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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

All "copy" for change of advertise ments must be in our office by Wednesday of each week to ensure the change

Estate Alexander Lamb, deceased. Treat Bros, have a cliange this

A. Jones & Co. have a change of nd, this week. W. H. Keller has a lot of fresh candies and fruits. Morris the Fair has a big ad. this

week for his March sale. Read it. Mrs. Chas. Bishop is seriously ill. A little daughter was born to Mr.

and Mrs. Hiram Boyer last Friday. Mr. and Mrs A. Jones celebrated their fifth anniversary with a quiet dinner party to a few friends vester-

Dr. Claude B. Roe, entertained his classmate, Dr. Bessie Hutchinson and mother, of Clinton, Iswa, Tuesday evening of this week.

room in the Opera House block formerly occupied by Harry Howe & Co. and will move there March 4. Mr. Joe Fuller who lives about four

of age and suffers considerably from the injury. Charlwood's Celebateed Cough Cure is meeting with a big sale and

from a personal trial of the same. the editor of the RECORD can vouch for its excellence. The sudden change to warmer

past, will necessiate extra caution or you will render yourself liable to an attack of the "La Grippe. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Treat rejeice

in the advent of a young gentleman who arrived at their home Saturday and whom they trust will reside with thrm for many years to come.

Mrs W. F. Runner was again called suddenly last Saturday to the bed side of her Father Mr. Lewis Rapp at Vicksburg who had long been ill at the Home of his son Mr. L. C. Rapp. His death occurred Monday afternoon his burial will be Thursday morning at 10 o'clock.

The colored people of Downgiac, gave a ball and cake walk on Tuesday evening Feb. 14, 1899. The competing couples were from Dowagiac. Paw Paw, Decatur and Buchanan. the cake being won by Roy Mitchell, of Buchanan. and Miss Eliza Harrison of Dowagiac.

We appreciate any item of news sent in by our friends but we must urge them to send their items in as early as possible in the week. Several items were received last week too late for publication, and would have been gladly published had they reached us earlier.

W. M. R. A. Myler of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. and A. M. has just received notice from Grand Lecturer Arthur M. Clark, that he will hold a Dancing was indulged in until an Masonic School of Instruction at early hour, refreshments being serv-Niles, March 7, at 2 o'clock p. m. ed meanwhile, under direction of Buchanan Lodge has been requested | Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ingalls. Everyto exemplify the Fellow Craft degree.

A letter received in Buchanan by a friend of Mr. R. F. Greene, formerly station agent for the M. B. H. & C. Ry. at this place, states that Mr. Greene is located at Arden, Mich. where he is engaged in farming, hav ing been compelled to resign his position with the "Big Four" at Terre Haute, Ind. on account of ill health.

The Buchanan township Republican Caucus was held in the Council rooms on Saturday afternoon, February 18th. D. E. Hinman was chosen chairman and B. D. Harper, secretary. The following were chosen dele-

gates to attend the County Convention to be held at St. Joseph on Monday, February 20th. I. L. H. Dodd, J. W. Brocus, W. H. Keller, H. L. Fotter, D. E. Hinman, B. D. Harper, Geo. Searls, B. F. Needham F. M. Wade, A. A. Worthington J. C. Wenger, F. S. Whitman, Henry Ingleright,

Wm. Brocus, C. F. Pears. Alex. Emery, Scott Whitman C. E. Sabin, Wm. Thayer. Moved and supported that should the full delegation not be present at the county convention, those present be empowered to east the full vote of the delegation. Carried.

BRILL IANT SOCIAL EVETN.

fine Weather, Elegant Costumes, and Large Attendance Make Buchanan Commercial Club's First Annual Ball a Grand Success.

The much talked of Ball of the Buchanan Commercial Club took place on Monday evening and those of these boxes, and they will reach who attended are not yet through talking of the elegant time they had and of the great success of the most brilliant social event in the history of Buchanan for years. The committees had been hard at work for many weeks in preparing for this event now lean back with the consciousness of having done their part well and thoroughly. The Club rooms were nicely arranged, and the dancing hall on the floor above was very prettily decorated in excellent taste with evergreens and flags, the stage being one mass of bunting. The music was by the celebrated Apollo Orchestra, of Elkhart, Ind., and was all that could be desired. At an early hour guests from out of town began to arrive, those from Niles and other eastern points coming on the Michigan Central Express No. 23, which was stopped here for their accommodation. A special train left Benton Harbor at 8 p. m. arriving here about 9 o'clock, bringing a number of guests from Benton Harbor, St. Joseph, and Berrien Springs. The grand march took place at nine thirty and was led by Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee, exactly 79 couples participating in the march. In addition to those dancing there were over two hundred spectators present and all reported an enjoyable time. Many of the costumes of the ladies were beautiful and much taste shown. Among them the RECORD noted Mrs. R. E. Lee, Paris gown of blue silk with tan embroidered tulle over dress. Mrs. J. R. Bishop, white silk. Mrs. F. S. Lamb, green broad-cloth. Mrs. W. W. East, black silk; Mrs. C. F. Pears, yellow silk, trimmed

with black velvet, Mrs. H. D. Rough, yellow silk and black: Mrs. C. D. Kent, black silk; Mrs. Geo. B. Richards, red and black costume; Miss Florence Redden, flowered organdie; Miss Georgia Wilcox, lavender organdie; Mrs. J. L. Richards, Jr., grey silk; Miss Susic Butler, blue cashmere trimmed with blue silk; Mrs. Glenn Smith, white silk, with mousseline de soie overdress; Mrs. W. N. Brodrick, black net over blue sick; Miss Mamie Allen, organdie over blue silk; Miss Blanch Hunt, pink organdie; Miss Lou Wynu, flowered organdic over green: Miss Hattie Sanders yellow and black silk;

miles north fell last Friday breaking his left leg. He is over seventy years Mrs. H. O. Weaver, black silk and lace: Mrs. Geo. Boyer, blue cloth; Mrs. E. S. Roe, red dress with black lace; Miss Matttie Scott, lemon colored silk: Mrs. E. J. Long, black silk; Mrs. Frank Steiner, black satin; Miss Florence Mead, white organdic. Mrs. H. G. Merrill, cream challie; weather from the zero weather of the | Miss L. Daisy Emery, white organdie over pink silk; Mrs. H. M. Lawson,

brown cloth; Miss Ethel Redding, white organdie, Miss Beatrice, Mansfield, cream silk; Miss Carrie Boyle, white organdie over pink silk. Among the out of town guests were noted: Mrs. J. F. Wilson, of St. Joseph, black lace; Mrs. J. W. Needham, of St. Joseph, black silk with piuk ribbon; Miss Helen Quimby, of Niles, white dimity; Miss Grace Moore, of Bryan, O., black velvet; Miss Lottie DeMott, of Niles, white silk; Miss Mabelle Roe, of Austin, Ill., cream; Miss Garnet Hupp, of South Bend, white organdie over

blue, Miss Lizzie Brownfield, of South Bend, flowered organdie; Mrs. E. P. Benedict, flowered organdie over cream silk, Miss Mayme Reyneirs, of Niles, cream challie; Miss Ida Cauffman, of Dowagiac, white over pink; Miss Mary Blake, of Chicago, green and black silk. The fellowing gentlemen from out of town were present: Messrs. Sim Belknap, Arthur Stone, H. O. Pierce, Harry DeMott, and Dr. Burke from Niles; Augustus Butler from Elkhart, Ind.; S. H. Reamer, B. B. Miller, W. C. Warner, South Bend; T. L. Wilkinson, L. E. Armijo, of Berrien Springs; J. W. Needham, W.

J. Dablke, W. H. Hull, J. F. Wilson, of St. Joseph; F. P. Sinclair, E. D. Morrow, H. E. Dickinson, J. W. Johnson, M. S. Peck. Thos. Glavin. and E. Boughter, of Benton Harbor. themselves and it was with regret that the vis tors left to take their

present thoroughly enjoyed train for home, the members of the club departed for their residences, the much talked of, and eagerly anticipated ball, had come and gone, and will be long remembered by all those present as one of the most enjoyable social events of the season. * * *

Patriotic Day. The 30 Club held a "Patriotic Day" vesterday at the home of Mrs. E. S. Roe. The house was prettily decorated with flags and pictures of Wash ington, Lowell, Longfellow, and Lincoln all of whose birthdays occur in this month. The following program was rendered.

Music-"My Country 'tis of thee'r Class Washington, statesman and citizen. Mrs. W. W. East Mt. Vernon as it is today, Mrs. D. L. Boardman Miss Carrie Boyle Instrumental solo. Lowell as poet and citizen, Mrs. L. E. Peck Recitation-Early Snowfall, Mrs. Russel

Solo, Character Sketch Mrs. D. H. Bower Mrs. E. S. Roc Mrs. J. L. Richards jr. Mrs. H. D. Rough Mrs. Geo. B. Richards Address at Gettysburg, Miss G. Wilcox Reading-Odes on Lincoln, Mrs. Rough Reading-Odes on Lincoln, Mrs. Rough Solo-The Bridge, Mrs. J. R. Bishop Sketch-Longfellow, Mrs. A. Richards jr. Poem-Two Angels Mrs. C. F. Pears Poem-Two Angels Mrs. C. F. Pears Roll Call-Quotations, Longfellow, Lincoln, Washington.

EDUCATIONAL

SCHOOL NOTES.

BUCHANAN SCHOOLS. Buchanan schools have been helped in many ways by the teachers association of last Saturday.

Mr. Pattengill arrived in the building at 2:00 p. m. and under the direction of the superintendent visited each one of the rooms in the high school building. He had some inspirations to give in each room. In the fifth grade room he gave a test in spelling finally catching the school on the word "separate." In other rooms he gave tests in numbers etc.

When the eighth grade room was reached he was greeted with the hearty class vell of '03. He was much pleased with this and drew forth the good nature of the school by saying it was a large school with a small school ma'am. He then gave the pupils a long talk on the power of habit, relating many incidents of his own school days, when he belongto a debating society: At 3:15 he came before the high school and gave a 30 minutes talk regarding the necessity of a thorough preparation for the anties of life, fully proving to all present that the battle of life is much fiercer than in the days of our fathers and grandfathers, and that if one would succeed today he must have the best of preparation.

Mr. Pattengill's wit and wisdom have made a lasting impression upon most of our young people and those who did not come to hear him have lost an opportunity. In the evening he gave the lecture

"Nancy Hanks and the 19th Century" to a good house. For two hours he held the audience in deepest attention, convalsing them with genuine laughter, then stirring them with clo-

Truly it was a feast of reason and a flow of soul. It was the verdict of those present that it was a grand tribute to true Americanism.

The program of the association of the teachers of Berrien County was carried out to the letter on Saturday. It was a grand meeting-grand in its enthusiasm and attendance, over two hundred and fifty teachers and patrons being present. The high school room was filled to its utmost limit. The papers and discussions were lisened to with fine attention. The singing by the eighth grade was very highly spoken of. The viotin duet received much praise. The whole management of the association passed off in the most satisfactory way. Mr. Loomis presided in a most excellent manner. The association took action on the Gilliam Free Text-Book Bill. A copy of this bill is in the Michigan School Moderator of February 16.

EIGHTH GRADE. Fifty seven visitors listened to our Washington's Birthday program. Mabel Kissinger was the first to bring in an account of Pingree's Potato Patch scheme.

May Watson entered Monday making 49 enrolled. Class in Literature are learning

Longfellow's "Excelsior." The grade welcomed Mr. Pattengill with their Class Yell, Friday

SIXTH GRADE.

All pupils are in school this week. Fred Eisenhart has recovered from an attack of the "Grip."

Mrs. Kent. Mrs. Brocus, Mrs. Crotser, and Mrs. Hakes called on us Monday afternoon. Come again. The Washington's Birthday exercises, Tuesday afternoon were well

FOURTH GRADE.

Mr. Pattengill visited us, Friday. All enjoyed his stories very much. Carl Tourje, Effic Vite, and Florence Schwartz, have returned after a weeks absence on account of sickness. Carl Renbarger is quite.sick. Harold Peacock has been absen

because of sickness. About fifty visitors attended the Washington Birthday Exercise held

Monday afternoon. THIRD GRADE. Washington's Birthday Exercises Tuesday afternoon were well attended, about fifty being present.

During the month the birthdays of Edison, Lincoln: Washington, and Lowell have been observed. Next week we will begin the study of Longfellow's life. We were yleased to welcome back

to school after a long absence on account of sickness, Minnie Blodgett, Van Brown, and Kenneth LeGar. The attendance is much improved. nearly all the absent ones having re-FIRST GRADE.

Warren Avery, Nina Binus, John Fox. Arley Mittan, Kenneth Mittan, Blanche Williams were in school after an absence occasioned by illness. The neatest work for the past week has been done by Mildred Roc, Ruth Reese. Kenneth Peters, Ruby Zimmer-

Kingery, John Long, Hildred Camp, and Paul White. GEYER SCHOOL There will be a Joint Teachers and Patrons Institute held at the Geyer School house, March 18, 1899. The A man who registered as Bronson a following is the program:-

man, Irma Deissner, Goldie Edgin,

Fleda Mittan, Herbert Brockett, Lyle

Reading Circle at 9 a. m. Music. Miss Ada Steiner, Nature Study, Mr. F. G. Lewis. Discussion led by Miss Mabel Redden Progress of our Schools in Recent Years, Mr. Henry Eisele. Personal Influence of the Teacher, Miss Sarah Berringer. How to use the Reader for Masterpiece Study, Mr. E. S. Light. Miss Clara Treiber Music. Everyone is requested to bring their

Knapsacks. Wayren; -A small black and tan dog, not over a year old. . Call at D. .C. Murphy, 4th street.

Mr. W. W. Waterman was in Niles, last Friday.

Mr. Harry Howe went to Eau Claire Saturday evening. Mr. Geo. Churchill took a trip to Dowagiac Monday.

Miss Grace Godfrey visited her sis er at Glendora Sunday. Mr. Wilbur Ruark, of Chicago, is

visiting friends in town. Misses Anna and Eva Hattenbach were in Chicago last Friday.

Miss Mabelle Roe of Austin, Ill., visiting relatives in town. Mr. Wm. Troutsetter entertained is mother from Galien last week. Mrs. W. F. Hern, of Chicago, is visiting at the home of Dr. Garland.

Miss Sarah White, of Downgiac, is visiting Mrs. Elmer Butts this week. Mrs. Estelle Kimmel of Niles was the guest of II. G. Samson last week. Mrs. Dr. Ostrander of Niles . was calling on Buchanan friends Satur-

Mr. and Mrs. Win. Troutfetter visited their brother in Chicago last week. Mr. Frank L. Raymond and daugh-

fer Cecil wenit to Decatur Saturday Mr. T. J. Travis was called to Chicago Friday by the death of his

mother. Mrs. W. N. Brodrick visited South Bend relatives last week, returning

Saturday. . Mr. and Mrs. John Alliger spent Sunday with their brother E. E. All iger at Dowagiac.

Mrs. S Powers was called to Chicago Monday on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Miss Mary Blake, of Chicago, formorly of this place, is visiting relatives here for a few days. Mrs. E. J. Grover returned home

after affive week visit with Mrs. B. F. Bresler at Elkhart Ind. Mr. W. A. Sparks went to Ann Arbor. Monday to attend the state meeting of the A. O. U. W.

Miss Garnett Hnpp of South Bend was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. nesday. Lee, Monday and Tuesday. Prof. J. D. Schiller of Niles was in attendance at the Teacher and Patrons

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Wray and little daughter Mabel, of Edmond Kansas. are visiting their parents in Buchan-Mrs. Charles Hamlin and son spent

association at Buchanan Saturday.

one day this week with Mrs. A. N. Hamlin before starting on a trip to Georgia. Among those present at the 'Berrien County Teachers and Patrons Association were Miss Ethel Wynn of Eau Claire, Misses Ida C. Hummiston, Mary Lynch, Bernice L. Langley, Ellen W. Conant, Kate W. Mulford, Cora D. King, Julia F. Ward, of St Joseph, Prof J. D. Schiller, Misses J. Eyles, Helen Kay, E. Tibbets, H. J. Mansfield, of Niles, Prof. W. M. Milham, Miss Maude Stafford Three Oaks, I. I., Jones of Three Qaks, Prof. C. L. Weaver of Baroda, Prof. E. A. Wilson of Benton Harbor.

> * * * CHURCH NOTES.

Susic M. Curtis of Watervliet.

Misscs L. J. Bowe, Nellie E. Bowe,

w. c. t. u. The W. C. T. U. will meet next week, Friday, March 3rd at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. W. W. Wells.

METHODIST. The Epworth League devotional meeting will be held Sunday evening from 5:45 to 6:45 o'clock. Subject, Palm Tree Christians. Ref. Ps. 92-

Leader, W. F. Runner, This subject is one that ought to interest every Epworth Leager, and it is well to remember, that only "Thou that be planted in the house of the Lord shall flourish in the courts of our God."

ADVENTIST. Services at the Adventist Christian Chuach as usual. Preaching in the morning at 10:30. Subject "Chrstian science and the Bible." Evening 7 o'clock. Subject "Regeneration, and the Spirit birth, or when does the birth of the Spirit take place, at Convertion or at the Resurcction," what does the Bible say? Come and

> \diamond \diamond \diamond OBITUARY.

BENJAMIN IMHOFF father of Messrs Jacob and Henry Imhost and Mrs. A. Lyddick, died this morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs Lyddick. He was about 85 years of age and for the past three years has been a sufferer from paralysis.

Morris Suarfer son of Mr. Issac Shaffer died at his father's home in Buchanan, this morning at 2 | held at the home of Mrs. Scott Whito'clock. He leaves a widow and man. a young child. The funeral will occur Saturday morning the remains being taken to Cassopolis on the 9.47 train for interment.

Buchanan was the scene of a real

live attempt at a hold up last night. The would be victim was Laudlord H. M. Lawson of the Hotel Stephens. few days ago, drove up at minutes to 11 o'cock in a rig from Zwergel's livery at Niles, and called Mr. Lawson ences and doing good business in to the door. Upon stepping up to the rig the man asked a few questions, and then shoved a shot gun in his face and demanded his money, Somewhat startled Mr. Lawson brushed the gun aside, whereupon the ed new features and new novelties would be hold up man lost his nerve for to-night and Saturday evening. after which the popular company and drove off. Search has been will leave for Niles. made and although the gun has been found in Niles, the man who held it has not been secured as yet.

* * * . Cash paid for butter and eggs. JORDAN. CORRESPONDENCE

GLENDORA. Monday, Feb. 20. Part of nearly every family are suffering with Grippe.

Edd Ingleright has purchased the property owned by Sam Shirk. He will move there soon. Sam Shirk will move to New Troy.

business. John Hewitt ic moving near Day-

He will engage in the well digging

Lilly McFall found her six month old baby dead in the cradle on Sunday morning Feb. 12th. Cause unknown. On Sunday following she and her brother accompanied by one neighbor conveyed the remains to the Hinman Cemetary near Baroda. She claims to have adopted the baby some six months ago.

DATION.

The Order of Patricians is growing quite rapidly. Five new members in the last week. The Experience Social given at A.

C. Weaver's was a brilliant success. both socially and financially. About seventy were present, and \$31 were realized out of it.

Mrs. John Martin returned to her home at Bertrand Monday, her sister Miss Ada Allsopp went with her to spend a week or two.

in town a few days last week. The Epworth League will give a chicken pie social at the home of Frank White, Thursday eve, March

Rev. C. L. Kean visited-his friends

2nd. Rob. Starret and wife have moved to Porter, Ind. Miss Ella Alspaugh is visiting

friends at Buchanan this week. Flord Weaver who was out hunting, caught a nice looking fox and brought t to town last Thursday night. Miss Bertie Spencer was in Buchanan Monday. Carrie Paul visited Galien, Wed

Mr. Will Richter went to Michigan City Saturday. The dance Friday evening was well attended.

D. S. Scoffern of New Carlisle was in town Monday. Mr. and Mrs. August Storm of New Carlisle was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Bromley Sunday.

Protracted meetings at the Mt. Zion church this week. SALE OF TWO PAPER NILLS.

Plants at Niles, Mich., Bought in at Mortgage Sale by C. A Chapin. of Chicago. The paper plants which have heretofore been known as the Ohio Paper company and Niles Paper Mill company Monday at mortgage sale were bid in by C. A. Chapin, of Chicago, for the Niles Board and Paper com-

Niles some weeks ago. The Obio Paper company's plant brought \$148,000, while the Niles Paper company's plant was bid in at \$47,000. Mr. Chapin was the only bidder on the ground. The mills will be operated by the

pany, an organization formed at

purchasers as heretofore and no cessation of operations will occur. The plants in question give employment to about 200 men. The Self Culture Class will meet with Mrs. E, Knight Feb. 24th (Fri

day); March 3rd with Mrs. M. Dodd.

Program: Roll Call, Quotations

from Eugene Field. Miscellaneous The Monday Literary Ciub held special meeting at the home of Dr. J. A. Garland last evening and an enenjoyable time was had by all present.

The following programme was rendered Charade, Mrs. Worthington Dr. J. A. Garland Music Original Story Mrs. H. L. Potter Charade Mrs. Plimpton Conundram Mrs Crotser Riddle Miss Lemon Conundrum Mrs. Weaver Address Mrs Smith Mrs. D. H. Bower Solo Original Poems Mrs. D. E. Henman Mr. sHoward Song Charade Mrs. Henderson Miss Hahn Recitation Music Misses Gardner and Dispenette Mrs. Johnson Recitation Mrs. Phelps Reading Mrs. Roe

Mrs. Williams Connadrum Reading Mrs. Whitman Following this program was a 'Quotation Hunt' which & caused much merriment followed by refreshments, The next meeting will be

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Rough's Opera House shas been

rented to the Cornell Concert Co.

for one week commencing Monday,

March 6th. They are now playing at Niles giving performance of refined musical acts, comedy sketches, Swiss bell ringing, quartetts and duetts. We insert the following clipping from Three Rivers paper: "The Cornell Concert Co. is successful in large appreciative audi-Three Rivers opera house. The prooram last evening was an unusuall good one, a clever and effective, first part by entire company followed by specialties ending with most laughable farce comedy seen in many months. The management announc-

* * * The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell excursion tickets to Jackson Feb., 28 and Mch. 1st., at one fare for the round trip, account the Republican conven-

NUMBER 4.

Our readers are invited to send in any questions for information on this subject, and any commu-nications bearing on poultry will be received with pleasure and will be fully discussed in this column.

A SMALL FLOCK PROFITABLE The best way to enjoy keeping fowls is to have a small book into which should be inserted all the receipts and expenses. It is an excellent mode of learning what can be done and how to economize. A large profit can be made from a very small flock; that is, while the receipts may not be large, yet the profits on the capital invested will be surprising. A small flock pays because it consumes so much waste material that would otherwise give no return, and a home market always exists as long as eggs are used in the household, and, it may be added, fresh eggs will be had instead of the candled stock usually sold as such. There is also much pleasure derived from managing a small flock, and all the members of the family become interested. The enjoyment will be greater if some pure bred variety is used, the aim being to excel in all the requirements of the breed. Children make pets of the fowls and chicks, and that is a

point in favor of the flock which

should not be overlooked.

CLOSE CONFINEMENT Some breeds can endure close confinement without injury, as the have been bred for that purpose. The Brahmas and Cochins may be men tioned as examples. They have small wings and heavy bodies, cannot fly over low fences, and are contented on a limited area of ground. If the active breeds which delight in foraging are selected, however, such as Leghorns or other small fowls, they will attempt to escape at every opportunity, and if they fail they become discontented unless kept actively at work in some manner, They must be fed so as to work diligently for all they receive. If not so managed they begin to pull feathers from each other and learn other vices which render fowls unserviceable and unprofitable. Good results are obtained from birds kept in confinement but it would be well to consider the breed and endeavor to select one that will adapt itself to circumstances.

EARLY HATCHING This matter has been referred to several times but it is very important to consider it at the present, as this is February and but a few weeks remain to hatch the early pullets, which should be out of the shells before April if possible. Pullets hatched in April may be considered early, but it is better to gain two or three weeks if it can be done. The object is to allow as much period for growth as con be secured before November, so as to have the pullets matur ed and ready to begin laying before winter sets in, as they will then make the best winter layers

SELLING CHEAP FOODS There are many articles on a farm that go waste, such as shaken wheat in the stubble field, hay seeds, grass, etc., but which is converted by the hens into eggs, especially in spring and summer. This is a source of profit which some do not consider, and when the cost of eggs is estimated it is but right to credit the hens with that which they save. A flock of fowls will pick up an enormous amount of waste food in a year, including injurious insects, and on some farms the receipts from eggs are almost clear profit, no expense

in their production being incurred. DUCKS SHOULD BE LAYING Ducks should be laying regularly now. They will need a fair proportion of animal food, and should be fed soft messes altogether. Cooked potatoes thickened with equal parts of bran, corn meal, and animal meal, will be excellent. If liver, or other cheap lean meat can be procured, it may be given every other day, and cut clover, cut very fine and scalded, should be given two or three times a week. Keep the floor of the duck house clean and well covered with straw or litter. Cucks lay more than hens while at such work, and as they lay large eggs they require an abundance of food and of a varied kind.

AVOIDING LICE The best way to prevent lice is to begin early in the season and make the conditions unfavorable for them. Begin before warm weather to kerothe roosts, spray the interior, use clean material in the nest boxes, and dust insect powder, or some of the advertisec lice killers, freely in the nests and on the walls. By doing so there will be less work to do later on. P. H. JACOBS.

Miss Bernice Mead was the recipient of a very pleasant surprise party, Tuesday evening. About twenty five were present and the evening was spent in a very enjoyable manner with games, dainty refreshments being served during the evening. The party broke up with expressions of many returns of the day, the occasion being the seventeenth birthday of Miss Bernice.

The renomination of Ernest P. Clarke of St Joseph for school commissioner at the Republican County Convention gave great satisfaction to all present and that Mr. Clarke will continue his ifficient work in behalf of our schools for another two years is not for an instant in doubt. The Record extends congratulations to Mr Clarke.

A Good Selection.

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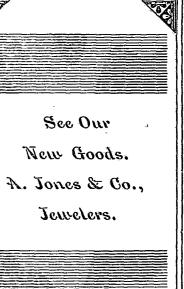
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First publication March 2, 1899. Estate of Alexander Lamb, Deceased. TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien,—ss.

At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate effice in the City of St. Joseph, on the 21st day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.

Present, Jacob J. Van Ripen, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Alexander Lamb, decreased.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander Lamb, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of J. T. Beckwith, Administrator of said estate, praying for the reasons herein stated that he may be authorized, empowered and licensed to self the real estate of said deceased in said petition described.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 20th day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the City of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

be granted

And it is further ordered, that the said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, earing.
(A true copy.)

[BEAL.]

JACOB J. VAN RIPER,
Judge of Probate

Last publication March 16, 1899. The pupils of Miss Myrtle Moss Mericle teacher of Elocution and Literature at Benton Harbor College will give our people a treat on February 24th at Rough's Opera House. The program will comprise recitations and music and conclude with Howell's Laughable Farce "The Register." Remember the date and

arrange to go. * * * Resolutions of Respect. BUCHARAN, MICH., Feb. 18, 1899.

Resolutions passed on the death of Lady Lydia Broceus. WHEREAS,-It has pleased our Heavenly Father, in his infinite wisdom, to remove from our ranks our sister Lydia Broceus, to that land where suffering never comes, therefore be it Resolved, That we, the members of East Hive, while we bow in humble submission to the Divine Will, extend to the bereaved husband and children our heartfelt sympatny and

love: and also Resolved, That as a token of our love and respect for our departed sister, that our Cnarter be draped in mourning for thirty days, and that these resolutions be spread upon the records of our Hive and a copy be

sent to the bereaved family.

EMMA S. KNIGHT. NORA SPARKS. * * * Important to Woodmen.

MILLIE EAST.

Pursuant the written petition of a large number of Neighbors, a special meeting of Camp 886 will be held Saturday evening, February 25, at 7:30 o'clock. For adoption work.

* * *

By order of S. ARNEY, V. C.

Prof. S. L. Umbach, of Union Biblical Institute of North-Western College, will lecture at the Zion's Evangelical Church on Portage Prairie. Sunday evening, February 26, 1899. Subject, What an American saw in Europe. Come and bring your friends. Admission free.

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during February; they are the lowest we ever made on such goods. Just received 25 dozen ladies night dresses. 50e quality, which we offer at 35c.

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Our January linen sales were far beyond our expectations.

The double damask, \$2 quality that we sold for \$1, and the \$1 quality hat sold for 75c, and the 75c quality that sold for 50c, are under any market. We may not have every pattern left, but we will not mark the goods up, and will continue to sell them at these low prices while they last. Maybe we can get more of them, maybe not.

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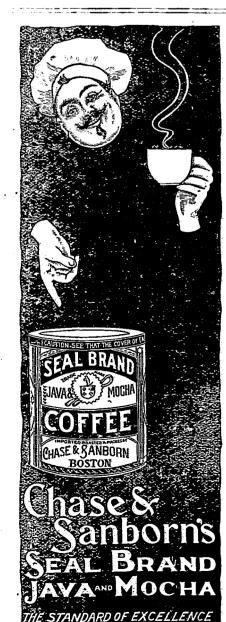
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THURSDAY, FEB. 23, 1899.

Govenor Pingree has appointed Mr. George A. Correll of Niles as county agent on the state board of corrections and charities, to succeed Mr. C. W. Whitehead of St. Joseph.

Commencing next Monday, Mr. W. H. Conchrane, of Iowa, will have charge of the Evening Press of St Joseph. A new type dress has been sent for and the office help will be increased. The paper will continue to be Republican in politics.

Friends of Rev. A. J. Eldred, who was many years ago a well known Methodist minister here, will be surprised to learn of his marriage to Miss Marion Bush, of Grand Rapids. He is 73 years of age, while the bride is 57,—Cassopolis Vigilant

One advantage of the newspaper over the circular as an advertising medium, says an old advertiser, is that it not only prints an advertisement but it attends to its distribution as well. What is more it gets the advertisment into the home, while the circular usually lays in the yard.

The Musician for February is a very interesting number and is one that will be of great benefit to musicians. The contents of this number is of high character, the descriptive matter being excellent and the seven pieces of music forming a part of this number being worth the subscription price of the magazine alone. Published by the Hatch Mnsic Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

R. G. Dunn & Co's Review says: Beyond question business is expanding, and in many branches it is lar- | people. ger notwithstanding speculative combinations which tend to reduce it thusiasm when he referred to Will-All monopolies, or attemped monopolies, stimulate business while they are coming, but tend to stifle it after they come, and the throng from the President's frankland wholeof combinations and trusts which some views on the Philppine queshave been formed or proposed have given a temporary but very questionable impetus to trade. But beyond the influence of these there is a genuine and substantial enlargement of business, due to the unexampled prosperity of a grow-

ing population.

Attendance.

P. Clark to succeed himself as Commissioner of Schools for this county, better than to copy a portion of the excellent account published by the

met at 11 o'clock to day at the Academy of music in St. Joseph and was called to order by Hon. A. N. Woodruff, chairman of the county committee, who briefly thanked the Republicans of the county for their cordial support of the ticket last fall and at whose suggestion Mr. I. LeRoy Dodd of Buchanan was made temporary

Kinley and Hobert and the seats in the hall, tagged as usual with the names of the voting precincts, were well filled with delegates.

uable achievements of the party.

at Lansing on the question of taxation, the speaker was heartily applauded when he expressed his belief that out of all the talk and views would come a law that would be just alike to the corporation and the He was farther applauded with en

held their convention to select delegates to the State and Judiceary Conventions and also to nominate Ernest The RECORD feels that it can do no Benton Harbor Palladium as follows:

ated with flags and pertraits of Me-

signed him, Mr. Dodd made an able and eloquent address of twenty minutes length, in which he congratulated the Republicans of the county, state and nation on their successes in the past and their prospects for the future, and dwelt in a complimentray way upon the high purposes and val-

The Republican county convention

iam McKinley as "that prince among men and glorious President of ours" and when he quoted at some length tion as spoken before the Market club of Boston last Wednesday night. He referred with pride to the victories that had followed our flag in the late war with Spain, to Dewey, Shafter and other heroes and with.

THE COUNTY CONVENTION.

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The Republicans of Berrien comnty

The stage was patriotically decor-

On accepting the place of honor as-

Referring to the chaos of opinion

and ratified as follows:

enduring fame throughout the country and in foreign lands; and among the members of that tribunal who have contributed by scholarship and broad learning and sound legal judgement to the reputation and influence of that court, is the Hon. Claudius B. Grant, of Marquette. The Repub licans of Berrien county, and as we believe the citizens of the state generally, most heartilly commend his able and upright services and look with pride upon his career as a jurist; and we believe that the highest interests of Michigan will be subserved by his retention as a Justice of the Supreme Court of Michigan.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the delegates selected by this convention to attend the State Judicial Convention soon to assemble at Jackson, be, and they are hereby instructed to cast the full vote of such delegation for Hon. Claudius B. Grant, as long as a majority of such delegation deem it advisable to do so.

The resolution was antagonized, on political grounds, by Mr. Bridgman. who referred to the fact that Kalamazoo county, that had slways stood by Berrien, had presented a candidate for Supreme Justice in the person of Mr. Boudeman. He hoped the resolution would be withdrawn.

F. R. Belknap. of Niles, opposed the resolution in vigerous terms, but did not disclose his motive. C. N. Sears favored the resolution

in a ringing speech. J. T. Owens wanted the instruction feature of the resolution stricken out. | drug- business and expects no ophis present preferance for Judge Grant, also objected to the instruct-of bill designed to curtail the evils of ion feature.

Hon. A. N. Woodruff opposed the resolution on political grounds. He moved to lay the resolution on the table, and the motion was carried. The various delegate districts decided upon their candidates for delegates and the lists were announced

1) C. H. Farnum, S. L. VanCamp, V.

C. M. VanRiper, John Lane, B. L, Sims, Thos, Mars, Chas H. French, John C. Wenger, D. H. Bower, A. W. Pierce, S. E. Marshall, H. L. Hess, A. D. Young, Howard Rose, E. S. Wil-

San Juan, in the trenches at Manila

and elsewhere, and rest in loving re-

Mr. Dodd referred to the high and

honorable charactor of our courts

and expressed the hope that the er-

At the conclusion of the address

Dr. F. B. Hinchman, of Three

Oaks, who was selected as temporary

secretary, told the convention he es-

eemed it a great honor to serve in

The following committees were

named and the convention adjourned

Permanent organization and order

of business-C. M. Van Riper. St.

Joseph; S. M. Clawson, Naomi; Ed.

Harbor; Daniel Swem, Galien.

Griffin, Niles; W. L. George, Benton

On credentials-A. L. Hammond

and Geo. Bridgman, of Benton Har-

On dividing the county into dele-

gate districts-D. H. Bower, Buchan-

an; L. C. Fyfe, St. Joseph; Thos.

Mars, Berrien Center: A. N. Wood-

ruff, Watervliet; H. L. Hess, Three

resented and no contests. The report

adopted and was subsequently carried

The temporary organization was

The report on division of county

into delegate districts was received

and adopted and was subsequently

observed in the appointment of dele-

On motion, G. W. Bridgeman, John

T. Owens, Alva Sherwood, C. B.

Groat and William Gibson was ap-

The officers were duly sworn by J.

It was decided on motion to pre-

seed to the selection of a candidate

Hon, L. C. Fyfe addressed the con-

veution in behalf of the renomination

for that office of Mr. Ernest P. Clarke,

whose efficient administration of the

past two terms and claims to further

recognition were extolled in fitting

and complimentary terms. Mr. Fyfe

said during the past four years Mr.

Clarke had raised the standard of the

rural schools of Berrien to equal at

least that of any other county in the

state. He was characterized as a

popular, successful and scholarly

Col. L. M. Ward, in a few words,

supported the nomination of Mr.

addressed the convention. He said

he had been all over the county dur-

the past forty days in his own behalf,

and he had decided, in the interest

of Judge Coolidge and in view of

Mr. Clarke's splendid record to with-

draw from the contest in favor of Mr.

Mr. Shearer, of Galien, presented

Hon. Thomas Mars, in behalf of

'the rural districts of this county al-

most wholly," seconded the nominat-

W. L. George, Edward Burton and

others supported the nomination of

Will Stevens, of Watervliet, who

had also made some canvass for the

office, stated that he preferred that

An informal ballot was taken for

candidate, with the following result:

E. P. Clarke, 266; Byron J. Benson,

Mr. Clarke's nomination, amid con-

siderable enthusiasm, was made un-

animous. He was called on for a

speech and after thanking the con-

vention sincerely for the honor con-

ferred promised to do all he could to

repay the Republicans for their kind-

ness and confidence by redoubling

his efforts in behalf of the schools of

Mr. V. M. Gore presented the fol-

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has ever been to the people of this

state an object of just and honorable

pride; having earned for this state an

lowing, and moved its adoption:

the county.

his friends vote for some one else.

the name of Byron J. Benson.

on of Mr. Clarke.

Mr. Clarance Q. Tappin, who has

for county school commissioner.

bor: Chas. Schultz, New Buffalo.

the chairman was heartily congratu-

nine would continue unsullied.

lated on his most capable effort.

that capacity.

was adopted.

made permanent.

pointed tellers.

K. P. McCullough.

memberance of the nation.

Judicial-(yet to be called) Thos. Holinrake, B. H. Van Camp, Jasper Fye, John T. Owens, C. N. Sears, R. D. Collier, W. H. Andrews, A. B. Morse, John C. St. Clair, F. F. King, A. S. Miller, S. M. Clawson, Andrew Sherer, Geo. Searls, A. A. Worthington, John Swem, G. W. Bridgman, F. H. Hinchman, R. M. Allen, E. C.

Griffin, W. J. Gilbert. Prior to the selection of judicial delegates W. J. Gilbert presented the following and moved its adoption:

The Republicans of Berrien county recognize in Hon. O. W. Goolidge a capable and impartial judge, and we heartily congratulate him and the people of the second judicial circuit upon the splendid record he has made in discharging the responsible dutise of the high office to which he was called six years ago. We most heartily and cordially commend his candidacy for reelection and confidently believe that his renomination and el ection will promote the public good of this judicial circuit, and his reelection we would regard as a just tribute to his charactor as a citizen and his ability as a judge; and that On reassembling the committee on the delegates elected by this convent redentials reported all precincts repion be instructed to use all honorable means to accomplish the renomination of the honorable O. W. Coolidge at the judicial convention hereafter The committee on organization and to be called order of business was received and

After a spirited discussion in which the political feasibility of instructing the delegates; in view of the courtesy due to Cass county, was frankly questioned, the last clause, instructing the delegates was stricken out and the resolution was then adopted by unanimous consent.

Mr. A. L. Hammond introduced the following resolution, which after

brief discussion was defeated. WHEREAS, At the last election held in and for Berrien county it was emphatically apparent that the electors of said county desired the speedy enactment into law by the Legislature of what was then known as the 'At-

kinson bill; therefore be it Resolved, by the Republican party of Berrien county in convention assembled, that we earnestly request our senator and representative from this county to use their utmost endeavors to secure the passage of what is now known as the Cheever-Atkinson bill by the Legistature of this state during its present session. Be

Resolved, That we condemn the action of all members of the legislature who have resorted to dilatory tactics regarding said bill or who have or hereinafter shall assist in any manner to defeat its enactment into law. The convention then adjourned.

> \diamond \diamond \diamond OUR LANSING LETTER.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 20, '99.

noticee and introduced by Michigan's law-makers during the past week would make a small volume. A few of the more important and unique measures only can be noted.

The special committee of thirty which has in charge the Cheever-Atkinson Bill and other taxation measures, begins its public hearings this week Thursday. They are to report Feb. 28. It is freely predicted that the original Atkinson Bill is dead beyond resurrection, but its main features may be reincarnated in a new bill to be brought forth by the committee.

Governor Pingree emphatically denies any disposition to compromise with the Michigan Central or any other concern. He says if the Atkinson Bill was unconstitutional you wouldn't see the antis opposing it, it would be just what they'd want.

Among bills creating wide spread

comment over the state are the following: The liquor bill introduced by Representative Nevins of Allegan taxing every person who wants to drink as a beverage \$5 per year and requiring publication of the names of all persons so licensed every three months in some newspaper in the county. It also fixes the penalty of \$25.00 fine for each offence by any dealer selling to unlicensed drinkers, and the same fine is imposed upon the drinker who disposes of or loans his license to any other person. Upon its introduction the members were inclined to treat it as a joke but it is made in good faith, is the law in Oregon and is said to be effective and productive of revenue. Senator Lyons proposes a bill prohibiting private individuals or private corporations from securing and placing little children in homes. It is designed to suppress the various "Baby farms" and like institutions and likewise prohibit the importation of abandoned or dependent children into the state, and provides that all such institutions shall be incorporated by honorable, reliable people and under the supervision of the state, and shall be open to inspection at any time by those appointed to took after such institutions. Representative Aldrich has incorporated some advanced ideas into a bill on the marriage question. He has presented a bill making it illegal for persons suffering from scrofulous and syphilitic diseases to be given a license to marry until they have presented to the County Clerk a certificate of a cure from a reputable

physician. Senator Flood introduced a bill designed to deal fairly with the saloons which pay the license and also to come at the evil of drug store liquor selling. It provides for the taxing of druggists who sell liquor in any form but pure alcohol. Senator Flood was for many years in the G. M. Valentine, while declaring | position from druggists who are doing a legitimate business. Anothe the liquor traffic, introduced by Senator Lyon, prohibits the sale of any kind of liquors within three miles of any educational institution in the state.

In the line of anti-monopoly legislation is the bill by Representative Phillips which declares every sort of combination for the purpose of lim-State-(to be held at Jackson March iting outputs, raising prices or monopolizing the trade in any comtenderness to the heroes who fell at M. Gore, G. M. Dudley, E. F. Platt, | modity, to be illegal and makes

void all agreements of that character Representative Burch has modified his proposed telegraph bill so as to prevent any free messages or dead head matter being sent, fifteen words going for ten cents, and fixing a uniform rate within the state of onesixth cent per word. Representative Rulison proposes that insurance com. panies shall pay losses without wait ing the sixty days now allowed.

Newspaper men of the state are interested in a bill by Representative Crosby which provides that a retraction of libelous matter published in any newspaper in the state shall operate as a bar to libel suits; also a bill providing for the publication of various public proceedings in newspapers, and a bill to require the publication of all mortgage foreclosure sales instead of posting as at present permitted. Senator Collingwood's bill providing for the establishment of a state printing office brought forth a protest from the state press association in session at Lansing the 15th inst. the following being one of the resolutions,

"Resolved, That we believe the people of the state will never sanction by their vote a constitutional amendment creating such establish ment, and we will, as an association use every honorable means in our power to defeat such a scheme should t ever be submitted to the people." An important bill is Nevin's school text book bill. This provides for a

system of text books in all studies required for third grade certificates throughout the rural schools and the first eight grades of city schools, to be uniform but contains provisions for gradual introduction without affecting existing contracts and continues the option of free books contained in the existing laws.

Senator Collingwood presents a bill authorizing the State board of education to grant teacher's certificates to Agricultural College graduates. In the Senate the Graham Forsythe text book bill was reported out by the education committee.

Representative Howell wants to reserve the Eastern Insane Asylum for female patients, and to provide that all female patients in state institutions shall be attended by female physicians only, except that one male physician may be called in council. Senator Flood introduced a bill to egulate the interests and charges that pawn brokers may collect, in-

cluding the price of storage. Représentative McCall presented a oill to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cigarettes, the use of which he considers one of the most pernicious evils of the day.

Shepherd of Cheboycan noticed a bill providing for a Forestry commission for the purpose of protecting the remaining forests in the state.

Senator Davis wants to reduce the legal rate of interest in this state to 5 per cent. Senator Sawyer wants to put a special tax of so much per barrel on beer, and provides how the proceeds of the tax shall be used. He also proposes a beet sugar bill giving one half of the bounty to the grower of beets and one half to the manufacturer of beet sugar.

Chairman Anderson of the fisheries and game committee presented a bill asking for an appropriation of \$92, 500, \$15,000 for to auxiliary hatching stations in the north repairs, etc., and \$38,750 for each of the two years Senator Baker's appropriation bill for the upper peninsula Hospital Insane at Newberry asks for \$258,000. Senator A. G. Smith noticed a bill changing the pay of supervisors from \$3.00 per day back to \$2.00, and also a bill reducing the amount exempt from garnishment from \$25 to \$10. Goodell of Wayne introduc ed a joint resolution reducing the salary of Judges in Wayne county from \$6,000 to \$5.000.

Monday brought two more bicycle bills, one by Fleischauer to create a state bicycle road commision, to survey, build and maintain continuous bicycle roads or paths along, upon or contiguous to certain public highways of this state and to impose the tax upon bicycle owners and riders, and to exempt bicycles from taxation as other property and to repeal all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this

Letters unclaimed remaining in the Post Office at Buchanan Mich., for week ending Feb., 20, '99. Miss Effie Brant, Mr. Wm. Smith, Mr. Claud McGoman and Mr. Harry Meiser. Geo. W. Noble; P. M.

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COUNTY SEAT NEWS

CIRCUIT COURT. Case of Crosby vs. Cheseman; order entered to set aside default and five days allowed for complainant's solicitor to serve copy on defendant's

In the case of the people vs. Andrew P. Calderwood for prize fighting, C. N. Sears was appointed to defend him.

In the case of Cora B. Weaver vs. Perley W. Hall; demurrer of defendant was argued and taken under ad-

The case of Chas. F. Jasper vs. Wm. J. Diemer for trespass has been

Harrison K. Potter of S. Joseph, by his attorney. Edward Bacon, has filed a narr against William Wallace to obtain \$800 for damages on account of ejectment from property.

The Brant-Conger tax case will be neard in the circuit court Thursday

In the case of the Vulcan Iron Works vs. Almendinger, a judgment of \$352.75 has been rendered. Alvin R. Robinson by his attorney,

L. C. Fyfe, has filed a bill of complaint against John W. Tompkins, et al. The plaintiff claims the defendants desire to partition the undivided half of 180 acres of land, which Robinson owns. Hence he asks that he may get possession of the property and hold it.

The trial of the replevin case of Ensley vs. Gilson was resumed Tuesday.

The jury in the case of Hiram G. Ensley vs. Chester W. Gilson, replevin of stock of drugs, at 5 clock last week, Wednesday night rendered a verdict in favor of the piaintiff, Mr. Ensley. Frank Bracelin was his attorney. In this case 60 days has been granted to file a bill of excep-

All the county offices were closed yesterday, Washington's birthday. The jail inspectors visited the

county jail yesterday morning and report everything in good condition. Case of First National Bank, Buchanan, vs. Jacob Imhoff; judgement rendered in the sum of \$1,119.80. The case of Frank E. Goulet vs.

Geo. C. Koebel for alienating his wife's affections, was on trial yesterday. Both plaintiff and defendant reside in Royalton. The case was tried last October but the jury disagreed and a new trial was granted. Charles R. Shaw, by his attorneys, Goorge W. Bridgman and Edward Bacon, has filed a complaint against Frank Norris, Weesaw township treasurer. Shaw is assessed with \$268.62 due on Galien river drain taxes and this the plaintiff claimed is illegal. He asks an injunction restraining Norris from selling the

has given an injunction. The jury in the Calderwood prize fight case retired at 4 o'clock Friday and twenty-five minutes later returned with a verdict of not guilty.

property assessed and Judge Coolidge

HORSE THIEVES CONVICTED. The jury in the case of the people vs, Charles Thomson and Wm. Smith for stealing a horse at Buchanan rendered a verdict of guilty Wednesday night. Smith and Thompson fled to Ohio but Deputy Sheriff Wenger and Sheriff Ferguson did good work in capturing them. Friday morning Judge Coolidge sentenced William Smith to Ionia for two years and a half and Charles Thompson to the

county jail for 80 days. THE ENGINE CASE. The jury in the case of the people vs. Lorenzo Jones and Andrew Goins retired at 10 o'clock Friday morning.

They were charged with malicious injury of personal property and are supposed to have dismantled an en-The attorneys for the defendants put up a good fight on the ground

that the property was real and not personal but the court decided against them. The jury in the engine case rendered a verdict of guilty late in the

DIVORCE GRANTED. Portia Birkholm has been granted a divorce from her husband, Emil

Birkholm, on the grounds of cruelty and desertion. OTHER NOTES. A motion has been made by .Attor-

ney Davis to carry the case of the people vs. Andrew Goins and Lorenzo Jones to the Supreme court as he believes the verdict of the jury as guilty cannot be affirmed.

MARRIAGE LICENSES. Arthur Reed, 21; Carra B. Mittan, 19; Oscar C. Dixon, 32; Julia A. Port, 27,

Eken Bretnell, 21; Benton Harbor; Jennie May Fisher, 21,: Indiana. Adolph Waldon, 27, Royalton; Cella Stark, 27, St. Joseph. Justus H. Collins, 33, St. Joseph; Lor-

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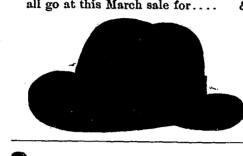
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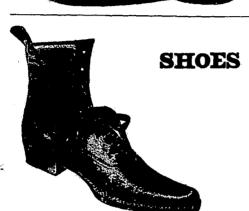
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Live Stock and Dairy For 1899 will be one of the strong features of the paper. Prof. S. C. Plumb. of Indiana, will give us a series of articles on "The Udder of the Cow," "Dairy Form in the Cow," "Feeding. Pigs for Profit," "Good Grades vs. Scrub Purebreds."

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Gentlemen: We the undersigned members of the committee appointed to consider propositions for lighting and heating the county buildings, beg leave to report that we have had the same under careful consideration and believe that the proposition made by the Benton Harbor and St. Joseph Electric Light Co., hereto attached is the best proposition for the county of Berrien and the best that has been submitted to this committee, recommend that this proposition be accepted and a contract with the Benton Harbor and St. Joseph Electric Light Co. to be made in accordance with said proposition and the promises of Mr. Bean along that line.

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give a reasonable bond for the faithful perform-

Mr. Austin submitted the following resolution and moved its adoption.

St. Joseph, Mich.,

Jan. 19, 1899.

To the Board of Supervisors of Berrien County. Be it Resolved, That this Board authorize the Prosecuting Attorney to commence proceedings against Joseph P. Beistle and his bondsmen to make an assessment against Hickory Creek and Hickory Creek extension drain to defray the expense all ready accued on said drain so that the County and all persons connected. may receive their money.

Motion prevailed.

the majority report.

Mr. Baker moved the adoption of the minor-Mr. Harder moved as a substitute to adopt

On motion of Mr. Gard the Board resolved itself into a Committee of the whole. Mr. Walker called for an aye and nay vote

on the motion to substitute which was taken. with the following result:

Ayes:-Messrs. Matrau, Rackliffe, Hipp, Seel, Bishop, Harper, Shearer Peck, Harder, Clark, King, Gard, Kingsley and Jones.

Nays:-Messrs. Tichenor, Hemmingway, Austin, Howe, Keith, Caldwell, Smith, Diemer, Schwenk, James Babcock, Beall, Stemm, Cromer, Walker, Minnes, Heckman, Baker and John Bab-

Mr. Harder moved as an amendment that the term of the contract be for one instead of three years and called for an aye and nay vote

which was taken with the following result: Ayes:-Messrs. Matrau, Rackliffe. Hipp, Seel, Bishop, Shearer, Peck, Harder, Clark, King, Gard, Kingsley and Jones.

Nays:-Messrs. Tichenor, Hemingway, Austin, Howe Harper, Keith. Caldwell, Smith, Diemer, Schwenk, James Babcock, Beall, Stemm, Cromer, Walker, Minnes Heckman, Baker and John Babcock.

Mr. Baker moved the previous question. Mr. Peck called for an aye and ay vote which was taken with the following result: Ayes:-Messrs. Tichenor, Matrau, Rackliffe,

Hipp, Hemmingway, Austin, Howe, Bishop, Harper, Caldwell, Smith, Diemer, Schwenk, James Babcock, Beall, Stemm, Clark, Cromer, Walker, Minnes, Heckman, Baker and John Bab-Nays:-Messrs. Seel, Keith, Shearer, Peck,

Harder, King, Gard, Kingsleyand Jones. An aye and nay vote was taken on its ad-

option with the following result.

Ayes:-Messrs. Tichenor, Austin, Howe, Keith, Caldwell, Smith, Diemer, Schwenk, James Babcock, Beall, Stemm, Cromer, Walker, Minnes, Heckman, Baker and John Babcock.

Nays:-Messrs.; Matrau, Rackliffe, Hipp, Hemmingway, Seel, Bishop, Harper, Shearer, Peck, Harder, Clark, King, Gard, Kingsley, and

On motion of Mr. Smith, Mr. Howe was excused from further attendance.

Mr. Stemm submitted the following report, which on his motion was adopted.

To the Board of Supervisors of the County of Berrien:

GENTLEMEN:-

Your Committee to whom was referred the official bond of County Surveyor respectfully report that they have had the same under careful consideration and find that the Bond is legally drawn and the sureties thereon sufficient and recommend that the bond be approved.

IRA R. STEMM, B. D. HARPER, F. E. MINNES, Committee.

Mr. Keith moved that the Chair appoint a Committee of five to act with the Prosecuting Attorney to enter into a contract with the St. Joseph and Benton Harbor Electric Light Co.

Mr. Gard moved as an amendment that the Chair appoint the same Committee of five who had the heating and lighting proposition under consideration together with the Chairman him self as a Committee to enter into the contract with the St. Joseph and Benton Harbor Electric Light Company.

Mr. Keith moved as an amendment to the amendment that Mr. Gard be added to the Committee.

The amendment to the amendment pre-

The amendment as amended prevailed and the original motion as amended prevailed.

The Chair appointed Messrs. Keith, Gard, Peck, Rackliffe, Stemm, Tichenor, and Valentine as a Committee to enter into a contract with the St. Joseph and Benton Harbor Electric Light

The Clerk read the appointment of James Babcock in the place of H. C. L. Forler resigned from 3rd ward of Niles.

Mr. Babcock submitted the following report on Per Diem and Mileage, which was adopted.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PER DIEM AND MILEAGE.

Your Committee on Per Diem and Mileage submit the following report as the Pav Roll of the Board of Supervisors of Berrien County, Michigan, for the adjourned January session,

			. 4 \$	
SUPERVISORS.	MILES.	AMOUNT.	DAYS. AMOUNT.	TOTAL.
S. M. Austin,	4	24	2 6 00	6 24 -
Wm. A. Baker,	22	1 32	2 6 00	7 32
John Babcock,	48	2 88	2 6 00	8 88
S. S. Beall,	52	3 12	2 6 00	9 12
J. L. Bishop,	32	1 92	$2 \qquad 6\ 00$	7 92
Josiah Caldwell,	12	72	2 6 00	672
Roy Clark,	25	1 50	7 21 00	2250
E. L. Cromer,	10	60 .	2 6 00	6 60
W. J. Deimer,	14	84	2 6 00	6 84
J. M. Babcock,	52	3 12	2 600	$9\ 12$
John Gard,	4	24	7 21 00	$21\ 24$
L. Hemmingway	, 4	24	2 6 00	6 24
O.B. Hipp,	4	24	2 6 00	6 24
Alonzo Howe,	64	3.84	7 21 00	24 84
J. E. Harder,	52	3 12	2 6 00	912
E. Š. Heckman,	70	4 20	2 6 00	10 20
B. D. Harper,	60	3 60	2 600	9 06
Robert Jones,	2	12	2 6 00	6 12
Wm. A. Keith,	40	240	26.00	8 40
C. M. King,	. 18	1 08	2 600	7 08
E. H. Kingsley.	2	12	1 3 00	3 12
F. E. Minnes,	2	12	2 6 00	6.12
E. N. Matrau,	24	1 44	2 6 00	7 44
J. A. Peck,	52	312	$2 \qquad 6 00$	9 12
H. A. Rackliffe,	8	48	2 600	6 48
J. E. Schwenk,	64	3 84	2 600	9 84
John Seel,	4	24	2 6 00	6 24
Andrew Shearer	, 44	2 64	2 6 00	8 64
C.M. Smith,	30	1 80	2 6 00	7 80
Ira R. Stemm,	28	1 68	2 = 1600	7 68
F. A. Tichenor,	64	. 384	2 6 00	
Thomas Walker,	2	12	2 6 00	
Dated, St. Joseph, January 19, 1899.				
TOWN BARGOOK				

JOHN BABCOCK, JOHN C. SCHWENK, Committee. J. A. PECK,

Mr. Harper moved that the reading of the minutes of to-day's session be omitted. On motion of Mr. Matrau the Board ad-

FREDERICK A. TICHENOR.

Chairman.

JOHN W. NEEDHAM, Clerk.

WHEREAS:-

COPY OF CONTRACT BETWEEN SPECIAL COMMITTEE RE-PRESENTING BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AND W. W. BEAN, REPRESENTING BENTON

> HARBOR AND ST. JOSEPH ELEC-. TRIC LIGHT COMPANY.

The special Committee of the Board of Supervisors to whom was referred the execution of a contract with the Benton Harbor Electric Light Company in accordance with the proposition adopted by the Board of Supervisors in session January 19th, 1899, having completed said

therefore. Resolved, That we, said special Committee,

contract, filed the same with the County Clerk

accept said contract in accordance with the instructions of the Board of Supervisors. That the Chairman of the Board of Supervisors and County Clerk execute the same.

(Signed)

F. A. TICHENOR, J. E. HARDER, W. A. Keith, STEMM, H. A. RACKLIFFE; JNO. F. GARD.

MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT.

Memorandum of agreement made and entered into this 24th day of January, A. D. 1899, by and between the Benton Harbor and St. Joseph Electric Light Company party of the first W. Worth part, by Bean, its President, having been authorized thereto by resolution adopted by the Board of Directors of first part Jan. 17, 1899; and Berrien County, Mich., party of the second part, by the Chairman of its Board of Supervisors and its County Clerk, in pursuance of a resolution adopted by the Board of Supervisors of said County, Jan. 19, A. D. 1899, in connection with certain verbal agreements and stipulations entered into between the parties and not included in said written proposition.

First party agrees to properly light and heat the Court House and Jail at St. Joseph Mich., for the term of three years from April 15, 1899 to April 15, 1902, except during the months of June, July, August and September in each year; said: lighting and heating to be equal to that heretofore furnished to said County by and through its own plant. The lighting to be electric and by the use of the same number of lamps and of equal capacity as the lamps now in use, or a like amount in Kilowatts to produce the same results. The voltage of the current at all terminals shall not be run higher or lower than the capacity of the lamps used, to receive and maintain their

proper candle power and usual life.

First party is to furnish all necessary labor coal, oil, waste, and supplies meaning fuses and renewal of lamps and to furnish transformer, primary fuse box and secondary wire from transformer to switch board in Jail cellar or tunnel and necessary switches at first party's switch board or at any other proper places, and also to furnish all steam pipes, covering and connections to connect in jail cellar or tunnel with the Court House and Jail pipes and wires. First party will also make all necessary excavations and restore the ground and sod and tun-nel and wall with all convenient speed to the same condition, as near as practicable, as before making such excavations.

Said lights are to be turned on as early in the afternoon as needed and to be kept on in Court House until 6:30 p.m. after that, said light to be furnished in any or all offices in Court House when needed by Court, Jury, Supervisors, Abstract Office or any Office of County Officers having offices in the Court

Said lights may be turned on at Jail, includin s residence when needed, at ear candle lighting, and be kept on when needed until 10 p. m. and from 5:30 a. m. to 7 a. m. when

First party to furnish steam at all times during the said eight months of sufficient pressure to maintain a temperature of at least seventy-two (72) degrees fahrenheit, in any and all rooms in the Court House, Sheriff's residence, and Jail, and second party is to keep windows and open-ings closed so far as consistent with proper ven

First party will also furnish said heat as above described when needed for any or all of said buildings from June first to October first in each of said three years without extra charge. First party will also light said Court House, Jail, and Sheriff's residence from June first to October first, in each year, during the hours and in the manner hereinbefore provided at Meter rates with discounts, a copy of said Meter rates and discounts to be hereto attached and made a part of this contract, but the prices of said lighting shall not exceed the sum of One Hundred and Fifty (\$150.00) dollars for the four months

In case first party shall not have complete-ed the connections and be ready to begin the performance of this contract on the 15th day of

performance of this contract on the 15th day of April, 1899, from its own plant, then said first party may take charge of the County plant and operate the same not later than May 15th 1899.

If said County has any coal, oil, waste or other supplies needed to operate said plant then said first party shall buy from said County such supplies at cost. In case the said First party shall not be prepared to comply with provisions of this contract in furnishing the heat and light contemplated in this agreement, from its own plant as early as May 15, 1899, then this contract may be terminated at the option of the Board of Supervisors. Board of Supervisors.

After beginning operations, in case of accident to machinery or break down by which first party shall not be able temporarily, to perform its contract, said first party, during such time, may use the County plant to furnish such light and heat, and in consideration of such use or permission to use said County plant said first or permission to use said Connty plant, said first party hereby agrees to return said plant at the expiration or termination of this contract, to the said party of the Second party in as good condition as when taken, ordinary wear and tear ex-

First party is to furnish light and heat provided for by the contract from its own heating

and lighting plant except as herein provided.

In consideration of the foregoing the said second party shall pay first party the sum of Eleven Hundred and Fifty (\$1150.00) dollars in each year meaning the same as One Hundred.
Forty-three and 75-100 dollars (\$143.75) per month
during the said eight months of each year for lighting and heating and also the sum of not to exceed One Hundred Fifty (150.00) Dollars. per year, for the time from June first to October first, in each year, for lighting as hereing before provided. All bills to be paid upon the order of Board of Supervisors of said County Bills for the same may be presented at any session of the Board of Supervisors of said County.

For the faithful performance of the above contract said party of the first part enters into and gives a Bond to the County of Berrien for the sum of Two Thousand (\$2,000.00) Dollars. WITNESSETH:—The hands of the parties

aforesaid, the day and year, first above written.
IN DUPLICATE: BENTON HARBOR & St. JOSEPH ELECTRIC LIGHT Co. By W. Worth Bean, President. FREDERICK A. TICHENOR, Chairman of the Board of Supervisors. JOHN W. NEEDHAM, County Clerk.

St. Joseph, Mich., Jan. 24, 1899. Electric current for lights 16 cents per 1000 Watts. All bills subject to the following discounts, if same are paid within five days from the date of bills. \$ 3 00 to \$ 5 00 per month discount 5 per cent.

5 00 to 10 00 "

10 00 to 15 00 " "

15 00 to 25 00 " "

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25 00 to 50 00 - " " " 33\frac{1}{3} " " 50 00 to 75 00 '' 40 '' 40 '' 75 00 and over " 50 " 50 " " BENTON HARBOR & ST. JOSEPH ELECTRIC LIGHT CO. By W. WORTH BEAN, President,

TORCH IS APPLIED.

lows-Several Insurgenta Killed

-Many Americans Wounded.

Manila, Teb. 23.—Wednesday night

was one of terror to thousands of the inhabitants of Manila, the rebels mak-

ing good their oft-repeated threats to

the extent of burning acres of build-

ings, wounding an officer and three men

by firing through windows during the

excitement. At eight o'clock, an in-

cendiary fire occurred in a block of

brick hulldings occupied by Chinese on the Calle La Coste, in the Santa Cruz

district. A stiff breeze was blowing,

and the inflammability of the structures

caused the blaze to spread with alarm-

Mesa was summoned and with a mod-

ern engine pumping adequate streams

from the canal, succeeded, after four

hours' work, in getting the blaze under control. Meantime the entire block and

the greater part of two others across

the street were; completely gutted

when the alarm was first given. Natives Interfere with Firemen.

nished by the blaze.

were killed....

Soldiers and Natives Fight.

windows and roofs of the buildings.

The firemen, escorted by soldier

proceeded to clean out the houses, while

the fire was unheeded. The Thirteenth

Minnesota were reenforced by detach

ments from the Third infantry, the

Second Oregon, the Third artillery, and

the Tenth Pennsylvania. Bullets flew

in every direction, in almost every

street in the Tondo and Binondo dis-

tricts, causing the most intense excite-

ment. Capt. Robinson, of company C,

Residents in a Panic.

Many timid persons, imagining that the rebels had effected an entrance

through the American lines and were

advancing into the city, hurried fran-

tically from the hotels and houses, only

to be stopped at the first corner by

guard. The sounding of a native bugle

under fire, hurrying with their bundles to the Chinese consulate. All nightlong

the fire spread through the Tondo dis-

trict, sweeping away rows of houses

and devastating acres of territory. The

damage was inestimable. With day-

light punitive measures were decided

upon, and the Americans, although fired after their sleepless night's work,

soon cleared the district of every na-

The Flag Over Negros. Manila, Feb. 23.—While the guns on

the city walls and those on board the

ships of Rear Admiral Dewey's fleet in

the bay fired a salute in honor of Wash

ington's birthday four commissioners from the island of Negros had an interview with Maj. Gen. Otis and in-

formed him that the American flag had

already been raised over that island and that its inhabitants were ready, anx-

ious and willing to accept any propo-

sition the Americans might offer. The

insurgents have been driven from the

island entirely, Although the Iloilo rebels have given the people of Negros

much trouble, especially in the matter of financial assistance demanded by the

rebel leaders, the inhabitants of Negros have persistently held aloof and now;

through the commissioners, announced

they wanted the advice and the help

of Gen. Otis. The latter assured them

that the Americans would provide an

acceptable government, and in the meantime he instructed them not to

pay the rebels anything. The Negros commissioners were delighted with

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FOUR SURVIVORS REACH BALTIMORE

Natives Interfere with Firemen and a Conflict with Our Soldiers Folsecond Mate Thinks the Big Vessel with 101 Souls Went Down-Mad Stampede of Horses During the Storm.

Baltimore, Md., Feb. 23.—The British steamship Vittoria, Capt. Wetherell, arrived Wednesday from Hull via Hampton Roads with four of the crew of the missing Hamburg-American liner Bulgaria. The rescued mariners are: . Second Mate O. Scharges, Quartermasier Carl Ludtke and John Schulz and Seaman William Starke. They were picked up by the Vittoria from an open boat from the Bulgaria 31/2 hours after they had been cast adrift in latitude 40 north, longitude 43 west, ing rapidity. The city fire department was hopelessly incompetent, and the English volunteer brigade from Santa on February 5. These, with the 25 women and children who were picked up by the tank steamer Weehawken landed in Ponta del Gada, Azore islands, a week ago, are all that have been heard from of the crew of 89 men and 41 passengers which the Bulgaria had aboard when she sailed from New York for Bremen January 28. Second Officer Schrages, of the Bulgaria, says that throughout all of the

excitement and danger the conduct of

the crew and pasengers was excellent.

Hundreds of inhibitants were ren-dered homeless. The Chinese and na-tives lined the adjacent streets, while The women were especially brave. He hundreds more, fearing a general conthinks there is little likelihood that the flagration, removed their furniture and Bulgaria weathered the storm that other portable goods in every direction, night, as she was sinking when he left within a radius of a quarter of a mile her. To make matters worse during the storm 100 horses that were stabled on the upper forward deck, stampeded, Gen. Hughes personally superintendand in their fright made a wild dash, d the police arrangements. The whole trampling each other to death. This city was thoroughly patrolled and guards were doubled. Every available state of affairs lasted until all but 20 had been killed or drowned in the wash man was dispatched to the region of the of the waves. Then the butcher of the fire. Impediments were placed in the way of the firemen and the hose was cut vessel, with a number of seamen, went into the pen and tried to quiet the ive different times. This resulted in beasts that remained. This failing, as all the natives being driven off the did also the attempt to force the frenstreets, those in the immediate vicinity zied animals overboard, their throats of the blaze being corralled in vacant were cut. Before the maddened anilots and guarded until the excitement mals were dispatched, however, the was over. In many instances the nabutcher had both his legs broken and tives were insolent and paid no regard one of the seamen was badly injured. to the orders given them and the sol-The Koordistan, the third vessel that diers were compelled to use harsh meas-ures. The butts of their rifles and their saw the distress of the Bulgaria, without being able to be of assistance be bayonet's were freely applied. The dancause of the tempestuous seas, arrived ger from live electric light wires necesin Bremen on the 19th instant, and resitated the closing the circuit in the ported that the Bulgaria had foundered. burning region; and the only light in Second Officer Schrages is reasonably certain parts of the city was that furpositive that none were rescued from the ill-fated vessel after he left her, and it is feared that 101 persons went down Shortly after midnight, another big with her. The Bulgaria had no accomfire was started in the Tondo district modations for first-class passengers where the natives are thickest, and and all the passengers on board were in when the firemen and soldiers attempt the steerage. They were mostly Gered to work a regular fusillade of rifle mans from different parts of the United and revolver shots were fired from the States. She was not a regular liner, and had been in the service of the Hamburg

FAVORABLE TO DREYFUS.

rocurator-General's Report Ask That His Conviction Be An-

American line about a year.

nulled Without a Retrial. Paris, Feb. 23.—The Soir announces that M. Manau, the procurateur-general, will submit his report in the Dreyus anair next week. The report wil ask the court of cassation, it is said, to were wounded. A number of natives annul the conviction without ordering a, retrial. If this be correct it shows that the evidence before the court not only proves Dreyfus innocent, but that the crime for which he was punished never existed, as the French allows the court of cassation to quash a sentence without retrial only when there is proof that the offense alleged was never erpetratèd. call, immediately preceding the firing lent color to the story. Thousands of Chinese crossed the bridges and plazas

Reception at the White House. Washington, Feb. 23.—The public reeption by the president and Mrs. Mc Kinley deferred from February 7 to Wednesday evening was one of the most successful functions the white house has ever known. As early as six o'clock the patient public had assembled at the outer gate. The reception lasted from 9 to 11, nearly 8,000 visitors being admitted. As a study of the American people the reception was most interesting, as this was the first public reception President McKinley has ever held. Many of the callers appeared in full evening dress to be followed immediately by colored waiter or some charwoman from the departments who longed for an inside view of a real evening

Kipling Very Sick. New York, Feb. 23.—It is stated on what seems good authority that Rudyard Kipling has been attacked by pneumonia and that his condition i critical. At midnight it was stated that he had been unconscious for several hours. Three nurses alternate at the sick man's bedside and a physician is in

Consecrated. Chicago, Feb. 23.—Seven bishops laid their hands upon the head of Rev. Theodore Nevin Morrison, who knelt before them in the Church of the Epiphany Wednesday, and when he arose he was bishop of the Protestant Episcopal dio-

Prepared for Trouble. Paris, Feb. 23.—Troops have been pouring into the city all day for the funeral of Felix Faure, which is to take place to-day, and it is estimated no fewer than 100,000 are already here. The police are ready for any emer-

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deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Susan Arney praying that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the said Susan Arney or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 6th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there he, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that the said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous 10 said day of

JACOB J. VAN RIPER, Judge of Probate Last publication March 2, 1899.

First publication, February 9, 1899. Estate of Edward A. Beckwith, deceased. CTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien,—ss
At a session of the Probate Court for said
County, held at the Probate office, in the city of
St. Joseph on the 6th day of February, in the year
one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine.
Present, JACOB J. VAN RIPER, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Edward A. Beckwith, deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Edward A. Beckwith, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Mary E. Beckwith, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, and purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to her, the said Mary E. Beckwith, the executix named in the will of said deceased, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 6th day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said deceased, and all other persons interested in said catate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden in the Probate Office, in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing (A true copy.)

JACOB J. VAN KIPER, [SEAL.]

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Last publication, February 23, 1899.

First publication February 16, 1898.

Estate of Sarah K. VanSant, Deceased. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien,—ss Probate Court for said County.
At a session of the Probate Court for said Connty, held at the Probate office, in the City of St. Joseph, on the 15th day of February in the year one thousaud eight hundred and ninety nine.
Present, JACOB J. VAN RIPER, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Sarah K. Van Sant. deceased. Sant, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified
of Kittle Kingery praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be
the last will and testament of said deceased, may and that the heirs at law of said deceased and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden in the Probate office, in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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TATE OF MICHIGAN, | ss.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, Ss.
County of Berrien, Ss.
Probate Court for said County,
Estate of Wilson Womer, deceased.
The undersigned having been appointed by the
Judge of Probate of said county. Commissioners
on Claims in the matter of said cetate, and six
months from the 24th day of January, A. D. 1899,
having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to
all persons holding claims against said estate in
which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment.
Notice is hereby given, that we will meet on
Monday, the 27th day of February, A. D. 1899, and
on Monday, the 27th day of February, A. D. 1899, at
10 o'clock A. M. of each day, at the office of
John C. Wenger in the village of Buchanan, in
said County, to receive and examine such claims.
Dated January 23th, A. D. 1899,
JOHN C. WENGER,
FRANK A. STRYKER,
Commissioners
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