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ENGLAND SEES SOMETHING SINISTER IN MOVE.

In London It Is Believed That Russia and France Have Some Designs on Great Britain's Territory.

London, Oct. 23.—It is reported this morning that six battleships and several cruisers of the French Mediterranean fleet have sailed for the Levant, where a French squadron has not been seen for two years.

Nothing would be easier than for the Russian Black Sea fleet to join it by passing through the Dardanelles. As an additional precaution to foil a dangerous strategic movement by France and Russia, Great Britain has warned its various British naval ports to be ready to send a strong squadron to sea.

It is now declared that Russia as well as France is suspected of intriguing, and this is given as the reason for the sudden dispatch of the Channel squadron to Gibraltar.

Russia, it is believed, is looking for an opportunity to make a steal on India. France is eager for an opportunity of any sort to get even for Fashoda.

COLUMBIA WINS THE CUP.

American Boat Makes It Three Straight and Wins All Easily.

New York, Oct. 21.—Columbia wins again, leading by two-thirds of a mile at the finish. It is the third race of the series. It has had an uninterrupted succession of victories, and that of today was not only decisive, but it was the most glorious victory in the history of the cup.

In fact all three victories, whether taken together or considered singly, are without parallel.

Dewey Cancels Two Trips.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—Admiral Dewey, on the advice of his physician, has canceled the dates for his visits to Philadelphia and to Atlanta, and will accept no more invitations of this sort before next spring.

Admiral Dewey's sudden resolution to avoid popular demonstrations in the future, which caused him today to suddenly cancel his engagements, is not due to a sudden breakdown of health. The Admiral is sick and tired of demonstrations.

"I want to be let alone," he said, wearily, to a friend yesterday. "This thing is becoming tiresome to me and I am afraid it will soon become more so to the public. I am not without appreciation for the kindness of my countrymen, but there has been too much show already."

Funston Is Going to War.

Oakland, Cal., Oct. 21.—Brigadier-General Funston will return to the Philippines. Today he received a telegram from Adjutant General Corbin, asking him if he would go back to the islands as soon as the Kansas regiment had been mustered out. Tomorrow General Funston will wire him his acceptance. Mrs. Funston, who is an Oakland girl, will not accompany him.

Washington, Oct. 21.—The selection of Gen. Funston was made on merit, after Secretary Root had submitted to the President a list of officers with their record of service. The President was evidently impressed with the official chronicle of General Funston's work in the Philippines, which follows closely the press reports of his gallant deeds during General MacArthur's first advance to the north, and his name was speedily selected from the list.

Perish in Montana Blizzard.

Great Falls, Mont., Oct. 23.—Nine men are known to have perished in Teton county during the blizzard. Five bodies have been recovered. The death list is likely to be still larger.

Helena, Mont., Oct. 23.—The northern part of the state is digging itself out of the snow. For four or five days last week snow came down almost unceasingly. At the town of Choteau, county seat of Teton county, it was ten to twelve feet deep in drifts, and at least three feet on the level.

Concession From Mexico.

San Antonio, Tex., Oct. 22.—A. Hart, a real estate man of this city, accompanied by W. F. Olsen of Chicago, arrived here today from the City of Mexico, where they secured from the Mexican government a concession of 1,000,000 acres of valuable land fronting on the Gulf of Mexico, in the State of Tamaulipas. The land is said to be rich in minerals and timber, which it is proposed to develop. A line of schooners will be established between the principal gulf ports.

Ended in His Death.

St. Ignace, Mich., Oct. 20.—Charles Hoy, a well known woodsman, who was injured by a runaway team at Clark & Stevenson's lumber camp last week, died from his injuries at his home.

Bonds Sold For a Bonus.

Portland, Mich., Oct. 22.—C. C. Mishler, of Lansing, representing Devitt, Tremble & Co., of Chicago, was awarded the \$20,000 4 per cent water works bonds at a premium of \$147.20.

Didn't Get His \$10,000.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 20.—The \$10,000 damage case of Matthew Heller against the Lansing Street Railway Company resulted in a verdict tonight of no cause of action.

REPLIES TO CRITICS.

Chamberlain Says He Was For Peace and Denies Other Charges.

London, Oct. 20.—With a battle impending in Natal and an army corps starting for South Africa, Mr. Chamberlain had his triumph in the House of Commons yesterday. As the greatest imperialist in England, he was greeted with a storm of cheers. When he began his speech he was followed with breathless interest for over two hours by a crowded house and galleries, and was greeted like a conqueror when he closed his defense of his own acts and the policies of the government.

He said that he had striven for peace, but war was inevitable. Now, "Great Britain must remain the paramount power in South Africa." He denied complicity in the Jameson raid, denouncing that and other charges as part of a "campaign of slander." A sharp debate was precipitated, lasting till midnight.

BIG COMPANIES CONSOLIDATE

Wagner Palace Car Company Turns Business Over to Pullman.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—Pullman's Palace Car company has absorbed its rival, the Wagner company which will go out of business. Pullman Palace Car company will give to the Wagner company, in exchange for its cars, plants, real estate, contracts with railroads, and other assets, \$20,000,000 of stock of the Pullman company. The Pullman dividends will be increased to 8 per cent. To provide stock for the carrying out of the deal the capital of the Pullman company will be increased from \$54,000,000 to \$74,000,000. Pullman stock sold yesterday as high as 207 1/2, and at the close it was 205 bid and 206 asked. Figuring on the bid price, the \$20,000,000 of stock which is to be given in exchange for the stock of the Wagner company has a valuation of \$41,000,000. Wagner stock is quoted now at 180 to 185, with little for sale.

GLUCOSE TRUST ILLEGAL.

Illinois Supreme Court Hands Down Decision to That Effect.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 20.—For the first time the legal questions in the organization of the modern trust have been decided. The Illinois Supreme Court forbids the transfer of the "American" plant at Peoria to the Glucose Sugar Refining company, of New Jersey, and declares the agreement with the latter corporation illegal. Directors in a corporation cannot dispose of the rights of the stockholders. Foreign corporations do business in Illinois as a matter of comity, not of right.

Killed by Two Highwaymen.

Athol, Kas., Oct. 22.—John Braun, aged 23, son of the postmaster at Doniphan, six miles north, was shot and instantly killed at 9 o'clock tonight by two masked highwaymen who were holding up Charles Kuchs, a general merchant. Braun ran to Kuchs' assistance. The robbers shot and instantly killed him and also shot Kuchs in the arm.

The two highwaymen killed Police Officer Robert N. Dickerson of this city, and wounded James Haays in a battle today. The robbers were located at 5 o'clock this afternoon in the woods south of Doniphan. They were fortified behind logs, and as the searching party advanced Police Officer Robert Dickerson was shot down by the robbers, and James Haays of Doniphan was shot in the left arm.

The bandits are armed with Winchester, and being well fortified, the posse was compelled to fall back to await reinforcements. It is reported that several others were wounded by the robbers.

Major Guy Howard Killed.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 22.—A special cable was received here today announcing the death in the Philippines on Saturday of Major Guy Howard, son of General O. O. Howard, killed in action.

Major Howard was well known in Omaha, being on his father's staff when the latter was stationed here. He was married in this city fifteen years ago to Miss Woolworth and the nuptials were a notable society function. Mrs. Howard resides here with her three children.

Increase in Price of Milk.

Chicago, Oct. 21.—The price of milk to the consumers of Chicago will be 7 cents a quart after Nov. 1. This was decided on last night by a committee of the Chicago Milk Dealers' association. The change was caused by an advance in price by the producers to the dealers from 35 cents to 40 cents a can. This price will prevail during November and December, and a further increase may come during the other winter months. The committee represents 1,500 small dealers.

Fortune in One Car of Ore.

Deadwood, S. D., Oct. 22.—Otto P. Th. Grantz, owner of the strike southwest of this city, has just returned home from Denver, where he went a week ago with a carload of ore to be treated. Mr. Grantz has announced that he received \$79,000 in cash for his ore, making it the richest carload of ore ever shipped from the Black Hills. As soon as Mr. Grantz arrived home he presented his wife with \$20,000 as a present and the rest he placed in government bonds.

GLENCOE AGAIN ATTACKED

BOERS ONCE MORE PUSHING WAR WHERE DEFEATED.

Attack Caused General Yule to Fall Back and Lack of News Creates Much Uneasiness at London.

London, Oct. 24.—Lack of news of General Yule's movements and Joubert's second assault on Glencoe causes uneasiness in London. Boers advancing north and west caused Yule to fall back from Dundee to Glencoe. He is outnumbered and cannot expect reinforcements, for White at Waschbank, between Dundee and Elandslaagte, needs aid himself. Yule's retirement may be to get a better position, but it is doubted.

Dr. Leyds says retiring in order and later reformation is part of Boer tactics and does not imply defeat.

Paris Temps says British were defeated in second Glencoe battle.

Cavalry which pursued Boers after first Glencoe fight are still missing.

Baden-Powell is reported to have captured General Cronje and killed 500 Boers.

Boers are marching toward Wilmath, in Zululand, and fighting is expected to-day, which may put Zulus on warpath.

Joubert says failure of reinforcements caused defeat in first Glencoe battle.

Kruger himself is said to be aiding Joubert and 9,000 Boers in attack on Glencoe.

London, Oct. 23.—A special dispatch from Cape Town, dated Sunday, says that advices received there from Pretoria report President Kruger as now being in favor of an unconditional surrender.

It is added that it is expected the executive council will meet on Monday to discuss the advisability of such a step.

The report, it is stated here, must be accepted with reserve.

Cape Town, Oct. 23.—It is rumored here this morning that Barkly, west, northwest of Kimberley, has surrendered to the Boers without firing a shot.

Cape volunteers, it is reported, will be sent to relieve Kimberley.

Glencoe Camp, Oct. 23.—The attack made by the Boer forces under Gen. Lucas Meyers on the British position Saturday enabling the British forces to score another signal success. The Boer column was driven pell mell over the plains, losing over 300 killed and wounded.

In addition, the British captured several hundred horses and made many prisoners, who are being well cared for. The Boer hospital has been taken under the wing of the British hospital corps, as the Boers had only a single doctor with a primitive staff, who was quite unable to cope with the wounded.

London, Oct. 22.—A late official dispatch from Ladysmith reports that a battle was fought this afternoon between a force under Sir George S. White and General French and a detachment of Boers supposed to be commanded by General Joubert, numbering about 1,000, a mile out of Elandslaagte.

The fight was of several hours' duration, and resulted in the British capture of the Boer position, of three guns, camp equipment, horses and wagons. The casualties are unknown, though it is understood the British have some wounded.

After the fight the Boers retreated, and the British cavalry is now in pursuit.

It seems that this battle was forced by Sir George S. White.

Complete official reports of the British loss at Glencoe Friday say that ten officers were killed and twenty-two wounded, thirty non-commissioned officers and men killed and 152 wounded.

Cape Town Oct. 20.—It is reported from De Aar Junction that the Boers attacked Mafeking and the British made a feigned retreat. The burghers followed them almost into the town and were drawn over Lyddite mines laid for defense. The mines were exploded, killing 1,500 Boers. Three hundred wounded Boers have arrived at Johannesburg.

Pretoria, Oct. 20.—The Boers destroyed bridges at Fourteen Streams and M. der River and the railway station at Riverton, but were repulsed in their attack on an armed train near Kimberley.

Vryburg has surrendered to the Boers.

London, Oct. 21.—Yesterday Boers under Joubert holding Dundee Hill, commanding the camp at Glencoe, attacked General Symon's troops stationed at Craigside. Former began an artillery fire at dawn and an artillery duel followed, which ended in silencing of Boer guns. The hill is as steep as Majuba, but the British advance, led by the King's Royal Rifles and Dublin Fusiliers, continued under heavy fire. At 1.30 p. m., after four hours of fighting, they won the heights and drove the Boers into the valley. Boers loss, 800 killed and wounded; British, 250 killed and wounded. General Symon is mortally wounded.

Robbery in a London Hotel.

London, Oct. 24.—Excitement has been caused by a burglary at the Hotel Savoy, where Mrs. Stockwell, of New York, widow of a wealthy jeweler, was robbed of jewelry valued at \$50,000 and bank notes and other currency to the amount of \$25,000.

DEWEY'S HOME SELECTED.

Fifty Thousand Dollars Is Paid, and Is to Seventeen-Room House.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Admiral Dewey's future home will be on Rhode Island avenue, one door east of Connecticut avenue. The committee having the matter in charge have decided to purchase the Fitch house. The price agreed upon was \$50,000. The house is located on a terrace, is three stories high and has an English basement. It is covered with ivy and on the west side is a large lawn.

The house has seventeen rooms, besides four bathrooms, and embodies all the points laid down by the Admiralty, especially in regard to the dining room, which is large enough to entertain at least thirty guests with comfort. Modern plumbing has been installed in the house, and from a sanitary point of view it is one of the best in the city. The dwelling is furnished, but as nearly all the paintings will be removed it will look rather bare. A few rugs will be needed as well as some articles of furniture, to make the home complete. The parlor, which is the front room, is finished in white and gold. Then comes the library, which is finished in dark oak, and next the dining room, with mahogany finishings. The two upper floors are arranged in sleeping apartments.

WOULD BETRAY AGUINALDO.

Rio Del Pilar Offers to Sell His Government and Leader.

Manila, Oct. 18.—Gen. Otis has received messages purporting to come from the insurgent general Pio del Pilar, offering to sell out his army and deliver Aguinaldo into the hands of the Americans.

Although he is not satisfied that this offer is authentic, it is not intrinsically improbable. The policy of Gen. Otis is firmly set against buying any surrenders.

Pio del Pilar offers for the sum of \$50,000 to refrain from attacking Manila with his army; for the sum of \$250,000 he offers to surrender his army after a sham battle, both sides firing into the air, and for the sum of \$500,000 he says he will procure the overthrow of the insurrection and the capture of Aguinaldo, Paterno and the other leaders.

Fatal Fight on Mexican Line.

Bisbee, Ariz., Oct. 23.—Just as a baseball excursion from this city was about to leave Naco, on the border, a fight started between Mexican guards and American cowboys and citizens, more than thirty shots being exchanged. One Mexican guard was killed and one wounded while one American was killed over a fist encounter on the Mexican side between an American and Mexican.

A courier who arrived at 8:40 last night, stated that another battle had taken place and that several persons were wounded.

Dewey Now on Special Duty.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—Secretary Long today issued an order assigning Admiral Dewey to special duty at the Navy department. This was done because since his arrival in Washington the Admiral has been on waiting orders only, but with the prospects of the reconvening of the Philippine commission it is proper to put him in active service with all of the emoluments pertaining thereto.

Divorce May Be the Outcome.

London, Oct. 22.—The divorce of Prince Herbert Bismarck is predicted by Vanity Fair, which says that he has resumed his bachelor mode of living since his father's death.

His wife, the Countess Margaret von Hoyos of Austria, daughter of Whitehead, the famous British torpedo inventor, is said to have decided to take proceedings to liberate herself. They have three children, the eldest a girl.

Girls Flee From State Home.

Des Moines, Ia., Oct. 22.—Twenty girls escaped from the State Industrial School for Girls at Mitchellville last night. They were pursued and captured, and those remaining in the school, about a hundred in number, became violent. They kicked the windows out and destroyed property generally. The police of Des Moines were notified and a posse went down to assist the authorities in preserving order.

Woman Arrested on Ship.

San Francisco, Cal., Oct. 22.—Detective Seymour of New York today arrested Marjorie Vinton, alias Cella Manning, on the Japan steamer, the alleged accomplice of Alva M. Kent, who was arrested in Yokohama nearly a month ago for a charge of making away with \$10,000 in Jamestown, N. Y., some months ago. Until two years ago Marjorie Vinton resided in Grand Rapids, Mich.

Strangled by His Own Collar.

Duluth, Minn., Oct. 22.—John Gustafson of Chicago last night, after drinking too freely, went to his room at a hotel, sat on the edge of the bed, and fell forward from that position. The collar of his shirt at the back of the neck caught on the knob of a lower hinge on a door and he strangled to death, with his face but a few inches from the floor.

Schley to Become a Mason.

Washington, D. C., Oct. 21.—Rear Admiral Schley is expected to take his first degree in Masonry tonight. He will join B. B. French Lodge.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

CHILD DESERTED BY ITS UNNATURAL MOTHER.

Young Woman Leaves a Two-Month-Old Baby Boy at Hotel—Left It Plenty of Food—Other Happenings.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 23.—A young woman of perhaps 20 years of age deserted a 2-months-old baby boy at Jacob Schoor's hotel on Quay street. The unnatural mother came to the hotel during the afternoon, and without registering took a seat in the parlor. Subsequently she left the place unnoticed, leaving the baby lying on the couch soundly slumbering. Provision for its immediate care had been thoughtfully made by the leaving of a nursing bottle and two bottles of milk. The police were notified of the find, and the waif turned over to the care of Police Matron Mrs. Carey. There is no clue of the identity of either mother or child.

Shot Girl and Himself.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 22.—Ira C. Hatch, a few years ago the most prominent retail grocer in this city, a prominent politician and member of the board of fire commissioners, is alleged to have shot and killed Miss Ruby Sherman, and then turned the weapon upon himself with fatal results. There were no witnesses to the tragedy, but the two were alone in the room and there is said to be no doubt as to the hand which held the gun.

Crusade Against Brawls.

Lapeer, Mich., Oct. 21.—Cleveland Hunt was tried before Justice Perkins for assault and battery on complaint of Wm. Cassidy and acquitted. Hunt countered by swearing out a warrant against Cassidy. The trial will come up October 24. Warrants are also out for Stewart Havers and Jerry Hunt. Marshal Rogers is making a crusade to stop brawls and above arrests are the result.

His Bond Declared Forfeited.

Marshall, Mich., Oct. 21.—The false pretense case of Clark & Tew, in which the Homer creamery is involved, was up for examination before Justice Merrill. Clark was present, but Tew is making a visit in Canada, having jumped his bail. His bonds, amounting to \$200, were declared forfeited by the prosecuting attorney, C. E. Graham, cashier of the First National bank, is his bondsman.

Company Will Resume.

Vicksburg, Mich., Oct. 21.—Fire in the building occupied by the Vicksburg Produce Company burned it to the ground, although every effort was made to save. The building was insured for \$300. Loss to produce company will reach into the thousands. Cause of fire unknown, but is supposed to have been a defective chimney. The produce company will immediately resume business.

Dowagic Man Missing.

Dowagic, Mich., Oct. 20.—A. A. Aldrich, an employe of the Beckwith estate of this city, has mysteriously disappeared from his family, consisting of a wife and two small children. He was last seen Sunday evening of this week. His wife states that he has complained of a severe pain in the head of late, and it is feared he is wandering away in a demented condition.

Taken Suddenly Insane.

St. Joseph, Mich., Oct. 23.—Charles Jones, a young farmer of Berrien township becoming suddenly insane, informed his wife that he had been authorized to kill his family. The case was so sudden and bitter that Jones was taken into custody by the sheriff who hastened the action of the court in order to get him in the asylum at Kalamazoo.

Smallpox at Different Points.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 20.—An outbreak of smallpox in Chesaning township, Saginaw county, was reported to the state board of health. There are eight cases of the disease in one family. One case is also reported from Marine City. There were twenty-six cases in Maple Grove township, Saginaw county, Saturday, October 14.

Clem Not Guilty.

Charlotte, Mich., Oct. 22.—Abram Clem, the wealthy old Sunfield farmer, was found not guilty of taking improper liberties with a child this morning. The jury was out less than an hour. There is a well developed rumor about that a heavy damage suit will be the result of today's verdict.

Boy Seriously Injured.

St. Louis, Mich., Oct. 20.—Frank Kelly, 8 years old, living in the second ward, was run over by a wagon and had his face badly crushed. He is not expected to live. The driver of the wagon has not been identified as none but small children saw the accident.

Had His Arm Amputated.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 23.—Martin Vanderperel, aged 17 years, a sealing clerk in the employ of the G. R. & I. railroad, had his arm crushed while coupling cars in the railroad yards. He was taken to a hospital where the arm was amputated.

Express Driver Heir to a Fortune.

Niles, Mich., Oct. 21.—Albert Zechlin, local driver for the American Express Company, has been notified that he is one of three heirs to a large estate left by his uncle who recently died in Germany. He will investigate at once.

Took Her Own Life.

Portland, Mich., Oct. 19.—Mrs. Geo. Gott took a large dose of arsenic with suicidal intent yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock. No one knew it until 4, and no medical aid was procured until 6. She positively refused to take medicine and died in great agony at noon to-day. Family trouble was the cause of her self-destruction. She claimed her husband and children, with the exception of her eldest son, had deserted her.

Smallpox in Benton Harbor.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Oct. 24.—What has been treated here for two weeks as Cuban itch was decided by health officers late last night to be a mild form of smallpox. Five residences and one residence block are quarantined, and bear the smallpox label. There are ten cases, and no physicians are in attendance, the majority being so mild that the health officer has trouble to keep the patients indoors. There is one pronounced case.

May Be Incorporated.

Monroe, Mich., Oct. 21.—The board of supervisors passed a resolution allowing Maybee to incorporate as a village. The incorporation was fiercely fought by that portion of the community who owned farming land within the proposed limits but the balance of power proved to be with the party who were urging the incorporation and henceforward Maybee station will be on the list of Michigan villages.

State Superintendents of Poor.

Cheboygan, Mich., Oct. 19.—The annual meeting of the state superintendents of the poor and board of corrections and charities was opened at the opera house this afternoon by Mr. Teeple, of Pinckney. At the evening session Dr. Polglase of the Lapeer home for feeble minded, gave a concise, interesting and instructive talk on "Imbeciles and Idiots and Their Proper Care."

Burglaries and an Accident.

Adrian, Mich., Oct. 18.—Within the last few nights there have been half a dozen burglaries in the city. Last Saturday Harvey Delano, of Jasper, was showing a friend how easy his shot-gun worked, and placing the muzzle in his foot, accidentally pulled the trigger. The illustration was so complete that a doctor received the contract of amputating Harvey's great toe.

May Not Recover.

Battle Creek, Mich., Oct. 19.—Andrew Brantmyer, a skilled laborer on the new cement bridge here, became chilled by working hip deep in icy water and took some whisky. Then he had occasion to go a few feet up the river and he plunged in to swim. He was taken out in convulsions and taken to the hospital, where he is in a critical condition.

Released on \$200 Bail.

Mason, Mich., Oct. 18.—The examination of Arthur T. Collins, a former Mason baker, who was arrested at Albion on a charge of obtaining goods of W. C. Walter, of this city, on false pretenses, was concluded in Justice Ferguson's court. The defendant was bound over to the Circuit Court and released on \$200 bail.

Crushed to Death.

Frankfort, Mich., Oct. 19.—John Chekuskee, a deckhand on the Ann Arbor car ferry No. 1, while uncoupling cars on the boat last night, was accidentally caught between the bumpers and was so badly smashed on the body and face that he died this morning.

Sanilac's New Officers.

Sanilac Center, Mich., Oct. 19.—The board of supervisors has elected Hugh Woodman, of Sanilac Center, county drain commissioner, to succeed H. S. Hayward, present incumbent. John Hands, of Peck, was elected member of the board of school examiners and A. B. Hall succeeds himself as member of the poor board.

Smallpox in Michigan.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 18.—Secretary Baker reports that there are now nineteen cases of smallpox in Michigan, distributed as follows: Twelve in Saginaw county, five at Battle Creek, one at Marine City and one at Benton Harbor. No new cases have been reported this week.

Accident to Bicyclist.

Camden, Mich., Oct. 18.—Ross Stanton, while riding a bicycle at the rate of fifteen miles an hour, collided with a vehicle here. The rider was picked up in an unconscious condition. His nose was broken and his face badly disfigured.

Accident at Durand.

Durand, Mich., Oct. 20.—Perrin Carpenter fell from a load of logs and broke his leg in two places, while the wheels of the truck injured his other limb considerably. The bones of his right leg are badly splintered, and he may be permanently crippled.

Loss About \$1,000.

Niles, Mich., Oct. 21.—A barn on Harry Gephart's place, two miles northeast, together with all its contents, was burned to the ground. Loss is estimated at about \$1,000, partially covered by insurance.

Charged With Shooting Quail.

St. Louis, Mich., Oct. 21.—Willard Snyder, of Elm Hall, was arrested by Game Warden F. W. Blair, of this city, on a charge of shooting quail out of season, and was bound over to the December term of court.

POULTRY YARD

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

SILVER WYANDOTTES

The Wyandottes apparently do not always come true in breeding and when eggs for hatching are procured too much must not be expected from them. As chicks they are not uniform in color, which is often disappointing to those who suppose that every chick should look alike. When matured it is seldom that any two of them will be exactly similar in appearance some having broad white centres to the feathers, while others will have narrow white centres down the feathers with a broad black edging; and many of the hens will strongly resemble the dark Brahmas. Very often they will throw light or dark chicks, and many imperfections show on the offspring that are not seen in the parents. They should have rose combs, clean, yellow legs, and compact bodies, and are good layers and fine market fowls. The time will come when they will breed as true as any other class but at present, if they are not uniform in color, the novice must not imagine that the breeder has wronged him, as it is not often that more than a half a dozen show birds can be found in a flock of 100.

MARKETING POULTRY DURING COLD WEATHER

Do not ship live poultry in mid-winter, as fowls suffer terribly on the journey, not only from cold but for food and water as well as from crowding in the coops. Kill and dress all poultry, dry pick and pack in barrels or boxes, assorting the carcasses so as to have them uniform. Live fowls lose weight on the journey to market and are frequently exposed on the sidewalk until sold. Dressed fowls will not quickly decompose in cold weather and will bring better prices. If you dress your fowls for market, the best color for your stock is white as the white plumaged breeds do not show the pin feathers on the carcasses as plainly as do these carcasses from dark birds. The color of a bird should not be considered at all, where quality is desired, but if close, compact, quick growing fowl, of white color can be produced, the advantage is that it will be preferred on account of being more attractive in market.

SMALL BROODS IN WINTER

The greatest difficulty with young chicks during the winter season is to protect them against cold. The hen can hover them easily and securely when they are very young, but as the chicks grow they cannot all find a place under their protector. The remedy is to allow hens to have but few chicks in a brood. A hen will raise more chicks when she has only six or eight in a brood than when she has a large number.

Charles G. Dawes, Comptroller of the Currency, discuss in the October Forum "The Present Outlook for Currency Reform." The writer holds, in his opening paragraph, that after several years of discussion by the public and by Congressional Committees, the currency question in the next session of Congress will be considered for the first time during this administration by a House and Senate both controlled by the Republican Party, which, in 1896, declared itself for sound governmental money and the gold standard. After carefully reviewing the currency situation, Comptroller Dawes concludes by giving the chief steps in currency reform for which the friends of sound money hope and expect from the next Congress.

The Review of Reviews for October contains the first complete account of the remarkable Hearst architectural competition for the University of California, which came to an end September 7 with the award of a first prize of \$10,000 to the eminent French architect, E. Benard, and of four other prizes amounting to an equal sum to American competitors. The article in the Review, which was written by Mr. H. S. Allen, of San Francisco, is illustrated with perspective views of the prize plans, a portrait of Mrs. Phebe Hearst, whose munificence made the competition possible, and portraits of the distinguished architects who served on the jury of award.

IF YOU HAVE A COLD

Do Not Dry It Up With Syrups.

If you have a cold do not dry up the mucous with syrups or brims, but use Pepto Quinine Tablets. They not only cure the cold but improve the general health. 25c per box.

MAKING OUR OWN LIGHT.

We May Soon Be Generating Our Own Electricity.

Now that a distinguished electrician has discovered that the human body emits rays of light which, when brought in contact with a sensitized photographic plate, produce the same effect as the flashlight, novelists and writers of farcical comedies should at once set to work to utilize the splendid material at their command. What thrilling situations could be evolved from this discovery! A mysterious murder has been committed, let it be supposed; a millionaire has been found stabbed in his sanctum; and everybody but the right person is suspected of the crime, until one day the amateur Sherlock Holmes of the story finds some old photographic plates in the dark room where the dead man's body was discovered, develops them by accident or design, as the case may be, and lo, there is a picture of the crime, and the portrait of the criminal photographed by his own light!

The possibilities that are opened up by this new discovery are limitless, so it seems, for if people emit rays of light, why cannot they utilize themselves for lighting purposes? Why, in short, should they not all be numbered among the illuminati? Possibly, however, the present style of costume is not adapted to the proper transference of light from the bodies of civilized peoples.

Society is always eager to take up new ideas, so maybe, now that the fact has been published that human beings glow, it will become a craze to be photographed by the rays emitted from each other. Edwin may flash forth the light that fixes the features of Angelina on the negative and fond parents may patiently stand to furnish forth the illuminating power that will take the baby in all manner of attitudes. Certainly the discovery seems to give opportunities for many to shine who would never have hoped to do so otherwise.

Bull Fight Across Border.

There was not a very large attendance at the bull fight given recently at the Bucareli ring, says the Mexico City Herald. Two of the novillos were of the San Diego de los Padres breed and the other four were of the Fresno farm. All of them were disastrous failures. The first of the San Diego bulls was very tame and the second (the fourth of the afternoon), though of better appearance than the foregoing, proved sluggish.

The Fresno bulls were the worst that have ever been seen in a Mexican bull ring. They were absolutely lacking in fighting qualities and an attempt was made to enliven the substitutes by means of the banderillas de fuego. The public was indignant, but the behavior of the crowd was orderly.

Paramio, the chief espada, acquitted himself very creditably, considering the class of animals with which he had to deal. He killed his first bull with three pinchazos and a honda, delivered in a masterly manner; his second he killed with a honda tendida and a very fine descabello at the first attempt; his third he killed with two pinchazos.

Sanluequeno is inexperienced. He does not know how to handle the red cloth, and his style in general is unsteady and precipitate. He is, however, brave and desirous of pleasing the public. With his first bull he had a narrow escape from being gored. In a paze that was rather incautious the bull charged down on him and threw him to the ground. As he lay there the bull made a second charge at him but blindly, so that the animal missed its mark. The cuadrilla came flying to the spot, but they would have been too late to save Sanluequeno if the bull had been cooler and more deliberate. He killed this bull (which was the second of the fight) with a media estocada, aguantando. His second bull he dispatched with a tendida and a honda, somewhat descogolada. His last bull he killed with a poor pinchazo and an estocada honda, delantera.

Inferior as was the exhibition, there are many people here who would rather see a second-rate bull fight than none at all.

Romance of Money.

Toward the end of the last century a man named William Gibson left Stockton, England, for India and there married a Miss Purdy. During his career in Calcutta he amassed a fortune of about \$39,000. Mr. Gibson and his wife died about 1807, within a short period of each other, leaving no will.

Some of the relatives living at Stockton visited Hull some years ago in the hopes of finding a Mrs. Giles, daughter of the deceased man Gibson's brother. They failed and nothing further occurred until recently investigations were resumed in Hull at the instance of a firm of London solicitors. It was ascertained that Gibson's niece left Hull thirty-five years ago and further inquiries elicited the fact that she had married a joiner named Giles, and that she is now a widow and an inmate of the Charter house. She has a son living at Hull.

Mrs. Giles, who is 76 years old, was handed the communication received from London and members of the family in Middlesborough and Stockton were informed of the developments in relation to the claiming of the fortune which is now in the custody of the comptroller-general in Calcutta. There are some eight families interested in addition to Mrs. Giles and her son. It is difficult to estimate the value of the fortune. Originally there was left to the next of kin \$39,000, but this has been augmented by interest and compound interest extending over a period of ninety-two years. Those interested in the matter estimate that the total amount available for distribution will be quite \$5,000,000.

A Drop of Comfort.

"It might have been worse," said the wheelman with the long string of century bars, looking ruefully at the course marked out for the annual road race, after the drenching rain had fallen. "It isn't as if a street sprinkler had gone over it, you know."

GENERAL LEE'S AUNT.

She Is a Most Remarkable Woman at Eighty-Four Years.

One of the most remarkable women of the day, physically and mentally, is Miss Emily V. Mason, the aunt of Gen. Fitzhugh Lee, says the New York Mail and Express. Miss Mason is now 84 years of age, but she is making vigorous preparation for a trip to Europe, which will be her forty-third voyage to the other side. During the civil war Miss Mason devoted herself to hospital work, and she would frequently soothe the boys in gray with the assurance that if they died she would take care of their children. As a consequence thirty orphans were expressed to her in Baltimore from the south after the war, two of whom, found among the ruins of Columbia, and scarcely more than babies, were ignorant of their own names.

With the assistance of generous friends and the proceeds of the sale of her collected poems (the first edition of which brought her \$1,000) she has succeeded in maintaining and educating these orphans, all of whom, with one exception, are still living and are self-supporting. Her first trip to Europe was made in 1868, when the contrast between gay, beautiful Paris and her own desolated, sorrow-stricken land was indeed striking. "The sympathy extended to me there," she says, "I can never forget; while upon my arrival in London I was told, 'Put Virginia on your card, Miss Mason. It will be a passport to every home here.'"

Miss Mason is a woman of distinguished presence—tall, erect and slender—and though the snows of eighty-four winters crown her the fire of youth still glows in her eyes. She dwells upon the bright and beautiful things in life; or, if she touches upon its dark side, it is only to "polish it up" that it may reflect the beneficent intent.

Dainty Dimity Lingerie.

The summer brings again into serious consideration the question of lingerie, and the majority have yet to learn of the immense relief to be found in the light, dainty chemises which have been revived. They are fashioned of pale-colored silks, of sheer muslins, or of dimity. One pretty model is of striped dimity, a material which cannot be surpassed for coolness. It is made after the Marguerite pattern, which means that the waist-line is indicated by a band of lace insertion under which is run a ribbon that is tied in front. The low, round neck is bordered by a double frill of lace, and a similar frill goes to form a tiny sleeve. Above the bottom, as in almost all the new chemises, there is a deep flounce of lace.

MRS. CHOATE.

The American embassy in London is at present domiciled at 1 Carlton House terrace, the house which Lady Curzon's father presented to her before she and her husband left for In-



dia, and certainly no pleasanter premises could have been secured in London. It is in the busy world, and yet just sufficiently apart to gain that quietude so essential to those whose social life is of necessity an active one.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Foiled.

"But, Ernst, dear, you'll buy me that silk dress, won't you?" "Tell me, first, on whose account you care so much for dress anyway!" "Why, how can you ask such a question? On your account, of course!" "Well, then, I'll buy a simple woolen dress—in such a dress you please me best!"—Heitere Welt.

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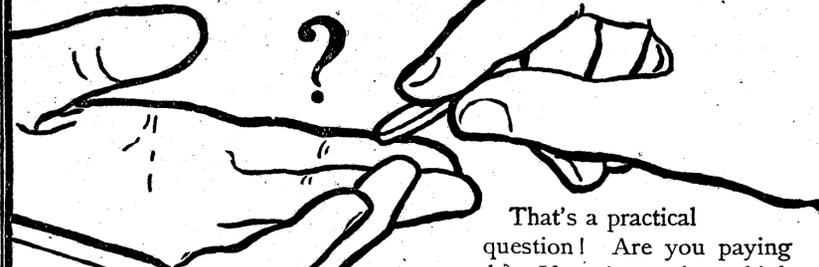
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Music.

Paper read at Sunday School Convention by Mrs. Fred B. Sewell.

For some people it is easier to lead the music in a Sunday school than to tell how to do it. At least it is true in the present instance. A few thoughts may be given however, with the hope that they may incite more in the open discussion.

Let us consider the subject under three heads: What, how and where.

In the first place what is the music for? Let us decide that, and then we may be able to judge what the music shall be. That music is an act of worship should never be lost sight of, though in some instances it is in these days.

However, it serves other purpose. Dryden, in his famous poem "Alexander's Feast," describes Timotheus the musician arousing the different passions in the conquerors by simply changing the character of his music.

In like manner the music in our Sunday Schools may be used for the same purpose. Who has not noticed the behavior of children at prayer time? But few people have thought how much the music preceding the prayer might affect the behavior during the same.

Music of a solemn character will produce solemn feeling; lively music, cheerful feeling. Lively music may be better sung and consequently be more enjoyable; but there are times when it should be used sparingly as just before prayer.

At other times, as at the opening and closing of the school, it is hardly possible to use too much. Again we teach through music. As Addison says:

Music can noble hints impart, Engender fury, kindle love; With unexpected eloquence can move, And manage all the man with secret art.

And the lessons sung in music will be remembered and sung again long after Bible lesson is forgotten. The song will be singing itself in the heart and life of the child. The old song, "Jesus loves me, this I know," has taught that blessed truth to more children than has many an international lesson.

Music, to reach the child's life, and enter its heart must be bright and rhythmic of tune, simple in words, and easily understood.

"Let a little sunshine in" and "Little Rays" are good examples of the kind of songs that sing themselves and teach a simple, easy lesson to the child mind. This is what has given the Gospel Hymns, especially in its earlier numbers, its great popularity.

We now come to the second division of the subject—How? How shall we sing to draw the mind from every day thought to the lesson of the hour? How shall we sing that the mind may be prepared for truth as a field is, by plow and harrow, prepared for good seed?

Hard questions, say you? Yes. Not to be answered in a few words, but pointing out lines for observation and thought for those who would conduct Sunday School music with the care and skill that it deserves; and hinting also that it will require quite as much or more study and preparation to rightly select and plan the singing of the school, as should be put upon the lesson.

The usual haphazard method (or lack of method) of choosing hymns on the spur of the moment, while a necessity at times may scarcely be depended upon for good results.

And lastly, when? If you have agreed with me so far, perhaps you are ready to agree with me in answering this last question by saying "a sing a good deal" more than is ordinarily done when we crowd the Sunday school into a single hour after church.

If the Sunday school is to be bright and cheerful, (two very necessary conditions for success), the music must do its full share to make it so.

And what other means have we to resort to for working off that childish restlessness that nervousness and squirminess that so often take possession of our scholars about the time when we should be getting down to the business of the lesson. Like young frisky colts the scholars need to be somewhat tired out that they may do good work.

If we sang more, we would sing better, for we would be more familiar with the songs and have more practice in singing them.

Perhaps like the apostle to the Gentile, I magnify mine office. Yet if in all points you have not agreed with me, perhaps you can agree with America's poet of the home.

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GROCERS AND DRY GOODS MEN.

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Grocery and dry goods men, as those engaged in other lines of trade, generally report good times to Commissioner Cox, who has been questioning them on the subject. One hundred grocers were canvassed, eighty-three of whom report larger sales than in 1898, seventeen report no material changes. A slightly larger per cent report sales better than in 1897. Sixty-nine say that outlook for business is good, twenty declare it is fair, and eleven are sure it is, poor. Most of the dealers report money easier, collections better and times generally improved. Causes given for poor trade are failure of the wheat crop and the overdoing of business.

Eighty out of a hundred dry goods dealers are optimistic. They report sales larger than in 1898 and eighty-seven per cent report business better than in 1897. Only three report that the outlook is poor, while seventy-five say it is good, and 22 just fair. The increase in sales in 1899 over 1897 is estimated at 22 1/2 per cent. Causes given for the poor outlook are department stores, poor crops and sales made from catalogues.

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In this scene, the soldiers, chorus and cast, accompanied by a complete military band, assemble in the extreme rear of the stage, and come to the footlights, the entrancing and melodious strains of Sousa's greatest marches. In addition to this stirring march, there is a similar movement in the first act, "With Clanking Sword and Glistening Gun," a notable effective sextette which is a clever travesty on the Italian opera. Then there is a lullaby, the "Snow Baby," in which Marie Celeste is said to have a most charming success; a splendid unaccompanied invocation, "The Bright of Love," and an absolutely new topical song which is introduced by the clever comedian, Neil McNeil.

Capt. A. T. Mahan, U. S. N. one of the American delegates to the recent Congress at The Hague, publishes an article in the North American Review for October on "The Peace Conference and the Moral Aspect of War." He hails with satisfaction the declaration in favor of arbitration which was the result of the conference, but urges that in the application of even such a beneficent principle as arbitration, a nation may go too far; since there may arise from time to time issues in the life of a nation in which it could not carry out the unfavorable judgment of an arbiter without violating the national conscience. Says he:

"Nations like men have a conscience. Like men, too, the light of conscience is in nations often clouded, or misguided, by passion or by interest. But what of that? Does a man discard his allegiance to conscience because he knows that, itself in harmony with right, its message to him is perplexed and obscured by his own infirmities? Not so. Fidelity to conscience implies not only obedience to its dictates; but earnest heartsearching, the use of every means, to ascertain its true command; yet withal, whatever the mistrust of the message the supremacy of the conscience is not impeached. When it is recognized that its final word is spoken, nothing remains but obedience. Even if mistaken, the moral wrong of acting against conviction works deeper injury to the man, and to his kind than can the merely material disasters that may follow upon obedience. Even the material evils of war are less than the moral evil of compliance with wrong.

An association has been formed for the purpose of purchasing the house in Philadelphia where Betsey Ross made the first American Flag and preserve the house as a memorial for her. For this purpose subscriptions are requested from everyone interested. The payment of 10 cents will entitle the sender to membership in the association and their names will be placed upon the Roll of Honor in the Flag Room. Subscriptions may be made at the Record office or sent direct to John Quincy Adams, Secretary, at Philadelphia, Pa.

Running a newspaper is just like running a hotel only it is different. When a man gets into a hotel and finds something on the table he don't like, he does not kick all the fat into the fire and tell the landlord to "stop his old hotel." He just pushes that dish aside and wades into some other brand of eatables. But it is different with some newspaper readers. They find an item that they do not like and without stopping to think that it may please a whole lot of other people, they make a grand stand play and stop their paper. The paper doesn't stop, but that particular gentleman's paper fails to reach him the next week and he is sure to sneak around and borrow his neighbor's copy "just to see if the paper is still published," you know. The press still grinds, however, and new subscriptions line up in place of the dyspeptic who stopped his source of information because a small part of it didn't suit him. Exchange.

As the October Century appears simultaneously with the reception to Admiral Dewey in New York, the timeliest of its contents is Rear Admiral Sampson's hearty tribute to the hero of Manila, whom he ranks with Nelson and Farragut. This is preceded by an article of cognate interest—Lieut. Edward W. Eberle's account of the Oregon's great voyage.

The frontpiece of the magazine is a portrait, drawn by John Alexander, of the Hon. John Morley, M. P., whose historical study of Cromwell is to begin next month. A study of Mr. Morley himself, by an anonymous M. P., accompanies the portrait. The number opens with a profusely illustrated paper on "Fascinating Cairo," by Fredric C. Penfield, late Diplomatic Agent, and author of "Present-Day Egypt." From the pages of his well-filled diary the Hon. John Biglow has extracted a series of passages relative to the German statesman Von Von Busen his friend and correspondent for many years, and to the group of celebrities to which Von Busen belonged.

Special literary interest attaches to the announcement of the winners of the Century prizes for the best poem, story and essay by recent graduates of American colleges. Last year women graduates of eastern colleges won all the prizes. The most interesting art feature of the number is Cole's engraving from Sir Thomas Law-



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First publication, Oct. 26th, 1899. Estate of John Andrews, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien.—At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the City of St. Joseph on the 24th day of October in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Present, JACOB J. VAN RIPPER, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John Andrews, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified of Fred H. Andrews, one of the devisees named in the will of said deceased, praying that partition may be made of the land belonging to said estate among the heirs of said deceased, as provided by law, and by the will of said deceased. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 20th day of November next, at 10 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 held 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.) C. M. VAN RIPPER, Probate Register.

Last publication, Nov. 16th, 1899. Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT HAVING BEEN MADE IN THE conditions of a certain mortgage made by Eliza E. Koons and Elizabeth Koons, his wife to George W. Dunbar dated the thirtieth day of September, A. D., 1897, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Berrien County, Michigan on the fourth day of September, 1897 in Liber seventy-five of mortgage on page 227, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at this date the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars and forty cents, together with an attorney fee of twenty-five dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law have been instituted to recover same. Therefore, notice is hereby given that the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on Saturday, the 27 day of January, 1900 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph in said County, and State of Michigan the following described real estate covered by said mortgage. Lot Number four in Block B, Andrew C. Day's addition to the Village of Buchanan according to the recorded plat thereof, Berrien County, State of Michigan. GEORGE W. DUNBAR, Mortgagee.

ALEX. EMERY, Atty. for Mortgagee. Dated, Oct. 23rd, 1899. Last publication, Jan. 18th, 1900.

Estate of Frances W. Howe, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien.—At a session of the Probate Court for said County held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph on the 13th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine. Present, JACOB J. VAN RIPPER, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Frances W. Howe, deceased.

Willard B. French, Administrator of said estate, comes into Court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such Administrator. Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 13th day of November next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of such account 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 held in the Probate Office, in the City of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed. And it is further ordered, that said Administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, 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.

(L.S.) C. M. VAN RIPPER, Probate Register. A true copy. Last publication Nov. 9, 1899.

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EVANGELICAL CHURCH, corner Oak and Second Sts., Rev. R. Neirgarth, Pastor. Residence 47 Main St. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 p. m. Mrs. Lucy A. Brocus, Supt. Young People's Alliance every Sunday at 8:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All seats are free. All cordially welcomed.

I. O. O. F.—Buchanan Lodge No. 75 holds its regular meeting at Odd Fellows Hall, on each Tuesday evening.

E. & A. M.—Buchanan Lodge No. 68 holds a regular meeting Monday evening on or before a full moon in each month.

A. O. U. W.—Buchanan Lodge No. 98 holds its regular meeting the 1st and 3d Friday evening of each month.

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BUCHANAN RECORD.

D. H. BOWER, EDITOR. PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY. TERMS \$1.00 PER YEAR PAYABLE IN ADVANCE. THURSDAY, OCT. 26, 1899.

President McKinley has issued a proclamation setting apart, Nov. 30, as Thanksgiving Day.

In talking to the editors at Owosso, Congressman Hamilton not only said the usual complimentary things, though in an original way, but found occasion to plainly indicate his opinions upon questions growing out of the Spanish war. It is evident that our congressman is an expansionist and not afraid to say so—in which respects he is certainly in harmony with all his Republican constituents as well as many others of less creditable political antecedents.—Allegan Gazette.

Cannot Blame Senator Burrows. When the Presidents special train failed to stop at Buchanan, it was charged by some parties that Senator Burrows used his influence to prevent the train stopping, claiming that he "had it in" for Buchanan. Such charges reached our ears and in justice to the Senator we wrote him relative to the matter and take great pleasure in publishing his reply, which disposes of such senseless and silly charges very conclusively. WASHINGTON, D. C. Oct. 23, 1899.

D. H. BOWER, BUCHANAN, MICH. My Dear Sir:—

I have before me your letter of the 20th inst., relative to the failure of the Presidential train to stop at your place on the 17th inst. I had a talk with Secretary Cortelyou while enroute to Buchanan, and after a talk with Congressman Hamilton, and made known to the Secretary the wishes of the Buchanan people. The impression I received from this interview was that the train was scheduled to stop at your place and would stop. I had no other idea and was as much surprised as Mr. Hamilton or anyone else that it did not. I am in no manner to blame that the stop was not made.

I have never had occasion to be aggrieved at any treatment I have received at Buchanan. The Buchanan people have always been kind to me, and their receptions have been cordial.

Very respectfully, J. C. BURROWS.

We wish in justice to the Michigan Central railroad employes at Buchanan, to state, that from all the information the Record has been able to secure as to the reasons for the failure of the President's train to stop as scheduled, we are satisfied no possible blame can be attached to Station Agent Peacock or any other employe for the misunderstanding which caused the failure to stop.

A SUCCESSFUL CONVENTION. Great Interest Manifested by Sunday School Workers.

The October convention of the Buchanan-Bertrand Township Sunday School Union was held, Saturday and Sunday at the Portage Prairie Evangelical church. There were four sessions, two on Saturday and two on Sunday. The Saturday afternoon session was devoted to a prayer and conference meeting. The Saturday evening session was well attended the devotional exercises being led by Mr. L. B. Rough. An able and interesting address was delivered on "Libraries" as part of the essential equipments of a Sunday School by Mr. A. A. Worthington, who was followed by a paper on "Music" by Mrs. Fred B. Sewell, which we are pleased to publish in another column. Rev. H. L. Potter delivered a fine address on "Books" which was listened to with close attention. On Sunday afternoon the church was well filled and an interesting meeting followed Rev. E. R. Black conducting the devotional part of the session. A detailed report on the "Home Department" was given by Mrs. Emma Estes. Little May Dempsey of Dayton rendered an instrumental selection. Dr. J. Greenamyer of Niles gave an interesting and instructive address on different features of Sunday School work, at the conclusion of which Mrs. D. H. Bower sang a pleasing solo, "Saviour, lead us." Miss Edith Irwin furnished an instructive talk on Kindergarten methods in Primary Work. A

duet by two of the Sunday School workers closed the session, Rev. E. R. Black pronouncing the benediction. The hospitality of the Portage Prairie residents was emphasized by the many invitations extended to the visiting workers. The evening session opened promptly with a well filled audience room, Mrs. Riley Scott conducting the devotional exercises. Reports were called for from the superintendents of the various schools present and a number responded. Mrs. D. H. Bower rendered as a solo, "Jesus, Savior Pilot Me" which gave much pleasure to the audience. Rev. H. L. Potter delivered an excellent and eloquent sermon with "Taking Christ into the home" as the central thought. After the sermon the question box was opened and questions discussed, after which the convention was brought to a close and the benediction pronounced.

PRESBYTERIAN. The Sabbath evening service held at the Presbyterian church in the interest of Buchanan and Bertrand Sunday School Union was well attended and much interest manifested. The Union Young People's service was led by Mrs. L. Brocus and Miss Kate L. Deering. Miss Deering had her subject "The teachings of Christ." Rev. E. R. Black greatly assisted as leader in song. Each society of the town was well represented in this union service. At 7 o'clock, Rev. Jas. Provan took charge of the service. After singing, the twenty-third Psalm was repeated in unison by the congregation followed by the Lord's prayer. The ladies quartet consisting of Mrs. Runner, Mrs. H. D. Rough, Mrs. Robert J. Blake and Miss Gardner rendered a very pleasing selection. Rev. E. R. Black of the Christian church read the scriptural lesson followed by prayer by Rev. J. R. Neirgarth of the Evangelical church. The "Home Department" was presented by Miss Beardsley. Mrs. Eli Egbert reported the work done in this department by the Methodist Sunday School. Mrs. Lucy Brocus reported the work in the Evangelical school, and Miss Beardsley for the United Brethren Sunday School. These three schools report a membership of 86. It is hoped before the January convention other schools will organize.

After another selection by the Ladies Quartet, Rev. Warren Brown of the Evangelical church on Portage Prairie was introduced. He took for his text "Lovest thou me?—John 21:16. The principal thought was, service as a test of love to God. He very earnestly impressed his hearers with the importance of service and sacrifices to be made by the earnest follower of Christ.

The collection was \$2.41. After singing, the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Brown.

Old People's Day at the Evangelical Church. In keeping with previous announcements last Sabbath was set apart to be observed as "Old People's Day." The day of Lord was sunny and bright as it were a day in June; earth and sky seemingly came to our assistance in making the complete arrangements of this special services for the aged by which we, young people, might express our respect and high esteem we entertain toward our superiors. The church was appropriately and impressively decorated with autumn leaves and planis. Bonquets were prepared consisting of a few fading maple leaves, a sprig of ever-green and a species of Salvia blossom, to which was attached a printed card containing the date and text from which the sermon was preached. As the aged gathered in large numbers one of these bonquets was handed them as a souvenir, by one of the members of the young people's society. We could not but feel that the object of our service had been accomplished when we saw the aged gather in, some with shortened step and trembling, some stooped and feeble, by the weight of years and still others who had been deprived the pleasure and blessing of regularly attending religious services were, through the kindness of the members and friends of the church brought to this service for their benefit. Children's day for the children; the young people's societies for the middle life; neither do we wish to forget our aged fathers and mothers who through toil and patient endurance have conferred upon us national, social and spiritual privileges and blessings which obligate us to paying our tributes of respect to the "Older People."

Long live and prosper the fathers and mothers of the present rising generation! It reminded us all of the fact expressed in the words: "One sweetly solemn thought Comes to me o'er and o'er, 'Tis near my home to-day, Than ever I've been before."

PERSONAL.

Mr. J. L. Richards was in Niles, Saturday.

Mr. Jay Godfrey drove to Niles, Monday.

Mr. J. S. East was a Niles visitor, on Monday.

Herb Hanover went to Jackson, Wednesday.

Mr. C. E. White of Dowagiac was in town today.

Mr. E. C. Gale, of Albion was in town, Monday.

Miss Robinson is enjoying a visit from her sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Marble were in Niles, yesterday.

Mr. F. D. Broderick of Elkhart was in town, Tuesday.

Postmaster G. W. Noble was in Niles, on Monday.

Supt. C. E. Wilde, of Kalamazoo, was in town, Monday.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Wenger was in Baroda last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee spent Sunday in Benton Harbor.

Mr. J. B. Thomas of Cassopolis, was in town this week.

Mr. Jay Godfrey was in St. Joseph Wednesday on business.

Mr. John Renbarger and family were in Galien, Sunday.

Mrs. Florence Bailey returned to Chicago Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. visited relatives in Elkhart Ind., last Sunday.

Mr. L. S. Aldridge of Niles was a Buchanan visitor, Sunday.

Miss Edith Logan went to Elkhart to-day for a visit with her.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Wenger was in Niles on business, Monday.

Mrs. Geo. H. Parkinson was in Galien on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lemon, of Baroda were in town Sunday.

Miss Maude Weisgerber is making her home with Mrs. S. A. Wood.

Deputy oil inspector A. D. Young, of Niles was in town this week.

Mr. F. D. Hillman, of Tecumseh, was a Buchanan visitor, Monday.

Misses May Dougan and Ada Williams of Niles were in town Sunday.

Mrs. H. O. Weaver visited friends in New Carlisle, Ind., last Thursday.

Mrs. M. J. Burrows has returned from her visit at Whiting, Indiana.

Misses Georgia Wilcox and Agnes Proven were Niles visitors, Monday.

Messrs Sig Desenberg and E. W. Sanders were in Galien, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Godfrey drove to Milton, Cass County, on Sunday last.

Mrs. Caldwell of Orangeville, Ill., was a guest of W. R. Rough last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Smith entertained relatives from New Carlisle Sunday.

Mr. G. P. Hakes has returned from a week spent at Kalamazoo and Dectatur.

Mrs. Alex. Halliday, of Stevensville, visited relatives in town this week.

Mrs. R. M. East and children of Niles, visited relatives in town on Tuesday.

Misses Grace and Ethel Godfrey visited their sister at Glendora over Sunday.

Mrs. H. D. Rough and Mrs. G. E. Smith were in Elkhart a few days of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Southerton of Battle Creek, Mich., are visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Ola Benjamin, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank S. Lamb returned to his home at Michigan City yesterday.

Miss Lillian Essick, of Berrien Springs, is visiting at Mr. Jay Godfrey's this week.

Mr. John Butler of Joliet, Ill. came Tuesday for a visit with his daughter Mrs. Anna Butler.

Mrs. C. A. Clark and daughter Winnie, of Galien, visited relatives in town last Friday.

New Fall and Winter Goods. Good goods and cheap Dress Goods of all kinds and colors, Dress Trimmings in all the latest novelties. Kid Gloves, Corsets, Underwear, the best you ever saw for the money. Table Linens, Blankets, A nice line of Tennis Flannel all grades, also the ready made Night Robes, for ladies from 50c up. Just come in and see my stock and be satisfied that I can save you money. S. P. HIGH.

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Mr. Frank Saunders, of Joliet, Ill., is at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Saunders on account of having rheumatism in his leg. Mr. B. D. Harper was at Bay City last week in attendance at the Grand Lodge of I. O. O. F. He returned home Friday evening. He was elected Grand Senior Warden. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Perrot are spending a few days in Chicago, and Elgin, Ill., this week. They will go to Elgin to attend the wedding of Miss Maude Hamlin, and visit in Chicago before returning. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crouse of Louisville, Ky., are spending the winter in town. Mr. and Mrs. Crouse are old Buchanan people and were married here some thirty odd years ago by Mr. Dan Wagner who formerly owned the Record. Miss Robison, who teaches these branches is a careful, conscientious instructor, and takes much pride and pleasure in her work and her classes are making good progress. Our citizens should take an early opportunity to call at the High School, and inspect the improvements that have been made in these departments which places our facilities above those usually found in high schools outside of the large cities. Intending students should bear these facts in mind when planning their work along these lines. Full particulars may be had by addressing Supt. L. G. Avery or Director C. B. Treat. EXCELLENT EQUIPMENT. The Laboratory at the High School Greatly Improved. The visitor who will call at the High School will not only be surprised but gratified by a visit to the chemical and physical laboratories and see the great improvements made there recently. The chemical laboratory has been fitted up with cupboards for keeping the various chemicals in proper and convenient shape for use. A galvanized hood is to be placed over the table which will carry away any fumes from the chemicals. Across the hall is the physical laboratory which is fitted up in very convenient shape. The most important addition has been the purchase of a Crowell Apparatus and cabinet. This apparatus is composed of 238 different articles from a piece of sand paper to an electric motor, and all enclosed in a fine compact hard wood cabinet. All the different parts are numbered and in the cabinet is a series of trays with compartments numbered to correspond with those on the articles. This cabinet of apparatus is especially designed for high school work, as any number of experiments may be made with this complete outfit. Tables to accommodate at least twelve students have been provided in the laboratories. Miss Robison, who teaches these branches is a careful, conscientious instructor, and takes much pride and pleasure in her work and her classes are making good progress. Our citizens should take an early opportunity to call at the High School, and inspect the improvements that have been made in these departments which places our facilities above those usually found in high schools outside of the large cities. Intending students should bear these facts in mind when planning their work along these lines. Full particulars may be had by addressing Supt. L. G. Avery or Director C. B. Treat. Pepto Quinine Tablets cure a cold.

SUPPLEMENT.

THURSDAY, OCT. 26, '99.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

COUNTY SEAT NEWS

CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of Orville W. Coolidge, assignee, vs. the St. Joseph railroad company has been continued till next term.

In the case of Blimke, vs. Penwell the jury rendered a verdict of \$65 in favor of the plaintiff.

In the case of Edinger, vs. Woodke, for trespass, the jury rendered a verdict of \$59.59 in favor of the plaintiff.

In the case of Carter vs. Bedortha, costs were ordered paid by the plaintiff, to be taxed.

In the case of Noe vs. Kennell, costs of suit were paid by defendant, to be taxed.

The arguments for alimony and custody of the children in the case of Scherer vs. Scherer were finished Monday, Attorney V. M. Gore, for the plaintiff. Mr. Scherer, made a brilliant plea.

The famous Benton Harbor library will case of the late Mrs. Melissa E. Terry is now on trial in the circuit court and a large number of Benton Harbor spectators are present.

The jury in the damage suit of John Brunke vs. Bannett Joseph rendered a verdict of guilty. Mr. Joseph was found guilty of false imprisonment with damage of \$125 and also guilty of malicious prosecution in sum of \$25. O'Hara & O'Hara are the plaintiff's attorneys.

Emelius Woolcott, of Watervliet, has commenced suit against the Firemen's Fund Insurance company, of

San Francisco, to obtain \$1,000 on a policy which was disallowed through some irregularity.

In the case of Lewis M. Elwell vs. A. John Enders and Wm. A. Baker, a judgement of \$139.26 was rendered in favor of the plaintiff.

LIST OF JURORS.

The following is the list of jurors for the November term of court:

Jacob Kneibus, Bainbridge Township.

A. J. Whetmore, Benton Township
John Felts, Benton Harbor 1st w.
W. E. Kitell, " " 2nd w.
F. E. Morrow, " " 3rd w.
M. M. Pulyer, " " 4th w.
Erastus Murphey, Berrien Township.

Chester Badger, Bertrand Township.

Chas. A. Bradley, Buchanaa.
Joseph Barnhart, Chickaming.
Geo. W. Lee, Galien Township.
Merritt-C. Stanley, Hagar Township.

Frank Arendt, Lake Township.
Oliver Staib, Lincoln Township.
Carl Schultz, New Buffalo Township.

Joseph P. Geyer, Niles Township.
Charles Schmidt, Niles City 1st w.
Fred Dunn, " " 2nd w.
Wm. McDonald, " " 3rd w.
Trueman Whiting, " " 4th w.
Frank B. Ford, Oronoko.

J. C. Runnels, Pipestone.
Edgar Weed, Royalton Township.
L. A. Lawrence, Sodus
Thomas Smith, St. Joseph Township.

A. H. Morton, St. Joseph, 1st w.
Elmer Jones, " 2nd w.
John F. Wilson, " 3rd w.
Charles Misner, " 4th w.
Goal Shudd, Three Oaks.
J. M. Worden, Watervliet.
C. W. Keen Weesaw.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

John B. Graves, et al to Daniel B. Ainger, receiver, Fon aine Milling property, \$12000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Carl F. Knotts, 29, Cora Fryman, 26, Berrien Springs.

Frederick W. Kamm, 25, Ella L. Schroder, 25, New Buffalo.

Albert Kline, 26, Three Rivers, Anna Fraschia, 26, New Troy.

Wm. J. McDonald, 30, Chicago, Maude Boughton, 23, St. Joseph.

Frank Mathieu, 25, Frances J. Mystrom, 32, Chicago.

Warren P. Morrill, 22, Benton township, Helen E. Wallace, 22, Canton, N. Y.

John W. Kinney, 29, Benton Harbor, Myrtle M. Shutz, 24, Oronoko.

Casper Wytzke, 25, Chicago, Julia Kozorowki, 18, Lincoln.

Roland A. Webber, 32, Maude Munro, 22, Chicago.

Albert Knapp, 23, Chicago, Florence C. Dunham, 19, Benton Harbor.

Perry A. Sharpe, 26, Beatrice, Neb., Maude S. Ward, 22, Eau Claire.

Charles A. Peckham, 48, Mary L. Scott, 38, Melrose Park, Ill.

Edward C. Goodell, 22, St. Joseph, Lena Gillette, 18, Benton Harbor.

Tomorrow night will be ladies' night at the Commercial Club. An interesting program has been prepared and all members and their ladies are requested to be present and enjoy the same.

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"Keeping Cows For Profit" is the well chosen title of the newest work on practical dairying to come under our notice. We understand that a large issue of this little publication is being gratuitously circulated with the compliments of The De Laval Separator Co., 74 Cortlandt St., New York, which concern offers to send a copy to every reader of the BUCHANAN RECORD upon request.

♦ ♦ ♦ A Pleasant Surprise.

A pleasant surprise was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Spaulding on Friday evening, Oct. 13th, it being the occasion of their second wedding anniversary. The house was filled with relatives and neighbors, all spending a pleasant evening in a general way with games and vocal and instrumental music. At about half-past nine o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room where a bountiful supper was waiting, the table being beautifully decorated with fine fruits and cakes of different kinds and beautiful cut flowers. At the usual hour of twelve they departed all expressing an enjoyable time and wishing Mr. and Mrs. Spaulding many happy returns.

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This week we have on display on our center counters a large lot of choice wool dress goods in mixtures, plaids and blades, from 38 to 42 inches wide, the regular price of which are from 50 to 60c. Choice for only..... **38**

Silks.

While silks have advanced in price everywhere, we were fortunate to foresee this fact and prepare for it by laying in a large stock at prices that can't be duplicated now at less than 20 per cent advance. We are therefore in a position to offer you some choice bargains in black or colored Silks and Satins.

Taffeta Silks from..... **50c** up
 Black Duchess from..... **75c** up

B. R. DESEMBERG & BRO.
 THE ONE PRICE LARGE DOUBLE STORE.

For Sale or Trade.

I have 80 acres of land lying two miles west of Buchanan which I wish to sell or exchange for Buchanan property or Western lands.

Anyone having anything of the kind can get a good trade by addressing: **E. H. CLARK,** Owen, Wisconsin.

Chrysanthemums.

We will have a Chrysanthemum Sale **Friday and Saturday, Nov. 3 and 4,** at the **RIVERSIDE GREENHOUSE.**

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, OCT. 26, 1899.

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

BUCHANAN MARKETS.

Butter—16¢.
 Eggs—12¢.
 Wheat—66¢.
 Oats—19¢.
 Corn—35¢.
 Rye—52¢.
 Flour, per bbl—\$3.60 to \$4.30.
 Live Hogs—\$4.00
 Hens—12¢.
 Live poultry—6@7c
 Hay—\$6@7 per ton.
 Lard, retail—8¢.
 Salt, retail—80c.
 Beans—80¢@1.00.

LOCAL NOTES

Mr. James Patterson is reported quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Ham, of Oak St., are on the sick list.

A new sidewalk is being built on Day's Avenue, on the east side of Hotel Lee.

Mr. Harry O. Perrot is building a barn in the rear of his residence property on Front Street.

Mr. Will House gave his lady friends a free ride in his new wagonette, Tuesday Evening.

Miss Elsie Kingery is quite ill, her place as teacher in the eighth grade being filled by Mrs. Nelie Fast.

Mr. J. W. Charlwood Jr. is building a brick oven at his home, and will soon engage in the Bakery business.

The Lady Maccabees will have one of their delightful dinners at the home of Mrs. Riley Scott next Tuesday.

Mr. Geo. Thatcher has a severe attack of blood poisoning in his right arm, caused by a slight cut in his hand.

Mr. H. A. Hathaway has purchased the Dakin house on N. Third St., which he has occupied for some months past.

A. Jones & Co. are advertising to give away free, twenty-five Cameras next Saturday. Read about it in their announcement.

The Self Culture Class will hold a special business meeting with a short program on Friday, Oct. 17, at the home of Mrs. Fannie White.

Mr. H. A. Hathaway has purchased the Stephens' barn on Moccasin Ave. and will move the same on his newly purchased property on North Third street.

A cement crosswalk is being put in on Front Street at the corner of Moccasin Avenue. The walk is being put about ten feet west of the old crosswalk, which will be a material improvement.

Mr. Geo. B. Richards has purchased one of the Swasey cottages and has moved it upon his lot on N. Third St. and the cottage will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roe, as soon as it can be completed.

A special despatch from the Benton Harbor Palladium states that the M. B. H. & C. Ry. will be extended to South Bend before January the first. News will be of great importance to Buchanan, if it proves true.

The Burton Holmes Lectures will be given at the Auditorium, South Bend, for five successive Wednesday evenings beginning Oct. 25. The topics are "Manila," "Japan Revisited," "Round About Paris," "Grand Canon" and "Moki Land."

Chas. ("Frock") Davis arrived in town last Friday on a visit home from Jackson. He spent the day here returning to Jackson in the evening "Frock says he has enjoyed reading the RECORD very much during his sojourn in Jackson.

Mr. Ray E. Lee has been in Benton Harbor this week in the interests of a new bank which is to be organized. The stock has been subscribed and Mr. Lee is seriously considering an offer made him to take the management of the bank.

Manager John Morris of the Bell Telephone exchange here, is distributing a very neat Calendar among the patrons of the company. The calendar is in the form of a bell with an easel support, and has a pocket in which are the cards for the different months.

Last Friday Mr. Zach. Cain met with a painful accident which will confine him to his home for some days. While coming home from work his horses ran away, throwing him out and breaking the bones of his right ankle. He is doing nicely under the care of Dr. Curtis.

School Supplies and School Books. A complete stock.

AT Runner's.

A FULL LINE OF TOILET SOAPS

AT BRODRICK'S DRUGGIST.

A CAMERA FREE.

We will give away next Saturday, absolutely free one of the famed:

VIVE SOUVENIR CAMERAS.

Be sure to call at our store and get one of these cameras:

A. JONES & CO.,
 Watches, Jewelry and Camera Supplies.
BUCHANAN, MICH.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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

Mortgage Sale. See legal.

Estate of John Andrews, deceased. See legal.

Read the Riverside Greenhouse adv. and local.

G. C. Genrich has a change of adv. this week. Read it.

Van's Bakery is advertising Candy this week. Read his adv.

Mrs. E. S. Roe has a new household sewing machine for sale.

J. C. Ellsworth has a change of adv. in this week's paper. Read it.

A. Jones & Co. have a change of adv. in this week's RECORD. Read it.

G. E. Smith & Co., have a new adv. this week that is very attractive.

Richards & Emerson are advertising some special things in their adv. Read it.

McHenry & C., of South Bend, have a change of adv. this week. Read about it.

B. R. Desenberg & Bro. have a "Money Saving Age" adv in their space this week.

CHURCH NOTES.

UNITED BRETHREN.

Services at the U. B. Church,—
 Preaching at 10:30 a. m. Sunday School at 11:45 a. m. Midweek prayer services on Thursday evening. All the members are urgently requested to attend these meetings. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

REV. C. A. SICKAFOOSE, pastor

To Beet Growers.

As the time approaches for harvesting beets we desire to offer such information as we have been able to obtain.

First, we wish to impress upon everyone that beets should in the ground just as long as possible. Our tests show that they are, gaining in weight and sugar, and as long as this very favorable weather keeps on they will continue to do so.

If the weather should turn cold enough so that there is danger of freezing beets in the ground, you should pull and put them in pits and throw dirt over them as instructed in our circular. Don't put anything but dirt next to the beets. They are then safe and you have them under complete control. No beets can be received before Nov. 1 and not then unless you receive orders from this company to deliver them.

We regret this delay, but it is unavoidable this year; it will not occur in the future.

Some of the large growers may have to begin harvesting earlier than the small ones; in this matter each must judge for himself.

In short, leave your beets in the ground as long as possible. Second, pull and put them in time to keep from freezing in the ground. Third, ship them only when ordered by this company.

THE WOLVERINE SUGAR CO.

Picnic Ham, Dried beef, Pickled pork, Mackerel and White fish at W. H. Keller's.

Fine line of hats at Mrs. Parkinson's.

Letters, unclaimed remaining in P. O. at Buchanan, Mich., for week ending, Oct. 24th, 1899. Mrs. Mattie Simson, H. F. Ruiger, postal, Thomas Taylor.

G. W. Noble, P. M.

Sweet crackers and a large line of cakes, pies and other pastry.
W. H. Keller, Buchanan.

Stylish hats at Mrs. Paakinson's.

25 cent Jardinieres for 15 cents.
W. H. Keller, Buchanan

Chrysanthemums at the Riverside Greenhouse.

See the Pattern Hats at Mrs. Parkinson's.

Pancake Flour, a fresh supply at **W. H. KELLER'S, Buchanan.**

BENTON HARBOR ABSTRACT CO.
 Abstracts of Title, Loans Negotiated Real Estate and Conveyancing

Latest styles at Mrs. Parkinson's.

Hand made ax handles at **W. H. Keller's, Buchanan.**

See the Pattern Hats at Mrs. Parkinson's.

To accommodate those who are partial to the use of atomizers in applying liquids into the nasal passages for catarrhal troubles, the proprietors prepare Cream Balm in liquid form, which will be known as Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Price including the spraying tube is 75c. Druggists or by mail. The liquid form embodies the medicinal properties of the solid preparation. Cream Balm is quickly absorbed by the membranes and does not dry up the secretions but changes them to natural and healthy character. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St. N. Y.

Watch for the Millinery Opening at Mrs. Parkinson's.

Our Japan Teas at 40c, 50c, and 60c have no superiors in this market.
W. H. Keller, Buchanan.

WHAT SHALL WE EAT?

THAT'S THE QUESTION.

Answer this daily question by consulting us by Phone or personally, and if we can't help you every time we certainly can help you nearly every time.

Good Coffee.

One of our features this week will be the Celebrated "Conrad" English Breakfast Coffee. No better Coffee on the market. Try it.

G. E. SMITH & Co., GROCERIES.

WM. D. HOUSE

Vill carry passengers to South Bend every Thursday. Leaving Buchanan at 7:30 and returning from street car depot at 4 p. m. Engage your seats. Fare 50 cents, round trip

Berrien Co. Abstract Office,
 Court House, St. Joseph, Mich.

Money to loan on improved farms at six to seven per cent according to amount and time.

Farms for sale \$20 per acre and upward. Abstracts of Title and titles examined. Telephone orders at our expense, if in a hurry, and abstracts will be sent by first mail, prompt service and lowest prices.

Berrien Exchange Bank, Berrien Springs. Mr. Wilkinson will beat the Bank every Thursday.

DIX & WILKINSON.

Nasal CATARRH

In all its stages there should be cleanliness.

Ely's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York.

See the Pattern Hats at Mrs. Parkinson's.

LOST. A Maux kitten. Return to Mrs. F. W. Dickinson.

Miss Helen G. Verplack has resigned her position as language at the High School and has returned to her home at Madison, Wis.

Mr. W. D. House has just purchased a new wagonette for his South Bend trips. He has also added a fine new two seat to his livery stock.

Miss Frances M. Pettit of Port Huron Mich., has accepted a position in the High School as language teacher and began her duties on Monday.

Last Friday was a red letter day for local sportsmen, as on that day the season opened for quail, pheasant and woodcock. A number of local hunters have had some fine days sport.

Mr. Frank F. Rough is now the owner of the ram lambs which were the winners of first prize at the Michigan State Fair, at Grand Rapid. They were purchased of Mr. Robert M. Cauffman.

Mr. Ben. Field is loading his goods and will remove to Birmingham, Ala. Buchanan loses a valued citizen in Mr. Field and one whose place will not be easily supplied as he was an excellent mechanic. The RECORD wishes him success in his new home.

Messrs. G. T. Adams and Frank C. Squires both of Ebsenburg, Pa., have purchased O. H. McKay's Laundry. They have rented the building formerly occupied by Boyer Bros. and will equip it with first class machinery and conduct an a No. 1 laundry.

A horse belonging to Moses Shook was found by the early risers on Sunday a. m. standing near the crossing at the depot with both hind legs cut off. He had dragged himself several rods from where he was struck, and had evidently been hurt several hours.

Tuesday evening the Lady Maccabees had an enjoyable social session. Sir Knights W. W. East, and Claude B. Roe, Ladies Amelia C. Bower, and Elizabeth Gardner rendered in costume the quartette "We'll have to Mortgage the farm," Lady Emma Knight acting as accompanist. This was followed by other music after which Lady Eliza Emery conducted an old fashioned "spelling bee." Apples were passed around and social conversation filled the balance of the evening.

YOU'LL BE PLEASED

It is a pleasure to make a present of a box of our **SELECTED CREAMS**

You have the satisfaction of giving the best, the pleasure of knowing they will be gladly received.

Our study of sweets has resulted in the production of our Perfect Cream. The best you ever tasted - 40c a pound.

VAN'S BAKERY AND RESTAURANT

You Have No Excuse to Offer

your guests a poor cup of coffee when you have now an opportunity of buying the famous **A. I. C. HIGH GRADE COFFEES**

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YOUR MONEY BACK if they are not the best Coffee Values you ever received.
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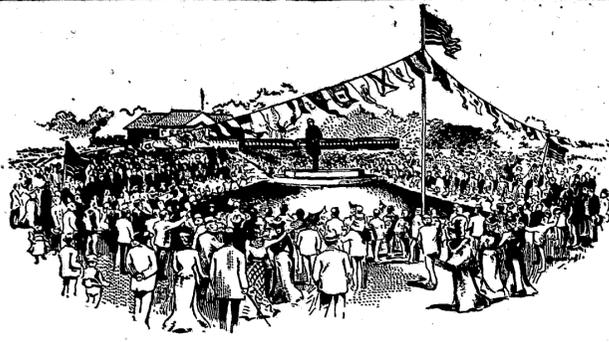
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PRESIDENT MCKINLEY AT THREE OAKS.

Courtesy of Three Oaks Press.

THE WAY WE MAKE BUTTER

THE METHODS AND PRODUCTS ARE VARIED.

An Ideal Place For Keeping the Milk and Cream and the Manner of Making the Very Best Butter.

The ways of making butter are many and varied, from that of the lady who 'knew just how to make butter'—she had seen it done several times; 'they just skimmed the milk, let the cream get sour and then churned it'—to the way followed in our fine dairies and creameries, where the apparatus seems almost complicated and fine enough to belong to a chemical laboratory.

BUY GOOD BULL FOR HERD

SEE THAT HE HAS INDIVIDUAL MERIT.

Get One to Harmonize With Your Cattle and Do Not Let a Few Dollars Interfere With Purchase.

In the next few months a great many farmers will be making purchases of bulls to head their herds. Once more we sing the old, old song, buy a good one, and do not haggle for \$10, \$15, \$25, or even \$50 when you have the opportunity of securing something that is likely to fill the bill.

SPRING CHICKENS.

How to Finish Them Up and Fatten For Best Eating.

There are thousands of spring chickens now on the farms that are leggy, bony and light in weight. They have lived and grown up on what they could find and catch in the orchards and fields, and thousands of them will be sold just as they are.

They are now ready for finishing up, and if it is done right it can be done in a very short time, and the birds will fill up and round out like good Poland-China pigs. The best food to do this finishing with is corn, sound old or well-ripened new, and right now is the time to do the work and get rid of them.

By virtue of a decree made and entered in the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien Sept. 21, 1898, in a cause then pending in said Court where Timothy A. Spaulding is complainant and Harry B. Adams, Charles W. Gilson, and A. Baker, General Guardian and John W. Needham, Guardian ad litem of Chester W. Gilson, are respondents, and the said decree is given that the premises described in said decree as all that part of University lot thirty-nine (39) in Section twenty-six, Town four south, range nine west, Range of land in the County of St. Joseph, Berrien County, Michigan, will be sold at public auction at front door of Court House in the City of St. Joseph, Michigan, and State on Saturday the Eighteenth day of November, 1898 at 10 o'clock a. m.

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WIGA Axle Grease. It's easy to haul a big load up a big hill if you grease the wagon wheels with WIGA Axle Grease. Get a box and learn why it's the best grease ever put on an axle. Sold everywhere. Made by STANDARD OIL CO.

GEO. WYMAN & CO. This is the Store that has Made South Bend so Famous as a Dry Goods Center.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL. "The Niagara Falls Route." TRAINS EAST. LEAVE BUCHANAN. Detroit Night Express, No. 8, 12:30 A. M. Mail, No. 8, 12:30 A. M. 9:40 A. M. Fast Eastern Express, No. 14, 5:30 P. M. Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 22, 7:22 P. M.

Damage to Sheep. Australian sheep-farming has two canine foes to contend with—the native dog, dingo, and the common vagrant cur, both of which do an enormous amount of damage. In New South Wales alone during 1897, according to the last government report, the loss in sheep-killed by dingoes was estimated at 172,571 head, valued at \$195,800, and by domestic dogs 78,901 sheep, valued at \$92,000. Under these circumstances one naturally looks for the dingo in the list of "noxious animals," on whose head, or rather, scalp, a price is set. During 1897 rewards were paid for 13,284 dingoes, the sum varying from \$1.25 to \$10 for a full-grown dog and from 50 cents to \$3.75 for puppies.

Vinegar From Watermelons. It is well known that the best vinegar is made from the cider of ripe apples, and that perhaps the best substitute is made from wine. In some families it often is made from all sorts of fruit scraps, preserves and other sugary matter upon the premises. In many sections where watermelons are largely grown there is frequently a great waste from undersized, misshapen and overripe specimens that cannot be sent to market, say nothing of those lost when the market is overstocked. In one of these regions a progressive man, knowing that vinegar is derived from alcohol, and alcohol from sugar by fermentation, determined to put his surplus melon crop to this use.

The First Furrows. The first furrows plowed in the field are of great importance. It is exceedingly difficult to do a good job with the plowing if the first furrows are run carelessly or incorrectly. When plowing an old field the old landmarks make it possible to run a fairly straight furrow without much care, provided the field has been correctly plowed in previous years. But it takes skill to run a straight furrow across a new field, with nothing to guide but objects on the further side.

Danger lurks in the gin rickey. A scientific mixer of summer drinks in a glittering uptown cafe this afternoon showed me that the nails of the thumb and index finger of his right hand were black, and that the nails were certain to come off in the course of time. He said this was the consequence of his squeezing the juice from limes for the manufacture of rickies and similar refreshments. The acid of the fruit eats sharply into the flesh, and disintegrates the tissues as surely if not as fast as vitriol. This bartender says that no one should drink more than two gin rickies in any one day, if he desires to keep his stomach in an ordinary state of preservation.—Pittsburg Dispatch.

Catch Them by the Head. Set your steel trap in a corn-sack. Roll-in the mouth of the sack until a space is left just large enough to contain the trap. The rat sees the ears of corn through the trap, and in reaching for them strikes the pedal with his nose. The trap is thus sprung so as to catch him just behind the ears, and his death is instantaneous. This is more humane than catching him by the leg and causing him to suffer all night. I have caught three successively in that way, and I believe it will prove successful in most cases. By the way, there is no surer way to rid the premises of rats than by using a sack partly filled with corn in the ear. You are sure of one about every night until they are exterminated.—Walter S. Smith.

Destroying Vermin. Do not try to poison rats until you first bait them. To do so place choice food where they can get it. After awhile they will cease to be suspicious and will anticipate the regular time for feeding. After they have found out that you are their best friend, go to a drug store and get some phosphorus paste. Give them a double mess of food with the phosphorus paste well mixed in, and the chances are that you will kill every one in the neighborhood. Lice, however, must be fought at all times, as they multiply rapidly, and delay is in their favor.

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Cloaks. We offer for October 500 Cloaks, made to sell at \$4, our price this month will be \$2. Also a \$5 line for \$3, and a \$10 line for \$5. We offer Jackets up to \$27, Rain Skirts at \$5 to \$7.50, Dress Skirts, \$1.50 to \$10. We offer in this department Electric Seal Collarettes at \$2, \$3 and \$5. You will not be able to match our goods at the price.

Millinery. Our Millinery department is turning out the best Trimmed Hats for the prices named you ever saw. We offer Trimmed Velvet and Felt Hats, worth \$3 to \$4, at \$2. Another line worth \$4 to \$6 at \$3. Other lines, equally as good values at \$4 and \$5. Ladies' and Misses' Street Hats at 25c and 50c. Misses' Tam O'Shanter's worth 75c at 50c.

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Domestics. We offer Standard Prints at 3c. 48 in. Peppercorn Unbleached Muslin, 6 1/2 cents per yard. Yard wide Muslin, 5c; a good one at 4c. 7 1/2 double width Sheet, 10c. 54 inch Bleached Table Damask, worth 35c for 20c. 11 inch Crash, 2c; 18 inch for 3c; a 10c quality for 5c. All linen Sows, huckabuck, 17x34 inch \$1 per doz. Also one lot 90x40 bleached damask, tied fringe, \$3 doz. 10-4 cotton Blankets, in gray, white or tan, 45c pr.

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WHEREAS the amount claimed to be due as interest on said mortgage at the date of this notice, the principal sum not being yet due, is the sum seven hundred and sixteen dollars (\$716.00) and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the same, or any part thereof. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, the undersigned, will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, on Tuesday the 9th day of January 1900 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of the Court House in the City of St. Joseph in said county (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held) the premises described in said mortgage to satisfy said indebtedness, the costs and expenses of sale, and the attorney fee provided for by law, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of land situated in the township of Bertrand, in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, and described as follows to-wit: Section seventeen (17), Town eight (8) south range seventeen (17) west. Dated October 12th 1899. A. A. WORTHINGTON, WILLIAM P. MILLER, Attorney for Mortgagee. Mortgagee.

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THE PARTIALLY MUSICAL.

There Are Multitudes of Them in All Large Cities.

There are multitudes of them in London. They go about uttering the passionate cry, "Give us a tune!" Their desire for a tune might well move a diminished seventh to tears or cause the stoutest-augmented fourth to quail and respect the triad, says the London World. It is no manner of use telling them that there are tunes in the operas of Wagner, that the "Meistersinger" streams with tunes, that "Tristan" is full of melody, that the woodbird music in "Siegfried," the spring-night music in "Die Walkure," is magically tuneful, that the overture to "Tannhauser" and the third act of "Lohengrin" contains airs to turn us into mandarins. They reply that they want tunes that are tunes. Never argue with them. It is useless and leads to discords and they prefer discords, though very often they could not tell you the difference between one and the other. These partially musical people, who swarm like bees in the busy streets of London, like something tripping. When a violinist suddenly plays pizzicato they suddenly think him an extraordinary violinist. When a player, by some trick, makes his instrument sound like something that is not—for instance, when a violinist produces a tone like a harp by playing a natural harmonic note pizzicato, or a bassoon player produces a sound like an alderman asleep after a city hall dinner by means that need not be described—they are enthusiastically delighted, and hastily acknowledge music to be the greatest of the arts. They dread a fugue more than pestilence, a piece of strict counterpoint more than famine. Talk not to them of subject and countersubject, of sequences and modulations, of exposition—which they connect with Paris and the next century—and of inversion. They cannot dissect music, nor do they desire to. They decline to use their intellect in connection with a gay art—as they consider it. What they want is to sit in a comfortable seat and hear tunes. Yet they are not the totally unmusical. They are the partially musical and they have every right to be considered. Also, they can be gently educated, if you don't let them know it, just as children can swallow pills if they don't know they are swallowing pills, but are totally unable to get them down if they do.

Queer Losses.

Early in 1897 a peculiar case was tried at Woolwich regarding an extraordinary piece of lost property. It appeared that a gentleman purchased for \$75 a boiler whose size can be estimated from the fact that it took six horses and twenty men to move it. While this operation was being carried out the boiler, by some remarkable freak, managed to lose itself, and where it went no man knew. Some years elapsed, and then, when a surveyor in the office of works was estimating the value of a fine crop of scrap iron that a piece of ground known as "No Man's Land" had yielded, he spied the boiler; but being ignorant of its history, ordered it to be sold by auction, at which sale it realized \$12. Then it was that the original owner recognized his long-lost property and sued the surveyor for the \$75 it cost him. Eventually the judge awarded him \$50, while the surveyor received \$1.25 for the trespass. It came out that the three-years' lost boiler had hid itself on a piece of land quite near its owner's residence.

An English railway car fifteen months ago was discovered to be missing, though no reason for this strange conduct could be suggested. Not only was the car lost, but naturally its contents, consisting of one ton of copper, were with it. Toward the end of August the car turned up smiling at a siding at Leicester, but how it got there passed the understanding of all railway men.

About the middle of July last an advertisement appeared in a British paper stating that a reward of 250 was offered by a great engineering firm to any one who produced a full-grown torpedo that had been lost about a mile and a half east of the Trow rocks. Up to the present time the curious article is still missing.

Dickens' Cash Book.
The accumulations of first editions, and more especially of autograph-presentation copies of the works of authors who will some day be famous, should be prosecuted with the utmost zeal; for that way riches lie. The sale one day this week of a few presentation copies and manuscripts of Dickens produced enough money to supply a nice little annuity; yet the original cost can have been next to nothing. Take, for example, the petty cash-book kept by Dickens, when he was in the office of Edward Blackmore, lawyer, of Lincoln's Inn Field. It was a poor, faded thing, crammed with uninteresting figures, but happening also to contain Dickens' earliest known signature. It was run up to a trifle of \$95. The moral is: Leave stocks and shares to others, and cultivating the company of the greatest authors, become possessed of their petty cash-books.

Dickens, in his young days, when he sat on a high stool in that lawyer's office, in Lincoln's Inn Field, must have built some wonderful castles in the air, and seen his future fame manifested in a thousand different and picturesque ways; but it may safely be affirmed that not even in his most fantastic moments did he ever picture a sale at Sotheby's where the petty cash-book on which he ought to have been working, instead of day-dreaming, would be sold to a hero-worshiper for \$95.—Pittsburg News.

She Didn't Object.

Her Ladyship—And why did you leave your last place, Mary?
Mary—Please, ma'am, because the master used to kiss me.
Her Ladyship—And you didn't like that, I suppose?
Mary—Well, ma'am, I didn't mind, but the missus objected.—Tid-Bits.

SISTERS REVIVE A LOST ART.

They Have Succeeded in Producing Gilded Leather as of Old.

Two American women have succeeded in reviving a beautiful lost art, which for generations no European workman or artist has been able to bring to life, says Harper's Bazar. This is the art of making gilded leather wall hangings.

The revival of this old art is due entirely to the perseverance of two sisters, the Misses Mary and Clara Ware, who are graduates of the courses in decoration of the school connected with the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. While continuing their studies in Venice they were much impressed by the beauty of the gilded leather in some of the old palaces and gradually they were led to investigate the methods that had produced it. They found that in the fourteenth and fifteenth centuries gilded leather was one of the chief industries of Spain, where it had been introduced at least 300 years before by the Moors. In the present century practically no leather of this kind has been produced and it has remained for these two young American women to show its possibilities in modern schemes of decoration.

When they first set about their investigations they could find no one in Europe able to give them any instruction or directions and there was hardly a book from which they could learn anything as to methods. Returning from Europe they brought with them a few old faded specimens of the gilded leather of "guadamaciles" and they hoped that in America they might find some books bearing on the subject. When this hope proved vain they spent much time and labor in experiments, until at last they felt sure that they had made the process their own. Now in their large workshop they are able to produce rich and beautiful specimens of this leather. The designs are their own, but the process is undoubtedly the old one.

How to Develop the Voice.

"I have often thought," pursued Hoskins, "of recommending Signor Santini to take his girls out on excursions on a locomotive and have 'em exercise their voice while the whistle was blowing. It's my belief that it would do more to develop their voices than all the exercises that he makes them sing at the piano. He makes a match between a girl and a piano, and requires the girl to come out ahead of the piano. Now, if he'd match his girls against a steam whistle and the rattling of a locomotive at high speed he'd find that they develop twice as much voice in the course of a month as they can develop according to his way of teaching."—"His Daughter," by W. L. Alden.

FRIZZES THAT STAY IN.

Here is an English device which may find favor with American girls who wear the invaluable sailor hat. One trouble with that favorite style of headgear is that the uncompromising



line between hat rim and forehead is so hard as to be often anything but becoming; at the same time, the natural fringe, if drawn down below the hat, has a distressing tendency to become limp and straight from the effects of heat or damp. The English answer to this difficulty is a light fringe of permanently waved hair, attached to a light hair-oven foundation. The fringe is easily and invisibly secured to the inside of the hat by means of fine safety pins, for which the woven hair foundation affords a perfectly untearable hold, while it is at the same time so open and elastic in texture that the pins at once pass through any part of it. Being thoroughly pliable, the fringe can be adapted with equal facility to any other shape of hat or toque, or can, if desired, be worn in the house as an addition to the natural coiffure.

Sick Headache.

This is often caused by eating too much and too rich food, and too little exercise. Substitute a simple, plain meal and a dessert of fruit for so much meat and so many rich dishes, followed by rich pastries and puddings, gravies and cake, and earn what you eat "by the sweat of the brow," and you will have less headaches and other disorders. Nature abhors lazy folks, and still more, laziness accompanied with gourmandizing. They whose work is sedentary do not require so much food as hod carriers, and they can not digest such rich food.—The Kitchen.

The Question in Paris.

In Paris there is a distinct tendency to revive the styles of the empire and directory periods; curves are disappearing, and to be in keeping with these times lines must be straight. Hips have therefore to be disposed of in some way or other; and, as far as dress is concerned, corsets are the burning question of the hour, for it is only over one special make that the best Parisian dressmakers will condescend to fit their immaculate gowns.

SEEING THE MUMMIES.

Curious Remarks Made by People While Inspecting Them.

The British museum is open on Sundays from 2:30 to 7, and it is not open in vain, says the London News. On Whitsunday the attendance was 1,785 and on the Sunday before 1,256. "About 1,300 on an average," said an attendant, adding, "the Sunday opening is as great a success as the evening opening on week days was a failure." He took that failure to heart and measured it in money. "On some evenings so few persons came that it would have been a saving to give them 5 shillings each to keep away."

The attendance (writes a correspondent) included many children. Most of them were well-dressed, with clean faces. But a few urchins from the slums had plucked up courage to enter. I came across two diminutive, dilapidated figures gazing up at the cast of the colossal head of Rameses II. "That 'ere come from a furrin country," said one of the boys. "Corse it did," replied the other; "we don't make our tombstones so bloomin' big." As usual, the gallery containing the mummies was very popular. "Great Scott!" a mechanic exclaimed, "so this cove was alive 1,500 years before Christ." "What?" one of his companions asked, and when the amazing statement was repeated, he quietly remarked: "Well, I don't believe it—that's all."

Audible comment was rare; for the most part of the people stood speechless in the presence of the dead. But two women were very outspoken. One said, "Well, it is, of course, a matter of taste but I shouldn't care for this;" and she pointed to the mortal remains of a priest of the Thebes Temple of Amen-Ra. Her friend did not quite understand. "I suppose not," she said, "besides there wouldn't be room for it in your parlor, unless you moved the sofa upstairs." "Have that thing in the house!" exclaimed the woman who had first spoken, "why I shouldn't sleep a wink all night. I meant that I shouldn't like to be done like that—to be made into a mummy, you know." "Of course you wouldn't—not while you're alive." "Nor when I'm dead, either." "Why not?" "Why, fancy being kept all that time and then, perhaps 1,000,000 years afterward a lot of people you didn't know'd be staring at you under a glass case. Oh! I call it horrid!" "Well," said the other woman, "I'm pretty sure nobody would take the trouble to mummy me," and they passed out of hearing.

How Europeans Travel.

The Germans are beginning to form one of the largest elements in the traveling world of Europe. Up till a short time ago even Switzerland was never much patronized by the children of the fatherland, but that has changed now and it is said that the Riviera would have been a complete failure last season if it had not been for the Germans, who spent much time there. And it was not time alone that the foreigners spent while in the beautiful district. They were free with their money and it is said that this advance guard of Germans who are beginning to scatter over the entire European continent, is lavish in the matter of money.

The English, who have grown into the habit of considering themselves the best and most untrusting travelers of the world, have come in for no end of criticism, especially from the Swiss, for their close watch on their pocket-books. One pension proprietor in the Taunus-Wald was heard to say that she wanted no English guests, for "they bargain." This has been declared all the more peculiar from the fact that the English hotels at home are famous for their high prices and a man who will consent to extravagant charges at home is a trifle unreasonable when he haggles over a night's lodging abroad.

As an evidence of the increase in the German travelers there were 2,890 people of that nationality at Lucerne from June 16 to 30 this year, to 2,293 for the same period last. In the same time 1,811 English were in Lucerne, as compared with 1,556 of last summer. The increase of all foreign visitors at the same place and time for the present year was over 1,200, showing that Switzerland is having its full share of tourists.

The wealthy Russians are said to be extremely profitable to hotel and shopkeepers in the lands in which they are traveling. A Swiss authority insists that 200 Russians will spend more in a month than 1,000 English men and women for the same period of time.

Successful Co-operative.

In the hills along the Ohio river is the only co-operative city which the experience of years has shown to be thoroughly successful. Founded forty-three years ago, and named Tell City, after the great William Tell, it now has a population of 3,000 and boasts of the fact that 93 per cent of the families within its limits own their own homes. Within the limits of the city are twenty-six co-operative factories, employing 504 workmen. These men meet once a year and fix their own wages by a popular vote. They also elect their own foremen and officers. In the history of the town there has never been a failure among the factories. Last year the earnings of the workmen and the surplus profits distributed among them amounted to \$663,000. Of the inhabitants 1,500 are Swiss, 1,200 are Germans, and the rest Americans. Tell City is said to be the best kept city in Indiana, and its people are, on the average, the best dressed.

Couldn't Touch Him.

"That's where you're off, my son," said Tuffold Knutt, answering the ribald remark of a boy on the sidewalk. "No, sir. The wind don't blow through my whiskers. It can't. I never comb 'em."

A Story of Gen. Henry.
Maj.-Gen. Guy V. Henry, who has been relieved as military governor of Porto Rico, has reached New York. He won't say why he was recalled any more than to attribute it to his health and the coming hot weather down there. This coincidence—his refusal to approve certain franchises allowed by the commission but subject to his fiat, and of his being ordered home immediately afterward—he will not explain. Gen. Henry and his wife, who has been with him, are greatly interested in the work of the Colonial Aid Society, and were active in the calling of a mass meeting this last week, in New York, to discuss ways and means for forwarding the work in Porto Rico.

Gen. Henry is a man of stern stuff and not one to retire under fire. Here is an incident from one of his Indian fights on the Big Horn and Yellowstone valleys:

"Just as they swept upon the Indians with uplifted sabers, a flying bullet struck Col. Henry in the face. The force of the wild rush carried him on, but he was seen to sway in the saddle. A trooper near him called out hoarsely, 'Are you struck, sir?' Clinging the pommel tightly with one hand Col. Henry tried to wave his sword. 'On, on!' he gasped. 'Charge—Down under the galloping hoofs of the combatants he lurched.

"He was found at last covered with blood, but life still remained in the bruised body. It was then that one of the other officers consoled with him, saying, 'Colonel, this is too bad. It is too bad!' And it was then that the gallant Henry, suffering untold agony and barely able to articulate, whispered simply: 'It's nothing, Jack. It's what we are here for.'"

Here is a Porto Rican opinion of him: "He is a small man, poof! Smell like my son," exclaimed one of the committee of Porto Ricans selected to pay its respects to the new commanding officer of the island, after the ceremony which gave him control, "but his one eye, Madre de Dios! It is like a Mauser bullet when it strikes you."—Boston Journal.

Had It All Down.

At a North side boarding-house one of the newly arrived boarders, named Burton, is an expert accountant. The first evening after his arrival he began boring the other boarders by talking "shop," and relating the great feats of mathematics that he had accomplished in his time. Smith, one of the star boarders, made up his mind to rid the parlor of shop talk—at least, for that night.

"I have a little piece of addition work that I think you would have a hard time in doing. If you can add it all without aid of a pencil and paper you are a good one."

"Name each item, and I will add," said Burton.

"Five barrels of cider at \$4.50 a barrel. Have you got that down?"

"Yes."

"Four bushels of bran at 90 cents a bushel. Have you got that down?"

"Yes."

"Fifteen kegs of horseshoe nails at \$2.35, and two strings of garlic at 50 cents a string. Have you got that down?"

"Yes; go on!"

"Six gallons of castor oil at \$4.25. Have you got that down?"

"Yes."

"Sure you've got it all down?"

"Sure, I have," said Burton.

"H—m! How does it all taste?"

The Cut Direct.

Biggs—"A man whom I've known for ten years cut me today."

Boggs—"Who was he?"

Biggs—"My barber."—San Francisco Examiner.

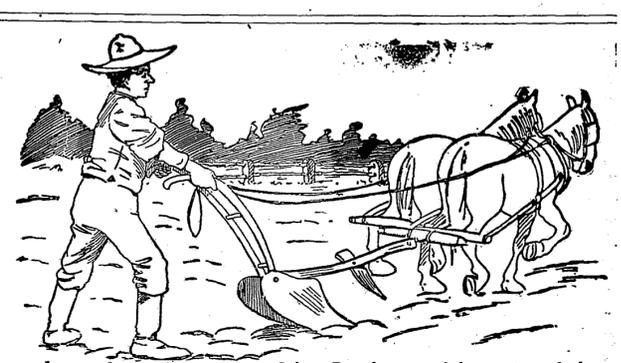
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BENTON HARBOR

Oct. 24th, 1899.
Most of the stores began early closing hours last night.

Peter Seel, of Fairplain, picked some ripe raspberries from his vines, the other day.

The beet sugar factory is nearly completed and the machinery will start in a few days.

Geo. Mills will soon build a fine brick block to cost from \$15,000 to \$20,000 on his lot, next to the News office on Pipestone St.

Rev. C. E. Maxwell, of Bay City, preached at the Baptist church last Sunday. The people were much pleased and may extend him a call.

Benton Harbor is quite sure of having another bank, which will be backed by the Beckwith estate of Dowagiac. Mr. A. Vuylystke and other capitalists of this city.

William Wallace, of New Troy, was peddling cabbages on Broadway last Wednesday, when he suddenly fell over in his seat and died in a few minutes of heart disease.

The health officer of St. Joseph is getting a deserved scoring for coming over here yesterday and investigating the small pox cases in the way he did. He went to the Mills block and interviewed the two cases quarantined there and satisfied at

least himself, that it was small pox, then without any disinfecting whatever, returned home via the street car. The conundrum now is, how many people did he expose?

This city has been having another small pox scare. The case reported two weeks ago as Cuban itch was so mild, it was not restricted rigorously and now there are ten more cases, all however, now strictly quarantined. Rumor has it that there are thirty cases, but it is not true. The doctors disagree as to what it is, some maintaining that it is genuine small pox; others calling it a new disease akin to it that has appeared in different parts of the country. It was brought here from a town in Kentucky, that was not quarantined, where there were 150 cases and not one fatal. Most of the patients are not sick enough to go to bed and though the face is covered with blotches, they heal in a few days and leaves no scars. The city is full of scare stories, but it is hoped the disease will not spread further. There is also quite a number of light scarlet fever cases.

DAYTON.

Mr. John Dalrymple went on Monday to Dowagiac where he has a position in the stove works.

The Ladies Aid Society met with Mrs. Peter Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Ferguson spent Sunday in Buchanan.

Mr. H. Kelly who has been buying apples in this vicinity for the past

few weeks returned to his home in Iowa, Friday.

Frank Brumley of South Bend spent Sunday with friends here.

There will be a social dance at Williams & Downing hall this Friday evening.

This town and vicinity were shocked Sunday morning upon hearing of the death of Harry Hall, oldest son of Frank Hall of this place. He started out to go hunting and only got to the edge of town when he took his gun in his hand and started to knock an apple from a tree. Some way the gun was discharged the load entering his chest and passing directly through the heart killed him instantly. Harry was 19 years old, he leaves father and mother, brothers and sisters to mourn his untimely end. The funeral was held Monday at their home and was largely attended.

SODUS.

Gail Handy has put a new roof on one of his barns.

John Buckman is building a new toolhouse, Frank Baughman is doing the work.

Joseph Omweg is pulling his beets this week.

The foundation to the new Grange hall is completed.

Rev. Hutchinson will preach at Chapel hill, Sunday morning, Oct. 29th.

John Garrett is at Battle Creek this week, visiting his son, Roscoe who is there attending school.

S. J. Rector is remodeling his house, Joseph Omweg is doing the work.

J. P. Michael, of Eau Claire camp, visited Sodus camp, Tuesday night.

The W. B. Aid Society met with Mrs. J. A. Walter, Wednesday of this week.

BRIDGEMAN.

The Ladies Aid Society meets this week with Mrs. Ackerman

Mrs. Chas. Smith is visiting friends in Wisconsin.

The Mystic Club Box Social at Camfield's last week was a grand success.

School in the Grammar room was dismissed three days while the room was treated to a new coat of plaster.

Albert Aultman is back again at his work.

Mr. Swan and daughter Lulu spent Saturday and Sunday in White Cloud.

Mr. Chas. Smith is in Kankakee this week on a business trip.

The Congregational people are preparing for a revival in the near future.

Keep your eye on the Church Fair in December.

NEW BUFFALO.

This unusual weather gives the farmers an excellent chance to care for their fall crops.

Wood dealers are very busy. Nearly every backyard now has its pile of wood.

Prof. Clark's "Jubilee Singers" spent a few days in town this week.

Mr. Quantrell has been laid up for the past week with a lame back. He is much better at present.

The genial countenance of deputy sheriff Minster of Galien might have been seen on our streets, Monday.

W. A. Palmer made a visit to our burg last week.

George Cook of Stevensville, teaching at Union Pier, passed through here Saturday on his way to Laport.

THREE OAKS.

Work on the park is still in progression, trees and shrubs are being planted, three oaks form the back-ground for the mound.

Mr. and Mrs. Parmalee who have been visiting Mr. Almon Wright's, returned to their home in Fulton, New York.

The Farmer's Club met last Thursday Oct. 19th at Mr. Wood Smith, it being the occasion of their annual fair.

Mrs. Landerman of Chicago who has been visiting friends in this place returned home last Friday.

The Kalamazoo Congregational Association met here last week.

SODUS.

Received too late for last week.

Mr. Buck and family are moving to Benton Harbor.

Sam Dunbar & Co, are putting in a new pair of hay scales.

Frank Haskin has moved to the Hll house.

Elder Hutchinson and wife are in Marcellus Mich., this week.

John Garrett says it is too late to

ADVANCE

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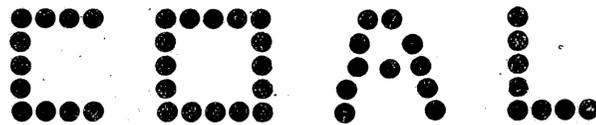
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Oren Upholds Dix.

Attorney General Oren last Friday morning mailed a large batch of written opinions. He sent the following to Governor Pingree anent the Soldiers' Home controversy:

"Your letter of the 18th requests me to investigate the ruling of Auditor General Dix relative to the appropriation for the Michigan Soldiers' Home at Grand Rapids, and report whether in my opinion the ruling of the auditor general is legally correct. I had been requested by the commandant of the Soldiers' Home and the auditor jointly to review the matter. The question was whether this appropriation was available for any other than the purchase of steam boilers. Upon this point the attorney general sustains Auditor General Dix. Lansing State Republican.

Mr. Sylvester Baxter tells a story of "The Great Noxember Storm of 1898" in the November Scribner's. One of the most destructive storms ever known on the New England coast, it was the occasion for many stirring incidents associated with irresistible power of the wind and sea. Mr. Baxter gives a vivid impression of the development and climax of the storm, with many details, and of the gradual realization in the public mind of the great loss of life and property involved. The illustrations by H. W. Ditzler are from sketches made on the coast during the week following the storm and convey a spirited and realistic idea of many of the scenes along the shore and at sea.

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kusk corn. The reason he talks so is because he has his in the crib.

Wm. Cook has made considerable improvements around his home this fall by a new well, drain and walk.

Shell & McGowan are buying quite a good many cider apples.

SCHOOL NOTES.

SEVENTH GRADE.

Walter Clevenger is again able to be in school.

Mary Keller was absent two days last week on account of her grand mother's death.

Geometrical problems are now being considered in the drawing class.

The subject of absorption in Physiology has been requiring earnest study for the past week

FIFTH GRADE.

In a written Physiology test last week those who stood 100 were Nate Brown Bessie Davis, Cecil Raymond, Cora White, and Fred Roe.

We are sorry to lose Pliny Field She leaves Buchanan this week with her parents for Alabama.

Myrtle Koons is our star speller, having missed but one word in five weeks.

Fanny Smith and Lucile Brockett gave us the most information Monday in their compositions. "The Migration of Birds."

Quite a few pupils of the fifth grade are the proud possessors of new encyclopaedia.

THIRD GRADE.

Jesse Eisenhart is in school again after an absence on account of sickness.

Gertrude Simmons was a visitor Tuesday.

Observation and science for October are, Death of flowers; Falling of seeds; Ripening fruits; Coming of frost; Falling nuts and leaves; Hardening of wood; Thickening of hair on animals; Migration of birds; Change in length of days and nights

SECOND GRADE.

These beautiful days bring out all the pupils. Wednesday was spent very pleasantly and profitably by the teacher in observing work in the second grade of South Bend schools.

Miss Irwin and Miss Anderson, first and second grade teachers of Cassopolis, visited us Friday morning.

Mr. Woodworth gave us a pleasant call Monday. Our parents seem interested in us.

This week we will lose two of our nice pupils, Irma Deissner, who goes to Virginia, and Bennie Field, who will go to Birmingham, Ala.