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## FIGHTING NEAR LADYSMITH

### NOTHING DEFINITE HEARD FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

#### Free State Boers Capture Camp of Cape Police and Take a Bridge—No News From the Town of Colenso.

Eastcourt, Natal, Nov. 7.—It is reported that the Boers lost 800 in killed and wounded and captured in Thursday's battle on Tatham's farm, near Ladysmith.

Paris, Nov. 7.—The Berlin correspondent of the Figaro says Emperor William is resolved to occupy Tiger Bay, south of Angola, on the west coast of South Africa, if England occupies Delagoa Bay.

London, Nov. 6.—The War office issued the following at 11:40 p. m. yesterday:

"Buller to the Secretary of State for War: Cape Town, Nov. 5, 8:40 p. m.—The commandant at Durban sends the following, received from Ladysmith by pigeon post, dated Nov. 3:

"Yesterday General French went out with cavalry and field artillery and effectively shelled the Boer laager, without loss on our side.

"Lieutenant Egerton of the Powerful is dead. General Joubert sent in Major C. S. Kincaid of the Royal Irish Fusiliers and nine wounded prisoners. Eight Boers were sent in exchange, no others being fit to travel.

"Colonel Brocklehurst, with cavalry, field artillery, the Imperial Light Horse, and the Natal mounted volunteers, was engaged to-day with the enemy to the southwest of Ladysmith. The fighting lasted several hours. Our loss was small.

"The bombardment of Ladysmith continued yesterday and to-day, many Boer shells being pitched into the town.

"Our troops are in good health and spirits, and the wounded are doing well."

At 6 o'clock last evening the colonial office announced that no further information had been received regarding the retirement of the British forces from Colenso and that the reported rising of the Basutos had not been confirmed.

New York, Nov. 6.—A dispatch to the Herald from London says: "The Telegraph's Cape Town correspondent, under date of Nov. 1, cables: 'The correspondent of the Cape Times telegraphs that a large commando of Free State Boers attacked Norval's Pont bridge at 5 o'clock this morning. They then surrounded the camp of the Cape police, who, being greatly outnumbered by the enemy, were obliged to yield to the demand for surrender. The telegraph station at the bridge is in the hands of the enemy.'"

London, Nov. 2.—The war office has received a telegram, dispatched from Ladysmith at 9:25 this morning, saying that Gen. White was well and holding his position.

Except this not a word of later date than Tuesday evening has been given out by the war office on the situation at Ladysmith.

When the last report from Ladysmith left the battle was still on, the Boers and the British fighting an artillery duel. All day Tuesday the combat continued, the forces under Joubert having resumed the attack Monday evening. Reports that the Boer batteries had been silenced were contradicted by the statement that shells were being hurled into the city by the enemy's guns.

Gen. White's statement that there is no cause for alarm is not reassuring, as previous reports as encouraging were followed by reverses.

Cape Town, Oct. 31.—(Delayed.)—Guns of the British naval brigade have knocked the Boer forty-pounder clean off its platform and have silenced the Boer guns on Hepworth hill. The Boers abandoned their positions.

Berlin, Nov. 1.—The Tageblatt says Count Bothmer, president of the German peace societies, has telegraphed to Queen Victoria, praying her to accept the mediation of the United States in the war with the Transvaal.

France Making Ready.

Paris, Nov. 3.—There was excitement in Paris over the news of the arrival of the British fleet off Gibraltar, and in certain political circles of France it is believed England would be glad to attack France if a fair chance was offered, using as a pretext for war the Madagascar question, which has for a long time been a thorn in England's side. Added color is given to this idea by the departure to-day of extensive stores of ammunition, food, and provisions dispatched to French ports. From Marseilles the Chinese, Pilibouti, and Madagascar ports are to be heavily supplied.

Yacht Trip Ends in Death.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—A tragic end to a happy yachting tour was brought to the owner and crew of the schooner yacht Chiquita of Charlevoix, Mich., by the wreck of the little craft in yesterday's gale, three miles east of Miller's station, Indiana. The yacht was blown into the mercurial breakers in the light of the lake and all on board were lost. The dead are: D. S. Way, captain and owner, 50 years old; Charlevoix, Mich.; Mrs. D. S. Way, captain's wife; Frazine Rollin, son of a photographer in Charlevoix.

Wants \$50,000 Damages.

Menominee, Mich., Nov. 2.—Jas. Hanahan, a Chicago & Northwestern fireman who was injured in a wreck last spring in this city, has entered suit against the company for \$50,000 damages.

## INSIST ON THE OPEN DOOR.

### United States Wants Equal Rights With Other Powers, in China.

London, Nov. 4.—A special dispatch from Washington asserts that the American State department recently asked France, Germany and Russia to give written assurances regarding the preservation of the "open door" in China, being dissatisfied with mere oral assurances and rejecting a proposal that the United States should seize a port and establish a sphere of influence in China.

"If these assurances are declined," says the dispatch, "the United States will insist upon China observing the strict letter of the treaty giving the United States equal rights with other powers in China."

Soldiers to Sue Mississippi.

Chicago, Nov. 6.—Suit will be brought against the State of Mississippi by the Chicago men who served in the regiments of that State during the war with Spain unless they are paid \$60 apiece, a bounty to which they claim they are entitled under an old law providing for the payment of that sum to every non-resident recruited in a Mississippi regiment.

A meeting of 300 members of the Second and Third Mississippi Volunteers was held yesterday in room 1344, Unity Building and an organization for the purpose of instituting proceedings was effected.

Rob Express Car in Texas.

Denison, Tex., Nov. 1.—The Missouri, Kansas and Texas Sherman train was robbed this evening within the city limits. The train robbers assaulted Express Messenger Concanon, and he is expected to die. The robbery was done so quietly and quickly that it was not known until the train arrived at the depot, when the messenger was discovered in his car unconscious. Amount taken said to be \$10,000.

Fines \$50,000 in Gold Coin.

Jackson, Miss., Nov. 7.—Hunter Johnson, a white citizen of Jackson, while hunting in Pearl River swamp, east of the city, several days ago, discovered a box containing nearly \$50,000. The money was increased in an iron case and is in gold pieces, nearly all of the \$20 denomination. It is thought the money is a war treasure. All of the coins bear date prior to 1850.

Rescued Nineteen From Drowning.

Houghton Mich., Nov. 4.—Nineteen men were rescued from drowning in Lake Superior on Wednesday night by the life savers at the entrance to the ship canal. The men were employed in government work and were in charge of Hamlet Kent, government inspector of canal work. They were on a scow and were caught in the gale.

Robbed on His Deathbed.

Albuquerque, N. M., Nov. 3.—E. P. Fox, of Chicago, died here this afternoon from consumption. After his death it was discovered that over \$500 in cash, a watch, and diamonds valued at \$500 had disappeared. Detectives have been engaged to trace the money and property, which will be forwarded to Chicago, if found.

Cement Prices Go Up.

New Albany, Ind., Nov. 3.—The cement manufacturers of this part of the state, who practically control the cement output for this part of the country, have formed a combine for the purpose of controlling the price of the product. The price has been hanging around 25 cents, but it will be raised to 32½.

Gen. Wheeler Coming Home.

Florence Ala., Nov. 5.—W. J. Wood has received a letter from General Joseph Wheeler, who states that he will resume his seat in Congress when that body meets. General Wheeler does not say when he will return from the Philippines.

Milwaukee Gets Four-Cent Fare.

Milwaukee, Wis., Nov. 7.—Four-cent fares are now assured for this city. The Milwaukee Electric Street Railway and Lighting Company will have all of its franchises extended for ten years and will be granted new franchises on a number of streets. In return for this gift the company will grant immediately four-cent fares from 5:30 to 7:30 a. m., and from 6:30 to 7:30 p. m., until Jan. 1, 1905. After Jan. 1, 1905, there will be a four-cent fare at all hours of the day and night and a general transfer system.

Dynamite Makers Killed.

Chicago, Nov. 3.—Two men were killed and three fatally injured in an explosion in the dynamite mixing house of the Aetna Powder company, at Aetna, Ind., yesterday. The building where the explosion occurred was isolated from other structures of the company. The financial loss is \$1,500.

Found Guilty of Assault.

Centreville, Mich., Nov. 5.—After remaining out until nearly midnight the jury found Geo. Wood, of Colon, guilty of assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder. The assault was committed upon Wm. Oness, a man nearly 60 years of age, on the night of July 19.

Was a Relative of Samuel J. Tilden.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 4.—Daniel J. Tilden, who died at his home in this city was a relative of the late Samuel J. Tilden. Mr. Tilden was quite wealthy and for several years conducted a summer resort near Port Huron. The remains will be sent to Detroit to-morrow morning.

## CLOSING IN ON AGUINALDO

### THREE COMMANDS NOW IN FORWARD MOVEMENT.

#### MacArthur's Troops Capture Town of Magalang, Six Miles From Angeles—Filipinos Lose Sixty Killed.

Manila, Nov. 6.—Two columns of General MacArthur's division yesterday took Magalang, six miles north-east of Angeles. Colonel Smith, with two battalions of the Seventeenth Infantry, two guns of the First Artillery, and a body of engineers, advanced from Angeles. Major O'Brien, with a battalion of the Seventeenth Infantry and two troops of the Fourth Cavalry, moved from Calulut.

Colonel Smith killed eleven insurgents, wounded 128, and captured fifty. Major O'Brien killed forty-nine insurgents, wounded many, and took twenty-eight prisoners. The Americans had eleven men wounded.

Manila, Nov. 5.—This evening a fleet of transports and gunboats left Manila for the most important expedition of the autumn campaign. Its destination is supposed to be Dagupan or some other northern port.

General Wheaton commands, with a brigade consisting of the Thirteenth Infantry, the Thirty-third Infantry, two guns of the Sixth Artillery, and two squadrons. The transports Sheridan, Francisco de Reyes, and Aztec carry the troops, with the gunboat Elvina as escort.

A dispatch boat was sent ahead to arrange a rendezvous with the United States cruiser Charleston and other warships that are patrolling the north coast of Luzon. The landing will be made under cover of the guns of the fleet.

Aguinaldo may attempt to shift his headquarters to the rich tobacco country at the northern end of the island. Possibly he may slide around General Lawton's front to the southern provinces, but as MacArthur's and Lawton's troops are spread across the country from Angeles to Cabanatuan it will be difficult for the insurgents to escape.

Dewey Not to Be a Candidate

Washington, D. C., Nov. 4.—"I would not, under any circumstances, consent to be a candidate for the Presidency, and I should consider it an act of ingratitude if the press would treat this decision as sincere and final. I wish they would now drop the matter. I feel that any further boomerang of my name for the Presidency tends to make me ridiculous."

This is Admiral Dewey's statement, made this morning.

Old Wreck Near the Maine.

Havana, Cuba, Nov. 5.—Divers at work in the harbor have discovered the wreck of the Atocha, a Spanish frigate sunk during the last century to prevent its falling into the hands of the English. The frigate mounted twenty-one guns, some of which have been recovered. One has been given to General Adna R. Chaffee, chief of staff of the Governor General, who intends to present it to his native town of Orwell, O.

Soldiers' Train Is Ditched.

Evansville, Wyo., Nov. 4.—A section of the train carrying the Forty-second Volunteer Infantry, which section carried seven coaches full of soldiers en route for the Philippines, was derailed about 4 o'clock this morning just east of Castle Rock. The engine alone remained on the track. The tender first left the rails, and was followed by all the coaches. It is said some of the soldiers were seriously injured and others badly bruised.

Two People Killed.

Chicago, Nov. 2.—The collapse of the six-story seed warehouse at 139-141 West Lake street, followed by a fire of twenty minutes' duration, yesterday afternoon resulted in the death of at least two persons, injuries to two men, and the destruction of half a square of buildings at West Lake and Desplaines streets. The loss resulting from the accident is placed at \$185,000. Two persons are missing.

One of Life's Tragedies.

A Sunday school class for boys is likely to be about as cosmopolitan an aggregation as can be found in small numbers says the Detroit Free Press. This one was. Boys from many stations in life were there, and at collection time the proudest chap in the class was Jimmy, the saloonkeeper's boy. A nickel or a copper was the usual contribution from the majority, but Jimmy always loomed up with distinction about that time, for he never failed to drop in at least a dime.

But there was one poor little fellow who always used to shrink up in his clothes when the plate was passed around, as though trying to hide his embarrassment. The other boys noticed it, of course, but no one said anything, until Jimmy's astonishment overcame him one day, and pointing to him he blurted out: "He doesn't put in!"

The little fellow shrank farther into the corner. A tear was in his eye, for he had been toying with the plate and had seen the dime that Jimmy had dropped.

His own initials were scratched on the little silver piece. It was one that he had kept for many, many months, till one day his father took it from him and spent it in the barroom that Jimmy's father keeps.

## "CAESAR AND CLEOPATRA,"

### Characters Different Than Those Furnished Us by History.

George Bernard Shaw has always had the courage of his convictions, even if they were of a nature to astonish the unsophisticated multitude. says the Boston Transcript. When he produced "Widowers' Houses," which may be found in the delightful two-volume edition of his plays published last year, he said that he was convinced that it had made him "infamous as a dramatist." "I had not achieved a success," he wrote, "but I had provoked an uproar." But he found the sensation agreeable and "resolved to try again." Accordingly, it is with this intention that his latest play, "Caesar and Cleopatra," was written, and in it he indulges his sacrilegious fantasy concerning history and the social order to the utmost. His Cleopatra is only 16 and is a moustache beauty of ultra modern sensibility. She has lost her white cat, and, having been bullied by her nurse, Tatateeta, has slipped out of the palace and wandered away in search of "Pasit." Grown weary, she falls asleep in the arms of the sphinx, but is aroused by the entrance of a middle-aged person, whom, with the playful indifference of youth and the innate hauteur of a queen, she hails as "Old Gentleman!" The visitor happens to be Caesar, aged 54. Mr. Shaw's characters talk like the every-day people of to-day. "Come here, old gentleman!" cries Cleopatra. "I have lost my cat," and conversation is continued in the same strain. "Ah!" remarks the dauntless lady, as she snatches off the "old gentleman's laurel wreath. "I know now why you wear this; it's to hide your bald head!" "Don't talk about that," rejoins the emperor, testily, replacing the trophy. "Why not?" inquires the royal maiden. "Well, do you like to have people tell you what a child you are?" "No, I hate it!" "Same here," explains great Caesar, "I hate to be told how old I am!" Nor is Cleopatra young only in what she says. Her actions also betray the pretty impulse of extreme youth. Her brother Ptolemy, aged 10, and she engage in a furious squabble, and it is thus that Mr. Shaw would have her express the very natural feelings which almost master her. "She is seized," he explains in his stage directions, "with a strong desire to stick her tongue out at Ptolemy, but refrains for fear the action might appear unqueenly." Mr. Shaw has, in fact, gone direct to human nature, unadulterated, in this photographic study of the young Serpent of Old Nile.

A Bad Turn.  
"Where are you going this summer?" asked his friend as they met on the avenue, relates the Detroit Free Press. "Nowhere," growled the spendthrift. "Why, that's queer—what's the matter?" "Broke."

"Ah, that surely is a new sensation for you; going to stay home and enjoy it?"  
"No, I'm not going to do anything of the kind. I'm going to stay here because I can't get out, but I'm not going to lop around in the wabby arms of nothing trying to enjoy the sensation of being broke. I'm going to spend my time making it uncomfortable for that miserly uncle of mine who is the cause of it all."

"How did it happen? Why, you know I had \$7,000 on tap at the bank, and, naturally, I was spending it and enjoying life. Well, this penurious old relative of mine foamed around so much about my being such a spendthrift that he finally persuaded me to let him invest it for me, so that I'd have a 'nice steady income of a few dollars a year, and a neat little sum when I'm older and need it more."

"Talk about your steady income! Why, he sunk that money so deep it hasn't struck bottom yet! I'll never have enough of it to get a shirt out of pawn. And talk about economy! The next man that mentions that word to me will wake up with a sleepy-hollow in his head in place of an eye."

To Make a Speaker.  
The receipt to make a speaker, and an applauded one, too, is short and easy. Take common sense, quantum sufficit; add a little application to the rules and orders of the house (of commons), throw obvious thoughts in a new light, and make up the whole with a large quantity of purity, correctness and elegance of style. Take it for granted that by far the greatest part of mankind neither analyze nor search to the bottom; they are incapable of penetrating deeper than the surface.—Chesterfield.

Molly's Letter Home.  
Recently some uptown people engaged a maid who had not been long in this country. The members of the family tried to make her stay among them as comfortable as compatible with her duties. But Molly did not appreciate their good Samaritan efforts and wrote home as follows: "They make me work very hard here, they do. It's cooking, baykin', and swapin' I am all the time writin' to yez wid me right hand, clayin' the snow from the sidewalk wid me left hand, and shovelin' coal into the furnace wid me other!"—Cleveland Leader.

## MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

### THE MINERS AGREE ON THE RATE OF WAGES.

#### Result of Conference Between Mine Owners and Operators of the Bay County Coal Mines.

Bay City, Mich., Nov. 6.—At a conference held between the executive board of Michigan mine workers and operators of seven coal mines of Bay county, an amicable adjustment regarding wages for machine workers was reached and all mines are now unionized. The machine scale adopted is forty-two cents for shoveling and loading and fifteen and three-quarters cents for mining. This rate is to hold good until the next state convention of miners and operators, May 15, 1900.

Warned by Insurance Department.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 5.—The insurance department has been notified that the Menominee & Marinette Hospital Association has been making contracts with men in the lumber camps which contains an insurance clause, and as the association has no authority to do an insurance business in this state, its officers have been notified that it must change the form of its contract. Lumber companies which have been acting as agents for the association are threatened with prosecution if they continue to act as such agents.

May Abandon Steam.

Buchanan, Mich., Nov. 5.—Surveyors have begun the survey on the extension of the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railroad from here to South Bend, a distance of fourteen miles. If the extension is built, and there seems to be no doubt it will, steam will be abandoned and the road equipped with an electric trolley system, power for it being furnished from the magnificent water power of the Beckwith estate at this point. Cars will be run one hour apart and freight carried as heretofore.

Fire at Big Rapids.

Big Rapids, Mich., Nov. 4.—Fire and smoke issuing from the basement of the Comstock block, under Jensen & Company's dry goods store shortly before 7 o'clock, caused a general alarm sounded and for an hour the fire department worked before the danger was over. Origin unknown. J. C. Jensen & Company are the heaviest losers. E. C. Newcombe, C. D. Carpenter and George W. Milner suffered mostly from smoke. All insured.

Battle Creek Interested in Oil.

Battle Creek, Mich., Nov. 6.—The boring for oil in the township of Assyria, ten miles north of this city, has aroused much interest among the business men of this city, and C. W. Pos, the gentleman who is building the big hotel here and making other substantial improvements, has donated \$250 toward a fund of \$2,500 for the purpose of buying a drill and prospecting the country around this city to see if coal, oil, gas or salt can be found.

Berrien County Beets All Right.

Benton Harbor, Mich., Nov. 6.—The chemists at the Wolverine beet sugar factory, that opened up here last week, having made a thorough test of the beets that have arrived at the yards, announces to-night that they will yield Berrien county growers \$4.66 or nearly \$5 per ton, which is considered an excellent showing. The beets are found to contain 14 per cent saccharine, and are of the finest quality.

Was Not Injured.

Dundee, Mich., Nov. 5.—The large stock and breeding stable of Edward Smith, of this place, was burned. The barn contained several head of valuable horses, which were all saved with the exception of one—the trotting mare Awana, which was added to the barn this week. Two trotting bikes, bugles, harness, hay, feed, etc., were lost. Cause of fire unknown. No insurance.

Chose a Pastor.

Lansing, Mich., Nov. 4.—The trouble in the Congregational church of this village has at last been temporarily settled. At a recent church meeting Rev. J. S. Edmunds, of Ypsilanti, received a call which partially satisfies the members. His pastorate opens on Sunday next. The church, fight that has been on here is one of considerable interest.

Died From Blood Poisoning.

Ann Arbor, Mich., Nov. 6.—Charles Barry, of Northfield, died early Saturday morning of blood poisoning. A short time ago he was severely cut in the leg by a saw, but the wound seemed to be healing nicely until a few days ago, when blood poisoning set in. He was the son of County Drain Commissioner Dan W. Barry and had many friends in this vicinity.

Died From Self-Inflicted Wound.

Marshall, Mich., Nov. 6.—James Adams, better known as Jimmie Lincoln, who shot himself, died to-day from the effects of the wound. The ball entered his chest on the left side and was removed from the back just below the shoulder blade. Adams had been ill for some time, and no doubt did the deed in a moment of despondency.

Served Him Right.

Reading, Mich., Nov. 1.—Sunday afternoon a man drove into town with a horse that had a broken leg. A crowd of idlers soon gathered, and when the man drove off they followed. On reaching the outskirts of the village

they made the fellow unhitch the horse and draw the buggy with the animal tied on behind. And it had been raining.

Charged With Forgery.

Muskegon, Mich., Nov. 2.—Otis Noble, of Ravenna, was arrested by Sheriff Neumeister on a charge of forgery. Noble, it is alleged, forged the name of Claude Zerron to an order for \$5 on a farmer by the name of Burns, who paid the money. The complaint was made by James L. Franks. All the parties in the case reside near Ravenna.

Bear Killed Near Menominee.

Menominee, Mich., Nov. 1.—Chic Chris, Wallie Neno, Geo. Gagnon and others killed a large black bear near town to-day after a hard struggle with the animal. A dog was killed by the bear and the owner's clothes torn in shreds before bruin was dispatched. The bear weighed 300 pounds and was sold to a local butcher for \$40.

Has a Bell at Last.

Galesburg, Mich., Nov. 1.—During the past thirty-two years, or since 1867, when it was erected, the Baptist church here has had no bell until this afternoon, when, principally through the personal efforts of Rev. J. B. Sharp, the present pastor, the want was supplied and the belfry has a tenant.

His Own Carelessness Caused It.

Corunna, Mich., Nov. 2.—An inquest was held over the remains of Ferdinand Chanze, who was killed by a Grand Trunk train on a spur running down to the Kerby coal mines. The jury decided that the man came to his death through his own carelessness, wholly exonerating the trainmen.

Ovid Healthy and Prosperous.

Ovid, Mich., Nov. 1.—The health record in Ovid this year beat the past in every respect. There has not been a contagious disease of any class in this village for a whole year. There are no empty houses and but one vacant store in the town. Fifteen houses are undergoing extensive improvements.

First Day's Work Ended Fatally.

St. Charles, Mich., Nov. 2.—A miner by the name of David Dorris was killed by a lump of slate falling on his head. He was at work in Somer's Mine No. 1. He was a married man and his home was in Pennsylvania. He has been here two weeks and this was his first day's work.

Charlotte's City Clerk Resigned.

Charlotte, Mich., Nov. 1.—City Clerk Russell R. McPeck handed his resignation in at a council meeting, to take effect December 1. Mr. McPeck has been in the employ of Powers & Stine for the past three years as stenographer. He has accepted a like position with the new state tax commission.

Serious Charge Against a Child.

Holly, Mich., Nov. 2.—A girl by the name of Alice Barnes, aged 12 years, was detected in the act of setting a fire to an outbuilding. She lives in the neighborhood where several fires have broken out in the last month, and will be arrested for alleged incendiarism.

Truax Discharged.

Owosso, Mich., Nov. 5.—Abe Truax was discharged by Justice McCaugha when he appeared in court to stand final examination for the murder of Jack Entwistle in this city in July, 1896. Entwistle was found dead near the railroad track, but no blood had been spilled.

Turned on the Gas.

Battle Creek, Mich., Nov. 4.—J. R. Bledsoe, of Hinton, Va., died from the effects of gas poisoning. He came here for treatment and went to a private house to lodge, and at night accidentally turned on the gas in a heating stove instead of turning it off.

Hanged Himself.

Battle Creek, Mich., Nov. 5.—James E. Bell, aged 40, a well-known machinist, who has been demented for some time past hanged himself in an outbuilding and was dead when discovered. He was a prominent Odd Fellow and Maccabee.

Gratiot Teachers' Association.

Alma, Mich., Nov. 5.—The Teachers' Association of Gratiot County opened its semi-annual meeting here. This evening Supt. E. C. Thompson, of Saginaw West, gave a popular lecture on "Bread and Brains." The enrollment so far is 150.

Bir Shipment of Beets.

Sbewaging, Mich., Nov. 5.—The beet sugar crop in this part of the country is very large. Immense shipments are being made from this point to Bay City. Farmers are unable to secure cars fast enough to ship their beets.

Shot by His Companion.

Lake Odessa, Mich., Nov. 4.—Lewis Hackett, a 10-year-old farmer's son, was shot in the ankle by the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of a companion. The shot shattered the ankle bones and tore the flesh away.

Willow's Depot Broken Into.

Willow, Mich., Nov. 6.—Some unknown thieves broke into the Flint & Pere Marquette depot here, and took a considerable amount of merchandise belonging to Jesse Butler, a merchant of this place.

Struck With a Post.

Buchanan, Mich., Nov. 4.—Zora Mages, lineman in the employ of the Michigan Telephone Company, at work here, was struck on the head with a post and knocked senseless. He will recover.

## 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.

### SETTING THE HENS.

The setting hen should be closely observed when she becomes broody and should never be given valuable eggs until she has thoroughly settled down to business, or unless eggs are plentiful. Many have a prejudice concerning numbers of eggs preferring small or large settings. A large Brahma will comfortably cover 15 eggs, but in cold weather it is better to allow her but 13. The nest should not be too much hollowed out, as in that case the eggs will roll to the centre and become shaped out, one lying on top of the others. The bottom ones do not, consequently, receive a sufficient degree of warmth and may not hatch. The nests should be lined with fine, soft hay, and secluded from the approach of all other hens. In from 20 to 21 days according to circumstances, the chicks come forth, and the task of caring for them commences. Many difficulties attend the early chickens that the later broods escape. They require protection from rats and other vermin with which buildings are infested to a greater extent at an early season while later chicks have to contend with lice.

### UNPROFITABLE INDIVIDUALS.

Keeping a flock of hens on the probability that are "about" to lay is a great risk. The most deceiving hens in that respect are those that are in apparently a very healthy and thrifty condition but are too fat. On the principle that "food makes eggs," such hens are liberally, and while their appetites will satisfy the most sanguine owner the bottom of the egg basket is never covered. Finally, as the time flies on and the season is well advanced, a little reflection points to the fact that such hens cannot then pay for past favors, even should they begin laying; and the accounts take a place on the wrong side of the balance sheet. And later, when the hens begin to lay, having been highly fed, the moulting stage comes on; and it takes them three months more to shed their old feathers and put on a new suit, and all at their owner's expense.

### INFLUENCE OF PARENT STOCK.

As a fowl inherits the characteristics and weaknesses of its progenitors, it must be accepted that the egg enveloping the embryo contains these with in itself. An egg laid by a weak hen will be weakly, if such a term can be applied to it; the germ will be feeble and probably the yolk and white will be deficient in some special qualities; only an analysis can determine so knotty a point. In sending eggs by rail much will depend on the hardihood of the producing stock. If the eggs are from coarse hardy birds, the germs will stand a great amount of knocking about before they will be affected thereby. But on the contrary if from closely bred birds, then they will be easily affected and soon killed. It may be taken as a certain fact that the more inbreeding is resorted to the more susceptible will the germ be.

### FEEDING WEAK CHICKS.

Whenever chicks begin to droop and have bowel disease, give them boiled rice mixed with milk. If they revive sufficiently to eat with a relish beat up an egg with a pint of milk. Put the milk on the stove to boil and while it is boiling thicken it with cornmeal and flour. A meal of such food given three times a day will bring them up again unless they are past all recovery. They should be fed millet seeds once a day, as soon as they will eat them, and chopped onion or cabbage. Another method of feeding chicks is to grind a piece of meat very fine like sausage, placing it on the fire to stew until it reaches the boiling point, when potatoes and corn meal may be added until it is thickened. This, if given once a day, will push them forward rapidly. Once a week bran may be used instead of corn meal, and fresh skim milk may be within reach of the chicks at all times.

### LICE REMEDIES.

Get a bushel of lime and let it air slake. Sift it in a fine sifter, so as to have it like dust. Take a quart of dust and pour a gill of carbolic acid over it, working the two together until thoroughly mingled; then mix the quart of lime and acid with the bulk of lime. Carbolic acid of lime is formed by the mixture, and is death to all insect life. Now dust the lime all over the floor, on the walls, into the cracks, and everywhere that you can

throw it, and you will have a cheap and effective substance for preventing or driving off vermin. Paris green, or other poisons, cannot be used in the poultry houses or yards, but where it is desired to reach into the cracks and crevices an excellent decoction may be made by pouring a gallon of boiling water over a pound of tobacco refuse and allowing it to steep overnight. This may be sprinkled with a watering pot over the floors, in the nests, on the walls, or anywhere that it can be rendered serviceable.

P. H. JACOBS.

### Treating Trees Gnawed by Mice.

My experience in treating trees which have been gnawed, says a writer in the Agriculturalist, is as follows: Take a three-eighths-inch chisel, a gouge of the same size, a light mallet and a sharp knife. Place the chisel in the sound bark just below the gnawed spot and across the grain of the wood. Drive it in about three-eighths of an inch and again exactly opposite, above the gnawed place. Now insert the gouge midway between the cuts and drive it down to the lower cut, turn the gouge and drive upward to the upper cut. With the knife cut a scion from the tree, cut square off at each end and a little longer than the space between the cuts, and spring it into place so that the bark of the scion will meet the bark of the tree, which it is sure to do. My trees which had been planted two years were ten to twelve feet high and some of them gnawed entirely around. I put three to five scions in each tree. Always drive the chisel straight toward the heart of the tree. Get a barrow load of fresh manure from the cow stable and with a paddle plaster the wound all around so as to cover the ends of the scions, and wrap with a piece of burlap and tie with woolen twine. Out of forty-eight trees treated only one died. The last time I saw the orchard, which was many years after the operation, every tree was in fine condition and all completely healed but greatly enlarged near the base. This work should be done in the Spring about the time the sap starts.

### Early Setting Hens.

March and April are the months for setting hens. Chicks hatched later than April will be too late to furnish laying pullets in autumn. Hens which set early are a little more difficult to manage because the broody fever is not so strong as it is in warm weather, but if carefully handled they can usually be made to stick to a nest when it is changed. The safest and easiest way is to give each hen a room by herself. At first the nest should be filled with china nest eggs, about a dozen of them. Those she cannot break while getting accustomed to the change, and she is much more likely to set than upon an empty nest.

The nest should be carefully made with a good foundation of earth and chaff, covered with fine hay. A hen often knows a poor nest better than her owner does and will refuse to adopt it. Place her on the nest and fix a covering of cloth over it to keep it dark. With these conditions the hen will usually accept the situation. After a day or two the genuine eggs may be given her and the nest uncovered. If she has a separate room and is given a good supply of grain, water, grit and a dust bath, the hen will require but little more attention.—American Agriculturist.

### No Longer Fear the Scale at San Jose.

A correspondent of the San Francisco Chronicle, residing at San Jose, has this to say: "Our Eastern friends are everywhere in a state of great alarm at the ravages of the San Jose scale, so called because it was near San Jose that it began serious work upon its arrival from South America. We do not believe the trouble will be permanent any more than it was in this State. One may mingle among fruit farmers near San Jose for a year and never hear the pest mentioned. The lime, sulphur and salt mixture has been considered a sovereign remedy. Lately it has been claimed in other places that the decrease was due to a parasite. There is, however, at present in San Jose so little interest in the San Jose scale that we do not know that any one there has even looked for a parasite, although probably the official bug hunters have done so. We state this as a word of encouragement to Eastern fruit growers who are now alarmed, as we were here about ten years since."

### Care of Grapevines.

The proper way to take care of grapevines: Have fresh bearing wood each year, while not checking the general growth too much. If the vines are young, with established arms, the bearing canes are cut back each year to a bud or two, new shoots trained to a desired height, but not cut back simply pinched three or four leaves above the fruit when set. Or they may be allowed to grow along the trellis, to avoid the forcing of laterals, belong. On large arbors, with established vines, the pruning is more intricate, but the principle is the same. Never cut away the leaves; they are the lungs and stomach of the plant. The grapes need the sun, not directly, but through the leaves, and ripen far better in their shade than if they are pulled off.—Troy Times.

### Farm Furrows.

Like seed, like crop. Don't ask the farmer, ask the farm. Thrift is better than a bequest from your old uncle. The farm is no mint, but it is a mine of many health. Before you begin work think where the pay is coming from. Weeds are the farmer's faithful overseers; they make him stir the soil. When the bugs get a mortgage on your orchard, pay interest and principal with a spray pump.



### Keep the Tools Well Sharpened.

Above all things a farmer should keep his tools, from harvester, sickle and plowshare to scythe, and hoe, sharp and bright. No man can do good and effective work with a dull tool, and every farmer should be ashamed to have a rusty one about his place. There are sickle grinders on the market that will make a sickle as sharp as a razor in a few minutes, while they are so nearly automatic that about all one has to do is to set the sickle in a frame and turn the handle. A light team will draw a mower fitted with a sharp sickle, through the heaviest kind of grass with ease, while it would almost kill a heavy team to draw a dull sickle through it. Some farmers have the blacksmith draw the edge of the plowshare out very thin and then touch it up a little every morning and noon with a heavy file, while others keep an anvil and beat them out every morning. This latter operation requires some skill and good eyes, as well as a second person to hold the plow. If a man has no handy power to turn the grindstone, it should be set in a frame with a seat and two treadles, so that one man can run it with ease and grind any tool rapidly.

### A Superior Paris Green Mixture.

The main difficulty in successfully spraying potatoes is that rain washes the poison off the vines, frequently within an hour after its application. An easy and inexpensive way to spray potatoes in wet weather is to use ten pounds of flour to a barrel of water and about one-half to one pound of Paris green. Mix the flour in a bucket or buckets to the consistency of thin cream, mix the Paris green into this liquid then add to the water and keep agitated while spraying. The flour keeps the poison in suspension in the barrel and when the liquid falls on the vines forms a paste which holds the poison on the vines and will pass through many rain storms and continue to destroy bugs. With this method one spraying will kill all bugs and save the crop.

### Use for Lan A ong Hedgerows.

A great many farmers who have hedges around their farms complain of the waste of ground for a few feet on either side. Even when kept well trimmed, corn, wheat, oats and such crops will not thrive there, and in consequence a strip is left uncultivated each season. Now this need not be if the farmer really desires to utilize that ground along his hedges. Usually the soil has become very fertile on account of the decaying of much foliage, and by running a narrow row of the ground is prepared for turnip or rutabaga seed. A good crop of turnips can be grown along these condemned hedge rows and will be out of the way there. These products will sell in the market or will furnish food for stock. If bees are kept then buckwheat may be sown along the hedge, and its blossoms will furnish them honey. There are always ways to utilize these vacant or neglected bits of land if we will stop to think.—A. M. Gibson.

### Bats as Insect Destroyers.

Dr. C. F. Hodge of Clark University, Worcester, Mass., writes about bats: "I found only four grubs in an hour's search. The owner of the farm said that in an old barn near by lived seventy-five to one hundred bats, and his apples were always free from worms. Dr. Hodge caught a bat and offered it some of the grubs, which were greedily accepted. He also took a dozen of the grubs to the parlor. They made their home in the top folds of the window draperies, flying about at night and sometimes in the daytime. From time to time netfuls of night flying insects were released in the room and never one remained in the morning. The bats took everything, from a spider to a polyphemous moth. One morning the doctor counted while a bat devoured sixty-eight house flies.

### Saving.

An old miser once said that he always held his breath when being measured for a suit of clothes, as it made him smaller, and so took less cloth to fit him.—Spare Moments.

### Starting an Asparagus Bed.

Asparagus roots may be planted in spring or fall, but unless the ground is well drained, spring is preferable. Good strong one year old roots are best. The soil should be made as rich as possible. If very stony the stones should be removed, as they are much in the way of cutting the stalks. In garden culture it is best to dig trenches about three or four feet apart and 12 inches deep; then put in a layer of manure to fill about half of the trench after it has been packed down. On this put two or three inches of soil on which place the roots, spreading them out in all directions, and cover with fine soil, packing down all around. The plants should not stand closer than two feet in the rows, and as they start to grow more soil should be drawn into the trenches until the surface is level again. All that is necessary during the season is to keep the ground loose and free from weeds. To raise a first class crop the bed has to be manured every year by scattering manure over the plants in the fall. If white or blanched asparagus is desired, the roots have to be set deeper and the rows have to be hilled up similar to what is done with celery.—American Agriculturist.

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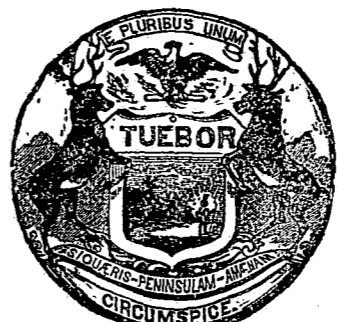
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SCHOOL NOTES.

EIGHTH GRADE. Prof. Avery has encouraged the pupils to do their best in composition work by offering a reward to the one who will write the best essay on the subject, "Religion, morality and knowledge being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and means of education should forever be encouraged."

Nellie Weaver called, Monday. Hazel Thayer was first to recite the presidents' oath correctly. The class in literature are enjoying "Tales of a Wayside Inn." Each pupil is preparing a Thanksgiving story to be read the last week in November.

The pupils were asked to paraphrase the last stanza of Cary's "November" Louis Runner's reads: "A joy seems very bright to us, it looks like the beautiful roses when in full bloom. But when the joy so dear seems to fade away from us, we should not be discouraged remembering how the roots are kept alive under the snow, and it seems a long time until Spring, the beautiful roses are sure to bloom again. So when we lose our joy let us make up our minds to be patient hoping for the joy to return to us as the roses do."

SEVENTH GRADE. The blood is at present the subject of study on the physiology class. In History, the Massachusetts colony has just been finished. A written lesson was given upon the topic last Friday and with a few exceptions the papers were very good. The geography class has completed the study of South America, which has made up the greater part of the work so far this year, and are now studying Eurasia.

Phillip Berong has left school for a time. He is trying farm-work.

SIXTH GRADE. Planning for Thanksgiving has begun.

Pupils are learning the poem, "The First Thanksgiving." It suggests many history lessons of interest and value.

It was decided by vote that the best drawings of last week were those made by Fanny Meade.

Pupils and teacher spent Friday evening at the home of Frank Lister. In spite of the unpleasant weather, most of the grade was present and had a thoroughly good time. We appreciate Mrs. Lister's thoughtfulness in our behalf and thank her heartily.

FIFTH GRADE. Preparations for a Thanksgiving program have been begun. We are learning "A Snow Song."

Lucile Brockett and Effie Vite pronounced the school down last Friday afternoon.

Teacher and pupils are grateful to Fred Roe, Kern Diggins and Nate Brown for the nice new ink-tray which the boys made and presented to us.

Clifford Peters was the first to find out that Oscar II is king of Norway and Sweden.

FOURTH GRADE. We are indebted to the School Board for a fine new Webster's Collegiate Dictionary. It is greatly appreciated.

The children are learning about "Miles Stannish" and "John Smith" of colonial fame. Also the voting system in U. S.

The fourth and fifth grades will unite in their Thanksgiving exercises.

THIRD GRADE. Misses Winifred Copley and Gertrude Simmons were visitors Monday afternoon.

Nature study for this week is the squirrel and nuts, appearance and action of frost.

We are learning a song entitled Thanksgiving Day.

SECOND GRADE. Blanche Williams is again in school after a weeks absence on account of illness.

The children are memorizing "The Barefoot Boy" in connection with Whittier study.

The pupils surprised their teacher by the excellence of their nature drawings this week.

FIRST GRADE. We are sorry to lose Mabel and Charlie King who have moved to New Carlisle.

We have begun the study of the Pilgrim fathers and the first Thanksgiving day.

Dana Avery was not able to be in school Monday, on account of illness.

Harmonics at Binns' next P. O.

JEFFRIES WINS FIGHT.

The Greatest Which Ever Took Place Between Heavyweights.

New York, Nov. 4.—When Jim Jeffries won the championship of the world from Bob Fitzsimmons he beat the red-topped Cornishman down with stiff left jolts in the jaw.

Last night the brawn boiler-maker won his battle against Tom Sharkey in right smashes to the body that shook the massive marine up in every round, broke two of his ribs when the battle was little more than half over, and slowly but surely sapped the marvelous strength of O'Rourke's burly seaman.

In the final five rounds of the battle Sharkey took a terrible beating, and nothing but his great gameness and wonderful physique kept him on his feet to the end.

The decision, a just one, went to the hairy giant from the coast after 25 rounds of terrific fighting, the like of which was never seen before. Jeffries had the lead at the finish, but, though it was not a long one, his advantage was sufficiently marked to well entitle him to the verdict. Sharkey is entitled to all credit for the wonderful fight he made against odds. This mighty man of muscle, who learned to do his fighting in the navy, proved that he is as game a man as ever pulled off a sweater, and that he is one of the most dangerous men the game has ever seen.

WIRE TRUST PLANT BURNS.

One Thousand Men Thrown Out of Employment—Loss, 500,000.

Waukegan, Ill., Nov. 5.—The greater part of the big Washburn & Moen Manufacturing Company plant of the American Steel and Wire Company was burned yesterday afternoon. It was said three workmen perished in the fire that leaped so quickly through the oil-soaked buildings. The managers of the plant, however, denied that any lives were lost, and up to 2 o'clock this morning no person were reported missing to the Waukegan police.

The damage amounted to \$500,000, with \$314,000 insurance. Nearly 700 men were employed in the buildings (that burned, but the entire force of the plant, amounting to nearly 1,000 men, will be thrown out of employment, at least temporarily.

MAY DISCIPLINE G. A. R. MEN

New York Commander Asks For Names of Members in Dewey Parade.

New York, Nov. 4.—Department Commander Joseph W. Kay, G. A. R., has issued a circular to the commanders of all posts in the Counties of New York, Kings, Queens, Nassau, Rockland, Westchester, Richmond and Suffolk requesting them to report the names and addresses of comrades in good standing who participated in the Dewey land parade with General O. O. Howard. It is inferred from the language of the circular that the department intends disciplining all the veterans who were in line or who criticized orders of the commanding officers of the department in relation to the parade.

Coeur d'Alene Miners.

Moscow, Idaho, Nov. 5.—The jury to-day returned a verdict of guilty in the case of ten, and not guilty in the case of three, of the Coeur d'Alene miners who have been on trial here in the United States Court on a charge of conspiracy and stopping a United States mail train at Wallace on April 29 last, the day on which Sullivan mill was blown up at Wardner. To-morrow at 3 o'clock the convicted men will be brought into court and will receive their sentence. The penalty is a fine of not less than \$1,000 nor more than \$10,000, or not to exceed two years' imprisonment, or both fine and imprisonment.

Hobart's Death Is Near.

New York, Nov. 6.—Vice President Hobart is now simply awaiting death, not in distress or unconsciousness, but in a full realization of his condition. Dr. William K. Newton, who is attending him night and day, said to-night:

"Many people have suffered from the same malady. Unfortunately there have been no recoveries. Mr. Hobart may remain in his present condition for days, perhaps weeks."

Buried 37,000 Persons.

Cincinnati, O., Nov. 3.—At the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees of St. Joseph's Cemetery association, Eugene Sullivan will again be appointed superintendent of grounds. He was appointed sexton thirty-one years ago and has held the position ever since.

Breaks Jail at South Bend.

South Bend, Ind., Nov. 3.—James Edwards, in jail here awaiting trial for assault with intent to kill, and "Piggy" Gillen, charged with larceny, escaped this morning at 8 o'clock, letting themselves down by a rope. They have not yet been captured, although a man saw them escaping. This is Edwards' second escape, he having once cut his way out of the city jail.

Mad Act of St. Louis Man.

St. Louis, Mo., Nov. 5.—George H. Barthel, assistant manager of a sporting goods store, probably mortally wounded his wife, his father-in-law, and seriously injured his mother-in-law, and then committed suicide this afternoon. Jealousy is supposed to be the cause. Barthel and his wife had been separated for more than three years.

Sinks With 200 Soldiers.

Colon, Colombia, Nov. 1.—A report has reached here that on Oct. 24 two armed government steamers destroyed seven insurgent vessels, one of the latter sinking with it, it is rumored, 200 soldiers.

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No man ever had a more implicit confidence in his lucky star than he, or indulged in more sanguine expectations of the future, a future rosette in color, out of which an invisible genius beckoned him on. In one of his letters to his sister he writes:

"You ask for news. I shall have to manufacture it, for no one ever sets foot in my garret. I can only tell you a lot of things about myself. For instance, a fire broke out in 9 Rue Lesdigueres (his own street and number), in the head of a poor lad, and no engines have been able to put it out. It was kindled by a beautiful woman whom he does not know. They say she lives at the Quatre-Nations, the other side of the Pont des Arts. She is called Fane."

Later to the same, evidently after some delay:

"I have received your scoldings, madam. I see you want particular information about this poor delinquent. Honore, my dear sister, is a simpleton who is crippled with debt without having had one single jovial time to show for it. At this moment he is in his room engaged in a duel; he has half a ream of paper to kill, and he is stabbing it with pen and ink in a way to make his purse joyful. This fool has some good in him."—Self-Culture.

The Hog and the Brook.

Experience has shown that the brook is a dangerous adjunct to the hog pasture. This is especially so in most of the prairie states, where the land is so level that a brook winds sluggishly through many townships, and must need receive the drainage from many farms.

When hog cholera breaks out on one farm it often, in this way, distributes the disease to all the farms further down the course of the stream, wherever the hogs depend on the brook for drinking water. Investigations have shown that some of the worst outbreaks of hog cholera have come in this way.

In a mountainous country, where the streams are many times so short that they are known from source to final out-flow, they are comparatively safe for the watering of all stock; for the reason that it is not possible for a disease to exist there without its presence being known. But in level states the length of the streams precludes this knowledge. In every section of level country where hog cholera exists at all, the hog and the brook should be separated. This precaution, if widely taken, will lessen the disease named by a large per cent.—Farm, Field and Fireside.



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BANDIT HUNTING.

They Hide in the Mountains and Use Smokeless Powder.

John C. Vizzard, special agent for the Union Pacific, has returned from Casper, Wyo., where he was engaged for a week in fitting out parties to go in the Union Pacific mail train, says the Omaha Bee. He superintended this work for a week and then turned it over to other agents of the company and returned to headquarters to give his attention to office business, which had been accumulating.

"It was the first experience of this kind I ever had," said Mr. Vizzard, "and I am not anxious for any more. I never saw such a country as that through which the bandits made their way after holding up the train. One may drive for 100 miles and never see a human being. When you reach the mountains it is foolish for any one to attempt to go through them except he is thoroughly familiar with all the trails and foot-paths. Only the cowboys and ranchmen are fitted to successfully pursue such a search."

"The only horses out there which one can use are the broncos, and they will drive an Eastern man crazy trying to get them started. When a mounted party was ready to start it spent a quarter of an hour fighting the bucking broncos before they quieted down and were ready to go as directed. We tried to pack provisions on their backs for the use of the scouting parties, and while it took four or five men to load one horse, the brute would rid itself of the burden in a few minutes after the load was seemingly secure, and we had our work to do over again. Finally, we managed to secure some buckboards and forwarded supplies to the men on the search."

"Sheriff Hazen of Casper led one of the first parties I started from Casper. He was an excellent man and unknown to fear. An example of his nerve was given when he started up the washout where the bandits were secreted in an effort to take them. In this attempt he received the shot which a few hours later resulted in his death. He was popular at Casper and his death produced great sorrow there."

"The bandits are supplied with smokeless powder and in these canyons it is next to impossible to locate them. When they fired at their pursuers no one could tell from whence the report came. There was no smoke to guide and the echo confused the most expert hunter. When they wounded the sheriff they took advantage of the confusion which naturally followed and moved further into the mountains. The posse captured the horses belonging to the outfit, which carried 300 rounds of ammunition. This was important and weakened their resisting power to a considerable degree."

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Sunday services: Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Junior C. R. at 3:00 p. m.; Sen. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; S. S. at 12:30 p. m. Other services: Communion meeting Tuesday evening at 7:00; Church prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:00; Ladies' aid every Wednesday afternoon at 4:30; Teachers' meeting Friday evening at 7:00. Pastor's receiving days: Tuesday and Friday afternoon, 2 to 4. R. K. Black, Pastor, 11 N. Detroit St.

Methodist Church. Rev. H. L. Potter, Pastor. Sabbath services: Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Sabbath School 12:30 p. m.; Junior League 8:30 p. m.; Epworth League 7:00 p. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00 p. m. Members are expected and strangers are always welcome.

Presbyterian Church. Rev. James Pray, Pastor. Sabbath services: Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.; Sabbath School 12:30 p. m.; Young People's meeting 8:00 p. m.; Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30 p. m. Prayers invited.

Evangelical Church. Rev. J. R. Niergarth, Pastor. Residence 47 Main St. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Mrs. Lucy A. Brooks, Supt. Young People's Alliance every Sunday at 6:30 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. All seats are free. All cordially welcomed.

O. U. W. - Buchanan Lodge No. 75 holds its regular meeting at Odd Fellows Hall, on each Tuesday evening.

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Buchanan Record.

D. H. BOWER, EDITOR. PUBLISHED EVERY THURSDAY. TERMS \$1.00 PER YEAR PAYABLE IN ADVANCE. THURSDAY, NOV. 2, 1899.

The results of the various state elections held Tuesday are most encouraging to the Republicans and should satisfy all good citizens that Republicans rule and Prosperity are synonymous terms.

Buchanan's Opportunity. Buchanan citizens have an opportunity at the present time that they should not be slow to take advantage. The manufacturers in the larger cities are becoming wearied of their continual trouble with labor organizations and are now figuring on smaller towns as affording much better advantages in the matter of immunity from these troubles. Buchanan can land some of these factories if our citizens will only get together and go after them. When the time comes let all be ready to push the good things along.

IT'S A GOOD THING Buchanan can have a Canning Factory if the Citizens will push.

Messrs J. B. Silver and C. M. Covell have been looking the ground over with the view of establishing a canning factory in our town. The project was talked over informally at a meeting in the Commercial Club rooms Monday evening and a committee appointed consisting of Messrs C. F. Pears, W. W. East, H. A. Hathaway, and I. V. H. Dodd to look over this contracts and report to the citizens at a meeting to be held at the Opera House to-night. It is proposed to put in a canning plant with a capacity for 15,000 cans per day and to handle all kinds of fruits and vegetables and every article that can be canned. The village of Berrien Springs has installed a factory recently and the record of canning factories show them to be a benefit to any town where located. Our citizens should take great interest in this project and help it along not only with a good word but with your subscription.

An Example which can be Profitably Followed.

The Secretary of the Board of Health has received from a local physician a communication of which the following is a part: "About five miles from this village there has been a regular annual outbreak of typhoid fever. It is located in the hilly section, and the Board of Supervisors has appropriated fifty dollars to investigate the source of infection.

The problem of the eradication of typhoid fever in a locality is over half solved when the definite source of the contagion or the method by which it is spread is learned. Because with this knowledge, and proper enforcement of the practical, scientific, and effective method of avoiding that method of spreading, and the proper disinfection of the infected persons and things, it is obvious that the disease will be eradicated. In this instance, the physician says: "Each family gets its drinking water from a different well," it, therefore, seems probable either that the source of the disease is not in the drinking water, or that the underlying water of the entire neighborhood is infected, or each family was infected from the same infected well. The investigation may reveal the fact of some general source from which each family derives the germs of the disease, or the manner in which it spreads each year; and the effort by the Board of Supervisors, to learn the facts, is very commendable.

McClure's Magazine for November.

A poem by Kipling on the Transvaal crisis is, of course, the first item to attract attention in the November number of McClure's Magazine. In England they are placing the poem even before "The Reckoning," and certainly it is a very powerful and inspiring utterance. In order to get it into the present number, the editors of McClure's had to have the poem sent to them by cable from London.

An article by Dr. Frederick A Cook, the one American who was a member of the recent Belgian Antarctic expedition tells the story of his experiences as one of the only party of men who have ever passed a winter in the vicinity of the South Pole. For thirteen months the party were shut up tight in the South Polar ice pack, their ship never moving except as it moved with the whole field of ice that bound it; and Dr. Cook's account of this unique experience is as interesting as the best novel. His article is copiously illustrated from photographs taken by himself.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A regular meeting of the common council of the village of Buchanan was held in the council chambers of said village, Tuesday evening, Nov. 7, 1899. President Keller, presiding. Present Trustees Arthur, Black, Bishop, Kent and Pears. Trustee Richards, being absent. The minutes of the regular meeting of Oct. 3, 1899 were read and approved.

The finance committee presented the following bill for action: Bill of the Beckwith Estate for balance due on October Electric light bill which was deducted at the last meeting, amounting to \$20.32. Moved by Trustee Arthur, supported by Trustee Pears that the bill of the Beckwith Estate amounting to \$20.32 be allowed and an order be drawn for that amount. Ayes, 4, Trustees Arthur, Bishop, Kent and Pears.

The report of the finance committee was read as follows: The finance committee to whom was referred the following bills, have examined same, and finding them correct, report favorable on them and would recommend their allowance as per statement below:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Wm. Ryneason, Labor \$ 1 25; J. F. Hahn, " 5 00; Geo. Weston, Map, " 13 75.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. W. G. Hathaway, Bal. on account 75; J. M. Rouch, Lumber, " 2 68; F. Barnes, Draying, " 2 95; Jno. Eisenhardt, Labor, " 25 12; L. Hamilton, " 1 95; B. Calvin, " 1 15; C. W. Hamilton, " 33 50; Jno. Wynn, " 2 25; Ed. Covell, " 2 37; E. I. Bird, " 75; F. W. Eldridge, Salary, October, " 35 00; J. P. Beistle, " 6 15; J. M. Rouch, Lumber, " 75; Geo. H. Black, Brick, " 1 40; F. Thomas, Digging Walks, " 10 50.

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Beckwith Estate, Lighting Pt., Sept. and Oct. 172 82; Gutta Percha Rubber Mfg. Co., Supplies, " 120 00; F. M. Smith, Painting, " 17 00; Jno. Eisenhardt Police, " 75; H. Boyer, " 75; C. Baker, " 75; L. L. Bunker, " 75; D. V. Brown, Night Watch, " 2 50; F. Thomas, Labor, Hose, " 3 97; Chas. Russell, " 1 72; W. N. Brodrick, Express and Tel. exchange, " 2 81; E. S. Roe, Supplies, " 15 03; D. H. Bower, Printing, " 11 15; Geo. Howard, Salary, Oct., W. W. W. Vinton, " 40 00; W. Vinton, " 40 00; H. Smith, Labor, w. w., " 6 00; M. B. H. and C. R. K., Freight Coal, w. w., " 53 89; Advance Packing Co., Valve Top, w. w., " 1 25; J. T. Wing & Co., w. w., " 5 95; Bourbon Copper & B. Wks., Hy. Repairing, w. w., " 8 15; J. Antis, Draying, w. w., " 6 25; Caster, Curran and Buttrett, Coal, w. w., " 22 24; Black and Pears, Expense Chgo., " 5 20.

DEBT PAYING. Farson Leach and Co. Interest on Bonds 1250 00

Moved by Trustee Bishop, supported by Trustee Arthur that the report of the finance committee be accepted as read and that orders be drawn for the several amounts from funds specified.

Ayes 5, Arthur, Black, Bishop, Kent and Pears.

The report of the street commissioner was read and on motion of Trustee Pears, supported by Trustee Bishop the same was accepted and placed on file. Ayes 5.

The clerk read a petition to the common council from Buchanan Hose Co., recommending the appointment of Henry F. Kingery as chief of Buchanan Fire Department to fill the unexpired term of Squire Vinton.

Moved by Trustee Bishop that the petition of Buchanan Hose Co. be accepted and that the council appoint Mr. Henry Kingery chief of the Buchanan Fire Department. Ayes 5.

President Keller appointed Mr. Henry F. Kingery chief of the Buchanan Fire Department to fill the unexpired term of Squire Vinton.

Moved by Trustee Black, supported by Trustee Pears that the appointment of President Keller be confirmed. Ayes 5.

Moved by trustee Pears supported by Trustee Bishop that Mr. Burton Jarvis be ordered to at once brick over the addition in the rear of the meat market built by him in direct violation of the village laws that unless it be done at once, the Council will take steps to remove same. Ayes, 5, Trustees Arthur, Bishop, Black, Kent and Pears.

Oh motion of Trustees Pears and Black, the council adjourned.

W. N. BRODRICK, CLERK.

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BOTH HORSES KILLED.

Disastrous Result of a Runaway on Third Street Last Night. Mr. A. C. Stephens, proprietor of the New Palace hotel, figured in a disastrous runaway about six o'clock Monday evening, while returning from Ashland, where he attended the Bradley meeting. Mr. Stephens was in his trap and when just below Ice Creek bridge, collided in the dark with a surrey in which was Harley Heald. The front wheels of the two vehicles interlocked and the suddenness of the shock threw Mr. Stephens out, or rather was dragged out, the frightened horse breaking loose from the trap. The frightened horse dashed down the road a short distance and collided with a horse being driven by Mr. M. B. Gates with such force as to break its neck. Mr. Stephens' horse sustained a broken back and it was necessary to kill it. The trap was overturned and badly damaged. Mr. Stephens was severely bruised when thrown out but sustained no broken bones and is able to be about, although very sore. The horse he lost, he brought here from Michigan and was a valuable animal, as was also Mr. Gates' Ironton (O.) Daily Register, Oct. 31.

AN EXCITING RUNAWAY. Earl Marble Fatally Injured While Driving Mills Bros. Team.

From South Bend Times. Mills Bros' delivery team and wagon driven by Earl Marble, furnished an exciting runaway Monday. The team started to run near the corner of Sample street when the driver got into the wagon and dragged him quite a distance, only stopping the runaways in front of Fred Golinick's, on Fellows street. Marble was badly injured in the back and chest, and a fast ambulance call to the police station was turned in, and he was taken to his home at 627 East Wenger street. No further damage was done by the runaway. It is thought that Marble will die as the result of the accident. The young man mentioned in the above item was a Buchanan boy and is a grandson of Mr. Issac Marble of Buchanan. His injuries resulted fatally, within a short time after the accident. The bereaved family are the recipients of much sympathy from their many friends.

PERSONAL.

Dr. Brewer was in town Tuesday. Miss Georgia Wilcox was in Niles, yesterday. Mr. S. Thompson of Niles was in town Saturday. Mrs. Nellie Fowler was in South Bend Wednesday. Mr. David Best of Goring, Neb., was in town over Sunday. Mr. Hiram Fellows is entertaining his niece from Grand Rapids. Mrs. E. D. Saliers of Grand Rapids is the guest of Mrs. S. F. High. Mr. W. A. Palmer and Mrs. W. N. Brodrick are in South Bend today. Mr. John Shetterley of Rochester, Indiana is visiting friends in town. Miss Carrie Boyle left Tuesday for a visit with her sister at Cassopolis, Mich. Mrs. C. H. Knapp, of Ritzville, Washington, is visiting relatives in town. Mrs. Mabel Shaffer and son of Cassopolis spent Sunday with the Misses Shaffer. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Coveney started Monday for an extended visit through the west. Mr. Guy Brown, of Central Lake, Mich., visited relatives in town on Monday. Mr. Chas. G. Deissner and family left last Friday for their new home at Claremont, Va. Dr. E. S. Dodd was called to St. Joseph on Tuesday to testify in the Doyle will contest. Mr. J. Shwartz of Chicago has been visiting relatives and friends here the past week. Miss Winifred Copley of Decatur, was the guest of Miss Gertrude Simon's over Sunday. Mr. Chas. Redden of Pittsburgh Pa. spent Sunday being called here by the illness of his father. Mr. Max Edwards came from Indianapolis, Ind. Tuesday evening for a week's visit with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee were in town a few days last week, returning to Benton Harbor on Friday last. Mr. and Mrs. Lawler of Augusta, Mich., spent Monday evening with Supt. L. G. Avery and family. Mr. W. W. Fry of Chicago and Mrs. C. A. Clark and daughter of Galien visited relatives in town Tuesday. Prof. R. J. Blake arrived home Monday and began active work in training his animals this morning. Mrs. Mary Barnes and two children who have been visiting her sister Mrs. M. Powers, returned home Monday.

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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BUY ROUND OAK STOVES OF E. S. ROE, THE HARDWARE MAN.

A Perfect Surprise. The members and friends of the Evangelical church sprung a happy and complete surprise on their pastor and family, Tuesday evening at about 8 o'clock. The "advance agent" in the person of one of the members of the church called at the parsonage with important business on hand, after the business, apparently of great importance, had been disposed of, a general visit was indulged in, when suddenly the door bell rang with unusual loudness Rev. Niergarth hurried to the front door when at the same time there was a stream of persons, packages, bundles, men with sacks filled, on their shoulders entering the back door until every corner of the house was occupied comprising in all a complete old fashioned "Elder Lamb's" donation. It required several hours of pleasant toil to store away all the provisions which were left. To make the occasion all the more complete the Ladies' Aid presented Mrs. Niergarth a handsome purse. To make inventory of stock on hand yesterday morning would require some time but it is certain that the pastor and family of the Evangelical church are well provided for the winter. After a few hours of pleasant time the donors returned to their homes well satisfied of a complete surprise.

Mrs. Howell F. Strong of South Bend who has been visiting friends in Buchanan returned home, Tuesday. Mrs. Banche Bowers has gone to spend the winter winter with her children in Chicago and Kansas City. Misses Grace and Ethel Godfrey returned Wednesday evening from a week's visit with their aunt in Chicago. Mrs. John Needham of St. Joseph was a guest of Mrs. Frank Needham Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Issac Marble were called to South Bend on Monday by the death of their grandson, Earl Marble. Messrs J. B. Silver and C. M. Covell, of Chicago, are in town in the interest of starting a canning factory in town. Miss Nellie Park returned home from Manistee today being called here by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Park. Mrs. L. Dragoo and sister, Mrs. Nettie Evans are visiting with relatives in South Bend, Mishawaka and Laporte, for a few weeks. Dr. and Mrs. Ruml and family who have been visiting at the home of Mrs. R. E. Beardsley have returned to their home at Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Raymond and family spent Sunday in Decatur. Mr. Raymond returned Monday but Mrs. Raymond visited a few days longer. A quarter will secure you the Michigan Farmer and the BUCHANAN RECORD until the end of 1899. Subscribe at once, Read the Record.

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**BUCHANAN MARKETS.**  
Butter—16¢.  
Eggs—18¢.  
Wheat—66¢.  
Oats—25¢.  
Corn—2¢.  
Rye—52¢.  
Flour, per bbl—\$3.60 to \$4.80.  
Live Hogs—\$3.75  
Honey—12¢.  
Live poultry—5@6¢.  
Hay—\$6@7 per ton.  
Lard, retail—8¢.  
Salt, retail—80¢.  
Beans—80¢@1.00.

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

Read Elson's local.  
Webster's Dictionary.  
Puddle Sale.—See local.  
Binns locals.—Read them.  
Northwestern Supply House.  
Scales to exchange for horse.—see local.  
G. E. Smith & Co. have a change of adv. this week.  
A Delicate Menu is the title of Van's adv. this week. Read it.  
W. H. Keller has an adv about "making every cent count." Read it.  
B. R. Desenberg and Bro. have an interesting adv. about Winter Jackets, Capes and Collarettes in this issue. Read it.

## LOCAL NOTES

Mrs. Mary Park is quite ill.  
Mrs. Frank Treat is quite sick.  
Mrs. Jesse East has been confined to her home by illness.  
Thirty-five tickets were sold for the excursion to Chicago Saturday.  
Mr. Geo. B. Thatcher is much improved, and all danger to his arm has passed.  
Mr. Isaiah H. Mitchell of Berrien Springs has received an increase in his pension.  
Mr. W. W. Waterman was out rabbit hunting one day this week, but don't ask about it.  
Mrs. Geo. Haase who has been seriously ill, has recovered sufficiently to be able to go out.  
Mr. F. B. Aniger Jr. of Sturgis, Mich., has accepted a position as city editor of the Niles Sun.  
We hear rumors of an approaching marriage and we understand the cards will be out next week. Our readers will have a good chance to guess who it is.

Another nice Maccabee dinner will be had at the home of Mrs. H. R. Adams on Tuesday, Nov. 14. A good time is expected. All L. O. T. M. come.  
The initial meeting of the J. C. Club will be held at the home of Mr. Geo. Searles on Wednesday evening, Nov. 15. A pleasing and elaborate program will be rendered.

The home of Fred Hagley, who resides about 6 miles north west of town was broken into and \$75 in money stolen. Deputy Sheriff J. C. Wenger is after the culprits, and no effort will be spared to catch the thieves.

On Tuesday evening the members of the United States made a surprise and donation on their pastor Rev. C. A. Siekafoose. The evening was spent in a social way, all expressing themselves as having a good time. The pastor and his wife feel very thankful for the visit and kindly invite all back.

Mr. Riley Wray brought a turnip to the Record office yesterday that was an immense one. It measured a trifle short of 9 inches in diameter and weighed 7½ pounds. Mr. Wray says he has over a hundred bushels of turnips and many of them nearly as large as the sample.

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The W. C. T. U. will meet at the home of Mrs. A. L. Sewell, Friday, Nov. 10 at 2:30 p. m.

A meeting of the district school teachers will be held at the home of Supt. L. G. Avery on Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of a reading circle.

Last Friday night Mr. Chas. H. Wells, while going to the barn slipped and fell, dislocating his knee cap, which will necessitate his being laid up for several weeks.

The home of Mrs. Geo. Anderson, who resides at 167 Vineyard Ave., was burned Friday night while she was at Buchanan on a visit. Most of the contents was saved but there was no insurance on those lost.

Supt. L. G. Avery is pushing a lecture course project for this winter. He has received nearly pledges to warrant the announcement that it is an established fact. Any one interested should see Mr. Avery at once.

The Board of Directors of the First National Bank held their regular meeting on Monday and accepted the resignation of Cashier Herbert Roe, who goes with Lee Bros. & Co. on Dec. first. His successor has not yet been selected.

Messrs Chas. Boyle, H. F. Kingery and John C. Wenger have been appointed appraisers of the personal property of Mr. Enos Holmes and are at work appraising the same. Mr. W. H. Keller has been appointed trustee of the estate.

Genial Charlie Hoffman was wreathed in smiles yesterday. It was all on account of a fine eleven pound grandson that arrived at his home yesterday forenoon, of whom Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hinkle are the proud parents. Both Mrs. Hinkle and the young gentleman are doing nicely.

A large number of our citizens took advantage of the excursion to Chicago, on Saturday, among those noted were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Beistle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred B. Sewell, Mrs. John Conrad, and Miss Viola Conrad, Supt. and Mrs. L. G. Avery, Miss Gardner, Messrs John A. Arthur, W. H. Keller, John C. Wenger, W. F. Runner, Wm. S. Mercer, O. G. and Geo. F. Harding.

The 30 Club held a very enjoyable special meeting at the home of Mrs. W. N. Brodrick last evening. The program comprised some fine instrumental solos by Miss Clara Rubbell, a literary salad, the prize for which was won by Mrs. H. D. Rough. An advertising contest then following in which Mr. D. L. Boardman carried off the honors. The next meeting will be with Mrs. W. W. East.

The Monday Literary Club met with Mrs. C. D. Kent on Monday. Mrs. Robt. Henderson conducted the lesson, Mrs. E. S. Dodd read a paper on Russian Literature at the time of Peter the Great, Mrs. D. H. Bower read a description of the Winter Palace of the Czar, Miss Ella F. Hahn read a paper on Russian Art and Architecture. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Alma Morgan.

The members of Cutler Tent K. O. T. M., and East Hive L. O. P. M., had an exceptionally good time last evening. A masked box social had been arranged for and the results were eminently satisfactory. Each Sir Knight masked and brought a box which was duly labelled with a number to correspond with one worn by himself. The ladies drew a number from a box and took the Sir Knight and box bearing the number drawn. Many laughable surprises resulted when the masks were removed. After the boxes had been disposed of in a pleasant manner, the evening was spent in social enjoyment. Miss Gardner, Dr. Claude Roe, and Mr. Fred Knight furnishing excellent music. A cake walk and ball game concluded the festivities.

Four Immensely Popular Two-Steps. "Belvidere," "Belle of the Prairie," "Westerner's Favorite," and "The Band Master." Binns Book Store.

Col. Holp's Lecture. The Christian Church was well filled last evening by an attentive audience who had gathered to hear the talented lecturer deliver his pleasing and instructive lecture, "Simon Says 'Thumbs Up.'" The subject was forcibly but pleasingly handled, and was a strong appeal to follow common sense rather than the senseless decree of some silly fashion or "fad." Col. Holp will deliver his well known lecture on "The Almighty Dollar" at the Christian Church next Wednesday evening. All should arrange to attend as the lecture is an excellent one and highly endorsed by all who have heard it.

An All Around Change. There has been quite a shaking up in quiet way this week in the express and telegraph offices. Express Agent S. A. Wood has been directed to turn that office over to Mr. F. W. Ravin of Detroit and together with Route Agent Pierce of Jackson are checking up the books preparatory to taking charge of the same. Mr. W. A. Pardon, Manager of the Postal Telegraph Co. at this place has also been directed to turn over his office to Mr. Ravin who will also manage their affairs here in connection with the express agency. Mr. Ravin may lease a part of the store occupied by Mr. W. F. Runner and may remove the express and telegraph offices to that locality as soon as arrangements can be made.

Progressive Lunch. Served by the ladies of the Presbyterian church Friday evening November 10. Five noted cities visited. First train starts at five p. m. Last train at eight p. m. First stop is at London (Mrs. Crotters'). Fine concert at Havana, nine p. m. Tickets for round trip, concert included, 25 cents. Tickets on sale at D. L. Boardman's, A. Jones' and also London.

Rough & Fuller's cider mill now running at Buchanan.

Public Sale. At the residence of the undersigned 4 miles south and 1 mile east of Buchanan on Wednesday, November 22, 1899 beginning at ten o'clock a. m. The following described property, 3 good work horses, 2 milch cows, 4 head young cattle, 15 shoats, 2 sets double harness, 2 plows, wide tired wagon, fanning mill, Strayer Drill, household goods, and other articles not mentioned.

MRS. C. G. DRESSLER, J. B. CLEMENTS, Auct. To Exchange a three ton stock scales for a lively horse. Inquire of I. N. Batchelor.

Go to Elson's for Trimmed Hats and Millinery, every article sold below cost as we are closing out stock. Come quick as goods will soon go.

Public Sale. At residence of subscriber 4 miles west and half mile south of Buchanan known as John Burrus farm on Tuesday, Nov. 14, 1899, at ten o'clock a. m. one span matched geldings, 1 black mare, 1 yearling colt, 2 spring colts, 6 head cattle, 3 milch cow, hogs sheep, turkeys, and chickens, timothy and clover hay, Deering binder and mower, plows, wagons, cultivators, harrows, and farm implements also household goods and other articles not mentioned. H. M. ALVORD, H. A. HATHAWAY, AUCTIONEER.

BENTON HARBOR ABSTRACT CO. Abstracts of Title, Loans Negotiated Real Estate and Conveyancing. We give no rewards. An offer of this kind is the meanest of deceptions. Test the curative powers of Ely's Cream Balm for the cure of Catarrh Hay Fever and Cold in the Head and you are sure to continue the treatment. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying, does not produce sneezing. It soothes and heals the membrane. Price 10 cents at Druggists or by mail. Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York.

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New Cider Mill at Buchanan.

Letters remaining uncalled for in the P. O. at Buchanan, Mich. for the week ending Nov. 6, 1899. Mr. Amos Ives, Mr. G. S. Homes, Earnest Torrey, Walt. Burgoyne, Mrs. Wm. Eggert, Miss Sarah Murlchs, postal card, John Theodor.

G. W. Noble, P. M.

## SPECIAL SALE OF Trimmed Hats

—AT— THE EMPORIUM.

Pepto Quinine Tablets cure a cold.

THE AUSTRALIAN AUNT.

Up a steep slope from a thicket of beech and ash came a young man. Stepping from beneath the shelter of the trees, he looked keenly right and left, as if in search of something or some one, nor did he seek in vain.

and if you do not like the place why do you stay? You can teach music, and French, and grammar, and 'jography, and what not—you can make a living anywhere! I wouldn't stay here if I were you, making a door mat of yourself for these people to wipe their feet upon, when I could do better elsewhere."

drawing her to him until her cheeks lay against the rough cloth of his coat, "I have startled you. I have come suddenly upon you. But Kitty, your counsel has brought me luck. I stand here a free man—poor, but able to fight my way; and I have come to ask if you will be my wife when I can make a home for you? I have sold the old acres. I shall be able to pay my mother's dower; my sister's portion; and if I have but little left, I have at least the right to please myself. Answer me, will you wait for me, little darling?"

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MICHIGAN CENTRAL "The Niagara Falls Route." TRAINS EAST. LEAVE BUCHANAN. Detroit Night Express, No. 8, 12:30 A.M. Mail, No. 6, 9:45 A.M. P. at Eastern Express, No. 14, 5:30 P.M. Chicago & Salamanca Accom., No. 22, 7:25 P.M.

Mortgage Sale.

Whereas default has been made in the pay of a certain mortgage dated the 15th day of March, 1888, made and executed by Simon Stevens, a widow residing in the village of Berrien Springs, Berrien County, Michigan, to Roscoe D. Dix of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of said County in Liber 35 of mortgages on page 278 on the 15th day of March, 1888, and in and assigned by the said Roscoe D. Dix to William P. Miller by a written assignment bearing date the 16th day of June, 1888, and recorded in said Register's office on the 16th day of June, 1888, in Liber 54 of mortgages on page 101, and

Mortgage Sale.

Whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, principal and interest, is the sum of seventy-five and 47/100 dollars (\$75.47), and no proceedings having been instituted to recover the same, or any part thereof.

Notice of Hearing.

And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the BUCHANAN RECORD, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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NICE CALLING COSTUME.

Description of the Latest Style Borrowed From London.

French gray voile, or mauve foulard, trimmed with coarse guipure and small Louis XIV. bows and graceful festoons of baby ribbon in a deeper shade. Finely pleated frounces, edged with ribbon ruche. Tiny steel buckles.



Hat in vandyked straw, turned up at the side with links of cut jet. Rows of ribbon and tufts of feathers in harmony with the trimming of the gown. Queen.

About the Baby.

A deal of nonsense is printed these days about the lingerie of little Miss "Newcome." She is supposed to require robes of gossamer and lace, cloaks of satin, and necklaces of pearl. The number of slips actually required is never given as less than three dozen, and there must be state robes fine as a cobweb and almost priceless.

The babies of the rich are clothed expensively often, particularly the babies of the new rich. But sensible women the world over are well content to have their little ones dressed simply, but with such sweet cleanliness that all who see them will want to fall down and render worship to the most adorable thing beneath the bending heavens.

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The only thing absolutely necessary is to keep the little bodies warm and wholesomely sweet. In winter clothe the baby in flannel from throat to wee pink toe, but see that the flannel is as soft as the down on a gray moth's breast. Good and expensive wools are very apt to shrink and become harsh, and for that reason a good quality of outing flannel is better than the finest French fabric, and does not cost half so much.

Language of Jewels. The turquoise, in spite of its tendency to change color, is the emblem of sincerity, confidence, truth, tenderness, and friendship, and brings good fortune. It has also a beneficial effect upon the sight and is one of the most esteemed gems of the orientals.

Earrings seem to have disappeared entirely, even studs of the smallest variety. Doubtless the revolution of fashion will cause them to return to favor, but at present they may be left out of the reckoning. Long jeweled chains are still in favor, while rings were never more worn.

A Russian Superstition. Russian girls try to ascertain their prospects of matrimony in the following manner: A number of them take off their rings and conceal them in a basket of corn. A hen is then brought in and invited to partake of the corn. The owner of the first ring uncovered will be the first to be married.

WOMEN IN LIVERY.

They Are Displacing Men in New York's Smart Houses.

Liveried women butlers, instead of men, are now seen in many of the smart houses of New York. For some time past there has been a gradual superseding of supercilious "Jeems" in the dining-room by two neat maids, while two maids, instead of footmen, in conjunction with an elderly butler, have sufficed for other up-to-date houses. The scheme of putting women into livery originated in England, and an English girl was the first one to bring the fashion to America.

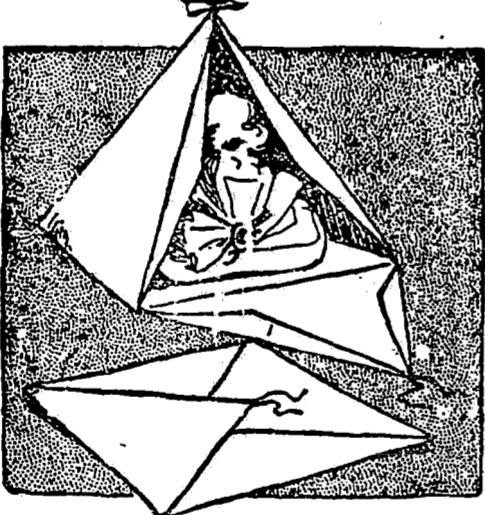
Usually it is sufficient to wash the face on rising and before going to bed, but if the face is dirty between times it must be washed, of course. Frequent scrubbing injures the texture of the skin, therefore it is always advisable to allay possible irritation by the use of cold cream before washing when the face is very dirty, and for protection's sake before exposing the face to trying conditions, as just suggested.

When the skin is dry, when the age of wrinkles is reached, when the skin is subjected to any but ideal conditions, it is well to feed it overnight. After thoroughly washing, thoroughly rinsing and thoroughly drying the face at night — and make the whole process gentle, though thorough, not torturing — apply a good cold cream and let it remain on over night.

There are cold creams and cold creams. No two skin specialists use the same creams, and each manufacturer of toilet articles prefers his own formulas. It is the custom of some writers on toilet matters to advise women to make their own toilet preparations, but I do not. It is a difficult and unsatisfactory task for even the woman having facilities at hand for distilling water, a mortar, droppers and various other accessories indispensable to a correct composition of oils, acids and extracts; it is a totally hopeless task for any one not provided with these laboratory furnishings.

PYRAMIDAL HAT BOX.

The box designed to contain a piece of woman's millinery consumes a great deal of room when not in use, and this constitutes a very important matter in many establishments located on thoroughfares where rents are high, as



space is valuable, and then, too, such a box does not perfectly perform its functions, for the reason that the hat is not snugly contained therein. A pyramidal box for this purpose, which folds around the hat, and which has the faculty of folding flat when not in use, has been recently patented, and is shown both in the extended and folded positions in the accompanying cut. The base of the box consists of a square, and what forms the sides are of triangular shape, the points being buttoned together when in use. Along the edges of these side pieces are strips of paper, which fold over the joints to afford greater protection to the contents of the box.

Dressing the Hair. The real keynote to successful hair-dressing, as the tasteful woman has long ago found, is to follow Fashion. If that capricious dame announces that "hair is worn low this season" it means simply to the woman who knows, that the general effect of her coiffure is to be slightly lowered. She will still dress her hair, as she must always, to suit her face. A low, straight forehead may be surmounted by a pompadour arrangement; a high, pointed brow, never. Fine, straight black hair ought never to show itself in frizzes or fine curls; loose, shining waves is its heightening beauty. It is a curious fact, too, that blonde and brown hair may permit itself a sweet confusion that in black hair is simple untidiness.

Mrs. McKinley's Most Beautiful Reception Gown.

Mrs. McKinley, our President's wife, is, as everyone knows, a great invalid, and her husband's devotion to her is a beautiful example, which will go down in history. She has excellent taste in the choice of her gowns. She receives, almost always, seated in a large armchair, so has her dresses made so the front effect is always good, and her trains are so arranged that there is not too much fullness at the top of the skirt and yet enough to hang in graceful folds about her.

Mrs. McKinley's gowns for this winter are in excellent taste. She has one of silver-gray peau de soie, which is a sort of heavy ribbed silk, with hardly any lustre. The skirt has a long train, and all up the front and on both sides are bands of beautiful steel embroidery, with small silver spangles. The bodice is embroidered in the same way and is relieved at the throat by a collar and jabot of real lace. It is made surplice, with long, tight fitting sleeves, which fall well over the hands.

Variety and excellence are qualities that have not been lost sight of in making up the November Ladies, Home Journal. There are contributions by Ian Maclaren, Sir Henry Irving, by the author of "In His Steps," Clifford Howard, Mrs. Burton Kingsland and others. There are innumerable pictorial features, and practical, useful and helpful articles. By the Curtis Publishing Company, Philadelphia. One dollar per year; ten cents per copy.

"The United States Railway Mail Service" is the title of the International's leading article for November. The writer, Louis Francis Hinds, gives an interesting account of the history of this "great arm of the government," and also describes in detail a modern railway post office and its workings. The article is finely illustrated from photographs of postal-cars taken on the different railroads, etc., the most striking picture of all being a snap shot of fast mail train on the Burlington route approaching Council Bluffs at a speed of over 70 miles an hour. There are few statistics in the whole, and so it is instructive without being tiresome or heavy in the least.

Brilliant as the Atumna tints of the woods and fields it loves so well are the pages of Outing for November. The buck of the northern hills, the bear in the Rockies, the moose of Maine, the grouse in Michigan, duck on Lake Champlain, sport in Tennessee, and the wild yak in far away Thibet, all yield their tribute to enthusiasts writing for their kind. Football has a prophet in Walter Camp, lawn tennis its historian in James P. Paret, golf its chronicler in Charles Turner, and "Travel in China," "A Race 'Round the Horn," and "Yachting on White Bear Lake," are described by well known pens. The illustrations are remarkable, even for the Outing's high standard of sporting pictures, and the Editorial Review of the month's pastimes is by the foremost sportsman in their respective lines.

Saved by a Tornado. In 1780 Grenada, in the West Indies, was visited by a tornado with singular effects. Unlike similar phenomena this was to the inhabitants a providential deliverance from a pest which threatened their economic ruin. Some time previously the formica saccharivora, a species of ant, appeared in such numbers as to make the annihilation of the sugar-cane a question of a few weeks only. After in vain trying many experiments, and offering large rewards for a remedy against the plague, the helpless people resolved to abandon their homes in a body and betake themselves to another island. By this famous tempest Providence accomplished in a few moments what man, with all his appliances, had failed to overcome. The ant was exterminated.—San Francisco Chronicle.

'Nother Shooting Case. "Here's another one of those shooting cases in the negro district." "Gracious! Have they caught the man?" "There were four of them. They were shooting craps, you know."—Philadelphia North-American.

Cecil Rhoades, the man who has done more than any other Englishman to give the English-speaking race a foothold in South Africa, and hence is indirectly, if not directly, responsible for the differences between the British Government and President Kruger that have culminated in war, is the subject of an elaborate character sketch by Mr. W. T. Stead in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for November. Mr. Stead was the original "discoverer" of Mr. Rhoades and has for many years been on terms of intimacy with the millionaire-statesman. His sketch is the only authentic biography of Rhoades ever published.

The trial of Dreyfus by the court-martial at Rennes had a broader and deeper significance than belonged to it as the mere prosecution of an individual soldier. In its purpose and in the circumstances which preceded and attended it, it cast a lurid light upon the present situation in France, especially upon the perilous power possessed by the army in the great European republic. M. Bernard Lazare, who was first to demand a revision of the Dreyfus verdict, contributes a powerful article to the November number of the North American Review, in which through an incisive examination of the proceedings at the trial at Rennes he discloses the nefarious machinations of the General Staff and its tools and exposes the danger which menaces France in consequence of the domination of her military chiefs.

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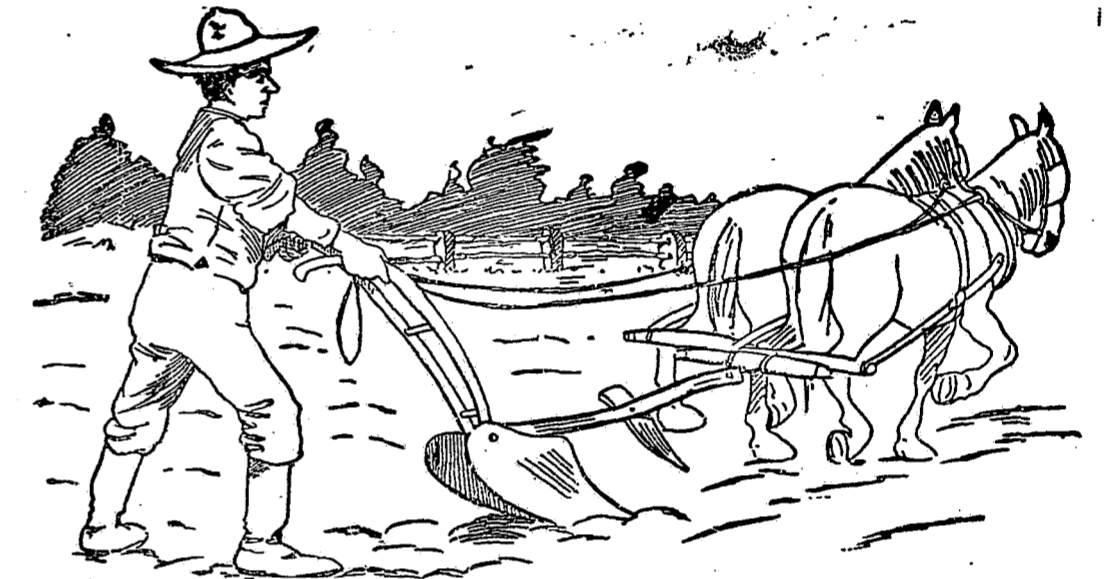
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I am a farmer located near Stony Brook, one of the most malarious districts in this State, and was bothered with malaria for years, at times so I could not work, and was always very constipated as well. For years I had malaria so bad in the spring, when engaged in plowing, that I could do nothing but shake. I must have taken about a barrel of quinine pills besides dozens of other remedies, but never obtained any permanent benefit. Last fall, in peach time, I had a most serious attack of chills and then commenced to take Ripans Tabules, upon a friend's advice, and the first box made me all right and I have never been without them since. I take one Tabule each morning and night and sometimes when I feel more than usually exhausted I take three in a day. They have kept my stomach sweet, my bowels regular and I have not had the least touch of malaria nor splitting headache since I commenced using them. I know also that I sleep better and wake up more refreshed than formerly. I don't know how many complaints Ripans Tabules will help, but I do know they will cure any one in the condition I was and I would not be without them at any price. I honestly consider them the cheapest-priced medicine in the world, as they are also the most beneficial and the most convenient to take. I am twenty-seven years of age and have worked hard all my life, the same as most farmers, both early and late and in all kinds of weather, and I have never enjoyed such good health as I have since last fall; in fact, my neighbors have all remarked my improved condition and have said, "Say, John, what are you doing to look so healthy?"

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### CORRESPONDENCE

#### NEW BUFFALO.

Commissioner C. D. Jennings visited our burg Monday.

A patrons' and teachers' meeting will be held in the opera house here Saturday afternoon Nov. 18.

Rev. L. G. Herbert will give a lecture at the Baptist church Friday evening Nov. 17, under the auspices of the school. Subject: "The Twentieth Century Man."

Mrs. Clara Palmer Hyde a noted violinist gave the congregation at the Baptist church a treat Sunday evening. She is to give a concert at the opera house next Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Shultz is visiting her daughter in Chicago Heights this week.

Local sportsmen are killing much powder these days. Game is not suffering very badly however but the hunters' dogs are.

Principal Stevens' sister, Mrs. Jefferson Spennetta and son Jesse, and Mrs. Carrie Hess, all from Buchanan spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Miss Hattie E. Thurston started to school Monday. She will prepare for the teachers' examination in March.

The Y. M. C. A. will observed next week as a week of prayer.

Miss Maude Raxford returned from her visit in Grand Rapids, Friday.

#### THREE OAKS.

Mrs. Smith who has been visiting friends in this vicinity during the past two weeks, returned to Fulton, New York, last week.

Miss Eva Davis returned from Chicago last week.

The new power house which is being built for the Featherbone Co. will be of cream colored brick. We understand that they will put in an engine large enough to run the machinery in both buildings. The company are now manufacturing their own paste-board boxes, machinery for that

purpose being put in last week.

A. W. Davis moved on the Allenwine place last week.

F. B. Hinchman has purchased the Covenough property in the south part of town.

#### SODUS.

S. J. Rector is loading a car with sugar beet this week.

Wilmer Nichols has been confined to the house for the week past with ulceration of the stomach.

J. R. Omweg is at home this week taking care of his sugar beets.

The Ladies' Aid of the U. B. church met with Mrs. Wm. Burdick Wednesday.

T. A. Lawrence is at his home place this week.

Mr. O. F. Tuttle was a visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson's last Sunday.

J. E. Field did some wall painting for Frank Deamer this week.

#### FAIRLAND.

Mrs. George Ireland, of Niles who has been visiting her parents at this place, returned home, Tuesday.

Wm. Matthews, who works in Benton Harbor, came home last week as he was unable to work on account of an abscess on his neck.

Mr. Levi Sparks has moved and now lives with his son, Ed.

The "Big 4" have been repairing the bridge north as this place.

R. V. Tenbroeck is very low again with spinal trouble.

Mrs. Wm. Shearer is improving slowly.

### COUNTY SEAT NEWS

The evidence in the Boucher murder trial is all in, the lawyers are making their final arguments and late Friday afternoon the case went to the jury on whose whose verdict the fate of George Boucher depends. The decision of the jurors was in doubt and the court room is crowded with spectators who were interested in the case or were curious to know what the verdict would be. He was convicted of murder in the first degree at 9:20 o'clock Friday night. The jury retired about 8 o'clock and decided on a verdict in a little over an hour. Boucher made very little comment on the decision and acted in about the same nervous manner as he did before his fate was known. He said something to Sheriff Ferguson about the jurors all being liars and added, "Well, I suppose they're all satisfied now." He did not break down or appear unusually disheartened.

Judge Coolidge, Monday afternoon sentenced him to solitary confinement at hard labor for life and he was taken to Jackson Tuesday. The judge asked the condemned man if he had anything to say and he replied that he was innocent before God and man, that the jury did not weigh the evidence and that he never said anything about the case to Taylor and Huss.

#### THE CIRCUIT COURT.

In the case of the people vs. Victor Trudell, for larceny, the defendant pleaded guilty Friday and was sentenced to 90 days in the County jail.

Mary E. White, of Buchanan by her attorney, G. H. Bachelor, has filed a bill of divorce from her husband Herbert White on the ground of non-support.

Nelis Weikoff, by attorneys Hammond has filed a bill of divorce from his wife, Myrtle Weikoff, on the ground of desertion.

The November term of court opened, Monday morning but no cases will be tried until next Monday, Judge Coolidge returning to Niles Monday.

#### A BIG JUDGMENT.

The board of education of the city of Duluth by their attorneys, Andrew & Murdoch, has taken a judgment of \$5587.01 by inquest against Henry Lardner, of Niles.

Nearly one hundred deer licenses were issued by the county clerk this fall.

#### PROBATE COURT.

Harry Innis, administrator, with the will annexed of the estate of John Buckles, deceased, filed and settled his final account and an order of distribution was entered disposing of the property as provided by the will of deceased.

The will of David A. Best, deceased, late of Bertrand township, was admitted to probate and John A. Parsons was appointed executor of said estate

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John Dick of Buchanan was appointed administrator of the estate of Caroline Batchelor, deceased.

The contest of the will of George Doyle, deceased, was heard, Tuesday. A number of witnesses are present from Galien.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Ora Dorman, 21, Lakeside, Nellie Looker, 19, Three Oaks.

G. C. Zeitmeisel, 32, Mrs. Lulu Kug, 24, Chicago.

John Miller, 19, Lillian, M. Benning, 18, St. Joseph.

John A. Klath, 31, Emma Vogeley, 16, Three Oaks.

Alba Rosa, 29, Hagar, Dora Ritter, 22, Bainbridge.

F. A. Schedler, Anna Mischke, Stevensville.

Geo. W. Burns, 55, Ida Howard, 24, Lafayette, Ind.

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Horace G. Wagner to Wm. Shelley 10 acres in Lake \$200.

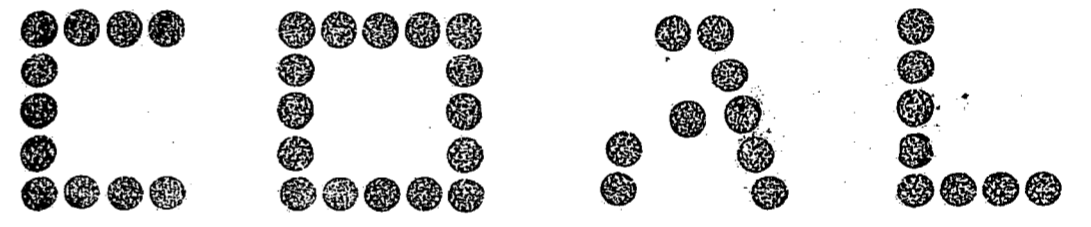
Albert A. Lamb to Frank S. Lamb et al 66 1/2 acres in Bertrand \$1.

Norman J. Davis to Rance Calvin lot 35 Fulton's add to Buchanan \$27.

Edward D. Black to Edna E. Smith lot 12 blk 23 Morley's add to New Troy \$8.44.

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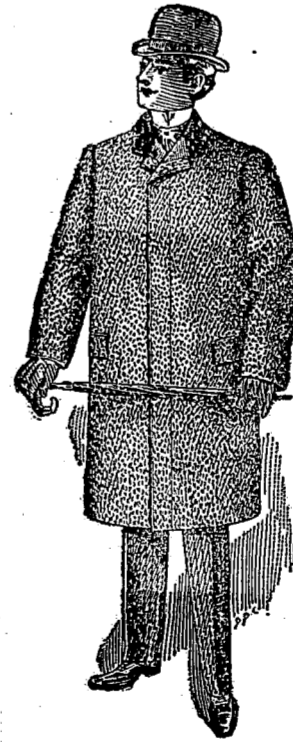
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