home on his way to the old Nelson home, gets Jack Hunter to drive him to his boyhood home and recognizes in Jack's wife Sarah, a servant to years before to his grandfather Nelson.

CHAPTER II—A year previous Conway, paying teller in a Philadelphia savings bank, was called to the house of Florence Morley to a party. Knowing this would not be a return to his home as early next morning as usual he arranges with Florence Morley to follow him to a combination of vaults. Returning to bank next morning Conway discovers the cash reserve of \$100,000 missing.

CHAPTER III—Conway is accused of the theft, but Mr. Morley, a trustee, proves an alibi for him, without however removing the suspicion.

CHAPTER IV—Conway expresses his confidence in Morley, but as a condition he must hold him in doubt. Conway's confidence in Morley is shaken, but he believes in Conway's innocence, but because of his own suspicion he promises that friendly relations between Conway and Florence Morley be discontinued until the case is cleared up.

CHAPTER V—Florence shortly after this writes to Conway, but offers no explanation and trust. In the old Nelson home, Conway is met by a stranger, a man in a dark suit, who tells him that he is a friend of his grandfather's.

CHAPTER VI—Discovery is made that both doorways to one of the cellars have been walled up. Florence driving by with her car, sees Conway, but offers no explanation. Conway is frequently being contacted by a man in a dark suit, who tells him that he is a friend of his grandfather's.

CHAPTER VII—Conway sees Sonntag, his agent. He knows nothing of walling up the cellars. Sonntag connects mysterious letters and notes with the same with the words and pauses. Now go.

CHAPTER VIII—Meeting between Conway and Sonntag. Conway is told that he is a friend of his grandfather's.

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MICHIGAN MELANGE.

NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST TO OUR READERS.

Important happenings in the State during the past 14 days reported by Telegraph—23 items selected for the benefit of Our Own People.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Sept. 20.—The information brought down by the North Shore Steamer Telegram from the Lake Wawa and Michipicoten gold district is by far the most promising received yet, and the steamer would have taken very many more prospectors with her Saturday had there been accommodations.

The steamer would have taken down from the district all had claims, and were enthusiastic over the prospects. By the boat the railroad syndicate received a letter from its expert prospector which states that the gold had been discovered in a vein on the property on the south shore of the lake, and that another fine gold bearing vein had been found on the north shore.

Will Turn Out Well.

J. L. Chavallier, the Montreal capitalist, in whose interest Professor McKenzie visited the district, paid \$10,000 cash for one share less than a half interest in the Dickinson-Mackay claim, and also agreed to erect the necessary crushing machinery.

Colorado, who has had thirty years' mining experience, was interviewed and gave it as his expert opinion that all the claims in this section would turn out well, as he believed the deposit was an extensive and not an isolated one. He has assays from the Canadian government, and from the district, and from a ton, the specimens sent being from his claims. Others go for \$2,000 to the ton.

It was at first thought that nothing but quartz mining would develop in the district, but the money of the gold was explored the district from Lake Manitowish to Lake Wawa, brought back with him a number of specimens which he obtained from rivers emptying into Lake Manitowish and Dog Lake.

Forty Cents to the Pan.

In these washings he found fine gold from the gravel which yielded 46 cents to the pan. He had four bottles filled with these specimens, the



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.

CLOAK SALE.

Geo. Wyman & Co. offer all their last winter jackets at a price that will sell them at once. Also everything else in the cloak department.

Sale commenced Saturday, August 28.

Lot 1—One table full will include \$6.00 Skirts, Babies' Embroidered Long Cloaks and Shawls, for \$1.00 each.

Lot 2—One table full of Ladies' and Misses' Jackets and Suits, for \$2.00 each.

Lots 3, 4, 5 and 6—All ladies' fine jackets, for \$2.50, \$5.00, \$6.00 and \$10.00, these include jackets that sold up to \$25.00.

One table full of Beaver Shawls, at \$2.75, and one at \$4.50, worth up to \$10.00.

Two tables full of summer Percale and Lawn Wrappers, for fifty cents each, that sold up to \$2.00.

All our Shirt Waists will go at 37 1/2 cents, that did sell up to \$3.00; all this season's goods, with detachable collars and cuffs.

We aim to sell the entire lot in one week, and have made ruinous price to do it. Sale began Saturday, Aug. 28.

COME AND SEE US.

GEO. WYMAN & CO.

South Bend, Ind.

Closed evenings except Saturday.

PROSPERITY.

PROSPERITY HAS COME.

Wheat \$1.00 per bushel, corn, oats and everything else are advancing. The farmers are happy. Shoes are advancing. Fortunately we saw what was coming and laid in a supply sufficient to last some time.

We are prepared to sell you our new FALL STYLES IN SHOES AND GENTS' FURNISHINGS just as cheap as last year when wheat was only 80 cents.

Drop in and see the new styles in Ladies' and Gentlemen's Shoes.

Yours for low prices,

G. E. SMITH & CO.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

D. H. BOWER, PUBLISHER AND PROPRIETOR.

THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 23, 1897.

Mr. T. B. Wynn has been appointed postmaster at Eau Claire.

The Chicago Record is pushing a petition to establish postal savings banks.

The South Milwaukee Journal of Sept. 18 contains an extensive "write up" of the industries of that flourishing Wisconsin city, and the proprietor of the Journal have again demonstrated that they are up to date newspaper men.

Editor Brown of the Three Oaks Press has evidently grown tired of his "oak leaf heading" on his paper, for last week's issue has a much neater heading of DeVienne type, which is a material improvement from an artistic standpoint.

The August Bulletin of the Dairy and Food Commissioner is just out and contains a flat turn down of the Alden Vinegar company, of St. Louis Mo. It stands all dealers in hand to read it carefully, as it also contains a final warning to dealers who handle their goods.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS.

The following jurors have been selected for the October term of the Circuit Court, which opens on the 11th, the jurors being cited to appear on the 18th:

Bainbridge, James B. Haskins, Benton, Fred Kerwin, Benton, Harbor, A. C. King, Harvey L. Draper, L. T. Carmichael, Wm. Smith, Berrien, Henry Bowerman, Bertrand, Robt. B. Franklin, Buchanan, Chas. Diggins, Chickaming, Isaac Edwards, Galien, David L. Zaring, Hagar, Jerome Scott, Lake, J. M. Raas, Lincoln, Harry Vincent, New Buffalo, Eli Lock, Niles, Chas. Washburn, Niles City, Robt. Bretschneider, Geo. W. Malone, Nathan Williams, Fred Reum, Oronoko, Darwin Crane, Pipestone, Henry Bowman, Royaltown, Wm. H. Seitz, Soda, N. H. Moore, St. Joseph, J. W. Richards, St. Joseph City, John W. Wilton, Wm. J. Summers, Fred Collins, Joseph Hone, Three Oaks, W. D. Bremer, Watervliet, P. O. Bove, Wessau, L. H. Kempton.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Harriet E. Gano to West Michigan Nurseries, property in Pipestone tp, \$8,000.

George Farrell and wife to Samuel E. Hallock and wife, lots 155 and 156 village of Berrien Springs, \$300.

G. T. Rouse to Thos. E. A. Byerly, property in village of Buchanan, \$500.

Emily O. Tatman to Peter Tonneller north one-half lot 7, blk A, village of Eau Claire, \$1.

Ulysses N. Beckett to Ruth Beckett 40 acres in New Buffalo tp, \$500.

Mary E. Davis to Ansel Stone, lots 7 and 8 in village of Derby, \$900.

Phillip Enders to Ida M. Enders, one-half lot 3, blk G, village of Eau Claire, \$1.

John M. Willis and wife to Elizabeth J. Willis, property in Berrien tp, \$2,800.

Carrie B. Tarro to Geo. A. Parren, property in village of Three Oaks, \$600.

Lydia Blakeslee to Jesse D. White property in Galien, \$300.

Kate Whiteacre and husband to Arthur Pickering, 20 acres in Lake tp, \$1.

Daniel C. Higbee and wife to Pattie Schrotz, property in village of Bertrand, \$75.

Roscoe D. Dix and wife to Carl Butner, 40 acres in Lake tp, \$800.

Auditor-General to William Halin, north one-half of lots 179 and 180, J. Beeson's add to city of Niles, \$23.84.

Elizabeth Beeson to Geo. Lambers et al, property in city of Niles, \$1,500.

Jeremiah Kalkan and wife to Louis Schneek 40 acres in Bertrand tp, \$1, etc.

Roscoe D. Dix and wife to Edwin S. Stevens, 55 1/2 acres in Berrien tp, \$1,500.

Godlieb Bower to Joseph Friedel, lot 3, Featherbone add to village of Three Oaks, \$50.

William K. Whitehead and wife to John Swartz, property in village of Three Oaks, \$2,700.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Wm. Houseworth, 51, Bertrand township; Sarah J. Kaiser, 47, Bertrand, Ind. Albert J. Cox, 23, Bainbridge; Katie Watson, 22, same.

Geo. Bruce, 26, Benton Harbor; Pearl Saunders, 23, Bloomington.

Arthur Habel, 21, St. Joseph; Freida Ahlers, 20, same.

Albert Krause, 23, Bainbridge; Sarah Scherer, 22, Milburg.

After a spirited contest, C. C. Allison and H. C. French were elected trustees at the school meeting at Cassopolis. It cost \$6,875.38 to run the school there last year. There are 405 of school age within the district.

The Farmers' Union Fair will be held at New Carlisle, Ind., Oct. 5-7, 1897, and from personal observation and knowledge the Record feels safe in predicting a good time for any one attending this popular fair.

Clinton Canfield, a lad of fourteen years, ran away from his home in Buchanan, Monday. His father is dead, and he has made his home with his aunt, Mrs. C. Cain. The lad was found at Three Oaks and returned to Buchanan today.

E. E. Alliger, the popular and efficient agent of the Michigan Central at this place, goes to Langford, S. D., this week for a short vacation. This is Mr. Alliger's first "lay off" in six years, and he needs the rest and thinks he has earned it. Mr. Alliger commenced working for the company at Buchanan nineteen years ago as night operator, and has steadily been advanced by the company to his present responsible position, always being at his post and giving his employers intelligent, able and good service. In his absence, Harry Larzere will have charge of the office.—Dowagiac Republican.

Friday afternoon, quite a party took the Lee & Porter launch for a sail up the river, returning in the evening. The party comprised, Mrs. Clara Kingsbury, Mrs. Fred E. Lee, Mrs. W. T. Leckie and Mrs. J. H. Porter, all of Dowagiac; Miss Jessie McKee of Grand Rapids; Miss Lillian Schultz of Chicago; and the following Buchanan residents, Miss Clara Hubbell, Mrs. L. E. Peck, Mrs. Mary Straw, Mrs. J. M. Hubbell, Miss Lena May Brown and Miss Ethel Curtis. A very pleasant trip was made, and everyone had an enjoyable time.

A letter received from Mr. Ira Sparks who is spending the summer at Ishpeming this state, comments upon the warm weather we have been having at Buchanan and states that since July 17th the date of their arrival at Ishpeming the thermometer had been above 70° but once. On Aug. 23, 25, 30 and Sept. 2 there had been frosts and on Sunday last it had snowed and rained all day, and that there has been rain at least once in 5 days ever since July. Evidently the Judge can manage to keep cool under such conditions.

The Cassopolis Democrat has the following account of some interesting relics which were at the recent reunion of the 19th Michigan held at that place:

Bent's Drum Corps of Benton Harbor furnished martial music, which was appreciated by the old soldier boys. C. E. Borts had a snare drum, which was presented to the regiment Washington, D. C., on the occasion of the grand review of the army, at the close of the war, and the regiment presented it to Mr. Borts, who treasures it very highly. He went out as a private in Co. I, and returned as Drum Major of the regiment. A proper companion piece to the drum is an old regimental badge, in the hands of R. E. Parker of Goldwater, who enlisted in Co. C, as a private, and was promoted to the position of Principal Musician for the regiment. The first bugle which Mr. Parker was furnished with was captured at the battle of Thompson's Station. The bugle which Mr. Parker now has with him at the reunion, was drawn from Uncle Sam's supplies, at Guy's Gap. It was of copper, except the mouthpiece which is of brass.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

The Masonic lodge rooms, and those of the International Congress are draped in mourning in memory of Mr. Morris Lyon.

Mr. Frank T. Plimpton of Buchanan claims the honor of being the first through passenger over the M. B. H. & C. R. Ry from Benton Harbor to Buchanan.

Rev. H. W. Davis of St. Joseph occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian church, Sunday morning, and delivered an excellent address to a good-sized audience.

Elder F. W. Mutchler, who has been preaching for the past two years at Bloom City, Wisconsin, is now located at Litchfield, Minn., preaching his first sermon last Sunday.

The M. B. H. & C. Ry. have filed a mortgage in Indiana for \$900,000 for the purpose of securing an issue of bonds. The proceeds from the sale of the bonds will be used to extend the road to Napanee, Ind.

PERSONALS.

Mr. John Morris was in Niles, Tuesday.

Mr. W. E. Hogue of Baroda was in town, Sunday.

Mr. F. T. Plimpton spent Sunday in Buchanan.

Miss Jennie Bailey is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. J. B. Alexander was a Niles visitor, Tuesday.

Mr. H. O. Pierce was over from Niles, Saturday.

Mr. H. C. Plimpton was over from Chicago, Monday.

Mr. Henry W. Grover was over from Niles, Saturday.

Mr. A. Lindley of Sweet Home, Ind. was in town Tuesday.

Mr. Jacob Imhoff returned to Missouri, Monday morning.

Miss Lillian Shultz returned to her home in Chicago, Saturday.

Mr. J. E. Barnes of Benton Harbor was a visitor in town, Sunday.

Miss Kittie Hannan has gone to Detroit for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Canfield were over from South Bend, Saturday.

Mr. Alvin Fellows of Jackson, this state, is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. F. A. Hamlin of the Benton Harbor News was in town, Friday.

Mr. H. E. Starrett of Chicago spent Sunday in Buchanan with his family.

Chief Engineer E. C. Hurd of the M. B. H. & C. R. Ry was in town, Friday.

Mr. J. M. Richardson of New Carlisle, Ind., was a Sunday visitor in town.

Prosecuting Attorney G. M. Valcott of Benton Harbor was in town, Friday.

Mr. J. K. Woods left for Benton Harbor over the new road, Sunday evening.

Mrs. S. K. Van Sant and Miss Clara Wilson visited relatives in Galien, yesterday.

Mrs. P. T. Henderson is in Chicago attending a school of instruction in embalming.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Edwards were in Niles on Sunday, the guests of Mr. H. O. Pierce.

Mrs. Clarence White and son, Master Paul, visited relatives near Paw, over Sunday.

Miss Emma Grover and B. Frank Bressler visited the latter's parents at Adamsville, Sunday.

Mrs. Sprague of Michigan Cutlery Co. was in Chicago, the fore part of the week, on business.

Messrs. B. D. Harper and Al. Emerson attended the Encampment at Niles, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Atkins of Edwarsburg attended the funeral of Mrs. L. Bates, Tuesday.

City Editor Ira Smith of the Benton Harbor Palladium was registered at Hotel Stephens, Friday.

Mr. Eugene Murphy took in the Milwaukee excursion over the M. B. H. & C. R. Ry, last night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Miller of Benton Harbor were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Morris, Sunday.

Miss Alta M. Mitchell will leave for Chicago tomorrow, accompanying Mrs. O. E. Pagan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozro Baldwin of Bridgman were in town Tuesday and Wednesday, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Pangburn and family of Chicago are visiting relatives in Buchanan and vicinity.

Mrs. H. M. Brodick and Mrs. W. N. Brodick spent Sunday and Monday in Chicago visiting relatives.

Mr. Clarence White of Buchanan visited with friends in this vicinity, yesterday.—New Carlisle Gazette.

Messrs. D. H. Patterson, H. E. Dickenson and Sam. H. Kelly of the M. B. H. & C. R. Ry were in town, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bristol attended the reunion of the 19th Michigan regiment at Cassopolis, last Thursday.

Mrs. J. J. Carothers returned home on Sunday from Battle Creek, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Wm. H. Grimes.

Messrs. Chas. G. Stowell, Arthur McOmber and Thos. Whitney, all of Niles, took dinner Sunday at Hotel Stephens.

Mr. John Bukholtz of Milwaukee has arrived and entered upon his duties with the National Manufacturing Co.

Mrs. B. D. Harper, Jr. and children, who have been visiting Buchanan relatives, went to New Buffalo, Friday morning.

Mrs. A. F. Peacock and children left last night for Harrisburg, Pa. where they will visit Mrs. Peacock's sister and family.

Mr. Chris. Lovell of Norway, Sweden, returned to Buchanan, last Thursday, to resume his position in the cutlery works.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, Mrs. M. Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. N. Roberts of Niles attended the funeral of Mr. Morris Lyon, Tuesday.

Mr. C. F. Gilbert of Chicago has been spending a few days in town with his family, and will leave here for his home in Chicago, Saturday night.

Messrs. Eugene Farren, Elton Shelton and John Baker were among those who took advantage of the excursion to Chicago, Saturday night.

Mr. G. Alfons returned from Milwaukee, Ind., Sunday where he has been at work for some time and reports things to be booming in that town.

Geo. Cassler of Buchanan wheeled to this place, Wednesday morning.—Miss Gertrude Berwick of Buchanan is visiting relatives in this place.—Three Oaks Press.

Mrs. L. A. Nickerson and daughter and Messrs. E. S. and H. A. Nickerson have arrived from Davenport, Iowa, and the two latter have gone to work at the shop of the Michigan Cutlery Company.

Messrs. Fred Swartz, Frank Periston and John Brock of Elkhart, Ind., wheeled to Buchanan where they spent Sunday with Mr. Swartz's cousin, Mrs. P. P. Meyer, and family, returning the same day.

Mrs. Geo. Ingelwright and son Clyde of Sawyer were in Buchanan on Friday, on business. They intend soon to remove to Memphis, Tenn., where Mr. Ingelwright has been employed for some time.

Among the excursionists who came down on the Sunday excursion over the "new road," the following were registered at Hotel Stephens: Messrs. J. O. Walsh, Charles Barr, L. O. Schaefer, and Mrs. C. R. Hollis and Mrs. A. C. Hollis.

IS IT CORDRAY?

A MAN ANSWERING HIS DESCRIPTION CAPTURED AT LOGANS-PORT, INDIANA.

On Saturday, Sept. 11, a horse and buggy belonging to Rudolph Rouki, was stolen from Day's avenue where the horse had been hitched. It was supposed to have been taken by a man who had been hanging about town and passing under the name of Melvin Cordray. Deputy Sheriff John C. Wenger traced the stolen rig for eighteen miles and then lost trace of it. He has since received word from the sheriff of Cass county, Ind., that a fellow answering to Cordray's description was captured at Logansport, Ind., Sept. 13, at midnight, and when taken had a stolen horse, buggy, overcoat, eight-day clock, two pair of pants, and other articles, in his possession. He had given the name of Corbin, but had also been known as O'Connell. He had exchanged the first rig for another, at a place near Royal Centre, Ind. He was arraigned, pleaded guilty and sentenced to the South prison, Jefferson, Ind., for a term of not less than one and not more than fourteen years, and is now serving time.

THREE OAKS.

From our Regular Correspondent.

E. K. Warren is in New York City on business.

John Henry Chamberlain, who has been suffering from throat and lung trouble, is slowly improving.

John Crosby returned to Ann Arbor yesterday, where he is attending school.

Winfred Wright is attending school at the Michigan Agricultural College.

There was quite a heavy frost in this vicinity last Monday night, consequently the farmers are very busy cutting up their corn.

Wheat sowing is not progressing very rapidly. Farmers are waiting for rain.

NEW TROY.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Heavy frost Sunday night and what corn was not cut up got cut with frost.

Grandma Boyce is quite poorly. She is at her daughter's, Mrs. Eugene Hill. She is nearly 85 years old and has always been spry than any of the girls of eighteen or twenty.

Wheat not all sowed yet. Any time by January 1, will do.

John Fletcher Moore & Co. are hauling clover for A. W. Pierce. Mr. Fletcher tells me that they can take a stack of wheat straw and get more grain seed out of it with their new anti-friction, double action, ball bearings, no truss vibration. Of course one has to make allowance for men like George Washington.

Saturday evening there was a party in town. THE POP.

BARODA.

From our Regular Correspondent.

Flossie, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Boswell died Sept. 14 of consumption age 16 years, 5 months, 11 days. She was a member of the M. E. Church of Hollywood. She leaves a large number of friends and relatives in and near Baroda to mourn her loss. The services were conducted by Rev. J. St. Skinner of Grand Rapids.

Laura, the only daughter of J. H. Feather and wife of Wm. Harper died at Battle Creek, Saturday Sept. 18. The services were held at Salem on Tuesday at 10 a. m.

Uncle John Stein is not expected to live, old age being the trouble.

Mrs. John Feather is very low with lung trouble.

The churches and schools of Glendora are all closed on account of diphtheria, so the young people of that place attend church here. What are the health officers doing.

Aunt Julia Lemon went to Indiana last Monday for a few weeks visit with friends and relatives.

The famous Hickory Creek trial will take place in Niles before Judge Coolidge on Wednesday.

Mrs. T. N. Chilson has been sick for a few days but is better at present.

Called to Mt. Pleasant.

State Normal School Position Offered to Miss Farmer.

President E. A. Wilson of the State Board of Education has offered to the assistant teacher of English branches in the normal school at Mt. Pleasant to Miss Sara L. Farmer of this city, now a teacher in the Buchanan schools, at a salary of \$600 a year. Miss Farmer, who is well-liked in Buchanan and would have to secure a release from the schools there, has the offer under advisement, and if she accepts it will provide a substitute for Buchanan. She is in every way worthy of advancement in her chosen profession, which it is understood the Mt. Pleasant place involves.

Mr. Wilson reports that the Mt. Pleasant school opens with 225 pupils, and an unexpectedly large attendance.—Benton Harbor Palladium.

Gen. Goblin's Duties.

His Assumed the Commander-in-Chief, G. A. R.

Gen. J. P. S. Goble of Lebanon has issued general orders from the headquarters of the general army of the Republic, assuming the duties of commander-in-chief and announcing the appointment of Gen. Thomas J. Stewart, Post No. 11, department of Pennsylvania, to be Adjutant-General and Charles Burrows, Post 28, department at New Jersey, to be Quartermaster-general. In line with an economical administration of the affairs of the Grand Army, the commander-in-chief states that the appointees will serve without salary. Headquarters have been established at Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

The Civic-Philanthropic Conference.

will be held at Battle Creek, from Oct. 12 to 16, inclusive. The program is as follows:

Tuesday evening, Opening Session. Wednesday, Health and Hygiene. Thursday, Hygiene, Temperance, and Reform. Friday, Reform. Saturday, Socialism and Social Reform.

CHICAGO LETTER.

Special Correspondence.

Try as they will the bears cannot get wheat to the 50 cent mark although their efforts to-day came reasonably near being crowned with success, as they sold December down to (90¢).

But it was noticeable that with all the selling there was little or no show of the coming out, which shows the holders of the real article are not at all disposed to let it go at present prices. It is a matter of common knowledge that a certain strong interest here has for some time counted 5,000,000 bushels of December wheat bought at a figure far below the one now prevailing. Were they so disposed it would be an easy matter to take a large profit right now, and the fact that they do not do so is proof positive that they believe the market will advance in the near future. In any event they do not look for a decline, and their persistent refusal to sell is an effective and permanent check on the operations of the bear crowd.

In corn the situation has cleared itself materially in the last few days. There were many weak holders of corn whose lines have been liquidated and this had the effect of clearing that market of a lot of dead wood without which it will get along better and more naturally. To-day the tone of the corn market was strong, and while during the inactivity of wheat it would be natural for corn to advance much the best judges deemed it on a sure foundation at present values. Provisions are also well thought of, and the late buying has been of a good sort.

The following table, shows the high, low and closing prices today of the principal commodities dealt in on the Chicago Board of Trade:

	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—			
Dec.	91 1/2	90 3/4	91 1/4
May	91	89 3/4	90 3/4
Corn—			
Dec.	30 3/4	30 1/4	30 3/4
May	34	33 3/4	33 3/4
Oats—			
Dec.	20 3/4	20 1/4	20 3/4
May	23 3/4	23 1/4	23 3/4

WASHINGTON LETTER.

Sept. 18, 1897.

Much interest is felt here in the Senatorial contests in the several States, especially Ohio, Maryland, New Jersey, Texas, and Iowa, for portions of the legislatures which are to be chosen in Iowa and New Jersey are to participate in the election of Senators.

While all Senatorial elections are subjects of special interest here, those this fall, especially in Ohio and Maryland, are particularly so, because the control of the Senate from March 4, 1899, to 1901 may be determined by them. On the Ohio election will depend the complexion of the Senate between this and 1899, provided a Republican is seated from Oregon. So Ohio is the first to attract attention, because she may determine the control of the Senate for the next two years, while she may, with the other States above named, control it for two years more.

It is not surprising, then, that every politician from Ohio is eagerly questioned on the subject here, and that those from other States are also the subject of attention when they put in an appearance. On the States above named may depend the control of the Senate during all of President McKinley's term.

There are now 43 Republicans in the Senate, 32 silver Democrats, 5 silver Republicans, so-called, 5 Populists, and 3 sound-money Democrats. The death of Senator George and the absence of a Senator from Oregon leaves the total number but 88. With a Republican seated from Oregon, and one elected in Ohio, that party would, with the co-operation of one Populist, control the Senate. Even if a Democrat were appointed to succeed Senator George, it is considered probable that at least one of the Populists would co-operate with the Republicans, thus leaving that party in control of the Senate with the aid of the Vice-President's vote.

Should the Ohio election of the Senate be filled between now and March 4, 1899. Eleven of these are now filled by Republicans, fifteen by silver Democrats, two by Populists, two by silver Republicans, and one by a sound-money Democrat. It is conceded that the Republicans will elect Senators from Maine, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, Pennsylvania, Iowa, Michigan, and Minnesota; the Democrats in Virginia, Florida, South Carolina, Texas, and probably Missouri and Tennessee; and the silverites in Nevada, Montana and Utah. With the Ohio Republicans successful this fall, the Republican party is practically sure of 41 votes in the Senate in the last half of Mr. McKinley's term, and the silver Democrats 25.

There is reason to believe that the Republicans may be successful in sending members of their own party from Maryland, West Virginia, Indiana, Wisconsin, North Dakota, California, New York, and New Jersey to succeed Democrats now holding seats from these States. Should this happen it would give the party an easy control of the Senate. Should they only win in one-half these States they would be able to control the Senate with the vote of the Vice-President.

It will be seen, then, that there is good reason for the intense interest with which the Ohio election of this fall is being watched. Upon it alone may depend the control of the Senate between this time and March 4, 1899, while upon Ohio, Maryland, and a few other close States will depend the control after March 4, 1899, to the end of President McKinley's term.

Therefore all eyes are on Ohio as to her possible control of the Senate during the next 18 months, and on Ohio, Maryland, and a few other close States as to the control of that body during the remainder of President McKinley's term.

Happily, the reports from all of these States are very encouraging to the Republicans. In Ohio there now remain no doubt of success, provided the members of the party in that State do not allow their good prospects to lead to a neglect of duty. They have some very shrewd men to deal with, and some very unscrupulous ones, too, and between these two they will need to get out every vote. But if they do so, it is conceded that they will win. In Maryland the Republicans are very hopeful. They are all standing now in line, and when the good round majority by which they carried the State last year is remembered, it is apparent that they have good chances of success. Yet they have as shrewd and unscrupulous a man to fight as have the Ohioans, for Arthur P. Gorman is a man who can only be beaten by the most heroic work on the part of the Republicans of Maryland. Advice from Ohio indicate that the voters there understand pretty clearly the heavy responsibility which rests upon them. A failure to elect a Republican from that State passes the control of the Senate into the hands of those opposed to President McKinley, at least until March 4, 1899, and of course, if that happens, it is his responsibility, and it is well that the Ohio Republicans recognize it.

It does not seem possible that the table for eight people can be provided for ten dollars a week.

But Mrs. Rorer, the most famous cook in America, says it can be done. She has tried it and knows. She proves her case in *The Ladies' Home Journal* for October. She gives twenty-one menus covering a week's meals, and gives full practical directions by which any woman can make as attractive meals as Mrs. Rorer, for this small sum of ten dollars.

For a good meal, go to

ARTHUR'S Restaurant.

SMALL PLACE WANTED.

With about two acres of ground. Address, giving particulars, RECORD OFFICE.

CORN.

We are in the market for Corn at all times now, at good market prices. THE C. BISHOP GRAIN CO.

Farmers wanting commercial fertilizers for their fall seeding, call on

ENOS HOLMES, Agent for Northwestern Fertilizer Co.

Oct. 5, is the last day on which Village Taxes will be received. Please call at the First National Bank and pay your tax, at once.

HERBERT ROE, Village Treas.

Letters unclaimed remaining in the P. O. at Buchanan for the week ending Sept. 20. Call for letters advertised: Mr. Geo. S. Barnhard, Mr. John Theodore, Mr. Huff, Jim Clemmons, C. L. St. John.

JOHN C. DICK, P. M.

Card of Thanks.

We desire to return our thanks to the neighbors and friends who so kindly assisted us during our recent bereavement; also to those who donated flowers and to the singers.

MR. AND MRS. HIRSH BUSKER AND FAMILY.

IN REMEMBRANCE.

Go to night, little one, good night; While we remain here and mourn, Thy spirit upward has taken flight, To greet us again in the morn.

STEINWAY, A. B. CHASE, STERLING, HUNTINGTON.

This in comparable line of the world's best Pianos is for sale; for cash or on easy time payments, by ELBEL BROS.

114 N. Mich. St. South Bend, Ind.

GREAT MUSIC OFFER.

Send us the names and addresses of three or more performers on the piano or organ together with ten cents in silver or postage, and we will mail you ten pieces full sheet music, consisting of popular songs, waltzes, marches, etc., arranged for the piano and organ. Address, POPULAR MUSIC PUB. CO., Indianapolis, Ind.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will run a Special Excursion train to St. Joseph, Mich via New Buffalo and C. and W. M. Ry. on Friday Sept. 24 arriving at St. Joseph at 9:30 a. m. and returning will leave St. Joseph at 6 p. m. same day.

Fare from Buchanan and return 75 cents children under 12 years of age 40 cents. See flyers for time.

A. F. PEACOCK, Agent.

M. C. R. R. Co. will sell excursion tickets to Niagara Falls, Ont. Good going on all trains except train No. 4 after 12 o'clock Wednesday Sept. 23 and Thursday, Sept. 23.

Limited for return up to and including Monday Sept. 27 th. 1897. Good on all trains except North Shore Limited No. 5.

Fare from Buchanan \$6.75 for the round trip.

A. F. PEACOCK, Agent.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Taken up on the farm of T. F. Worrell, Niles township, on July 17, 1897, one brown horse six years old weighs 1100 lbs., small star in forehead, both hind feet white, letter D and number 10 branded in left front foot. The owner can recover same upon proving property and paying expenses. Address, JOHN C. WENGER, Deputy Sheriff.

"Purgatorial Pills."

The druggist would hardly expect you asked for "purgatorial pills" if there were many of them, but he would probably recommend a pill that did not gripe or grip, a sugar coated pill, gentle in action, and sure in effect, try *Allen's Cathartic Pill*. Price 25 cents. At *Barnore's Drug Store*.

Carte's Cough Cure

Will cure a stubborn cough when ordinary specifics fail. Everyone has a good word for it. Why not try it for yourself? Price 25 cents. At *Barnore's Drug Store*.

Special Notice.

The healing powers of *Carte's Herbal Ointment*, have long been known. It may be used with great safety in the treatment of the most delicate skin as well as a healing and soothing agent in all cases of burns and scalds. It is the great skin remedy. Price 25 cents. At *Barnore's Drug Store*.

Royal makes the food pure, wholesome and delicious.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

In McCLELLAN'S MAGAZINE for October there will be published for the first time the long hidden and supposedly lost life masks of John Adams, Jefferson, Madison, Lafayette, and Charles Carroll, taken about 1825 by the sculptor Browne, by a refined process that he himself devised and of which he never told the secret.

The story of the making of these remarkably truthful masks, and of their subsequent hiding away, is a most romantic one, and will be told in the same number by Charles Henry Hart, the highest authority on such subjects.

Head Henry!

Do you feel drowsy, sluggish, and have that tired feeling all day? Is your sleep restless? Do you have bad dreams? Does a little exertion tire you out? Are you short of breath? Do you have palpitation of the heart? If you do, you need *Allen's Foot-Ease*. It cures these troubles more frequently than any other medicine. It is a certain cure for aching feet, swollen feet, corns, bunions, and shoe stores. Buy mail for 25¢ in Allen's Foot-Ease. Price, 25¢ and 50¢ each. At *Barnore's Drug Store*.

Interchangeable Mile Tickets.

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.

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MAIN STREET.

THAT'S SO.

I have secured the agency for the

celebrated Dowagiac Flour,

and have the same on sale at my

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BERTHA ROE,

The Buchanan Floral Co.

AVA SCHRAM, MANAGER.

Cut Flowers for all occasions. Potted Plants

in all varieties. In season. Plants supplied

for decorating.

Greenhouse No. 19 River Street.

New Meat Market

A choice line of meats

constantly on hand.

Your patronage is solicited.

FRANK A. TREAT.

NEW MEAT MARKET.

Commencing Monday, September 27, we will sell

goods for COLD CASH only,

having decided to discontinue

the credit system with its

disadvantages to us and our

customers. We heartily

thank our friends for a very

generous patronage in the

past and shall endeavor to

continue trading at the

COLD CASH.

D. L. BOARDMAN.



100 and XXXX Coffee, 14 cents a pound.

1 pound Corn Meal, 10c

1 pound Baking Powder, 10c

1 gallon Syrup, 17c

1 dozen Cakes, 5c

1 can Sugar Corn, 5c

1 pound package Instant Oats, 5c

Fresh lot of garden and flower seeds.

W. H. KELLER.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, 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. 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 hundred dollars to the first person who successfully secures it. Advertisers should note the fact that the BUCHANAN RECORD is one of the 100 that are not afraid to let their customers know just what they are buying.

BUCHANAN MARKETS.

Hay—\$8@10 per ton.
Lard, retail—8c.
Salt, retail—\$1.00.
Flour, per lb—\$4.80@5.00.
Honey—18c.
Live poultry—3c@6c.
Butter—20@25c.
Eggs—12c.
Wheat—85c.
Oats—18c.
Corn—25c.
Clover Seed—\$3.00@3.25.
Tye—30c.
Beans—\$0c@1.00.
Live Hogs—\$3.40.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

Card of Thanks. See local.

Estray taken up. See local.

Small place wanted. See local.

Popular Music Pub. Co. See local.

Niagara Falls Excursion. See local.

Mrs. S. E. Johnson is advertising her dressmaking parlors.

Dr. Roy, the Hindu Doctor has a card in the Record this week.

Notice of sale of real estate of Wm. J. Hall deceased. See legal.

Messrs. B. R. Desenberg & Bro. are telling you how to save the dollars in their advertisement this week.

Wm. Monroe is calling attention to the fact that he can give you figures on coal and lumber. Read his advertisement.

Mr. D. L. Boardman proprietor of the "Cold Cash" grocery has an interesting announcement in his space this week. Read it.

S. P. High, the reliable dry goods merchant is advertising a full line of fall and winter dry goods and notions in his space, this week.

Geo. B. Richards the old reliable furniture dealer has an announcement of the addition of a new branch, that of undertaking, to his other business.

Pennington and Cook is the style of the firm that have opened a new Harness shop at Baker's old stand and they have joined the Record family of advertisers. Read their advertisement.

Messrs. H. E. Lough and Will Van Meter were fishing last Friday and had great luck.

George H. Service took charge of the post-office at New Carlisle, Ind., last Wednesday.

Prof. J. W. Cupples has moved into the Scott house corner of Oak and Chicago streets.

The recent cool weather is a welcome change to the excessive heat of the week previous.

Buchanan Assembly No. 2 International Congress held a special meeting Monday night.

Dr. Roy a Hindu doctor has decided to locate in Buchanan and has opened an office at Mrs. Fenders.

Mr. Amos House is putting in a cement walk on the Oak street front of the "old mill" property.

A number of the Bakerstown young people went to Dayton, Friday night and reported a very nice time.

Mr. Albert Pierce has moved into his new house on Lake street recently purchased of Mr. J. A. Waldron.

Mr. D. L. Boardman is notifying his customers and friends that he will run his store on the cash basis after Saturday of this week.

The Buchanan Township Sunday School Union will meet in the Evangelical Church, Portage Prairie October 2nd and 3rd.

The death of Morris Lyon is the first one that has occurred in the membership of Buchanan Assembly No. 2 of the International Congress.

Messrs. F. M. Cook and E. Pennington of Elkhart, Ind. have rented the room formerly occupied by Jacob Baker and will open a harness shop.

The Monday Literary club will meet with Mrs. L. L. Redden, Monday afternoon, at 2 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Probate Judge J. J. Van Riper is seriously ill at Waukesha, Wisconsin and on Tuesday his son C. M. Van Riper left for that place to bring his father home.

The Record has received many compliments for its up to date appearance and, to one and all, we desire to return our thanks for their appreciation of our efforts.

The Northern Indiana and Southern Michigan Fair will be held at South Bend, Ind. beginning Sept. 28 and ending October 1st. The management promises a good fair this year.

Editor S. W. Doty of the Galien Advocate, together with his family, have the sympathy of his brethren of the press in the loss by death of his daughter, Miss Mildred, which occurred last Thursday.

Ex-Bank examiner D. B. Ainger of Lansing has been appointed receiver of the First National Bank of Benton Harbor which institution was closed by National Bank Examiner, George B. Caldwell last week.

Mr. W. B. Scottford, who was in town in the interests of the Chicago Tribune, last Friday, reports that he has found more evidence of "prosperity" here than at any other town he has visited.

It Pays to Trade at MORRIS' THE FAIR.

Dealer in Almost Everything.

The Watchword for Economy.

Buchanan, Mich.

CHURCH NOTES.

CHRISTIAN.

Sunday school review service at the Christian church, next Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

REV. H. L. Potter, the new M. E. pastor, will fill his pulpit here, Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. W. W. Divine takes no work, this year. He expects to leave his children here in school, while he takes a short vacation in the West.

REV. E. H. Bradfield of Gladwin, Mich., will preach at the Presbyterian church, next Sunday morning and evening.

EVANGELICAL.

Services next Sunday, as usual. In the evening, Dr. Tadappaly V. Roy, a converted Hindu priest, will lecture on Brahmanism and his conversion to Christianity. He comes highly recommended by many ministers and churches where he has lectured, and the lecture promises to be an interesting and instructive one.

THE RALLY.

A BIG SUCCESS IN EVERY DETAIL.

The third annual rally of the Niles, Bertrand and Buchanan Sunday schools was held at South Clearlake, Ind., on Saturday. The attendance was very good, indeed, nearly fifteen hundred being present.

The rain of Thursday had put the roads in excellent condition, and the weather was fine. The schools from Buchanan were very well represented, and when the procession started from Portage Prairie, there were over seventy vehicles in line, and few of these were single carriages.

After a picnic dinner, followed an hour of recreation and enjoyment. The music of the band then drew the scattered groups to the stand, where seats had been provided, and the crowd listened to the following program:

Music.....Portage Prairie Cornet Band

Prayer.....Rev. J. Young

Vocal Duets.....Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Berger

Address.....Rev. E. R. Black

Music.....Orchestra

Recitation.....Miss Viola Conrad

Song, Nearer to Thee.....Male Quartet

Address.....Rev. J. R. Neigarth

Address.....Rev. F. C. Berger

Music.....Orchestra

Song, God be with you till we meet again.....Orchestra Accompaniment

Benediction.....Rev. J. Young

Rev. J. H. Keeler of Kansas, a former pastor in Bertrand, also gave a short address. The exercises were all interesting and profitable. The lengthening shadows warned of the close of a beautiful day, and the happy people began to disperse toward their homes, voting the rally a success. Rally Day is rapidly coming to the front as an announced Sunday school festival.

M. E. CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS.

The Michigan Conference closed, Tuesday evening, at Kalamazoo, and the following list of appointments were made for the Niles District:

E. W. VAN SCHOCK, P. E.

Bangor and Breedsville, I. T. Weldon.

Benton Harbor, W. P. French.

Berrien Springs, A. T. Eldred.

Buchanan, H. L. Potter.

Bronson, John Zedler.

Burlington, to be supplied.

Burr Oak, I. H. Skinner.

Cassopolis, I. H. Reddick.

Coloma and Watervliet, A. J. Wheeler.

Centerville, N. S. Tuttle.

Colon, H. W. Thompson.

Constantine, J. B. Plunkard.

Coldwater, W. I. Cogshall.

Decatur, W. H. Moore.

Dowagiac, G. A. Buell.

Eau Claire, S. I. Horr.

Edwardsburg, E. F. Newell.

Galien, C. F. Keene.

Glenn, J. Gulick.

Glenn, W. P. Mosher.

Hartford, G. F. Craig.

Keeler and Silver Creek, Samuel Terwin.

Kinderhook, W. W. Sylesworth.

Lawrence, C. E. Deal.

Lawton, A. S. Williams.

Marcellus, G. W. Gosling.

Mattawan, J. H. Emmons.

Niles, Louis Grosenbaugh.

Paw Paw, E. O. Mather.

Pokagon, W. J. Douglass.

St. Joseph, James Hamilton.

Stevensville, J. P. Brown.

Sherwood, A. W. Munford.

Sturgis, A. A. Brady.

Three Oaks, J. R. Bennett.

Union City, W. A. Frye.

Union City, F. A. Chapman.

Vandalia, J. N. Dayton.

White Pigeon, G. A. Brown.

As will be seen by the above list, the Coldwater District has been merged into the Niles District.

Rev. J. W. H. Carlisle, former Presiding Elder of this District, will preside over the East Street M. E. church at Grand Rapids.

DO YOU LABEL YOUR CANS?

State Oil Inspector T. R. Smith has received an opinion from Atty. General F. A. Maynard to the effect that the enforcement of any laws regulating the sale of gasoline, benzine or naphtha would properly come under his department. In accordance to this decision, Mr. Smith has sent out a circular calling attention to the following Section of the laws of 1889, which reads:

The people of the State of Michigan, That every druggist, grocer, or other persons who shall sell and deliver at retail any gasoline, benzine or naphtha, without having the true name thereof, and the words "Explosive when mixed with air," plainly printed upon a label securely attached to the can, bottle, or other vessel containing the same, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars.

Buchanan merchants and retailers should not run any chance, but should see that their cans are perfectly labelled at once.

OBITUARY.

MORRIS LYON, who was well-known to nearly every reader of the Record and who has been in poor health for several months, died at his home on Second street, Sunday morning, at 4 o'clock. The deceased was identified with various business enterprises in the town, for many years past. He is survived by his mother, a half-sister, wife and one daughter, Miss Bernice.

Morris Lyon was born in Liberty, New York, Dec. 27, 1845, and died at Buchanan, Mich., Sept. 19, 1897, aged 52 years, 9 mos. 9 days. His parents with their family came to this section in 1852, where deceased has since resided, with the exception of three years spent in the South. In Feb., 1894, he enlisted in the service of his country, in Com. C, 12th Mich. Inf., and spent over two years in active service. The exposure and hardships of this service undermined his constitution and shortened his life a score or ten years.

He was married to Martha Hamilton, Sept. 27, 1883, and never was a husband more kind, indulgent, provident and uncomplaining. As a citizen, he was honored and universally esteemed. His quiet, upright life won him only friends. Buchanan has had no more worthy, honorable and kind-hearted citizen.

The funeral services were held under the auspices of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M., of which Mr. Lyon had long been a member, the pallbearers being taken from the membership of Buchanan Assembly No. 2, International Congress, of which Lodge Mr. Lyon was Master at Aras. The services were held at the Christian church, Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. E. R. Black officiating and the choir of the church furnishing the music. The church was filled to overflowing by friends and relatives who had assembled to pay their last respect to the memory of Mr. Lyon. The floral tributes were numerous and beautiful. A brief and touching address was delivered by Mr. Black.

At the conclusion of the sermon at the church, the Masonic fraternity took charge of the funeral, and the interment made at Oak Ridge cemetery in accordance to their ritual.

LORETTA M. BATES was born in Devitt, Onondaga county, New York, June 23, 1830, and died at her home in Berrien county, Mich., Sept. 19, 1897. She moved with her parents to Ohio, when about thirteen years old where, in Norton, Summit county, she was married to Mr. Alvin Bates, March 9, 1848. This union was blessed with five children, four sons and one daughter, all of whom are still living. One brother and one sister also survive her. She united with the Christian church, of which she was an honored and faithful member till her death. She was an affectionate wife and mother, and her Christian character was spotless. After much suffering, she passed away in the full hope of an endless life in Heaven.

The funeral services were held at the Christian church, Sept. 21, and were conducted by Elder Wm. M. Roe, and assisted by Elder E. R. Black, and interment made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

SCHOOL NOTES.

Sparking and chewing gum is tabooed in the High school.

Latin III are finding out what a terrible man Catiline was.

Latin IV have passed the invocation to Calliope, learned of Juno's dislike of the Trojans because of:

1. Memories of Trojan war.

2. Doom of Carthage.

3. Judgment of Paris.

4. Jupiter's preference for Ganymede.

5. Descent of the noted race from Jupiter's Electra.

The class is now buffeting the winds in the cave of Aeolus.

If some of the pupils would study as hard as they speak, they would be heard of in this world as well as in the next.

The following are the non-residents, this year:

Blanche Wells, Earl Kramer,

Edith Long, John Lydick,

Edith Allen, John Redding,

Adah Broeck, Clarence Robinson,

Stella French, Clare Covey,

May Redden, Clarence Weaver,

Grace French, Paul Baker,

Frank Chubb, Willie Curran,

Louise Wilson, Mary Conrad,

Willard Wade, Alice R. Danno,

Elmer Clark, Clyde Fuller,

Lillian Baker, Arlie Haslett,

Clara Burrus, Trent Hunter,

Rose Burrus, Etta Montague,

Lloyd Butts, Mary E. Miller,

Rolla Butts, Gertrude Norris,

Morrow Chubb, Grace Pangborn,

Hattie Bronson, Daisy Redden,

Harry Zerbe, Dot Redden,

Flora Curran, Dimple Redden,

Carson French, Frank Swank,

Grace French, Edna Spaulding,

Alma Holmes, Glenn Haslett,

Clayton Housworth, Norman Schermerhorn.

A number of Buchanan people took in the Chicago excursion over the "new road" on Saturday night.

The Sunday excursion from Benton Harbor over the M. B. H. & C. Ry. brought down quite a number of people who spent the day about town returning in the evening.

Through a private source we learn that an eight pound son came to bless the home of the Rev. and Mrs. Geo. Johnson last Monday at Naperville, Ill. Mr. Johnson and his family were former residents of this city where they have a host of friends who still mourn their absence.—St. Joseph Press.

Hang on to your Dollar

Until you see our solid fact bargains.

We have opened the season with a stock of goods that beat the record for Beauty and Low Prices. We will close it with a big stock disposed of and the best pleased lot of customers you ever saw.

BE FAIR WITH YOURSELF AND SEE OUR FALL STOCK.

It presents an opportunity for economical buying that nobody can afford to miss. Our store is crowded with the newest of new styles, selected with experienced care as to Quality. Good taste as to Style and Generous Profrugality as to Variety it is

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Popular Styles, Late Novelties, Standard grades and Newest Attractions are all found in abundance in every department of our "Large Double Store."

DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, CARPETS, BOOTS, SHOES, NOTIONS, HATS, CAPS, GENTS' FURNISHINGS, ETC.

LADIES' MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S CLOAKS.

No Question about these goods pleasing.

They make none better.

No Question about prices being satisfactory.

None can sell cheaper.

HE HAS THE METEORITE

Arrival of Lieutenant Peary at Sydney, N. S.

EXPEDITION WAS SUCCESSFUL.

The meteorite carried in the hold of the Hope Embedded in Ballast—Remains of the ill-fated Expedition Led by Greely Also Obtained—Peary Drings Back Several Esquimaux Who Will Go with Him in Search of the Pole.

Sydney, N. S., Sept. 21.—The steam sailing bark, the "Albatross," with R. E. Peary and party on board, arrived here at 5 o'clock Monday afternoon from North Greenland. All on board are well. "Hope" came into port burning her last ton of coal, and



Lieutenant Peary with her bulwarks and decks giving evidence of the furious seas of an unusual stormy summer. She is nearly as deep in the water as when she left here in the latter part of July, with her bunkers full of coal for the voyage. Cape York meteorite, the largest in the world, is in her hold, and bedded in tons of ballast. Lieutenant Peary has on board also six Cape York Eskimos, who will go with him when he returns next year to attempt to reach the north pole.

Relics of Greely's Expedition. The expedition visited Cape Sabine, and relics of the ill-fated expedition led by Greely, have been obtained. The summer in Baffin Bay was marked by almost continuously stormy weather and by an unusual scarcity of ice. The investigating party from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, under Dr. W. Porter, landed at Cape Haven Aug. 3, and did not re-embark until Sept. 13. The party led by Hugh Lee, the arctic explorer of Herndon, Conn., landed at God Haven on Aug. 7, and re-embarked Sept. 7. Professor Schubert's party, representing the National museum, landed at Onemak Aug. 8, re-embarking Sept. 10. The party led by Robert Stein of the United States geological survey, was on land from Aug. 10 to Sept. 3. The Hope will sail here and then proceed to New York, where she will land the meteorite.

COLORED PEOPLE ARE ANGRY.

Discrimination in the Alton, Ill., Schools Shuts Up Trouble.

Alton, Ill., Sept. 21.—The public schools of this city opened Monday under the new arrangement separating the colored children from association with the white pupils, the former being assigned to two new schools by themselves. There is much dissatisfaction among the colored people over this change, based on race prejudice, and it was feared that there might be trouble. In anticipation of this the city council vested all janitors in the city with the right to refuse to enter the schools with police, and the result has been no demonstration of any kind so far. The colored citizens have raised a purse of \$500 and state emphatically that they will fight the new order on the grounds of justice, to the highest court.

Ex-City Clerk Arrested. Cape May, N. J., Sept. 21.—George Egan, the ex-city clerk of Evanston, Ill., who was arrested here Monday of last week, after eluding officers and detectives for a month, and who was indicted last Wednesday by the grand jury of that place for embezzling \$3,383 of the city's funds, was taken from here Tuesday by Police Captain John Marsh and Constable Samuel W. Harbison, of Evanston, the latter a bondsman of Bogart, and are now on their way to Evanston.

Presidential Appointment. Washington, Sept. 21.—The president Tuesday made the following appointments: William K. Heron of Illinois, consul at Zittau, Germany; Francis H. Wilson, postmaster at Brooklyn, N. Y.; Benjamin F. Rogers, collector at New York; and John H. Brown, collector at New Orleans.

COLORED WEATHER GIVES ENCOURAGING HOPE to the Physicians.

New Orleans, Sept. 21.—There were thirteen suspicious cases of sickness reported Monday. A considerable fall was noted in the temperature Monday morning, and, though the color of the weather is not entirely hopeful to the sick, it encourages the physicians to believe the fever will spread less rapidly. All patients heard from except one are doing well. The Illinois Central discontinued two trains on its valley route Tuesday on the main line, and the railroad authorities have caused their withdrawal. Very few trains are running on any of the roads, and there is consequent slow delivery of the mails. Many towns continue to refuse to receive New Orleans papers, fearing infection. The charity hospital has offered to send free physicians and medicines to the indigent who are attacked with fever. The authorities do not care to receive yellow fever patients in the charity hospital. Dr. Joseph Holt, president of the board of health, has reported nine cases of yellow fever in his practice. He says they have all stricken violently, but were relieved by prompt medical attention.

New Cases at Edwards. Edwards, Miss., Sept. 21.—New cases since the last report: Dr. Wallace Chas. and Dr. Guy, two Anglos, Mrs. Dr. Martin, Ernest Bismarck, Mrs. E. M. Perry, Mrs. Frank White, Jesse Sharp (colored), Mary Leona (colored), Cynthia Gantt (colored), Louis Thompson (colored). Total number of yellow fever cases registered, fifty-four. Colonel Robb is reported very sick. Nathan and Hudson are quite sick. They recovered from fever from Louisville. All other cases reported doing well. Everything is moving along smoothly and every one working harmoniously together. Quarantine is as strict and effective as is possible to make it. Dr. Durnell is in charge.

Recovery at St. Louis. St. Louis, Sept. 21.—Two special trains which left Mobile, Ala., are expected to reach here Tuesday morning. On the trains are the clerks and other employees in the general offices of the Mobile and Ohio railroad at Mobile with their wives and families. The employees number about 200, and they with their families make a total of 1,000 persons, who will remain here in quarantine for several days. Refugees continue to pour in from the south.

Boilers and Zouave Effects. Boilers and zouave effects have lost some of their popularity and will be soon out in new and odd surprises as the season advances. Many of them are designed for warmth, while the majority are made as an artistic decoration for the fancy bodies where several models are combined. The new styles are all over braided effects will be much used in these dainty additions, which are affected alike by both old and young and claim a place in the foremost ranks of good style.—Woman's Home Companion.

The new bustles to be worn with full gowns have the hip pieces that will be worn underneath the corset instead of outside, as formerly, and there will be new corsets with adjustable hip pieces. These bustles will keep the skirt from sagging.

St. John's, N. F., Sept. 20.—During the dense fog that prevailed last night two steamers were lost between here and Cape Race. The British steamer Rhodora, from Boston, Eng., Sept. 5, for Philadelphia, is ashore at Renouaux, and is a total wreck. Her crew took to the boats and were picked up by the coast steamer Grand Lake Saturday morning. Another steamer, the name of which is yet unknown, is ashore on an island off Wiltsey bay. Two men only are visible on the wreck from the mainland. Boats have gone to their assistance.

ILLINOIS PROTECTED.

DR. EGAN TAKES PROMPT ACTION AT CAIRO.

Partial Quarantine Is Declared, Passengers from Louisiana, Alabama and Mississippi, Not Being Allowed to Leave Trains South of the Baltimore and Ohio Station. Cairo, Ill., Sept. 21.—Dr. Guterus unequivocally pronounces the two suspicious cases reported Saturday as yellow fever. The patients are F. J. Reynolds and John H. Brown, both from New Orleans, formerly employed on a government dredge boat at East Cairo. These two men have been removed to the hospital, which has been isolated from the city. No fear of infection is felt, and the citizens are anxious to look upon the matter calmly.

Monday morning Dr. J. A. Egan, secretary of the Illinois state board of health and executive officer of the board, who has charge of the yellow fever inspection at Cairo, sent the following telegram to state officials at Springfield: "Until further orders no passengers from Louisiana, Alabama or Mississippi, nor railroad employees accompanying the same, will be permitted to leave trains in the state of Illinois south of the Cairo and St. Louis division of the Southern railway running from East St. Louis on the west to Vincennes, Ind., on the east. This prohibition applies to passengers from other states who are transported in cars with those from Mississippi, Alabama and Louisiana, and to all passengers from East Cairo, Ky. All passengers from the states mentioned and East Cairo, Ky., must not be carried to any point in Illinois, Chicago excepted, north of the line of the Baltimore and Ohio Southern railway above referred to, unless provided with clean bills of health signed by authorized national, state and municipal health officers. All cars in which passengers from infected districts are carried must be thoroughly disinfected at terminal points by means of sulphur or formaldehyde."

Tried to Kill Diaz.

Italian Springs at the President Arrived. City of Mexico, Sept. 21.—An attempt was made Thursday morning to assassinate President Diaz by a supposed Italian, named Arroyo. There was a general review of troops in the city.

Just before the review Thursday morning President Diaz, in company



with the minister of war was passing through a public park. They were quietly walking together when suddenly a foreigner sprang from behind a bush and fired a shot at the president. The minister of war immediately seized the assassin and threw him to the ground and holding him there. Meanwhile the struggle had attracted attention and a number of police came to the scene and placed the would-be assassin under arrest. He was supposed to be an Italian named Arroyo, but he refused to divulge his name. He was taken to the hospital and is not injured at all.

City of Mexico, Sept. 18.—Arroyo, who Thursday assaulted President Diaz, was lynched Thursday night by a mob of common people. About twenty of the lynchmen were arrested. The mob had apparently no organization, but it was directed in some mysterious way. They broke into the jail by forcing the doors with their hands and by using axes and tools. They overpowered the guards and surrounded them, while a detail of men ran down the corridor and dragged the prisoner from the jail.

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NEWS CONDENSED.

History of the Past Week Given in Brief Paragraphs.

Mrs. Sarah Galons, 86 years old, sixty-two years a resident of Will county, Ill., is dead.

A local official is received at Sioux City, Ia., that W. B. Lytle, cashier for Ingerson & West, Illinois, and a social leader, convicted of embezzlement a year ago and sentenced to two and one-half years' imprisonment, will be pardoned by the governor. The story was alleged to have been improperly influenced by convict.

Thieves' den has been discovered near West Point, Mo., where a number of men taken from farmers near Denver and West Point have been received.

Mrs. Lehman Bennett of Wabash, Ind., and a coffee mill to grind the seeds of Jamestown weed, gathered for medicinal purposes. When her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Maggie Bennett, ground some seeds of the weed, Mrs. Bennett, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett, were seized with violent cramps. All are in danger.

The London Times correspondent at Buenos Aires says it is feared there that the Argentine harvest will be almost entirely destroyed by locusts.

According to the calculation of the compiler of the census of the United States, the population of the city is 23,218, against 20,130 by the census of 1890. This is on the basis of two inhabitants to each acre.

The fiftieth anniversary or golden jubilee of the great council of the United States, Involved Order of Red Men, is being held at the Continental hotel, Miss Sarah Randall died at Baltimore on the eve of the 103d anniversary of her birth from the effects of a paralytic stroke.

The governor of Pennsylvania has appointed William W. Porter of Philadelphia to the superior court bench to succeed Judge Willard.

News has been received by his brother in Elgin, Ill., that Solomon Dabbitt of Oakland, Cal., and formerly of Elgin, Ill., has committed suicide.

Miss Annie S. Peck, the mountain climber, has just accomplished the feat of climbing every peak of the White mountains.

There are twenty-six negroes under indictment for trial for murder in Montgomery county, Ala., and Dallas county, Tex. for the same crime.

Beston is to elect its mayor in December for a two years' term and to vote on an act for the reorganization of the city government. Provision is made that the ballots will number 100,000.

Mrs. Kane, who has just died near Los Angeles, Cal., is reported to have been buried in a coffin made of metal in which were still deposited by passengers on omnibuses and horse cars in Great Britain and her provinces.

A general paving material has been discovered in Florida at Tampa. It is the pebble phosphate, and is said to be very good and cheap.

Penmark Lighthouse, on the Britany coast, with its 100,000 candle-power electric light, 150 feet above sea level, and visible sixty miles away, is a monument to Marshall Davoust, Duke of Anjouville, his daughter, and the French government \$60,000 for the purpose.

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WOMAN'S WORLD.

A CHICAGO GIRL AND HER SELF IMPOSED TASK.

Belts and Girdles—Lightweight Cloth Gowns—The Woman Librarian—Gossiping Women—The Really Progressive Woman—Chattis for Autumn Wear.

Eva Marshall Hunt, who pledged herself to pay \$25,000 in one year to assist in paying the debt of the Woman's club, is a Chicago girl. She is a graduate of the University of Chicago, and is the daughter of Dr. H. D. Shultz of Beverly Hills, Cal. She is a graduate of the University of Chicago, and is the daughter of Dr. H. D. Shultz of Beverly Hills, Cal. She is a graduate of the University of Chicago, and is the daughter of Dr. H. D. Shultz of Beverly Hills, Cal.



MISS EVA MARSHALL HUNT. She has abandoned that idea, much to the disappointment of her friends. While visiting in Louisville, Ia., she became interested in and joined the W. C. T. U. of that city. She is a very active worker in the cause of temperance, and has been very successful in her efforts. She is a very active worker in the cause of temperance, and has been very successful in her efforts.

Belts and Girdles. In width the belt for next season's wear shows a decided increase. The narrowest shown are two generous inches in width, while the widest are deep girdles reaching half the distance between the arms and the waist line.

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bon. Bonnet strings of the white ribbon are tied under the chin and give a decidedly old fashioned, picturesque look that is very effective.—Harper's Bazar.

The Woman Librarian. Among the professional avenues that the recent movement for the advancement of women has opened there is none that offers greater opportunities for her peculiar talents or is better adapted to her physically, besides giving her a certain social position and a lucrative salary.

Her ability in public speaking and her high aims, combined with the perfect system of the modern librarian, have converted this calling into a profession of the highest social standing. This need has been supplied by the establishment of a number of schools devoted to this specific training. There are as yet only four of these, with a strictly limited membership admitted after a long and severe examination.

One is at Albany, known as the National school and supported by the American Library association, which fittingly celebrates its twenty-fifth anniversary in Philadelphia, having had its inception there in the rooms of the Historical society. The next in importance is the Drexel institute library class, under the efficient tutelage of Miss Kroeger. The other two are at the University of Chicago and the University of California.

Out of the 700 members of the American Library association the large majority are women. There are various reasons why this thing is pre-eminently a woman's work. The heavy order seems to be much more developed in a woman than it does in the sterner sex. The work requires patience and promptness, two virtues which women possess in a high degree, and does not require hard physical labor. They are not subjected to the same unpleasant influences and the liability of discourteous treatment that falls too often to the share of the women in the mercantile world.

Besides all this, women are more naturally intellectual and cultivated class of people, and in this one profession there is really no salaried discrimination on account of sex, for she receives an adequate compensation. The foregoing has been demonstrated practically by the fact that as the more important positions become vacant, even though previously filled by men, or new ones created women have almost invariably received the appointments.—Boston Transcript.

Gossiping Women. There is lamenting in certain quarters because in the case of leisure class women late day opportunities, including college education, have not prevailed against the propensity the demure of Vanity Fair have for making mien of one another on occasion.

It is claimed there is no softening of the critical attitude toward the maintenance of the propriety in matters of figure and complexion, and that border and piazza talk is quite as spiteful as before the advent of the higher education for women. Just why bookkeeping should be so much more popular than the study of letters and literature is not clear, unless it was supposed that an acquaintance with knowledge would suggest to her other and more worthy topics of conversation than the short-sightedness of the world.

Be this as it may, the disposition to decry which is characteristic of the whole race, irrespective of sex or nationality, is an inheritance too strongly entrenched in the very fibers of our nature to be eradicated by college going for one generation or by 1,900 years of religious teaching, the burden of whose gospel has been, "Love thy neighbor as thyself."

Nothing supplies more convincing proof of the truth of the above statement than this well worn universal habit of proclaiming the beams in others' eyes. It indicates a lusty survival of the tribal instinct of hatred for all other tribes than one's own, a hardy and unchangeable trait of the human mind. It is a habit of the human mind, and it is a habit of the human mind.

Jeweled Lingerie in silver, polished or rough finish, in silk or gold or in velvet, is used only with silk or satin in bedgones. These new bedgones all call for belts two inches wide and made of the same material as the bodice. They are made in many new designs. There are buckles for the bicycle girl, the athletic girl, the yachting girl, the skating girl, the golf girl, the horse girl, the military girl, the dancing girl, the girl who is a model, and the girl who is a model.

Metals will be as much used as ever. The newest designs are all made wider, though not sufficiently so to be uncomfortable or clumsy looking. The new designs are all made wider, though not sufficiently so to be uncomfortable or clumsy looking. The new designs are all made wider, though not sufficiently so to be uncomfortable or clumsy looking.

James M. Bulla, ag. & S. ex-member of the state legislature and a member of the Indiana constitutional convention, is dead at Richmond, Ind., aged 60.

Burglars held up the postmaster at Belmont, Neb., and secured \$100. Two of the men were captured, one of the robbers being mortally wounded.

Samuel J. Durand, a former prominent citizen and public official of Leavenworth, Kan., was murdered on his ranch near Beaumont, Col.

Francis Kahn, proprietor of the Galt House at Montrose, Ia., committed suicide by shooting. Business reverses caused the act.

A monster oil well has been drilled in the Hume field, near Lima, O., by the Standard Oil company.

M. C. Howard, formerly of Rockford, Ill., is now at Cedar Rapids, Ia.

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with satin stripes. Black arabesque printed on a receding satin striped chalis, with broken white dots, is new and artistic. There is navy chalis, as it seems there has always been, but this is smarter than it once was. It has white scrolls and other oriental looking figures instead of just solid and simply white lines or little dots.

It is a past vintage to trim chalis elaborately. The leading dressmakers have among their models early fall gowns of only simple designs for chalis. Satin and velvet ribbon is put on in rows and in bows. Some lace is used about them, but this is only of the very heavy kinds.—Philadelphia Times.

A BRIGHT ILLINOIS GIRL.

She Has Been Called to the Chair of Education at Allegheny College.

Miss Alice Huntington Spaulding, an Evanston girl, has been elected instructor in education and physical culture at Allegheny college. Her remarkable record while a student of Cummock school of Oratory, Northwestern university, gained her this important position. The news of election came to her as a surprise, as she did not know she was under consideration for the appointment. She has accepted and will leave for the east Sept. 22.

Miss Spaulding is one of the foremost young women of Evanston. She is a member of the Country club and was prominent in college affairs. After completing a course in the Evanston high school she entered the school of oratory and was graduated last June. For her work while under Professor Cummock she was given honors in English, the first ever conferred upon a student of the school. In local dramatic affairs she has figured prominently, having taken leading parts in several



popular entertainments. The Country Club Dramatic association, of which she is a member, is composed of the best talent in the suburb. Miss Spaulding has been a member of the hosts of nearly all the club affairs for the past two years.

Her acceptance of the instructorship at Allegheny college is not a surprise to those of her friends who knew her as a favorite. Miss Spaulding lived in 1884 Oratorio avenue and is only 20 years of age.—Chicago Times-Herald.

An American Woman Abroad. The wife of General Porter, present ambassador to France, is the subject of the correspondent of the London Telegraph: "A bright, sunny faced woman, with berry brown eyes and gray hair of that peculiarly attractive snow-flecked, every day that modern woman of extravagantly monarchical, suggestive of a unique Quince Louis, with powdered collar, and who has won golden opinions from the many for her pleasant and kindly way of receiving guests, she is the most interesting of the French women in Paris are cool looks or elegance so well represented as at that of the United States. Upon the present occasion the ambassador's wife wore a lovely gown of soft, silver gray, silk material, slightly crumpled and made over pale green lace, the dress and basque crossed placed lightly with steel and inset with pale yellow guipure, forming a floral design, branching to right and left of the bodice in graceful fashion, the skirt was decorated with a deep, rich, and delicate pattern, peeping charmingly from between the trimming and spangled outline of the lace foliage design. The corsage was finished with narrow plaitings of cream colored mousseline de soie. Her excellency's ornaments were pearls and diamonds."

An Ingenious Little Old Man. A little old man of the sea went out in a boat for a sail. The wind was from the west. Almost up to his chin. And he had nothing with which to bail. But this little old man of the sea just drew out his jackknives so stout, and a hole with its blade. So that he could bail out. —John Bennett in St. Nicholas.

Baby's Mamma. Sister (teasingly)—Mamma's more my mamma than she is yours. She was my mamma ever so long before she was yours.

Relay (stoutly)—That don't make any difference. I'm the littlest, and the littlest a person is the more mamma she is.—Youth's Companion.

May—What's that for, Charlie? Charlie—That's a trap to catch the wretched little birds that watch and whisper to mamma everything that I do.—Pearson's Weekly.

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