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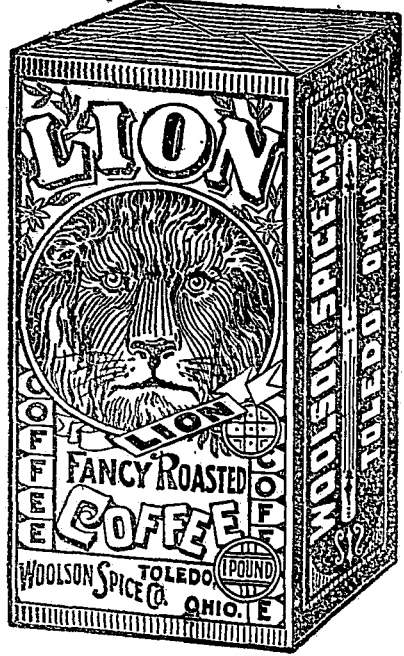
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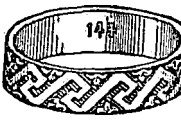


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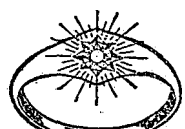
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For 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Color, dark brown. Made of fine kid leather; chamomile lining; nickel-plated frame, with strong snapping.

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Given for 175 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp. Neat appearing and an excellent time-keeper. Solid nickel-silver case, with ornamental back. Nickel movements, escapement fully jeweled. The famous "Knickerbocker" watch.

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363 pages of valuable cooking receipts, also treatises on the labor of the kitchen, dining-room, laundry, sick-room, and remedies for the more common diseases. Given for 15 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

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The "Boy's Green" knife, with blade, pen-knife, and pocket-knife. Given for 12 lion heads and a 2-cent stamp.

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## FARM

is no other green food to be had, is just the time they are especially valuable, and are sought after the most by the hogs.—Agriculturist.

**How to Pasteurize Milk Easily.**  
Milk may be easily pasteurized by using the same apparatus employed in cooling and aerating, except that instead of running cold water through the machine, use steam. The milk will become hot. The temperature can be controlled by regulating the amount of steam let into the aerator. The temperature of the milk will be about 150 degrees when it reaches the trough, but by the time it has fallen into the can, it is cooled to 140 degrees. This is practically the pasteurizing temperature, but if the tubercle bacilli are to be destroyed the can to receive the milk should be hot and sterilized, and the steam can be protected by an inverted funnel, and it may be that a plate of glass should be placed in front of and near the ridges of the cooler. Milk should stand in the can about 20 minutes, when it should be turned back into the aerator, and cooled in the ordinary way. The New Jersey experiment station finds this method very efficacious, and particularly applicable to small dairy farms where a regular pasteurizing apparatus is not at hand.

**The Popular Dutch-Jersey Hog.**  
The exact origin of this breed is not definitely known, but probably it is purely American, being developed from hogs in New York and New Jersey. If the breed did not originate here, it was certainly developed in this country. It early began to attract attention because of its unique color and ability to lay on flesh rapidly. The hogs had, from the first, splendid constitutions, and consequent capacity for assimilating food, a characteristic which they still retain. The sows are doubtless the most prolific of any breed of swine in existence. Young sows usually farrow from eight to twelve pigs at a litter, and from ten to eighteen is not uncommon for old sows. The pigs are very strong at birth, and

the sows and pigs very seldom need any attention at this time. They almost invariably impart to their offspring their wonderfully prolific breeding qualities, are good, quiet mothers, supplied with a generous flow of milk, raise large, even litters, and other breeds, when crossed with them, are greatly improved in vigor and as breeders and feeders.

**Binding Corn Fodder.**  
Corn fodder that is cut and left standing in the field is often greatly damaged because of the loose way in which the shocks are bound. A handy and effective way to draw the shock together for tying is to take a strap and fasten an iron ring two or three inches in diameter to one end. By putting the strap around the shock near the middle and running the free end through the ring, the shock can be brought to its smallest compass and held there while additional layers are being put on. There is little difficulty in keeping fodder which is well tied, and this method insures tight, compact shocks that will stand wind and storm.

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shirt waist and a leather belt this skirt makes up the most approved, simple, sensible and inexpensive outfit suit yet devised.—New York Sun.

**Economy in Feeding.**  
Every dollar saved in the food is an addition to the profit, but economy should never be practiced in using any foods that induce production. As long as an article is giving satisfaction it pays to use it, and when the hens fall off in laying it indicates that they require something else. To practice economy the cost of the food must be considered from the standpoint of profit. If corn has given good results and the hens cease to lay, then corn is no longer cheap. It may no doubt be purchased at less outlay than any other food that can be used, but it will not be cheap, because it is of no further use after the hens reach a condition in which they demand a new article of diet. Lean meat, fresh from the butcher, is an expensive food when it cannot be conveniently procured, yet if the hens demand it and the results are favorable it is cheaper than corn. There is no saving in buying grain because of its cheapness when better foods are demanded, and it is this point that the poultryman should keep in view. He should feed for eggs, no matter what kind of food may be required.

**Charcoal for Swine.**  
We have been asked by a young breeder whether charcoal was a good thing to feed swine, says an exchange. Our answer is very emphatically in the affirmative. It is a corrective, and undoubtedly prevents, and, at times, cures many ailments arising from a disordered stomach. It acts as an absorbent of such gastric juices as may be injurious to the system, and causes them to pass off through their proper channels. Charcoal and ashes (add a little salt to the latter) are used largely by most of our breeders and farmers. In feeding charcoal or ashes, place them within the reach of the hogs and they will eat only as much as their appetites crave. Fine coal is a relished by swine occasionally, and can be fed with perfect safety. Charcoal and ashes are very cheap, and their use may save many dollars' worth of hogs each year.

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COUNTY SEAT NEWS

December 1st last register of deeds French received instructions from the state tax commission to compile a list of undischarged mortgages for Berrien county for the purpose of assisting the state officials in making taxes equal throughout Michigan.

John H. Richardson, by his attorney, Wm. J. Gilbert, has filed a foreclosure bill against Frederick Zimmerle and Katrina Zimmerle on a mortgage of \$2,200.

Albert E. Houseworth, administrator of the estate of H. G. Houseworth, has filed an affidavit for writ of attachment against James S. Houseworth.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Leo O. Matthews, 31, Kansas City, Mo.; Sara H. Elliot, 21, Berrien Springs.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Adam Miller to Wm. B. Harmon 11 acres in Hagar, \$500.

Wm. Abernathy et al to Jesse James lot 152 Forest Beach Water-vliet \$160.

Wm. Abernathy et al to Alfred Martin lot 56 Forest Beach Water-vliet \$250.

Ira M. Allen to Alfred Martin lots 53, 54, 55, 156 Forest Beach Water-vliet \$650.

Geo. W. Thompson to Jerry Keller 85 acres in Berrien also e 1/2 s 1/2 sec 18 \$900.

Amelia L. Bacon to Eva M. Korman 6 acres in Niles tp \$425.

John Bohl to Alfred Neuberger s 1/2 blk 53 Virginia Co's add to New Buffalo \$50.

Emilie Westfall to John Westfall property in Lake \$400.

Wm. F. Hern to Esther A. Griffith t 49 and 53 Buchanan \$1.

Hiram Pierce to Ira M. Allen s e corner 41 Watervliet \$50.

Phillip N. Weaver to Edson B. Leaver property in Buchanan \$500.

Matilda Huffman to Albert M. Mes blk 33 New Buffalo \$700.

James R. Glass to Margaret E. Greenwalt 10 acres in Watervliet \$1000.

Joshua A. Feather to Stephen A. Feather 80 acres in Oronoko \$4000.

The Conversion of Senator George. The late Senator George of Mississippi was an agnostic, while his wife was deeply religious, says a correspondent from that State. She placed a neighboring Baptist minister on his trail, and he got no peace. Once, riding slowly home from Carrollton and reading his mail, the preacher burst out of the woods on his right hand and began. They came to a creek and crossed it. It was in the Senator's language, "saddle pocket deep." On the further bank he dismounted. "Get down," he said, fiercely. The minister looked at him doubtfully. He feared a personal encounter. "Get down!" He got down. "Now," said George, "I'm tired o' being harried around th' kentry like I was a cotton-tail rabbit an' you was a pack of nigger dogs. Baptize me right here." It was winter time, but the venerable statesman would not be denied. The two men waded into the icy water up to their armpits, and the ceremony was performed. Senator George climbed into his saddle and looked down on the shivering evangelist. "Now," he said, "you go home and stay home. I'm through with this — foolishness."

A RAFFLE FOR SOULS. A Peculiar Notice in a Catholic Church in Mexico. The Rev. Francis S. Borton, a missionary in Pueblo, Mex., says, in the Christian Endeavor World, that he recently saw the following notice in a Roman Catholic church in Mexico: "Raffle for Souls—At the last Raffle for Souls the following numbers obtained the prize, and the lucky holders may be assured that their loved ones are forever released from the flames of purgatory: "Ticket 841—The soul of the lawyer James Vasquez is released from purgatory and ushered into heavenly joys. "Ticket 41—The soul of Mme. Calderon is made happy forever. "Ticket 762—The soul of the aged widow Francisca de Parras is forever released from the flames of purgatory. "Another raffle for souls will be held at this same blessed Church of the Redeemer on January 1, at which four bleeding and tortured souls will be released from purgatory to heaven, according to the four highest tickets in this most holy lottery. Tickets, \$1. To be had of the father in charge. Will you, for the poor sum of \$1, leave your loved ones to burn in purgatory for ages?"

ARE LOSING GROUND.

JAPANESE "HOUSE BOYS" CROWDING IRISH HELP OUT.

Mrs. Ledyard Stevens and Mrs. Rosenberg Explain Many of the Troubles in Domestic Economy—Many Women Have Fancies Which Bureaus are Bound to Gratify.

"There are more than enough competent household servants in New York city to supply the demand," says Mrs. Ledyard Stevens, of the Bureau of Social Requirements.

"Japanese men," says Mrs. Stevens, "are making a valuable addition to domestic workers in this city, and are coming more and more into demand. The Japanese are industrious, thrifty and clean, and I have never known drunkenness among them. They will not steal from their mistress, however much they may purloin from her next-door neighbor. Japanese house boys constitute the entire force in each of several of the finest establishments in this city, and their employers will have no other help. The Japanese must be treated with consideration, and cannot be driven. They have quick tempers, but the one who makes them work hardest gains their sincerest admiration. They are the only men whose services are in great demand now in New York as house-workers."

"I think a good combination is obtained by having an English outler, a German cook, Swedish or Irish parlormaid and waitress, and always an Irish laundress. Irish girls are wanted for parlormaids and waitresses. They dress becomingly, are neat in appearance and good looking. For a position as waitress nowadays a girl much below six feet need not apply. Tall girls are the style, and, no matter if a short girl understands her business with the first in the land, she will have to seek other occupation.

"Servants are too highly paid. In my grandmother's day her lady's maid was paid \$5 a month, and she made all of her dresses and lingerie. Twenty dollars ought to be enough for a good lady's maid now, and from \$20 to \$30 for a cook.

"A woman in the office the other day said: 'I never overlook faults.' That is the cause of a great deal of the trouble between mistresses and maids. Women brought up in the lap of luxury do not know anything about the monotony of a servant's daily routine. Many a chambermaid, besides doing the work for which she is engaged, spends a large part of her time in looking for mislaid gloves, hats and rubbers for the various members of the family. Mistresses forget that there are troubles, aches and pains downstairs, as well as upstairs, and that, while she has days when she is tired, when nothing goes right, when even her hair will not curl. Bridget has exactly the same trials. She does not know when, some morning, the oatmeal is too thick, the coffee weak, or the chops burned, that poor Bridget has been jilted by her sweetheart, and that her heart is broke entirely, but that a few kind words would brighten up her day magically.

"I have girls say to me sometimes, 'I had rather have less wages, and kindness.' We all, every one of us who employ help, need more of the milk of human kindness.

"Many women have fancies which employment bureaus are bound to gratify. One wants a brunette, and another will have nothing but a blonde; one objects to girls with red hair, another to those with black hair. Some mistresses will not allow frizzes, and some insist on a certain cut of collar. Irish girls have owned everything in New York for a long time. I believe the time is at hand when they will be superseded by the Japanese house boys, the Swedes and the Finns."

Her Advice.

John Luther Long, the well-known author of several successful books and the teller of many charming stories, spent the past Summer at a resort along the New Jersey coast, relates the Saturday Evening Post. On his way to his home there he was obliged to stop over one night at Seabright, and this story is told of his little visit. He was recognized by several people, and when he entered the dining room one of them came forward and asked him to occupy a seat at his table. He was quietly introduced as Mr. Long, and his literary reputation did not enter at all into the presentations. He was placed beside a very beautiful and charming young lady, and after a while the conversation developed somewhat as follows: "Mr. Long, your name is quite familiar. I have run across it somewhere very recently."

"There are a great many Longs," he said.

"No, but I mean that I have read something somewhere. Oh, yes, I remember; it was a story called 'The Fox Woman.' Do you know who wrote it?"

Mr. Long was blissfully ignorant. "Yes, I am sure that was it," she said.

"It may be by a relative. What do you think of it?"

She gazed at him earnestly and replied, "Don't read it."

A Satire in Whittier's Slippers.

One evening as I sat with Mr. Whittier before his Franklin stove he hospitably brought forward a pair of slippers, and laughed as he pointed at the satirical device embroidered upon them. He said Gail Hamilton worked them for him when his wartime poems were being published. They represented a pair of belligerent American eagles, armed with the thunderbolts of Jove, and they were done in the soberest Quaker drah—thunderbolts and all! "Thee sees," he said, "she is as sharp with her needle as with her pen!"—Samuel T. Pickard, in the Ladies Home Journal.

Beer tableids will soon be put on the market in Germany. One of these tablets, it is claimed, when dissolved in a glass of water will produce beer as fresh as if just drawn from a kee.

A query as to fire insurance is a burning question.

A "What Would Jesus Do?" Daily.

One of the most interesting publications of the century will be the Christian Daily to be edited and managed by Chas. M. Sheldon, author of "In His Steps, or What Would Jesus Do?" and half a dozen other widely read books. Over 3,000,000 copies of that book have been sold in England and probably half that many in this country.

In his most famous story he gives a large place as to how a Christian daily newspaper was established. It is his hope and dream. At the Detroit Christian Endeavor Convention last year, in a speech received with applause, he asked, "Who in this age of magnificent endowments will give \$1,000,000 for the establishment of a great Christian daily newspaper?" Through requests of leading citizens the Topeka Capital will gratify Mr. Sheldon's hope by turning over its plant to him, March 13 to 19. He has accepted the offer and will show the world his ideas as to what every Christian daily should be.

The Union Gospel News, Cleveland, O., made special arrangements by wire at a rate that allows it to offer the Topeka Capital for the six issues edited by Mr. Sheldon, and the Union Gospel News, three months, 13 issues, for 40 cents, a few more cents than the price of the Topeka Capital, which will be 25 cents, and during the three months you get the Union Gospel News, it will contain Sheldon's most tragic story, "The Crucifixion of Phillip Strong," to be handsomely illustrated for the first time by original photographs.

Remember you get the six issues of Christian daily, 13 issues of the Union Gospel News and Sheldon's most tragic story, all for 40 cents, sent to the UNION GOSPEL NEWS, 142 Seneca St. Cleveland, O. In remitting ask for coupons by which you can get your 40 cents back several times over.

New Music.

Flanner's Music House, Milwaukee, Wis., has favored us with two new compositions; a two-step, "Sounds from the Regiment," by Joseph Clement, dictated to the Third Regiment, Wisconsin Volunteers; it is a very catchy piece and full of ginger. The other is a song, "My Lad is a Sailor," by W. Francis Leon, a very pretty ballad. Ask Flanner to send you his latest monthly Bulletin (free) of Sheet Music and Music Book at greatly reduced prices.

The topics editorially treated in the American Monthly Review of Reviews for February are the Nicaragua Canal proposition now before Congress, the Canadian and Erie Canal projects, underground transit in New York and elsewhere, the currency and business situation, the Treasury and the banks, the popular election of Senators, Mr. Beveridge's speech in the Senate on the Philippine question, our tariff policy in Puerto Rico and Cuba, the meaning of "neutrality" in the Boer war, and the strength and weakness of the Boer position.

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"The Trust in Politics" is the title of an article contributed to the February number of the North American Review by ex-Senator W. A. Peffer. Mr. Peffer thinks it is fortunate that in the approaching Presidential campaign the trust question is to be taken up as a political issue; and he sees reason to believe that the discussion will be conducted on broad, high, patriotic ground in the fact that men and women of all parties are agreed on the principle that no profession, trade, occupation, business or calling shall be permitted to operate to the public injury. The ex-Senator lays stress upon the proposition that regulating price does not mean fixing price, and he advocates the institution of a Department of Commerce in the National Government:

"A new executive department is needed—the Department of Commerce, with a Cabinet Secretary or a commission at its head, supplied with necessary administrative machinery, specially charged with the execution of laws enacted to secure freedom for commerce and justice in trade."

"Senators and Representatives will have to deal with these various phases of the commercial situation and provide a national system, which, under direction of a Governmental department, will gradually bring the conflicting elements into a harmoniously working whole."

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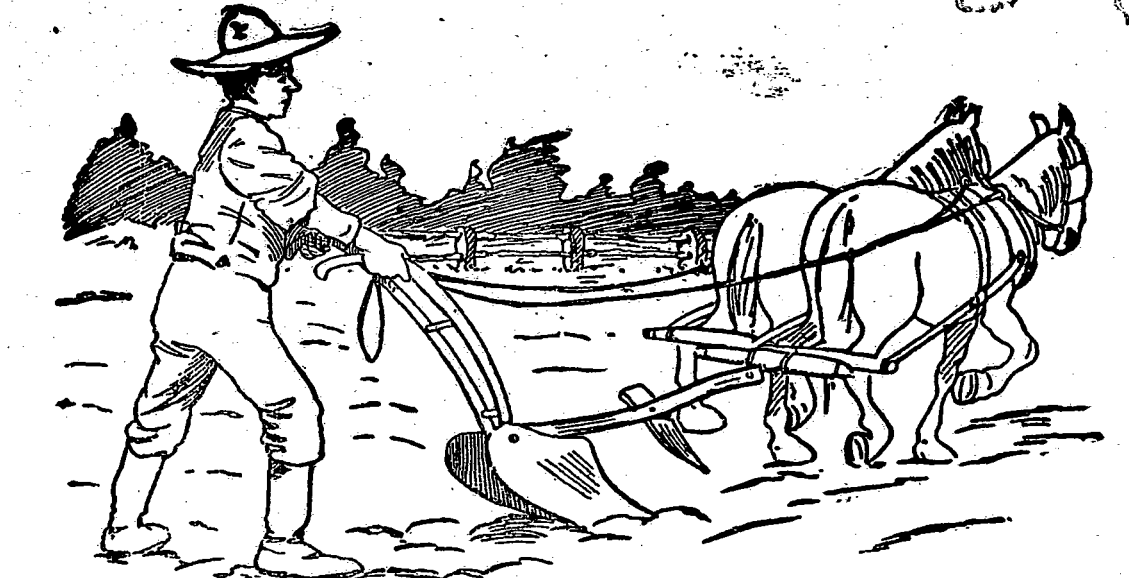
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I am a farmer located near Stony Brook, one of the most malarious districts in this State, and was bothered with malaria for years, at times so I could not work, and was always very constipated as well. For years I had malaria so bad in the spring, 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, "Sav, John, what are you doing to look so healthy?"

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**U. O. F.**—Buchanan Lodge No. 76 holds its regular meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Buchanan hall, on each Tuesday evening.

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The *Acorn* is the name of the newsy and bright 6 column all home print newspaper which takes the place of the *Press* formerly published at Three Oaks. The *RECORD* trusts that the *Acorn* will long live to publish the news of hustling Three Oaks.

Mr. J. R. Hayes, proprietor of the popular Wayne Hotel at Detroit, has a warm spot in his heart for the newspaper men of Michigan and has again demonstrated the fact by not only tendering to the Republican Newspaper Association, the free use of the Pavilion for the sessions held, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week, but has also offered to entertain the members of the association without expense. "May his shadow never grow less" is the sentiment of the "Boys."

**PERSONAL.**

Mr. G. W. Noble was in St. Joseph on Monday.

Dr. Claude B. Roe was a Niles visitor, Monday.

Mrs. Chas. H. Fuller was in South Bend, Saturday.

Mr. Fred Chambers was in South Bend on Saturday.

H. N. Hathaway left yesterday for Chicago via LaPorte.

Mrs. Ellen Hussy of Moline, Ill. is visiting relatives in town.

Mr. Clarence C. Runner was a South Bend visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. House were South Bend visitors Saturday.

Mr. Frank S. Whitman spent Sunday with friends at New Carlisle.

Hon. V. M. Gore, of Benton Harbor was in town, Saturday on business.

Rev. E. R. Black arrived home on Tuesday from Jeffersonville, Ind.

Messrs J. C. Dick, Aaron Miller and J. P. Beistle were in St. Joseph Monday.

Miss Lena Bronson was called home from Kalamazoo by the illness of her mother.

Commercial Agent E. D. Morrow, of the M. B. H. & C. Railway was in Buchanan Saturday.

Messrs E. D. Batchelor and Frank Batchelor, of Glendive, Mont., are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. H. L. Carlisle returned to Buchanan Saturday from Deadwood, S. D. after an absence of 12 years.

Attorney A. A. Worthington was in Chicago Tuesday on business connected with the Meier reward case.

Mr. D. H. Bower was in Detroit this week attending a meeting of the Republican Newspaper Association.

Mr. Allen Spooner, of Dowagiac, made the *RECORD* office a call Tuesday while enroute to Benton Harbor.

Mrs. S. M. Castle is visiting this week with Prof. Avery and family after which she will leave for Chicago.

Rev. J. F. Bartmess sailed on February 1st from Boston, Mass. on the steamship "New England" for his trip to Palestine and other oriental countries.

**Tells the Weather.**

In Finland atmospheric changes can be foretold by a species of stone known as "semakuir," which actually foretells the probable changes in the weather. In dry, fine weather the stone is of a dark gray color, mottled with white spots, but before approaching showers or thick mists it blackens all over—most conspicuously, of course, at the spaces which were previously white, and gradually returns again to its former state as the weather improves.

Its prophetic warnings are regarded by many as having a superstitious origin, but a recent analysis of the stone explains the cause and shows that there is nothing whatever mysterious in its action. It is composed of a ground mass of clay and fossilized organic matter, with a little rock salt and niter scattered throughout in grains and small patches. These salts absorb the aerial moisture as it increases in amount, and dissolve in it, forming black surface films, while they regain their white color as the drier atmosphere evaporates the moisture from them.

The cast-off shell of a species of crab in Chile answers the same purpose, being extremely sensitive to atmospheric changes. It remains quite white in fair, dry weather, while approaching rain is indicated by the appearance of small red spots, which grow both in number and size as the moisture of the air increases.

**FRANCES E. WILLARD'S ROMANCE.**

Story of an Early Love Affair with Bishop Charles W. Fowler.

There was once an engagement between Bishop Chas. W. Fowler, and the late Miss Frances E. Willard. Those having read Miss Willard's memoirs will remember an intimation that at one time in her life her heart had its hero and that at an early day she wore a ring and "acknowledged an allegiance based on a supposition." Again she speaks of the romance of her life being unguessed, a "secret lying within the temperate zone of a great heart's geography." To those who thought her cold she said, "Cold because no brave Stanley had ever explored her heart's tropical clime; cold because no Balboa had ever sailed on the bosom of its wide, pacific sea."

In their youth Bishop Fowler and Miss Willard were students in the same Methodist college, both being members of the Methodist Church. Between them was a strong affinity, a friendship that eventually ripened into a deep, abiding love. The ring she speaks of wearing as "an allegiance based on a supposition," was the gift of Bishop Fowler. Both had great strength of character and were born leaders of men and women. The similarity of their temperaments was frequently considered by the young people as a barrier to matrimony, and it was finally agreed that it would be best for both to choose separate paths in life. The engagement was accordingly broken.

**Check Plot to Counterfeit.**

Montreal, Que., Feb. 3.—Anthony Decker, arrested late last night at Baltimore, Md., is declared by the secret service authorities to be the head of the most dangerous gang of counterfeiters that ever operated in the Dominion. Others of the same gang were today arrested at various points. According to the secret service men Decker's intention was to print within a week \$15,000 worth of \$5 bills, which his confederates were to circulate in different parts of the country.

**Mrs. Annie Wittmeyer Dead.**

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Annie Wittmeyer, authoress and lecturer, who became famous as an army nurse during the civil war, died today at her home in Sanatoga, Pa. Mrs. Wittmeyer was born in Kentucky seventy-two years ago. She was the founder of the soldiers' orphan home at Davenport, Ia., and was one of the promoters of the Pennsylvania Memorial Home for Soldiers.

**Chicago Men Get Big Grant.**

City of Mexico, Feb. 3.—The government has granted a concession to Chicago capitalists of 1,000,000 acres of land fronting on the Gulf of Mexico and lying in the State of Tamaulipas. The land is said to be rich in minerals and timber, besides encompassing a plenty of grazing and agricultural territory. A line of schooners probably will be established with the principal gulf ports.

**Train Delayed by Rod Breaking.**

South Lyon, Mich., Feb. 3.—The west-bound passenger train was delayed to-night at South Lyon by the breaking of a rod connected with the drive-wheel for one hour and forty minutes. Engine 28, from Detroit, came to the rescue.

**Lost Home and Money.**

Hart, Mich., Feb. 4.—Fire destroyed the home and contents of Fred Beebe, living near here, also a sum of money Mr. Beebe had saved to take an examination as engineer on the lakes. The family are in straitened circumstances.

**Four Children Die in Fire.**

New York, Feb. 3.—The house of George Winans, at Boutonville, Westchester County, was destroyed by fire in the absence of the parents last night, and four of Winans' children, whose ages ranged from 2 to 8 years, were burned to death.

**Insane Patient Kills Himself.**

Elgin, Ill., Feb. 4.—Fred Maye, a former resident of Belvidere, who has been a patient at the asylum here, escaped and committed suicide by cutting his throat. His wife is also a patient at the asylum.

**Edward J. Phelps Better.**

New Haven, Conn., Feb. 2.—The condition of E. J. Phelps, former Minister to England, which was reported last night as "most critical," is more hopeful tonight. He rallied somewhat during the day, and though the improvement is slight, it is encouraging.

Benton Harbor has secured the Farwell overall factory by raising \$9,500 to purchase the Werkman factory. Buchanan made the firm a "much better proposition than that of Benton Harbor, but our hustling city neighbor got there with both feet.

Dr. C. B. Roe performed a difficult feat in dental surgery which was eminently successful. He drew a tooth for a patient and found it badly ulcerated, then removed the ulcer, replaced the tooth which grew solidly in its place, affording the patient scarcely any discomfort.

The regular meeting of Cutler Tent K. O. T. M. was held Tuesday evening and ten candidates were initiated. The Uniform Rank were present from Niles and the Galien Team did the work. Five received the Oriental degree and ten more at a special meeting last night.

Last evening a number of the members of the Presbyterian church called at the home of Rev. James Provant, on Clark Street and left a handsome baby carriage for the little one who recently came to their home. Mr. and Mrs. Provant are very grateful for this token of appreciation.

**Matrimonial.**

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Wyman, three miles east of Eau Claire, Mich., was the scene of a very pretty home wedding on Thursday evening, Feb. 1st, 1900, it being the occasion of the marriage of their daughter, Nettie to Mr. Emory J. Rough, of Bertrand. About thirty of near relatives and most intimate friends of the bride and groom were present to witness the ceremony. Rev. F. C. Berger, of St. Joseph officiated, using the beautiful ring ceremony. After many hearty congratulations the guests sat down to an elegant repast. Mr. and Mrs. Rough will live on Portage Prairie, where they will soon be at home to their many friends.

Hon. E. N. Dingley, editor of the *Kalamazoo Daily Telegraph*, and formerly Chief Clerk of the Committee on Ways and Means of the National House of Representatives, will lecture at Rough's Opera House, Buchanan, Friday evening Feb. 9th at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Washington, D. C. and its Public Men." His lecture will be illustrated with 200 stereopticon views. Mr. Dingley has had special opportunities to study the city of Washington and Washington life.

His lecture is aimed to be both entertaining and instructive. Admission 15 cents. School children 10 cents. The proceeds are for the benefit of the Public Schools.

**Auction Sale.**

I will sell my stock, farm implements and household goods at public auction on Feb. 15, at the farm of Fred White 6 miles south-west of Buchanan.

**Wanted**

Girls to run single winders in our Featherbone Factory.

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Ladies interested in pastry making will be pleased to learn that an expert will give practical lessons in pastry making at W. H. Keller's on Saturday Feb. 9 and 10 at Treat Bros., Monday the 12th, Pies, cakes and puddings will be prepared from the celebrated "None Such" food specialties and will be served free to all who call. Do not miss this as you will find it both interesting and instructive.

**The Sale you have been looking forward to, you will find in the half page adv. of this issue.**

Will U. Martin will be in Buchanan on his regular trip about Feb. 15th. Orders for tuning or repairing pianos may be left for him at Morris' Fair and should be left as early as possible, or address him by mail.

**Public Sale.**

The undersigned will sell at public auction at his residence known as the Womer farm, 1/2 mile west of "Dutch Corners" on Wednesday, Feb. 21, 1900, at 10 a. m. the following property: Horses, cattle, hogs, seed corn, corn in crib, hay, farming implements of all kinds, and other articles not mentioned. A credit of 9 months will be given.

**ADOLPH SCHEIBACH.**

The regular meeting of East Hive No. 19 will be held Tuesday evening, Feb. 13th. A full attendance is desired.

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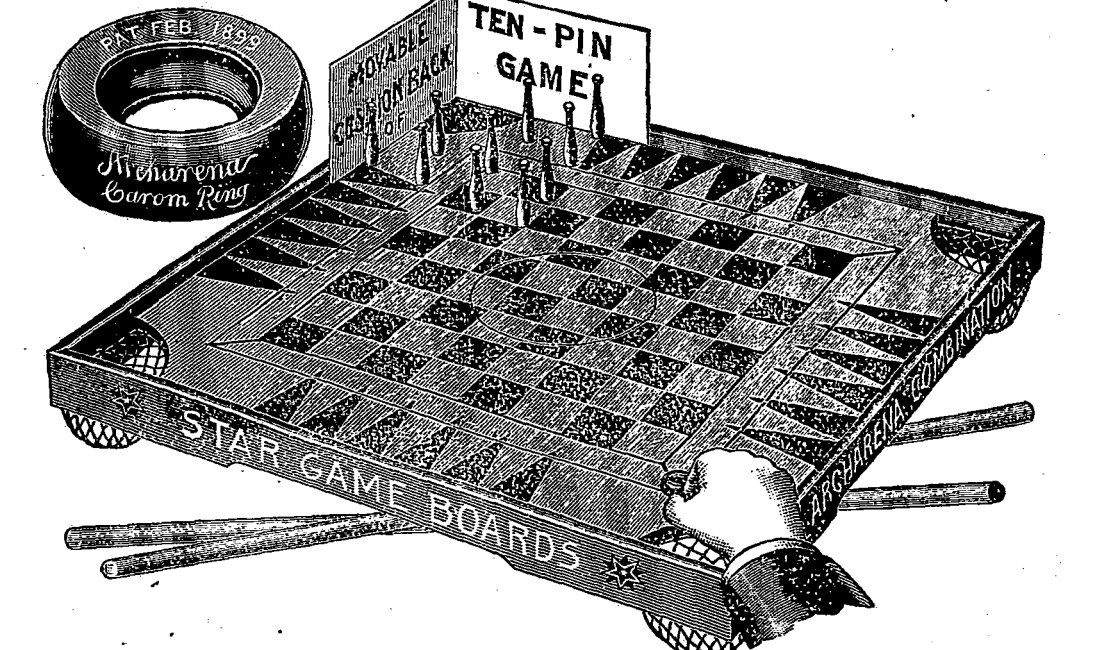
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Estate of Oliver Dalrymple.  
First publication, February 8th, 1900.  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.  
At a session of the Probate Court for said  
county, held at the Probate office in the city of  
St. Joseph, on the 7th day of February in the year  
one thousand nine hundred.  
Present, JACOB J. VAN RIZEN, Judge of Pro-  
bate.  
In the matter of the estate of Oliver Dalrymple,  
deceased.  
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified,  
of Alice Donley praying that partition of the  
real estate of said deceased may be made among  
the heirs at law of said deceased according to the  
provisions of the statute in such case made and  
provided.  
Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 5th  
day of March next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon,  
be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and  
that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all  
other persons interested in said estate are re-  
quired to appear at a session of said court then to be  
held in the Probate office, in the city of St. Jos-  
eph, and show cause, if any there be, why the  
prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.  
And it is further ordered, that the said peti-  
tioner give notice to the persons interested in  
said estate of the pendency of said petition and  
hearing thereof by causing a copy of this order to  
be published in the BUCHANAN RECORD, a weekly  
newspaper printed and circulated in said county,  
three successive weeks previous to said day of  
hearing.  
[SEAL] C. M. Van Rizer,  
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This important yearly event opens up with a promise of greater results than any of its predecessors. We have labored hard and earnestly that it should be so, and conditions have favored us remarkably. We state positively that the values are more extraordinary, the assortment richer and more varied and prices lower, compared with ruling market values, than we have offered in any previous sale. This statement, made in all sincerity and earnestness, means much.

### Dress Goods.

In the face of a rapidly rising market we offer you the choice of a splendid assortment of black and colored fabrics at less price than ever.

Good 50c black brocades.....	29c
Good 75c black brocades.....	58c
Black \$1.00 crepons.....	69c
Colored novelty suitings worth from 50 to 65c.....	39c
Dress flannels, 38 inches wide. All colors worth 50c.....	32c
Brocade and plain half wool suitings.....	12c
Reversible golf plaids choice styles worth up to \$3.00.....	\$1.89

### Dress Trimmings.

For this sale we have assorted all our trimming braids and guimps worth from 10c to 35c into three lots and offer

Lot I per yard.....	5c
Lot II " ".....	10c
Lot III " ".....	15c

### Jackets.

To finally clean out our winter jackets, we have determined to make such a low price on them that it will be policy to buy now, though you may not need it before next season.

Every Ladies', Misses', and Child's Jacket will be sold at just 1-2 former price.

### Fur Collarettes.

Only a small assortment of good ones left, which we offer at prices that should be an inducement to buy at once.

### MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS.

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### Men's Shirts.

Several lots of broken sizes of fancy colored shirts, worth \$1.00.....	69c
Black and white striped, heavy 50c quality for.....	40c
Men's Duck Coats, rubber lined. The \$1.50 quality.....	\$1.19

### Silks and Velvets.

For thoroughly dependable merchandise, we can confidently recommend our black dress silks.

Black satin duchess.....	69c
Heavy, black colored silk worth \$1.50.....	98c
Rich black Peau DeSoise, the best wearing silk the market affords, worth \$1.25.....	98c
Full line of colored taffetta silk, also, black.....	50c
Fancy striped and colored waist patterns, former prices from \$1.25 to \$1.50.....	\$1.00
Striped silk velvets, very desirable for waists, \$1.00 quality.....	50c

### Outing Flannels.

For this sale we offer our entire line of light and dark, 10c outings at.....	8c
Eider down and sacking flannels worth 15c.....	10c
10 ps., 8c cream flannel.....	5c

### Underwear.

Ladies' grey Jersey fleeced vests and pants worth 35c.....	21c
Ladies' eoru Lisle, fleeced vests and pants best, 50c value.....	38c
Ladies' grey ribbed and plain wool vests and pants worth \$1.00.....	75c
One lot of children's vests and pants, odds and ends.....	9c

### Shoes.

Though all grades of leather have greatly advanced in price and consequently shoes likewise, we yet offer ladies', misses', and children's shoes at as low a price as you ever bought like quality.

One lot of infants' shoes worth from 25c to 60c.....	10c
Odds and ends in Misses' shoes. Sizes from 11 to 2, worth up to \$2.00 per pair. Sale price.....	\$1.19

### MEN'S AND BOYS' ULSTERS.

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**25 PER CENT OFF.**

Men's 25c all leather gloves.....	19c
Men's best quality rubber boots.....	\$2.75
Men's snag proof guaranteed rubbers for felts or socks.....	\$1.75
Mishawauka knit boots.....	69c

### Wrappers.

One lot of flannellet wrappers to close at about the price of the goods.

The \$1.00 quality for.....	69c
The \$1.25 quality for.....	83c
The \$1.50 quality for.....	\$1.10

### Dressing Sacks.

One lot of ladies' ready made fancy and plain colored cotton.

Eider down sacks.....	55c
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### Remnants.

A large lot of desirable remnants of dress goods, silks, flannellets, etc., suitable for waists, skirts, children's dresses, etc. at about 1/2 price.

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25c " " ".....	19c
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Manufacturers sample strips just what you want for bedroom rugs.

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**NEW ADVERTISEMENTS**

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

Demonstration—See local.  
Public Sale—See notice.  
Chancery Notice—See legal.  
Estate of Oliver Dalrymple, deceased—See legal.

B. R. Desenberg & Bro. are advertising their 10th Annual Sale. Read about it.

**LOCAL NOTES**

A son arrived at the home of Mr. Lloyd Bartness at Oakland, Cal., on January 24, 1900.

Next Sunday morning at the Christian church E. R. Black will make public the reasons for resigning his work here.

When B. R. Desenberg & Co. advertise a clearing sale you can depend on getting goods just as they are advertised.

Ben Slater has had some one steal an iron wedge from a hollow log, and now Ben wants the same fellow to come after the beetle.

Mr. Darcy Smith took a load of Buchanan young people to Niles Saturday for a sleigh ride. All enjoyed themselves greatly.

Mr. G. W. Noble as administrator of the estate of James Callaghan, deceased, settled up the estate on Monday, and now has \$1075 to turn over to the Soldiers and Sailors Monumental Association.

The Christian church at Jefferson, Ind., a city opposite Louisville, Ky., has extended a call to E. R. Black to become their pastor. He has accepted the invitation and will begin work in his new field March 1st.

**Buchanan Market.**

The following quotations are furnished the Record by the Niagara Mills, Bainton Bros. proprietors:

Wheat.....	67c
Oats.....	25c
Corn.....	30c

**Wedded in Chicago.**

Last evening two young Buchanan people surprised their friends by being married. The bride is Miss Gertrude, daughter of Mrs. Florence Kean, of Moccasin Ave., and the groom is Mr. Harry Rough both well known in Buchanan society. Miss Kean was visiting in Chicago, and Mr. Rough took a trip to Chicago, so last evening the young people were married. They will arrive home Saturday evening and Mrs. Kean will give Mr. and Mrs. Rough a reception at her home next Wednesday, (St. Valentine's Day.) The Record congratulates Mr. and Mrs. Rough and wishes them a prosperous and happy life.

**CHURCH NOTES.**  
UNITED BRETHREN.

Preaching at the United Brethren church, Sunday at 10:30 a. m., Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. It is desired that every member be present at these services. At the close of the Sabbath school, will occur the election of officers for the year.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Rev. H. L. Currie, of Berrien Springs will conduct the services next Sabbath at the usual hour 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. All are cordially invited.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. A. L. Sewell Feb. 16 at 2 p. m. to observe Francis E. Willard's Thanks Offering Day. Everybody invited to attend.

**Don't Miss It.**

As you will note in this issue that the well known firm of B. R. Desenberg & Bro. are having their 10th Annual Clearing Sale. This will give the people of this vicinity an unusually good opportunity to lay in a good supply of goods at very low prices.

This opening of work for women at Three Oaks makes a good chance for a widow with daughters to find employment for the whole family.

The Prohibitionists of the Fourth Congressional District will hold their convention at Plainwell on February 12, beginning at 1:30 p. m. An interesting program has been prepared for the occasion.

The Faculty of the South Bend Commercial College gave a reception to the pupils and friends of the college, on Friday evening, at the College Rooms in that city. A very pleasant time was had by all.

The Common Council met in special session Friday night and passed an ordinance requiring the killing of all unmuzzled dogs within the village limits. This action was deemed advisable owing to the recent mad dog scare that our town has experienced.

Monday an east bound freight train broke in two, between New Buffalo and Buchanan, and as a consequence blocked the east bound track and necessitating sending all through expresses from New Buffalo to Buchanan on the west bound track.

The reward case for the Meier murderers was heard in Chicago, Tuesday and it was decided to divide the reward among certain of the claimants and as a result, Messrs. Taylor, Morley, Eldredge, Boyer and Cramer each receive \$100, Mr. Hartell of Chicago, receiving the balance.

The Berrien County Farmer's Mutual Fire Insurance Co. held their annual election on Saturday afternoon and the following were elected:—President, W. R. Rough; Secretary, R. V. Clark; Directors, R. M. Goodwin, Union Pier, J. T. Beckwith, Benton Harbor, Stephen Harner, Niles, and Geo. M. Deam, Berrien Springs. Additional risks were approved amounting to \$75,000.

The official board of the Christian Church submitted to the members at the close of service on Sunday morning, a circular letter requesting Rev. E. R. Black to reconsider his resignation tendered the previous week. The members voted to approve of the action of the board, and directed the letter to be handed to their pastor. We regret that lack of space prevents our publishing the letter in this issue but will publish the same next week.

Mr. L. J. Squires, of Cass Co., has moved his family to this place.

Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son, the proprietors of the well known Dodd's Sarsaparilla, must have had a "stand in" with the publishers of the Sunday *Inter Ocean*, for in one of the cartoons in the color supplement last Sunday, was a representation of a street car with the usual placards, and upon one was the familiar legend, "For that tired feeling take Dodd's Sarsaparilla."

Gyp, the large dog owned by Mr. C. H. Fuller, committed suicide by hanging himself Friday night. He had been locked up in the feed mill at night and fastened with a log chain, and jumped out of a window and was found the next morning hanging by his neck, dead. Whether it was remorse at biting Doc Brown's dog, Leo, or at hearing the action taken by the Common Council, Friday night is not known.

At the election of officers of the Buchanan Commercial Club the following officers were elected:—F. T. Plimpton, Pres.; H. F. Kingery, Vice Pres.; W. N. Brodtrick, Sec.; F. S. Lamb, Treas. The President appointed as Executive Com., Chas. Bishop, C. F. Pears and Sig Desenberg; Entertainment Com., Dr. C. B. Roe, W. W. East and Geo. Boyer; Sites and Manufacturers, Geo. H. Black, E. S. Roe and Geo. B. Richards. The Club is prospering and is ready to assist in all matters that will advance the interests of our town.

A party of young ladies from Buchanan numbering eighteen took a sleigh ride in Liveryman Batchelor's big sleigh, Saturday evening to the home of Miss Addie Kelsey. When the hour arrived to start for home they found that it was raining, so Mr. and Mrs. Kelsey prevailed upon them to stay all night, and a merry time was had, but one of the party succeeding in getting any sleep. They started for home at 6 o'clock Sunday morning and on their way home met the husbands of two of the party who having become alarmed about their safety, had started out to find them.

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# THE CRUCIFIXION OF PHILIP STRONG.

By REV. CHARLES M. SHELDON,

Author of "In His Steps: What Would Jesus Do?" "Malcolm Kirk," "Robert Hardy's Seven Days," Etc.

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## SYNOPSIS.

Chapter I.—Philip Strong, a minister, receives two calls, one to a college town, where he may live a quiet, scholarly life, to his liking, the other to a manufacturing town, where there is plenty of work to do among the laboring classes. He accepts the more active field.

Chapters II and III.—Philip discovers that a number of his wealthy parishioners have property rented for saloons and gambling houses. He interviews one of them and is advised that he had better not stir the matter up. The next Sunday he preaches upon the subject, and Mr. Winter, one of his most prominent parishioners rises from his seat and walks out of the church. The same evening Mr. Winter calls on the minister and presents what he calls an insult to himself, and threatens to withdraw his support from the church, unless in high indignation. The sermon creates great excitement, and the next Sunday a large crowd attends Philip's church, expecting a sensational sermon, but Philip disappoints them by preaching on an entirely different subject.

Chapter IV.—Philip attacks the saloons and preaches against them to a large congregation. He calls upon his people to join with him in an attempt to exterminate them. Later he leaves his home to visit a sick child, and a man on the opposite side of the street fires two shots at him.

Chapter V.—Philip has been severely thim, not mortally wounded. His assassin is arrested and at Philip's request is brought before him. Philip assures him that he bears him no ill will and prays for him.

Philip spoke directly to the man, whose look fell beneath that of the minister.

"You know well enough that you are the man who shot me Tuesday night. I know you are the man, for I saw your face very plainly by the light of the street lamp. Now, all that I wanted to see you here for before you were taken to jail was to let you know that I do not bear any hatred toward you. The thing you have done is against the law of God and man. The injury you have inflicted upon me is very slight compared with that against your own soul. Oh, my brother man, why should you try to harm me because I denounced your business? Do you not know

In your heart of hearts that the saloon is so evil in its effects that a man who loves his home and his country must speak out against it? And yet I love you. That is possible because you are human. Oh, my Father," Philip continued, changing his appeal to the man by an almost natural manner into a petition to the infinite, "make this soul dear to thee, to behold thy love for him, and make him see that it is not against me, a mere man, that he has sinned, but against thyself—against the purity and holiness and affection! Oh, my God, thou who didst come in the likeness of sinful men to seek and save that which was lost, stretch out the arms of thy salvation now to this child and save him from himself, from his own disbelief, his hatred of me or of what I have said! Thou art all merciful and all loving. We leave all souls of men in the protecting, infolding embrace of thy boundless compassion and infinite mercy."

There was a moment of entire quiet in the room, and then Philip said faintly: "Sarah, I cannot say more. Only tell the man I bear him no hatred and commend him to the love of God." Mrs. Strong was alarmed at Philip's appearance. The scene had been too much for his strength. She hastily commanded the officer to take his prisoner away and with the help of her friend cared for the minister, who, after the first faintness, rallied and then gradually sank into sleep that proved more refreshing than any he had yet enjoyed since the night of the shooting.

The next day found Philip improving more rapidly than Mrs. Strong had thought possible. She forbade him the sight of all callers, however, and insisted that he must keep quiet. His wounds were healing satisfactorily, and when the surgeon called he expressed himself much pleased with his patient's appearance.

"Say, doctor, do you really think it would set me back any to think a little?"

"No. I never heard of thinking hurting people. I have generally considered it a healthy habit."

"The reason I asked," continued Philip gravely, "was because my wife absolutely forbade it, and I was wondering how long I could keep it up and fool anybody."

"That's a specimen of his stubbornness, doctor," said the minister's wife, smiling. "Why, only a few minutes before you came in he was insisting that he could preach tomorrow. Think of it—a man with a shattered shoulder, who would have to stand on one leg and do all his gesturing with his left hand; a man who can't preach without the use of seven or eight arms and as many pockets and has to walk up and down the platform like a lion when he gets started on his delivery! And yet he wants to preach tomorrow! He's that stubborn that I don't know that I can keep him at home. You would better leave some powders to put him to sleep, and we will keep him in a state of unconsciousness until Monday morning."

"Now, doctor, just listen to me awhile. Mrs. Strong is talking for two women, as she agreed to do, and she puts me in a hard position. But I will do know how soon I can get to work again."

"You will have to lie there a month," said the doctor bluntly.

"Impossible! I never lied that time in my life!" said Philip soberly.

"It would serve him right to perform a surgical operation on him for that, wouldn't it, Mrs. Strong?" the surgeon appealed to her.

"I think he deserves the worst you can do, doctor."

"But say, dear people, I can't stay here a month. I must be about my Master's business. What will the church do for supplies?"

"Don't worry, Philip. The church will take care of that."

But Philip was already eager to get to work. Only the assurance of the surgeon that he might possibly get out in a little over three weeks satisfied him. Sunday came and passed. Some one from a neighboring town who happened to be visiting in Milton occupied the pulpit, and Philip had a quiet, restful day. He started in the week determined to beat the doctor's time for recovery, and, having a remarkably strong constitution and a tremendous will, he bade fair to be limping about the house in two weeks. His shoulder wound healed very fast. His knee bothered him, and it seemed likely that he would go lame for a long time. But he was not concerned about that if only he could go about in any sort of fashion once more.

Wednesday of that week he was surprised in an unexpected manner by an event which did more than anything else to hasten his recovery. He was still confined to bed down stairs when in the afternoon the bell rang, and Mrs. Strong went to the door, supposing it was one of the church people come to inquire about the minister. She found instead Alfred Burke, Philip's old college chum and seminary classmate. Mrs. Strong welcomed him heartily, and in answer to his eager inquiry concerning Philip's condition she brought him into the room, knowing her patient quite well and feeling sure the sight of his old chum would do him more good than harm. The first thing Alfred said was:

"Old man, I hardly expected to see you again this side of heaven. How does it happen that you are alive here after all the times the papers have had you killed?"

"Bad marksmanship principally. I used to think I was a big man. But after the shooting I came to the conclusion that I must be rather small."

"Your heart is so big it's a wonder to me that you weren't shot through it, no matter where you were hit. But I tell you it seems good to see you in the flesh once more."

"Why didn't you come and preach for me last Sunday?" asked Philip quizzically.

"Why, haven't you heard? I did not get news of the affair until last Saturday in my western parish, and I was just in the throes of packing up to come on to Elmdale."

"Elmdale?"

"Yes; I've had a call there. So we shall be neighbors. Mrs. Burke is up there now getting the house straightened out, and I came right down here."

"So you are pastor of the Chapel Hill church? It's a splendid opening for a young preacher. Congratulations, Alfred."

"Thank you, Philip. By the way, I saw by the paper that you had declined a call to Elmdale, so I suppose they pitched on me for a second choice. You never wrote me of their call to you," he said, a little reproachfully.

"It didn't occur to me," replied Philip truthfully. "But how are you going to like it? Isn't it rather a dull old place?"

"Yes, I suspect it is, compared with Milton. I suppose you couldn't live without the excitement of dodging as-



"I hardly expected to see you again," said Mrs. Strong, and she was about to go out to prayer meeting or make parish calls. How do you like your work so far?"

"There is plenty of it," answered Philip gravely. "A minister must be made of cast iron and fire brick in order to stand the wear and tear of these times in which we live. I'd like a week to trade ideas with you and talk over the work, Alfred."

"You'd get the worst of the bargain."

"I don't know about that. I'm not doing any thinking lately. But now, as we're going to be only 50 miles apart, what's to hinder an exchange once in awhile?"

"I'm agreeable to that," replied Philip's chum; "on condition, however, that you furnish me with a gun and pay all surgeon's bills when I occupy your pulpit."

"Done," said Philip, with a grin. And just then Mrs. Strong forbade any more talk. Alfred staid until the evening train, and when he left he stooped down and kissed Philip's cheek. "It's a custom we learned when in the German universities together that summer after college, you know," he explained, with the slightest possible blush, when Mrs. Strong came in and caught him in the act. It seemed to her, however, like an affecting thing that two big, grown up men like her husband and his old chum showed such tender affection for each other. The love of men for men in the strong friendship of school and college life is one of the marks of human divinity.

## CHAPTER VI.

In spite of his determination to get out and occupy his pulpit the first Sunday of the next month Philip was reluctantly obliged to let five Sundays go by before he was able to preach. During those six weeks his attention was called to a subject which he felt ought to be made the theme of one of his talks on "Christ and Modern Society." The leisure which he had for reading opened his eyes to the fact that Sunday in Milton was terribly desecrated. Shops of all kinds stood wide open. Excursion trains ran into the large city 40 miles away, two theaters were always running with some variety show, and the saloons, in violation of an ordinance forbidding it, unblushingly flung their doors open and did more business on that day than any other. As Philip read the papers he noticed that every Monday morning the police court was more crowded with "drunks" and "disorderlies" than on any other day in the week, and the plain cause of it was the abuse of the day before.

In the summer time baseball games were played in Milton on Sunday. In the fall and winter very many people spent their evenings in card playing or aimlessly strolling up and down the main street. These facts came to Philip's knowledge gradually, and he was not long in making up his mind that Christ would not keep silent before the facts. So he carefully prepared a plain statement of his belief in Christ's standing on the modern use of Sunday, and as on the other occasions when he had spoken the first Sunday in the month he cast out of his reckoning all thought of the consequences. His one purpose was to do just as, in his thought of Christ, he would do with that subject.

The people in Milton thought that the first Sunday Philip appeared in his pulpit he would naturally denounce the saloon again. But when he finally recovered sufficiently to preach he determined that for awhile he would say nothing in the way of sermons against the whisky evil. He had a great horror of seeming to ride a hobby, of being a man of one idea and making people tired of him because he harped on one string. He had uttered his denunciation, and he would wait a little before he spoke again. The whisky power was not the only bad thing in Milton that needed to be attacked. There were other things which must be said. And so Philip limped into his pulpit the third Sunday of the month and preached on a general theme, to the disappointment of a great crowd almost as large as the last one he had faced. And yet his very appearance was a sermon in itself against the institution he had held up to public condemnation on that occasion. His knee wound proved very stubborn, and he limped badly. That in itself spoke eloquently of the dastardly attempt on his life. His face was pale, and he had grown thin. His shoulder was stiff, and the enforced quietness of his delivery contrasted strangely with his customary fiery appearance on the platform. Altogether that first Sunday of his reappearance in his pulpit was a stronger sermon against the saloon than anything he could have spoken or written.

When the first Sunday in the next month came on, Philip was more like his old self. He had gathered strength enough to go around two Sunday afternoons and note for himself the desecration of the day as it went on recklessly. As he saw it all it seemed to him that the church in Milton was practically doing nothing to stop the evil. All the ministers complained of the difficulty of getting an evening congregation. Yet hundreds of young people walked past all the churches every Sunday night, bent on pleasure, going to the theaters or concerts or parties, which seemed to have no trouble in attracting the crowd. Especially was this true of the foreign population, the working element connected with the mills. It was a common occurrence for dog fights, cock fights and shooting matches of various kinds to be going on in the tenement district on Sunday, and the police seemed powerless or careless in the matter.

All this burned into Philip like molten metal, and when he faced his people on the Sunday which was becoming a noted Sunday for them he quivered with the earnestness and thrill which always come to a sensitive man when he feels sure he has a sermon which must be preached and a message which the people must hear for their lives.

He took for a text Christ's words, "The Sabbath was made for man," and at once defined its meaning as a special day.

"The true meaning of our modern Sunday may be summed up in two words—rest and worship. Under the head of rest may be gathered whatever is needful for the proper and healthful recuperation of one's physical and mental powers, always regarding not simply our own ease and com-

fort, but also the same right to rest on the part of the remainder of the community. Under the head of worship may be gathered all those facts which, either through distinct religious service or work or thought, tend to bring men into closer and dearer relation to spiritual life, to reach men larger, sweeter truths of existence and of God and leave them better fitted to take up the duties of everyday business.

"Now, it is plain to me that if Christ were here today and pastor of Calvary church he would feel compelled to say some very plain words about the desecration of Sunday in Milton. Take, for example, the opening of the fruit stands and cigar stores and meat markets every Sunday morning. What is the one reason why these places are open this very minute while I am speaking? There is only one reason—so that the owners of the places may sell their goods and make money. They are not satisfied with what they can make six days in the week. Their greed seizes on the one day which ought to be used for the rest and worship men need and turns that also into a day of merchandise. Do we need any other fact to convince us of the terrible selfishness of the human heart?"

"Or take the case of the saloons. What right have they to open their doors in direct contradiction to the town ordinance forbidding it? And yet this ordinance is held by them in such contempt that this very morning as I came to this church I passed more than half a dozen of these sections of hell, wide open to any poor sinning soul that might be enticed therein. Citizens of Milton, where does the responsibility rest for this violation of law? Does it rest with the churches and the preachers to see that the few Sunday laws we have are enforced by them, while the business men and the police lazily dodge the issue and care not how the matter goes, saying it is none of their business?"

"But suppose you say the saloons are beyond your power. That does not release you from doing what is in your power, easily, to prevent this day from being trampled under foot and made like every other day in its scramble after money and pleasure. Who own these fruit stands and cigar stores and meat markets and who patronize them? Is it not true that church members encourage all these places by purchasing of them on the Lord's day? I have been told by one of these fruit dealers with whom I have talked lately that among his best customers on Sunday are some of the most respected members of this church. It has also been told me that in the summer time the heaviest patronage of the Sunday ice cream business is from the church members of Milton. Of what value is it that we place on our ordinance rules forbidding the sale of these things covered by the law? How far are we responsible for our example for encouraging the breaking of the day on the part of those who would find it unprofitable to keep their business going if we did not purchase of them on this day?"

"It is possible there are very many persons here in this house this morning who are ready to exclaim: 'This is intolerable bigotry and puritanical narrowness. This is not the attitude Christ would take on this question. He was too large minded. He was too far advanced in thought to make the day to mean anything of that sort.'

"But let us consider what is meant by the Sunday of our modern life as Christ would view it. There is no disputing the fact that the age is material, mercantile, money making. For six eager, rushing days it is absorbed in the pursuit of money or fame or pleasure. Then God strikes the note of his silence in among the clashing sounds of earth's babel and calls mankind to make a day unlike the other days. It is his merciful thoughtfulness for the race which has created this special day for men. Is it too much to ask that on this one day men think of something else besides politics, stocks, business, amusement? Is God grudging the man the pleasure of life when here he gives the man six days for labor and then asks for only one day specially set apart for him? The objection to very many things commonly mentioned by the pulpit as harmful to Sunday is not an objection necessarily based on the harmfulness of the things themselves, but upon the fact that these things are repetitions of the working day and so are distracting to the observance of the Sunday as a day of rest and worship, undisturbed by the things that have already for six days crowded the thought of men. Let me illustrate.

"Take, for example, the case of the Sunday paper as it pours into Milton every Sunday morning on the special newspaper train. Now, there may not be anything in the contents of the Sunday papers that is any worse than can be found in any weekday edition. Granted, for the sake of the illustration, that the matter found in the Sunday paper is just like that in the Saturday issue—politics, locals, fashion, personals, dramatic and sporting news, literary articles by well known writers, fatality, etc., anywhere from 20 to 40 pages—an amount of reading matter that will take the average man a whole forenoon to read.

To be continued.



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## Dress Goods. ODD LOTS.

Some are waist lengths, some are skirt lengths, some broken color assortments in part pieces, but prices on any of them lean very much your way. A lot of Silk Remnants in this sale. A lot of Dress Patterns that were formerly priced \$10, \$15 and \$25 each, are included in this sale, and you can have your choice for

\$5.00

Some great values for the money here.

## Jackets and Capes.

Many are taking advantage of the sale which continues this week in the Cloak department, and they are saving money. Assortments broken now, but style is there, and value is there. Now suppose you see if you can be equally lucky on size; if so, then you've got a bargain sure: \$6.50 to \$8.50 Jackets and Capes are selling for

\$4.98

All prices are reduced in this department.

## Kid Gloves.

To close out the Kid Glove department, I offer 500 pairs of 75 cent Kid Gloves at only 40 cents a pair. This is a broken assortment. If you can find your size and the color you desired, you've found a bargain.

## NEXT WEEK

In answer to the many inquiries concerning the new goods you are expecting, I will say that your hopes will be realized, next week, when I shall invite you to come down to see the grandest lot of merchandise ever opened in South Bend. No pains or effort will have been spared to bring on the brightest, best and newest lot of Dry Goods this store has ever shown. Read my next week's advertisement, You will find some thing of interest.

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Bridgeman.

Mr. J. Leroy, of Buchanan, was in town on business, Tuesday.

Miss Alice Smith, who has been spending the winter in Memphis, Tenn., returned home last week owing to her father's serious illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Blakeman will celebrate their golden wedding at their home, Thursday (to-day).

Will Rouse has purchased the Brooks building, and will begin at once to put it in repair. He will live in the rear and keep shop in front room.

The third school meeting came and went. Nothing yet decided.

Prin. Conrad was carrying his face in a sling last week owing to an abscess on his jaw. Some one asked him if he had gone into the Woodmen.

Little Harry Rouse is now out of danger. He had a pretty serious time between pneumonia and typhoid fever.

Fairland.

Dave Walker, Jr. and L. Smith, who have been working in Chicago Heights, have come home to stay.

Lew Walker and C. J. Snuff, of South Bend, spent Sunday at their homes near here.

Mr. Kuppennuss went to St. Joseph Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Sparks spent Sunday in Buchanan.

Clifton Jones has returned home from South Bend, where he has been working for sometime.

The F. C. Club will meet with Miss Adah Steiner next Saturday evening.

BENTON HARBOR

Feb. 6, 1900.

John C. Dick, of Buchanan, was in the city yesterday.

The Alden Canning Company has renewed its articles of incorporation.

This city has another doctor, Mr. Ilgenritz, an osteopath physician, who comes from Missouri.

We are to have an opportunity of hearing the famous Temple Quartette of Boston, as they will close the Y. M. C. A. lecture course next Saturday evening.

Mrs. Harry Prescott will have charge of the entertainment to be given next Monday evening by the young ladies of Holy Trinity (Episcopal) church.

Rev. Maxfield of this city and Rev. Hamilton, of St. Joseph, are on the prohibitionist's program to be given at Allegan next Monday.

The committee appointed by the state superintendent to visit the commercial schools of the state, visited the college last Wednesday and expressed themselves as well pleased with the quality of the work done.

DAYTON.

Miss Rose Lamb, of Buchanan, was in town Sunday evening.

The was a mad dog roaming through the streets Monday but was killed before any serious damage was done.

Mr. and Mrs. Chatman, of Niles, were the guests of Frank Hall Friday.

Postmaster Williams is on the sick list.

Mr. Emery, of Buchanan, was in town Monday afternoon.

We are anticipating a good time at the masquerade ball to be given at Williams & Downings hall Feb. 14.

A number of our M. W. A. went to Buchanan lodge Friday evening. They report a good time.

M. Benlah Noys has been visiting in Galien for a few days.

NEW BUFFALO.

F. W. Kamm has bought property on Whittaker Avenue and has moved his hardware store.

Our butchers have both sold out to Three Oaks parties and but one market will hereafter supply the wants.

A large force of men was at work putting up ice Tuesday.

Two members were initiated by the Modern Woodmen at a special meeting Saturday night.

Trelegan's Stock Company played at the Opera House all last week with a large attendance every night.

Michigan Day was observed by the school by appropriate exercises. About twenty visitors were present. Preparations are being made for ex-

ercises Feb. 22.

Mrs. Zeigler, of LaPorte, visited her mother, Mrs. Geo. Boals, over Sunday.

GALIEN.

Wilbur Renbarger, of Lemore, Iowa, is visiting his uncle, James Renbarger, of this place this week.

Mrs. Ruth A. Jones was on the sick list this week.

Miss Carrie White was home Sunday from Bertrand.

Miss Beulah Noyes, of Dayton, was in town Tuesday.

Rev. John R. Dayton preached on the Methodist church Sunday night to a good audience. The revival meetings will continue for another week at least.

Bert Parrish, of Benton Harbor, was in town Monday.

Edward Synold who recently passed the operators examination at Detroit has been given charge of the night office at Harding, Ill., by the Michigan Central.

Frank Mann, who is employed by Michigan Central is at home on a visit this week.

The G. A. R. gave one of their popular free entertainments and box social at the town hall Wednesday night.

The literary society of the Galien High School will give the first literary entertainment next Thursday night.

Miss Elva Norris and Mr. Theron Batten were united in marriage at the Methodist parsonage Monday afternoon by Rev. Dayton. The young couple have the best wishes of the community.

EDUCATIONAL.

SCHOOL NOTES.

While the High School room was undergoing repairs, W. L. Mercer, Miss Petit and Miss Robison visited the Niles High School.

Hon. E. N. Dingley, editor of the Kalamazoo Daily Telegraph, will lecture at Rough's Opera House Friday evening on "Washington, D. C. and Public Men." For the benefit of our school.

FIRST GRADE.

We are glad to welcome Pauline Butler, Veva Covell, Nina Binns and Richard Wagner back to school.

Archie Mittan sent us some very pretty pussy willows. Some of the pupils made very good drawings of them.

SECOND GRADE.

The woodchuck and his habits served as an interesting nature study, Friday.

The schoolroom seemed lonesome last week with so many of the little people kept at home by the storm.

Ruth Reese is missing this week, we hope she will soon be with us again.

THIRD GRADE.

The full number of pupils are in attendance this week.

Nellie Chambers is in school again after an absence of several weeks.

Topics of study this week are, "The Black Child of the South," "Stories of the Life of Lincoln," "Stories of the War."

The pupils are learning a song entitled, "Our Flag."

FOURTH GRADE.

The school has been very small owing to the extreme cold weather.

Frank Chambers is again in school.

Miss Kingery visited us last Wednesday.

The pupils have been enjoying cancellation this week.

FIFTH GRADE.

We are grateful to Harold Peacock for the fine picture of the Sphinx which he brought for us to see. Very good descriptions of the Pyramids were written by Carl Tourje, Effie Vite, Clifford Peters and Archie Raven.

The prettiest designs for birthday cards were drawn by Gertrude Leonard, Rolla Bates and Merle Eldredge.

The Life of James Russell Lowell is being studied by the reading class. Ethel Godfrey plays our marches for us this week.

The Physiology class studies the human eye this week.

Our star pupil in deportment is La Verne Elliott. She has received no discredit marks for ten weeks.

SIXTH GRADE.

Great indignation was felt toward the pupil who spoiled our record by

coming in tardy, one morning last week. This is the only case of tardiness in the 5 1/2 months of school.

Lincoln Day will be observed next Tuesday afternoon. A program of music and recitations is being prepared. Parents and friends are cordially invited to be present.

Good biographies of Captain John Smith were written by Frank Lister, Dora Hershenow, Eddie Kissinger, Edna Kean, George Imhoff and Margaret Devin.

We are the proud possessors of a fine new map of the United States.

Lura Keller spelled the school down, Friday afternoon.

Maud Sweet, Lura Keller and Lulu Broceus stood 100 in a written review in language.

The geography classes are studying the government of the United States.

SEVENTH GRADE.

The attendance of our room was not affected by the storm of last week.

Walter Clevenger and Guy Raven received 100 in the test on the subject of bones. The majority of the class stood ninety and above. We are now studying the muscles.

Participles have been keeping the grammar class very busy.

Adah Kingery called last Wednesday.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Georgia Beistle and Maud Scott were the first to complete their biographies of Oliver Wendell Holmes.

The class in literature are learning "The Chambered Nautilus."

The class in timely topics are drawing maps of Michigan and locating the coal fields.

We are justly proud of our new map of the United States. It is 4x7 ft.

The charts for this month's standings were drawn by Clarence Van Every and John Cunningham.

We are grateful to John Cunningham for a map of Southern Africa; it will enable us to have a better understanding of the wars in that country.

COMMON COUNCIL.

A special meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was held in the Council Chambers of said Village Friday evening, Feb. 2, 1900.

President Keller presiding. Present:—Trustees Bishop, Black, Kent and Pears. Absent:—Trustees Arthur and Richards.

Moved by Trustee Bishop supported by Trustee Black that the following ordinance relative to muzzling dogs be adopted:

An ordinance to provide for the muzzling of dogs. The village of Buchanan ordains that all dogs running at large within the corporate limits of the village of Buchanan shall be muzzled, and any dog found running at large within the corporate limits of the village of Buchanan without a muzzle on and in violation of this ordinance, shall be killed, and the village marshal and special police are authorized to kill any dog found running at large in violation of this ordinance. This ordinance shall take effect, February 28rd, 1900.

WM. BRODRICK, CLERK. Adopted by the common council of the village of Buchanan, February 2nd, 1900.

WM. BRODRICK, CLERK. Ayes 4—Trustees Bishop, Black, Kent and Pears.

On motion of Trustees Black and Pears the Council adjourned.

W. N. BRODRICK, Clerk.

A regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan, Mich., was held in the Council Chambers of said Village Tuesday evening, Feb. 6, 1900.

President Keller presiding. Present:—Trustees Arthur, Bishop, Black, Kent, Pears and Richards.

The minutes of regular meetings of Jan. 2, 1900 and specials of Jan. 29, 1900 and Feb. 2, 1900 were read and approved.

The report of the Finance Committee was read as follows:

The Finance Committee to whom was referred the following bills have examined same and would recommend their allowance as per statement below:

Table with 2 columns: Name, Amount. Includes items like D. V. Brown night watch, A. J. Helmick, labor at fire, Chas. McCracken, labor Ward case, Beckwith Estate, lighting, supplies, A. Jones & Co., lamps, L. Hamilton, burying dogs, F. M. Smith, dog signs, J. P. Anstis, dray coal, W. Vinton, salary Jan., Geo. Howard, salary Jan., E. S. Roe, supplies, W., Caster Curran & Bullett, coal, Wm. Monro, coal and lumber, Wm. Monro, lumber and lime, F. W. Eldridge, salary Jan., F. M. Shinn, labor, L. Hamilton, labor, Chas. Turner, labor, C. O. Hamilton, labor, Ed Bird, teaming.

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We are receiving our fall stock and are making prices that will make it an object for you to trade with us.

We are going to do

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Moved by Trustee Bishop supported by Trustee Richards that the report of the Finance be accepted as read and that orders be drawn for the several amounts from funds specified.

Ayes—Trustees Arthur, Bishop, Black, Kent, Pears and Richards.

The report of the Street Commissioner was read and on motion of Trustees Richards and Arthur the same was accepted and placed on file.

The following proposition was presented to the Council.

The Beckwith Estate Proposition

To the Honorable, the President and Village Council of the Village of Buchanan.

The estate of Philo D. Beckwith, through Fred E. Lee and William G. Howard, as executors, make to you the following proposition.

We will build a foundry and machine shop 70 feet wide by 200 feet long; one-story high, and ware house 80 feet by 150 feet, one-story high, and bring our furnace business into said buildings and manufacture our furnaces at said foundry, upon the following conditions.

1st. That you, without expense to us, work and put in condition for ordinary travel, Fulton Street from Main Street to River Street, and Commercial Avenue from Fulton Street to Bluff Street; that this street improvement be done as early the coming spring as possible.

2nd. That you extend the water main of the village water works to said building, and furnish to the factory free water service, without any expense to us; that this be done as early the coming spring as possible.

3rd. That you renew the lighting contract we now have with you for lighting the streets of your village for ten years from date, the village taking at least 36 lights, and as many more as they may desire, during the life of said contract, and to pay therefor Fifty Dollars per light plus the amount of village, state, county, school and any other tax or taxes that may be assessed against said factory and furnace plant when erected; that is, in addition to the \$50.00 a year for street lamps each, you pay us each year the amount of the taxes of every kind and nature, ordinary or extraordinary that shall be assessed against said furnace plant; and paid by us.

4th. That you permit us to transmit outside of the village of Buchanan to such point or points as we may desire, power from the dam owned by us in said village, to the extent of one thousand horsepower.

5th. That this proposition, if accepted, shall apply equally well to the successors or assigns of said Beckwith Estate, as to said Estate. All of which is respectfully submitted.

MERCHANT TAILORING.

Best work. Satisfaction guaranteed.

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I can make a suit from \$15 and up.

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J. HERSHENOW, MERCHANT TAILOR.

The Estate of Philo D. Beckwith, deceased.

By FRED E. LEE, By WILLIAM G. HOWARD. Executors of the last will and testament of Philo D. Beckwith, deceased.

Moved by Trustee Bishop supported by Trustee Arthur that the Common Council do not accept the above proposition of the Estate of Philo D. Beckwith.

Ayes 6—Trustees Arthur, Bishop, Black, Kent, Pears and Richards.

Moved by Trustee Bishop that the President appoint a committee of three to interview the Beckwith Estate in reference to their proposition to the Village.

Ayes 6. The President appointed Trustees Pears, Black and Richards on the above committee.

On motion of Trustees Black and Pears the Council adjourned.

W. N. BRODRICK, Clerk.

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That you can get your horse fed at the Klondike Livery Barn for ten cents, including hay.

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Some first quality 16 inch beech or maple wood. Apply to RECORD office.

Attend the illustrated lecture at Rough's Opera House, Feb. 6, which will be illustrated with two hundred views and will be one of the greatest of treats. Be sure to attend the illustrated given by Hon. E. N. Dingley, of Kalamazoo.

The Illustrated Lecture, Feb. 9.

Illustrated Lecture. An illustrated lecture will be given in Rough's Opera House, Friday evening, Feb. 9th. Subject: "Washington, D. C. and Public Man." Admission, 15 cents, children's tickets 10 cents.

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Livery Notice.

After Jan. 1st I will be at my Day's Ave. barn only, where I will let a single rig to South Bend for \$1.00, two seat \$2.00, three-seat \$3.00, and other trips in proportion.

I. N. BACHELOR.

Township Taxes.

The warrant for the collection of Township Taxes has been placed in my hands and I will be ready to receive payments on the same at Lee Bros. & Co's Bank, on and after December 9th.

HERBERT ROE, Treasurer.

It has been fully demonstrated that Ely's Cream Balm is a specific for Nasal Catarrh and cold in the head. This distinction has been achieved only as a result of continued successful use. A morbid condition of the membrane in the nasal passages can be cured by this purifying and healing treatment. Sold by druggists or will be mailed for 60 cents by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York. It spreads over the surface, is absorbed and relief is immediate.

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