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BUCHANAN RECORD.

BUCHANAN, BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 24, 1898. NUMBER 43.



UNCLE SAM HAS GOOD REASONS FOR BEING THANKFUL THIS YEAR.

IT WAS INDEED WORTH WHILE

HERE was a grand rally at the Salvation Army barracks one old Thanksgiving night. Drum beat, tambourine and...

"These are the sort who expect me to pray, I suppose. That is religion. To pray? Why should I?"

"Incidentally," remarked the man with a basket on his arm as he came into the presence of the New York Sun editor, "I might mention the fact that if you want the regular and festive turkey for your Thanksgiving dinner, my store is the place to get it; but that is not what I am here for."

"OP COURSE IT IS WORTH WHILE," seemed no good nor light; no love nor brightness in life. "Then why live? Why live?"

"FOR ME THERE IS ONLY DEATH," She realized that she was the subject they discussed. "I have fairly grown to hate her! With her superior ways and cold indifference, she is detestable!"

"WHY DON'T YOU SWEAR AT HER?" advised his friend. "You would soon cure her of this sublime air, and bring her to earth."

"I wonder I do not kill her!" cried the husband, passionately. "Sometimes I wish she were detained here."

FREEDOM'S THANKSGIVING DAY

Baptized in blood at Lexington, the nation calls it best. It drops not a leaf to a foreign foe, it owns no king's behest; Its stars reflect new glory underneath the autumn sky.

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LOVE and a Thanksgiving Dinner

"Oh, Granville, is it all right now?" she touched it reverently. "As good as never, Effie. And I carried that housewife over Cuba. But you never wrote."

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EDUCATIONAL.

SCHOOL NOTES. HIGH SCHOOL. The entertainment association of the Buchanan High school has secured the impersonator, H. A. Sprague, in the Merchant of Venice. This entertainment will be given in Rough's opera house on the evening of December 5th.

SEVENTH GRADE. In the spelling contest mentioned last week, Grace Rouse averaged 99 and not 69 as was stated.

SIXTH GRADE. Nine pupils have been neither tardy nor absent this year.

FIFTH GRADE. Winifred Wooden is in school again after being absent on account of sickness.

FOURTH GRADE. In the review of the week's work in spelling, twenty five pupils spelled every word correctly.

THIRD GRADE. Gertrude Leonard won first place, and Ralph Hamilton second place, in the contest in arithmetic Friday.

SECOND GRADE. Jesse Eisenhart is still absent on account of rheumatism.

FIRST GRADE. The pupil who cannot draw a turkey or a good picture of the "Mayflower" is below par this week.

THE COMMERCIAL EDUCATION REVIVAL. As an earnest pleader for a wider employment of those forms of education that tend to make our young people capable and self-supporting, LEARNING BY DOING rejoices in the growing tendency among public school leaders, to give a larger place on the school curriculum to business or commercial education.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. SARAH ZERBE died, Sunday evening, of pneumonia, aged 71 years 7 mos. The deceased formerly resided in Pennsylvania, but had recently made her home with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vetter (Mrs. Vetter being her daughter), residing two and one-half miles north of Niles. The husband of the deceased died fourteen years ago. Mrs. Zerbe was the mother of five grown children. She was quite extensively and most favorably known in this vicinity.

The funeral services were held at the home on Tuesday, at 11 o'clock a. m., and the remains transferred to Benton Harbor, where interment took place.

The Best and Cheapest. The New York Independent, the leading weekly newspaper of the world, and one whose pages exercise the widest influence, is entering upon its fifty-fifth year of publication. The Independent emphasizes its 50th year by changing its form to that of a magazine, and by reducing its annual subscription price from \$3.00 to \$2.00; single copies from 10 to 5 cents.

An Unparalled Time Record Was made every day during the period of the Omaha Exposition by the trains of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway on its Chicago & Omaha Short Line.

Although its trains hauled from ten to thirteen well filled sleeping cars and coaches each night, yet schedule time of arrival at Omaha and Chicago was an accomplished fact, a record to be proud of, and which has resulted in establishing the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway in the minds of the traveling community as the shortest, best and most reliable route from Chicago to Omaha, as well as to California.

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Little girl have you been crying? Tell me your troubles—dear, Tell me I hear you sighing. At four years, that seems quite a...

Now all of this dire distress may arise from the accidental breaking of a doll. These are real and great disasters to little folks.

We have nice China dolls with movable arms for 1 CENT. We also carry a large line of washable

PAPIER MACHE, CHINA AND BISQUE DOLL HEADS. Toy books with colored plates we sell at 10c, 25c, 50c and 10c each.

We have them printed in any colors, printed or mounted on linen at 5c and 10c, making them almost indestructible.

We have Juvenile books with illuminated board covers, printed in red and gold with cloth backs at 5c, 8, 10 and 12 CENTS.

Now that the little folks must stay indoors see that they have DELECTABLE playthings. Let us help you, the cost is so trifling, you know.

BINNS, BINNS, BINNS. Next to Postoffice, BUCHANAN.

meandering either the Ellis Method or any other of the improved plans of commercial teaching, but to give a pointer to those teachers who have yet learned that these new plans afford a form of practical training, second in value to no other kind of school work.—Learning by Doing.

A TOTAL LOSS. Fine Barn of Mr. Gottlieb Conrad Destroyed by Fire.

The fine new barn which Mr. Gottlieb Conrad had just completed on his place situated about three and one-half miles northwest of town was totally destroyed by fire on Friday night of last week. The barn had just been built at an expense of \$1400 to replace one that had burned a couple of years ago. The fire was discovered about eight o'clock but had gained such headway that it was impossible to extinguish the blaze. All the horses were saved, but harness, grains and other contents were destroyed. The barn and contents were insured for \$1,800, but this amount will fail to cover the loss.

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THE BEST THING YET

"THE BLAZER"

Combination Wool Boot and Pure Gum Rubber Boot
Prevents Wrinkles at Ankle.

THE MOST DURABLE AND SATISFACTORY
COMBINATION EVER OFFERED.

ALSO

The Klondike Rubber Boot

WILL OUTWEAR ANY OTHER BOOTS.

CARMER & CARMER,

BUCHANAN, MICH.

THE TALK OF THE TOWN,

Those Winter Shoes for Men, Heavy Sole, Calf Lined, Coin Toe. Sold everywhere for

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Special Price.

\$1.98

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G. E. SMITH & CO.

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South Bend, Ind.

SPECIAL FOR NOVEMBER.

GEO. WYMAN & CO. offer one lot of Double Damask Bleached Table Linen. 2 yards wide, \$2 quality for \$1.25 per yd.; Napkins to match at \$1 per doz. We offer three desirable designs without Napkins at same price.

We offer all wool Eiderdown Flannel, 40 inches wide, all colors, 75c quality at 37 1/2 per yd.

We offer Black and Colored Dress Goods under value: \$1 quality at 50c; \$1.50 quality, 75c; \$2 quality \$1.50 quality, \$1.50.

We offer Ladies', Men's and Children's Hose, full regular feet, at 6c, all wool at 10c; most any kind at 25c.

We offer half-dollar Underwear including Children's Union Suits, at 35c; a lot of samples of \$1 quality for 30c.

We are not afraid to tell the price of our goods—we only buy and sell the best quality.

We shall continue to sell the best quality Standard Prints at 2c, 2 1/2 and 3c; 10c Cotton Dress Goods for 5c; 12c quality for 6c. Very good Domestic Flannels at 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 8c and 10c.

We offer 50 doz. Flannel Back Wrappers—\$1.25 quality, for 75c; \$1.50 quality for \$1.

We offer 200 Ladies' and Misses' \$3 Jackets for \$3.

We offer Ladies' Dunlap Street Hats \$3 to \$8 at \$2 to \$4.

We offer Trimmed Hats at \$1, \$1.50 and \$2—our own make that are matchless.

COME AND SEE US.

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Improved First-Class Farms at LOWEST RATES. Amounts of \$500.00 and up, on long time. Special privileges for thirty days. Write for terms to-day. O. E. FIFIELD, Loan Agent. BENTON HARBOR, MICHIGAN.

COUNTY-SEAT NEWS

CIRCUIT COURT.

Norman H. Moore, by his attorneys Gore & Harvey, asked for a garnishment on property and chattels held by John Robinson and belonging to E. L. Frussing & Co., an Illinois corporation, to obtain \$340 alleged to be due him.

John Clarence Marble, by his attorney, David E. Hinman, has filed a declaration against Stephen A. Earl and William A. Rough to obtain money alleged to be due him. He has a promissory note as evidence.

The trial of James Branch, who is charged with stealing a lumber wagon and team from August Farnum, is now occupying the time in circuit court. The evidence brought out shows that Branch had been drinking some, but the point for the jury to decide is whether he was too drunk to realize his actions or not. Judge Coolidge refused to sentence the young man when he pleaded guilty on this account and a trial was ordered. Mr. Farnum testified that he saw Branch drive away with the team, but made no effort to stop him. Mr. H. W. Davis defended Branch and Attorney G. M. Valentine conducted the prosecution. The jury retired about 4 o'clock, Monday afternoon, and in about an hour returned a verdict of not guilty. The jury held that Branch was very drunk when he took the team and wagon.

The Green vs. Bartz case has been dismissed.

The case of the People vs. Hawkins has been nolle prossed.

A judgment of \$109.96 has been rendered in the of Wildrich vs. Garland.

The county offices will be closed Thursday all day.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Peter Dukeshner, 27, Benton Harbor; Fannie E. Stewart, 24, same.

Edgar E. May, 25, Watervliet; Louise Stewart, 21, Van Buren county.

Herbert Branch, 21, Keweenaw; Edie Stedman, 18, Watervliet.

John Henry Allen, 30, Gallien; Anna Jane Phillips, 19, same.

James Albert Glover, 40, Lurie C. Roe, 43, Buchanan.

Albert L. Krieger, 36, Bainbridge; Ida Weber, 32, same.

Wm. G. Snook, 21, Elkhart, Ind.; Mervyn M. Mars, 17, Niles.

CORRESPONDENCE

BENTON HARBOR.

From our Regular Correspondent.

November 22, 1898.

Miss Hattie Dalrymple is quite ill.

Peter English has invented an entirely new steam motor.

Wm. Stahl, formerly of Buchanan, is doing well in his meat market.

The Higbee house opened Sunday under a new management.

A ten-year-old boy living on Washington street is critically ill with diphtheria.

The Street Railway Co. have bought a huge electrical sweeper to keep its tracks clear this winter.

There has been another delay and the boys of company I will not be mustered for two or three months to come.

The receiver of the First National bank announces another 10 per cent dividend for the depositors, which makes a total of 70 per cent for the first year.

Dr. John Bell has been honored by his appointment as surgeon general of the uniform rank of the Knights of Pythias of the United States, which makes him the chief surgeon of that order in the world.

A. J. Hubler a faithful employee of Spencer & Durles was killed by a Big Four train last night. He leaves a wife and two small children. He carried a \$2,000 policy in the Modern Woodmen of America.

Letters unclaimed remaining in the P. O. at Buchanan, for week ending Nov. 21. Call for advertised letters. Miss Rosey Camp, Mrs. Samuel Gardner, Mr. Arthur Lambert.

“COLORED COLORS.”

How Mineral Hues are Enhanced by the Addition of Coal Tar Colors.

The denomination of “colored colors” may sound paradoxical, but as a matter of fact mineral colors are frequently met with of late whose dull and little productive character is rendered more lustrous and richer by an addition of coal-tar colors. In general, no objection can be made to such a procedure, says the *Male-Zeitung*, if colors sufficiently fast to light are chosen, is well possible nowadays. But very rarely do we find in the coloring matter used for carmine and other dyes, likewise coloring with fuchsine and aniline blue fades in the light. If one wants to employ artificial organic coloring matters for finishing, faster ones should be used. According to M. B. Butler, the rather fast rhodamines, next methylene blue and maldola blue, which are very fast, deserve a preference. Against the use of ponceau, cocine and scarlets, which for the most part are not inferior in respect to fastness to the cochineals, whose places they have taken, less objection can be raised. Since it has been established by the above-mentioned observations that for coloring varieties of carmine, red, violet, purple, crimson and vermilion and chromes such artificial organic coloring matters are also employed as are liable to fade quickly, this fact should be given sufficient attention in practice. Carmine is frequently used, prepared with turpentine and English varnish, as a carriage color; likewise vermilion and chrome red.

The Jaffa Gate at Jerusalem. The archaeological world is thrown into a state of great perturbation over the approaching visits of the emperor of Germany to Jerusalem. It would seem that the sultan in his zeal to make things agreeable for his august guest, threatens to pull down the Jaffa gate, so that the kaiser may make his entry into the Holy City on horseback. The Jaffa gate, although very ancient and picturesque, is exceedingly narrow, and is inadequate, at least to the mind of the sultan—for the occasion in question.

Chairs for Soldiers on Picket. The *Harvard* has a very interesting article on the comfort of soldiers. Every block is supplied with a chair.

FRENCH MONARCHY.

Weakness of the Orleans Family Who Are the Pretended Claimants to It.

The chief source of English misconception respecting French affairs is the notion that the restoration of the monarchy is possible. This ought to be dispelled by the practical knowledge of the character of the pretenders, says the *New York Tribune*. The duke of Orleans, when not in Brussels, lives in England. He is not a recluse, but is constantly seen in social life and never has impressed anyone as having the resources of character requisite for regaining the crown. He is a bright-eyed, rosy-faced, callow youth, amiable and harmless. Everyone who has met him smiles at the idea of his ever making a serious attempt to overthrow the republic; his functions are exhausted in putting his signature to manifestoes at a safe distance. A well-known social leader in London sums up the matter thus: “The women in the Orleans family have all the brains and talents; the men have no force, and are of no account.”

Prince Victor Napoleon lives in Brussels and is equally incapable of rising above the level of small-beer intrigue. The only prince now in sight who is qualified by soldierly qualities and reckless courage for a campaign against the republican order is his brother, Prince Louis Napoleon, who is popular with the officers of the Russian army. He lacks training in public affairs, and is suspected of being a swaggering braggart. The republicans are favored in having no really formidable royalist or imperialist conspirator against it.

A FLOATING SNAIL.

An Interesting Little Creature That Safely Sails While Great Ships Sink.

There is a small snail which is so fond of the sea that it never comes to land, and it builds such a capital boat for itself and its eggs that while large ships are sinking and steamers are unable to face the storm it tosses about in perfect safety, says the *Philadelphia Press*. The little snail is of a violet color and is therefore called *lanthina*. It has a small shell and three projects from the under part of the body a long, tongue-like piece of flesh. This is the raft, and these with the shell and the lightest and neatest on the sides of the raft. The *lanthina* fills its own air compartments by getting a globe of air underneath its head, the body is curved downward and the feet are raised, and the head being tilted on one side, the air rushes in and fills the spaces. It feeds on a beautiful little jelly fish, which has a flat, raft-like form with a pretty little sail upon it, and very conservative in multitudes when the sea is calm.

Sometimes specimens are washed upon the northwestern coast of France, and when they are handled they give out a violet dye.

HUMOR OF THE PELICAN.

The Ungainly Plover Exercises Its Freedom on His Cage Mates, the Gulls and Storks.

Just as the seal Nellie is the buffoon of the aquarium, so the pelican plays the part of the clown in the Central park menagerie, says the *New York Sun*. The two pelicans dwell in a big wire cage with a canopy over the middle. The other inmates are a pair of storks and a few herring gulls. Unquestionably the pelicans are the bosses of the company. Their specialty is low humor and their victims are the dignified storks and the somewhat rapid and unfortunates habit of standing on one leg exposes them to constant insult. The pelicans' custom is to visit until he finds a stork standing in his favorite attitude close beside the tank. He then comes up quietly behind him and jostle against him, knocking him into the water. This maneuver successfully accomplished, the pelican will show signs of uncontrollable pleasure, leaping about, dipping his wings and yawning in triumph.

In his treatment of the gulls, the pelican is simply a brutal bully. Whenever he sees one of the latter about to take hold of a piece of bread or some dainty contributed by the spectators, he will rush at him with prodigious noise and flapping. The gull invariably takes refuge in the water, abandoning the morsel, which the pelican devours with every evidence of satisfaction.

A BRAVE INVENTOR.

Striking Characteristics of the Remarkable Man Who Invented Dynamite.

Alfred Nobel, the remarkable man who invented dynamite, is thus described by Henry De Moseenthal in the *Nineteenth Century*. He was a Swedish chemist, a man of great energy and a man of great courage. He was devotedly attached to his father, and his mother's grief and anxiety could not deter him from pursuing his aim. He was a man of great energy and a man of great courage. He was devotedly attached to his father, and his mother's grief and anxiety could not deter him from pursuing his aim. He was a man of great energy and a man of great courage. He was devotedly attached to his father, and his mother's grief and anxiety could not deter him from pursuing his aim.

There is Considerable Difference Between the Gases from Anthracite and Bituminous Coal.

Prof. Hilseng, of the state college, Pennsylvania, gives an interesting explanation of the difference between anthracite and bituminous coal, so far as the gases are concerned, his opinion being based on the supposition of all coal beds having been originally formed by the action of heat and pressure. The anthracite beds, he assumes, were placed under enormous pressure, or side pressure, by the contraction of the earth's crust during the cooling stage, thus forming the coal basins as now seen. In the case of bituminous coal, such an enormous pressure resulted in forcing the explosive and other gases out of the anthracite beds to the seams and crevices of the veins and to the fissures, seams and pores of the rock itself. In the case of bituminous coal, the gases in the anthracite region are sometimes found with the mighty pressure of 12,000 pounds to the square inch. On the other hand, the bituminous beds have not been subjected to such a disturbance and pressure, and the coal, therefore, retains the gases which it contained originally. White damp, Prof. Hilseng shows, is produced by imperfect combustion, which is damp is produced by perfect combustion, and destroys life by being devoid of sustaining elements.

AUCTIONS AT HOME.

How the Daughters of a Western Millionaire Sell Their Clothes to Each Other.

“In a family of my town,” said a woman woman to a New York friend, “there is a little custom which is often amusing, and which is, I think, quite original. The father is a millionaire, and unlike many rich fathers, he leaves his checks blank when he signs them, and never asks any questions. One result of this sometimes is thoughtless expenditure. I won't say extravagance, because the daughters would not willingly disregard their privilege. But when one makes a purchase which she afterward regrets, instead of returning it, as most women would do, an auction is held in the household, and the article is sold to the highest bidder. The auctioneer is the original purchaser. “Sometimes the auction is very amusing, and the manner of the sale shows a woman's cunning. When I was there last a dress which cost \$300 was knocked down to one of the sisters for \$15. There were no other bidders. The auctioneer was slightly disappointed, but she didn't know that the purchaser had entered into an agreement with her other sisters not to bid against them on other articles if they wouldn't bid against her on the dress.”

CHOOSING BRIDESMAIDS.

Prospective Brides Should Select Girls Who Walk Well with Gracefully-Poised Heads.

“In selecting bridesmaids,” said she of the emerald and diamond ring to the *New York Commercial Advertiser*, “there is no more exacting and so much as style and carriage. Most brides take a great deal of pride in their bridesmaids' costumes and want them to show to the best advantage. It is very important that a bridesmaid should walk well. The wedding marches are more suited to grand opera stages than church aisles, and while Elsa or Lucia's attendants can walk in gracefully, to such music, the most graceful of girls is apt to sway and falter trying to keep time and step with the strains. I've watched bridal processions and I've seen radiantly pretty girls lose all effect of their good looks by a hobbling walk. A bridesmaid should glide, not limp or hop. The beauty of a bridesmaid's look and the staidness of a picture but which when the wearer is awkward and obviously ill at ease. The bride herself is helped by her long train, her drooping head and the leaning on her father's arm before and on her husband's after the ceremony, but the bridesmaid wears a short gown, carries her head erect, walks up and down beside another girl, and so has her own grace alone to depend upon. A girl who walks well, whose head is well-poised on her shoulders, and whose hair arranged well makes a good appearance as a bridesmaid, and—well, all mine are like that.”

COWARDLY SPANIARDS.

The Displeasure of the Viceroy's Crew at the Battle of Santiago.

The contrast between the two nations stands out very clearly in connection with the Viceroy's crew at the battle of Santiago. The torpedo boat *Ericson* ran close alongside of her, and sent a small boat to take off all that were alive of her crew. A few boats from the *Albatross* assisted. The *Vizcaya* was on fire, and the ammunition was exploding, and the guns that had been left loaded were going off one after another in the intense heat, so that nothing of the proximity of the shore. The position of the little craft has been described by the *Albatross*. Our men risked their lives repeatedly to help their fallen enemy; but no sooner were the Spaniards transferred to the deck of the *Ericson* than they urged immediate withdrawal without regard to their comrades who had been left behind. To the honor of our navy, Lieut. Ushur remained until every living being had been rescued from the burning ship. A similar scene was enacted around the two torpedo boat destroyers. It was a case of *honor* on the one side, and of perfect coolness on the other. One officer of the *Vizcaya* afterward stated on board the *Albatross* that they were obliged to close the gun ports on the disengaged side of the ship, to prevent the men from jumping overboard, rather than face the American gun fire.

CRIMES OF COOLIES.

The Low-Lived Mongols Are as Cunning as Foxes and as Cowardly as Wolves.

They are a queer crowd, these coolies, whether on land or sea, says the *London Standard*. Cunning as foxes and cowardly as wolves, they resemble the pariah dogs of their own cities in point of inability to hunt any prey save in packs. I heard of an instance where a gang of them, employed as navvies in the Pacific, were engaged to dig a trench over a large area, and they were to be paid by the yard. They were to be paid by the yard, and they were to be paid by the yard. They were to be paid by the yard, and they were to be paid by the yard.

TALLEST IN THE MORNING.

By Evening Most People Have Shrunk Half an Inch—How Men Get Into the Army.

“The singular fact that people are about half an inch taller in the morning than they are in the afternoon has enabled many a fellow to slip into the army,” said an officer who has seen a good deal of recruiting service. “Time and again when the examinations were being conducted at a tolerably early hour men have been passed in my presence who were barely up to the regulation height, in fact, they were under it a shade, and the thickness of a card-board would have resulted in throwing them out. I am perfectly confident that if these same men had been measured just before the day in the evening they would have fallen so far short that they would never by any possibility have been accepted. I have heard it said that a man can put nearly an inch in his height by staying in bed for a couple of days and meanwhile taking several hot baths, but I have never seen the thing tried. The average morning and evening variation I have found by a good deal of experimenting on myself and others to be a little less than half an inch.”

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AT THE Cold Cash Store THIS WEEK.

Dress Skirts.....\$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.18	\$1 Croquet Dress Skirts.....\$3.00
Ladies' Calico and Flannels.....\$1.00	Special Drives in Underwear.....\$2.50
Wrappers.....\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00	50c Dress Goods.....\$1.25
50c and 60c Dress Goods.....\$1.25	50c, 60c and 70c Cottons.....\$1.25
Comfort Calicoes.....\$1.25	Cotton Blouses.....\$1.25
Tennis Flannels.....\$1.25	

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Quotations below are on PART of line only. MY ASSORTMENT IS COMPLETE.

Ribbed Fleece Lined.

Ladies'.....\$25, 30c, 50c
Children's.....\$25, 30c, 50c
SPECIAL—A Full Size Ladies' Garment.....\$1.00

Ribbed Non-Shrinkable Fleece Lined.

Ladies'.....\$75c, \$1.00
Children's.....\$75c, \$1.00
Men's.....\$1.00

A Very Elastic, Serviceable Garment.

Sanitary Goods—Flat, Not Ribbed, Full Fleece Lined.

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Children's.....\$1.00
Men's.....\$1.00

Extra fine—Ladies' Ribbed Australian Wool, \$1.75 per piece.

The Staley Underwear.

Comment on this line of goods to South Bend people is unnecessary. I carry a full line of it.

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A Heavy Ribbed Cotton Fleece Lined.

Ladies'.....\$50, 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00
Children's.....\$50, 50c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00
Men's.....\$90, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.75

The Elliott Buttonless Union Suits.

These goods are not fleece lined but have a soft brush finish. They are fast with a ribbon-stitch neck instead of buttons.

Ladies'.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00
Children's.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00
Men's.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00

Black Tights.

Ladies'.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00
Children's.....\$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00

Natural Wool, Ribbed, Fleece Lined.

Ladies'.....\$1.50
Children's.....\$1.50

Wool Plated, White and Natural.

Ladies'.....\$1.50
Children's.....\$1.50

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Soft and pliable—a luxury to wear them.

Ladies' all-wool.....\$3.50, \$3.00

Oneita Low Priced Line.

(A reduction of 25 per cent. for this sale.)

Ladies'.....\$30c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

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Onyx Brand.

High spliced heel, double thread sole. A Superior Sock that has proven its worth.

Ladies'.....\$25, 35c, 50c
Children's.....\$25, 35c, 50c

Wool, Merino and Cashmere Hosiery.

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TRAINS EAST. LEAVE BUCHANAN. Detroit Night Express, No. 8, 12:50 A. M.

TRAINS WEST. LEAVE BUCHANAN. Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 21, 8:15 A. M.

VANDALIA LINE TIME TABLE. In effect Sept. 15, 1908. Trains leave

FOR THE NORTH. No. 6, 8:30 A. M. For St. Joseph No. 11, 10:30 A. M.

FOR THE SOUTH. No. 2, 8:15 A. M. For Terre Haute No. 15, 10:30 A. M.

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Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co. Time Table.

EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY, OCT. 19, 1908. GOING SOUTH.

GOING NORTH. No. 8, No. 1, No. 2, No. 3, No. 4, No. 5, No. 6, No. 7, No. 8, No. 9, No. 10, No. 11, No. 12, No. 13, No. 14, No. 15, No. 16, No. 17, No. 18, No. 19, No. 20, No. 21, No. 22, No. 23, No. 24, No. 25, No. 26, No. 27, No. 28, No. 29, No. 30, No. 31, No. 32, No. 33, No. 34, No. 35, No. 36, No. 37, No. 38, No. 39, No. 40, No. 41, No. 42, No. 43, No. 44, No. 45, No. 46, No. 47, No. 48, No. 49, No. 50, No. 51, No. 52, No. 53, No. 54, No. 55, No. 56, No. 57, No. 58, No. 59, No. 60, No. 61, No. 62, No. 63, No. 64, No. 65, No. 66, No. 67, No. 68, No. 69, No. 70, No. 71, No. 72, No. 73, No. 74, No. 75, No. 76, No. 77, No. 78, No. 79, No. 80, No. 81, No. 82, No. 83, No. 84, No. 85, No. 86, No. 87, No. 88, No. 89, No. 90, No. 91, No. 92, No. 93, No. 94, No. 95, No. 96, No. 97, No. 98, No. 99, No. 100.

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BUCHANAN RECORD. THURSDAY, NOV. 24, 1908.

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

Only 165 out of a possible 573 of the weekly circulation of the Buchanan Record were received in actual payment by the American Newspaper Directory for 1908, and the publishers of the Record 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 165 that are not afraid to let their customers know just what they are buying.

BUCHANAN MARKETS. Butter—10c. Eggs—18c. Wheat—60c. Oats—35c. Corn—35c. Rye—45c. Flour, per bbl.—\$3.60 to \$4.80. Live Hogs—\$3. Live poultry—5c. Hay—\$6 to \$7 per ton. Lard, retail—8c. Salt, retail—7c. Beans—\$0 to \$1.00.

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

Woodmen. See local. Overcoat lost. See local. Youth's Companion. See local. "The Merchant of Venice." Read local. Binns talks about dolls this week. See ad.

RECORD ITEM BOXES. Are located at the following places: H. Binns. B. R. Desenberg & Bro. Hotel Stephens. Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son. M. C. R. depot.

Our Clubbing List. We have arrangements whereby we can save you money on your periodicals for the coming year. Call and get our prices and see what we can do for you.

Special Offer to Our Readers. THE BUCHANAN RECORD, the Twice-a-Week Free Press and the Annual Year Book and Encyclopedia for 1899, a valuable book of over 550 pages that tells you all you want to know. Over 35,000 of the 1898 issue were sold at 25c each. It is the most popular book of the kind ever published. For further particulars see advertisement on another page of this issue.

Miss Carrie Shafer is quite ill with erysipelas. Mr. Alex Emery is confined to his home by illness. Mr. E. E. Russell has purchased the property in which he resides, from Mr. N. G. Kennedy of Benton Harbor.

The official canvass shows County Clerk John Needham, led every candidate on the ticket except Governor Pingree. Elder E. A. Black was unable to preach at the Presbyterian church Sunday morning owing to a severe attack of lumbago.

Mrs. Geo. Sickafosse and Mrs. W. W. Wells are circulating a petition asking the common council to pass a curfew ordinance. Mr. B. Frank Bressler moved his family to Elkhardt on Monday, where he has secured employment with the Miles Medical Co., in the printing department.

The entertainment given at Rough's opera house Friday and Saturday by Kline's Biemastograph was an excellent one, the pictures being life-like and the scenes portrayed realistic in the extreme. Monday was a beautiful, warm, spring-like day, but on Tuesday the contrast was something remarkable, as a genuine blizzard was raging with the thermometer trying to get as close to zero as possible.

Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M. held their regular meeting on Monday evening and conferred the M. M. degree on a candidate. The work was followed by refreshments, which were thoroughly enjoyed by those present.

Last Thursday, Rollo Dalrymple, employed at the Columbia Wood Novelty Works, got his hand caught in a saw at which he was working and lost part of the index finger of his left hand, besides lacerating the other fingers. The injured hand was dressed by Dr. Colvin, assisted by Dr. Garland.

Last Saturday night while two young ladies were walking down Front street, one of our tobacco choppers ejected a mouthful of tobacco juice just as the young ladies passed. The stream struck the sleeve of one of the young ladies completely ruining the garment. People who must chew should be more careful.

Last year Messrs. W. O. Jackson and Chas. K. Woolman, of South Bend, were up in northern Michigan deer hunting and contrary to the law shipped deer they had shot out of the state. As they could not be extradited for violation of the game law nothing could be done. This year they went north again, and Deputy Fish and Game Warden Palmer followed them up and the men were arrested and will have to stand trial for the charges made last year.

REMEMBER THE Boston Rubber Boots and Shoes

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CHANGE IN PRICE. Beginning with this date and continuing till further notice the price for single copies of the BUCHANAN RECORD will be five cents. The subscription price by the year, six months, or three months, will remain at the old rate of \$1 per year.

PERSONALS. Dr. J. A. Garland went to Chicago, Tuesday. Mr. G. W. Rough was in town, Tuesday. Mrs. Frank Stryker was in Dowagiac, Friday. Mr. Herb Roe was in South Bend, Wednesday. Mr. G. W. Noble was over to Niles on Sunday. Mr. Geo. A. Correll of Niles was in town, Friday. Mr. D. L. Boardman was in South Bend, Monday. Mr. Alfred Richards went to Chicago, Tuesday. Mr. E. W. Sanders spent Sunday with his family. Rev. E. W. Shepard was in South Bend, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Peacock were in Chicago, Friday. Mr. J. G. Holmes was a Benton Harbor visitor, Friday. Mr. Wm. Keller returned from Chicago, Saturday evening. Miss Daisy Emery will spend Thanksgiving in Gallien. Rev. Jas. Provan has been visiting in Chicago, the past week. Messrs. F. A. Stryker and C. D. Kent were in Niles, Sunday. Mr. H. G. Hobbs of Benton Harbor was in town, Wednesday. Dr. H. E. Lough started west Monday, on a short business trip. Deputy Sheriff John C. Wenger was in South Bend, Tuesday. Miss Maggie Donnelly visited relatives near Gallien, over Sunday. Messrs. Wm. Koons and H. Boyer were witnesses in the Circuit Court, Monday. Mr. Frank Batchelor returned to his home in Glendive, Montana, last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rennie and family of Niles spent Sunday with Buchanan friends. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brocous returned to their home in Battle Creek, Thursday evening. Deputy Fish and Game Warden W. A. Palmer has been in the Upper peninsula, the past week, on business. Mrs. B. F. Needham returned home on Saturday from a visit with her son, County Clerk John W. Needham. Messrs. E. S. Roe, C. F. Pears, Chas. Bishop, J. M. Rouch and John A. Arthur left Monday morning for a ten day's trip to Fort Arthur, Tex., and other southern points.

CHURCH NOTES. METHODIST. The Epworth League devotion at meeting will be held next Sunday evening at 15 minutes before 6 o'clock. Subject, "Total Abstinence and Prohibition." Reference, Rom. 14:21-23. Leader, Fred B. Sewell. Total abstinence in the individual will make prohibition a sure success. Let everyone be on hand at this service belonging to the League and help to make it helpful.

MATRIMONIAL. The Record joins in extending hearty congratulations to two well-known young people. The young lady's name was Miss Valma Anderson, but now it is Mrs. Geo. W. Boyer. Mr. Boyer's many friends have noted his many trips to Dowagiac, and last week he made his final trip, returning with Mrs. Boyer. The young couple were married at the home of the bride's mother at Dowagiac, last Thursday evening, Rev. Mr. Buell of the Methodist church performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Boyer have rented the Foster housekeeping as soon as they can get settled, after which they will be "at home" to their many friends.

OBITUARY. ROBERT MEAD was born in the State of New York, Jan. 1, 1820. He died at his home in Buchanan, Mich., Nov. 20, 1898, aged 78 yrs, 10 mos, 20 days. Bro. Mead removed to Summit Co., Ohio, when about 17 years of age. He was married to Miss Emily Jones, March 7, 1839, at Norton, Summit Co., Ohio. Here they lived about seven years, when they came to Niles township, where they remained about eight years, then they came to Buchanan, where they have since resided. To them were born eight children—six sons and two daughters. Five of the sons are dead. Three children are left—one son, John Mead, and two daughters, Mrs. J. Bliss and Mrs. Wm. Blake, all of Buchanan; and also he leaves one brother and a widow to mourn their loss, with a large number of relatives and friends.

He was converted and joined the Baptist church in early life, and was for several years a deacon of that church. He became an Adventist under the labors of Elder D. R. Mansfield, and was one of the charter members of the A. C. church of Buchanan. His faith in God never faltered. He was always at church when able. The last place that he ever visited was his church. On the 13th he attended church, on the 14th he was taken ill and on the 16th he was confined to his bed. Dr. Peck was summoned, but there was little hope; everything was done for him that skill and love could do, but he grew worse, until he "fell asleep" Nov. 20, Sunday, at 12 o'clock. He fell under the power of "the enemy," trusting in the Lord Jesus for life eternal, at the return of our Lord from Heaven. He died of heart failure. The church loses in Bro. Mead a true and faithful member, the wife a loving companion, the family a kind father, and the community a good neighbor, friend and citizen. He has lived a long and useful life, which will receive its reward when the Lord Jesus returns from Heaven. Words of comfort were spoken by the writer, Elder E. W. Shepard.

The funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon, at 1 o'clock, Rev. E. W. Shepard officiating. Interment at Oak Ridge cemetery.

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For a rest from business cares, spend the evening with the "Merchant of Venice", Dec. 5. WILL BE IN DISPUTE. Whether Constitutional Amendment Was Carried or Not. Thus far election returns have been received by Secretary of State Gardner from only a few counties, but if these are a fair sample of the whole, the proposition to make a revision of the constitution has been snowed under. Branch, Livingston and Washington show a majority of more than 2,000 against it. As bearing on the question whether the constitution means that in order to carry the proposition it must have a majority of the highest number of votes cast at the election, or simply a majority of the number cast on that particular proposition, it is interesting to note that this proposition was last submitted to the people during the administration of Governor Rich. While a majority of the votes cast on the proposition were in favor of revision, yet the total number cast thereon was less than one-tenth of the biggest number cast at election. Governor Rich submitted the question to the late Judge Thomas M. Cooley, who in an emphatic opinion held that the constitution contemplates that a majority of all the electors voting at the election must vote in favor of a revision in order to carry the proposition. In view of this opinion, the succeeding legislature made no provision for a constitutional convention. It is understood that Governor Pingree and his advisers hold that a majority of the votes cast on the question is all that is necessary.

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