







Official Directory.

COUNTY OFFICERS. Circuit Judge, ORVILLE W. COOLIDGE...

TOWNSHIP OFFICERS. Supervisor, BENJ. D. HARPER... Justices, W. H. KELLEY...

Business Directory.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. Sunday services: Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.;

METHODIST CHURCH. Rev. H. L. POTTER, Pastor. Sabbath services: Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.;

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. Rev. James P. van, Pastor. Sabbath services: Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.;

EVANGELICAL CHURCH. Rev. J. K. ALBERT, Pastor. Sabbath services: Preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.;

U. O. P.—Buchanan Lodge No. 75 holds its regular meetings at Odd Fellows Hall, on each Tuesday evening.

U. O. P.—Buchanan Lodge No. 88 holds a regular meeting Monday evening on or before full moon in each month.

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

A. R.—Wm. Ferris Post No. 32 regular meeting on the 1st and 3rd Saturday evening of each month.

SYLVIA CHAPTER, No. 75, O. E. S. holds a regular meeting Wednesday evening on or before the full moon in each month.

ROBERT HENDERSON, M. D., Physician and Surgeon. Office, Rough's Opera House Block.

AUCTIONEER J. B. Clemens, BUCHANAN, MICH. Will cry sales at moderate prices.

DR. E. O. Colvin, PHYSICIAN & SURGEON. Telephone from office to house accessible from the street at all hours of day or night.

J. Asa Garland, M. D., PHYSICIAN & SURGEON. Office—Roe Block, Front Street.

L. E. PECK, M. D., Homeopathic Physician and Surgeon. OFFICE IN NOBLE BLOCK.

Orville Curtis, M. D., PHYSICIAN & SURGEON. Office, over Roe's Hardware.

DR. CLAUDE B. ROE, Dentist. TELEPHONES: REDDEN BLOCK, BELL, NO. 50, BUCHANAN, MICH.

FRANK P. GRAVES, LeRoy A. Wilson, Graves & Wilson, ATTORNEYS & COUNSELORS AT LAW.

DR. JESSE FILMAR, DENTIST. OFFICE:—108T-OFFICE BLOCK. Will be called on Tuesday of each week.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

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Important Notice. On and after Thursday, March 22nd, the subscription price of the BUCHANAN RECORD will be increased to \$1.50 per year strictly in advance.

The newspapers of other sections of this county have given notice of a like advance on April first. If you desire to take advantage of the old rate of \$1.00 you must act quickly.

Governor. The candidates for the Republican nomination for governor of Michigan are numerous this year, and represent the highest type of Michigan statesmen.

The future success of the party in this state is more dependent than ever upon the wise and impartial administration of our next governor, and it is the belief of the Republican that Hon. Dexter M. Ferry of Detroit as governor of Michigan would fulfill to the satisfaction of all every trust imposed upon him.

Mr. Ferry as a business man is known in every village and community in the state, and throughout his long business career he has maintained a reputation for honesty and fairness which has made him respected and honored everywhere.

Michigan needs a business man in the executive chair, one who will calmly and carefully consider the peoples' interests as he would his own and, who will strive to create harmony rather than discord throughout the state.

Hon. Milo D. Campbell, of Coldwater and president of the Tax Commission of the state, has formally announced his candidacy for Governor.

The Republican County Committee held a meeting at St. Joseph, Saturday and decided to call a county convention at Berrien Springs on April 18th, and Dr. Fred R. Belknap, of Niles, was selected as temporary chairman.

We are in receipt of an instalment of Horticultural Society Reports for 1898 and any one desiring a copy can obtain one free of cost by calling at the RECORD office.

PERSONAL.

Mr. A. C. Roe went to South Bend Friday. Mr. D. H. Bower was in St. Joseph on Saturday.

Mr. Ira D. Wagner drove to Niles Tuesday noon. Mr. A. L. Sewell was over from Niles, Monday.

Mr. E. B. Wood, of Chicago, was in town last week. Mr. Wm. Burks was in South Bend on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Russell were at home over Sunday. Mr. H. H. Porter was over from Dowagiac Tuesday.

Mr. D. G. W. Gaugler, of Berrien Springs was in town today. Mrs. A. Glover spent a few days in Michigan City last week.

Mr. H. A. Hathaway was in St. Joseph Tuesday on business. Messrs Will East and Thos. Cox were in Niles on Monday.

Miss Edith S. Smith, who has been at Three Oaks, has returned. Miss Grace Godfrey visited her sister at Glendora last week.

Deputy Sheriff J. C. Wenger was at St. Joseph Saturday on business. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Martin returned Tuesday from Bloomingdale.

Mr. John W. Charlton, Jr. and wife went to Marion, Iowa, Saturday. Attorney A. A. Worthington was in St. Joseph Wednesday on business.

Hon. Thos. O'Hara, of St. Joseph, was a Buchanan visitor on Tuesday. Mr. T. C. Stevens, of Glendora, was a Buchanan visitor on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Woodworth and children spent Sunday with relatives at St. Joseph. Deputy Sheriff Alva W. Sherwood, of Three Oaks, was in town Saturday on his way to St. Joseph.

Mr. Geo. East, who is attending the South Bend Commercial College, spent Sunday with his parents. Mr. Clifford Rupert left for Three Oaks today where he will enter the employ of the Featherbone Co.

Frank Merson and Scott Whitman, of Buchanan, Mich., were in town yesterday. New Carlisle Gazette. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Emery were called to Galien, Sunday by the critical illness of Dr. Stanley A. Clark.

Mr. Bird Lister, who has been visiting his parents here, returned to work at Chicago Heights this week. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Noble and children of Niles, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Noble.

Mrs. Howard, who for some months has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. Weisgerber, returned to her home in Boston Monday. Mrs. Sarah Scott returned from Adamsville Tuesday where she was called by the death of her cousin, Mrs. Wm. Hilbert.

Dr. L. E. Peck has been called to Galien several times the past week on professional business. He is attending Dr. Clark of that place. Mrs. C. E. Blake, who has been visiting relatives and friends in town and vicinity for several days, returned to her home in Chicago today.

Rev. W. B. Thomson went to Detroit on Monday, on business. He will return in time to occupy the Christian Church pulpit on Sunday. Mr. J. P. Beistle started on Sunday for Vermont, where he will purchase the stone for the Callaghan G. A. R. monument to be erected at Oak Ridge.

Mrs. W. C. Tillotson was called to Crestline, O., on Tuesday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Jane Wagner, who is visiting a daughter at that place.

MERCHANT TAILORING. STRICTLY FIRST CLASS. FIT AND WORKMANSHIP GUARANTEED. G. H. PARKINSON.

Mrs. Nellie East returned from Cassopolis Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Richards, jr., Misses Florence Redden, Lulu Morris, and Addie Kelsey, went to South Bend today to attend the wedding of Miss Lizzie Brownfield, which occurs this evening.

From Will O. Strawser. MANILA, P. I., Jan. 20, 1900. DEAR PARENTS AND SISTERS: I will again drop you a few lines to let you know that I am all right and hope you are the same.

I have not heard from anybody in the states for nearly two months now. What is the matter, is every one dead or have the mails quit running? I dont get a chance to write very often but you can write whenever you want to, and when a fellow is 10,000 miles from home, a letter is a great thing even if only a few words.

Well I guess the hard fighting is over now. It is almost impossible to find over 40 or 50 insurgents in one bunch and they wont fight. Every time a town is taken now a small garrison is left in it and of course that has a great deal to do with breaking up the spirit of rebellion.

Manila is looking more like an American city every day. The streets which are paved with stone are swept and sprinkled every day and a large number of handsome new buildings are being erected. The Government is building a large ice plant, and just across the river from the ice plant, a large cold storage building, besides several large ware houses and other buildings down near the water front.

I suppose you have all read about General Lawton being killed. He was without doubt the best field officer in the army, and his death came just when he was most needed by the army, but there has been a large number of Gugas killed to pay for it and there will be a good many more for he was the soldier's ideal of what a soldier should be.

I have seen several articles in some American newspapers about the Philippines and the condition therein, supposed to have been written by their correspondents who are here, but I have failed to find any articles describing things as I have seen them. We have been here nearly eleven months now and ought to be able to judge a little from what we see.

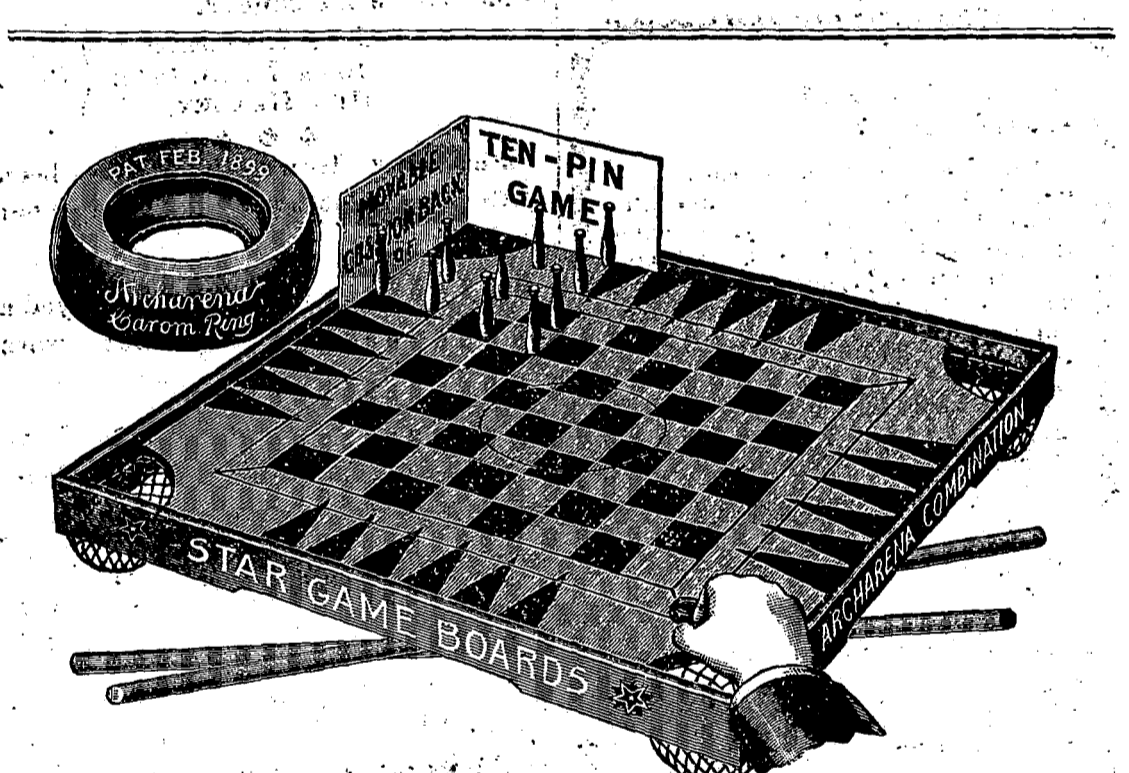
Well I must close. Hoping to hear from you soon and often I remain as ever, Yours lovingly, Wm. O. STRAWSER, Co. I. 4th U. S. Inf., Manila, P. I.

The following quotations are furnished the Record by the Niagara Mills, Bainton Bros. proprietors: Wheat... 68c Oats... 50c Corn... 35c

GROCERIES. Our stock of Groceries is full and complete. We have everything for the comfort of your table. Goods delivered FREE. C. D. KENT.

School Supplies and School Books. A complete stock. AT Runner's.

COME AND GET Cameras, Dark Room Lanterns, Photo Accessories and Supplies AT YOUR OWN PRICES. A. JONES & CO., JEWELERS & OPTICIANS.



ARCHARENA GAME BOARD and have been enabled to make the following unparalleled offer the STAR GAME BOARD, 16 games on one board, retailing at \$2.50, and the Buchanan Record for one year for only \$3.00

Teacher's Examinations Berrien County. For Sale. Well improved farm four miles west of Buchanan, known as 'Clear Lake Farm', with all the live stock and all farming implements. Do You Know That you can get your horse fed at the Klondike Livery Barn for ten cents, including hay. The Record will be \$1.50 per year on and after March 22. Get your subscription in before that date, and get the old rate. It Will Surprise You—Try It. It is a medicine above all others for catarrh, and is worth its weight in gold. Ely's Cream Balm does all that is claimed for it—B. W. Sperry Hartford, Conn. My son was afflicted with catarrh. He used Ely's Cream Balm and the disagreeable catarrh disappeared. The balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts. or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Oa Ren St., New York.



POULTRY

Feeding Chicks Properly. Chicks just hatched do not need food for the first twenty-four hours.

One of the best foods for the first few days consists of stale bread soaked in milk, and should be crumbled fine, and placed where the chicks can eat it readily.

Granulated oats is an excellent food for the young chickens. It may be fed to a good advantage after the second or third day in connection with the bread soaked in milk.

The chickens should have free access to some kind of grit. Coarse sand makes an excellent grit for very young chicks. As they get a little older some coarser material must be provided.

One of the great difficulties in rearing fowls is to carry them through the first two weeks without bowel disorders. Improper food and injudicious feeding even if the right kinds of food are given each plays an important part in producing these disorders.

A mixture of fine middlings, wheat bran, a little corn meal, and a little linseed meal mixed with milk makes a very valuable food.

Wheat screenings are one of the best foods. Between meals scatter a little millet seed in litter so as to compel the chicks to scratch for the seeds.

Drinking fountains require close attention. Small chickens drink frequently and often times with these beaks loaded with food which is left more or less in the water supply, so it soon becomes tainted and emit a disagreeable odor.

Cleanliness is essential to success in poultry keeping. The drinking fountains must be kept clean. You can not make a flock of young chicks too fat, their rapid growth will prevent that.

Charcoal is a valuable feed for hens, having a cleansing influence on the system. It is good at all seasons of the year, and if placed where fowls can get it and have what they want, they will eat it in large quantities.

Rats are a source of much loss to the poultry man. Watch for them. They can kill more chickens than ten men can raise. M. E. Cunningham, of New Corydon, Ind., writes: My experience is that trees do better in a poultry yard than any where else.

Not enough difference is made in the price of chickens well or poorly fed. To many persons one chicken is just as good as another; but to one who appreciates differences in flavor there will be as wide a range as between different fruits.

It is best to prevent disease in your home if possible, and it is cheaper to prevent disease among your animals than to cure it. Effect of Climate on Wool of Sheep.

USEFUL EXPERIMENTS

Hints of Great Interest to the Raiser of Poultry.

Bulletin No. 60 of the Utah Experiment Station reports the second year's results of experiments with poultry. It is a continuation of the work reported in Bulletin No. 51. The objects of the experiment are stated as follows:

- 1. The relative value of year-old hens and of pullets. 2. The effect of exercise. 3. The relative value of early and late hatched pullets. 4. The yearly food cost per fowl. 5. The average yearly production of eggs per hen. 6. The weight of eggs from different breeds. 7. The relative fertility of eggs under different treatments. 8. The relative fertility of fresh and old eggs. 9. The merits of different incubators. 10. The effect of different methods in artificial incubation.

FREAKS OF CYCLONE.

Of Such a Nature That a Photographer Shows That the Men Took to Drink. The details of the performance of the recent cyclone at Herman, Neb., are now becoming known. Eye witnesses and photographs are the most sober testimony available.

In one humble home the housewife had been accustomed to place her preserves on a cellar shelf close to the floor of the house. These jars extended some three inches above the outside ground surface. When the house was uprooted like a sapling and carried a hundred feet the first investigator found the preserves intact, rearing their heads above the surface.

Perfect Confidence. Admiral Dewey, in conversation with some friends to'd an interesting chapter in his Manila experiences after he had destroyed the Spanish fleet. The battle itself, he declared, was nothing, but it was after the battle had been fought and Spain's power on the sea destroyed, that his troubles commenced.

The Poultry Yard. Keep the walls of the henhouse white by repeated whitewashing. Cracked corn is better than whole corn. Use little or no moisture in your incubators. Why not work your way up to a higher plane next season?

Much Different Feeds. Not enough difference is made in the price of chickens well or poorly fed. To many persons one chicken is just as good as another; but to one who appreciates differences in flavor there will be as wide a range as between different fruits.

Effect of Climate on Wool of Sheep. Sheep always like high and dry land. They can stand almost any amount of cold so long as it is dry cold, and are very impatient of hot and wet weather.

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comes again, each time paying her way with amusing speeches and thoughtful compliments. She has a limited income or salary, which prevents her from living, as all women should, under her own roof.

The English have governed in South Africa for 100 years, driving into the desert the Dutch who wish to be independent. But the strange Boer race, which is not exactly Dutch, but a mixture of several races, including almost as strong an admixture of French Huguenot blood as the blood of Holland, and including also a dash of German English and Scottish--always comes uppermost in the affairs of the colonies.

"How many descendants did Herr Hugo leave?" the visitor asked. "He had 292 in all," was the answer, "but there are only 211 living now."

"How did he happen to die?" "That is what no one can tell," they answered, shaking their heads. "He never had a sick day in his life, he never took to his bed, and he seemed to drop off all at once. It is a profound mystery."

Yes, the cafe? answered back the other, in a voice that evidently showed he realized his danger. But the mad horse seemed attracted by the lights and did not change his course. Pierre was desperate. Now the little mare was even with the other's saddle girths, but there were those tables only fifty yards away.

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RACE OF A GENDARME.

PIERRE DELOIRE LEARNS AN ODD CUSTOM OF OUR HORSEMEN.

The growing custom among American horsemen of riding bareheaded is not generally known among Europeans, and in some cases has caused rather amusing misunderstandings. A recent arrival from Paris relates the following experience of a French mounted policeman.

One evening Pierre Deloire, mounted gendarme, was riding slowly in the Bois de Boulogne, bemoaning the unkind fate which gave him no opportunity for showing his skill and bravery.

"After you! After you! After you!" pattered the little French mare as she gradually lessened the distance between them. On they tore. Once, under an arc light, the man ahead turned halfway in his saddle and looked back over his shoulder for an instant.

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Killed With Whole Skin. You may have your bones broken, your heart smashed to a pulp and strong tendons torn, while the skin remains quite uninjured, says Answers.

Origin of the Wedding Ring. According to legend Jupiter sent to Prometheus in honor of his deliverance by Hercules a ring in which was set a piece of the stone to which Prometheus had formerly been bound in chains.

State of Edward A. Beckwith, deceased. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss: Probate Court for said County.

State of Elizabeth Pennell, Deceased. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss: A session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office in the city of St. Joseph, on the 6th day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

TRAINS EAST. LEAVE BUCHANAN. Detroit Night Express, No. 6, 12:30 A. M. Mail, No. 6, 9:30 A. M. East Eastern Express, No. 14, 5:30 P. M. Chicago & Kalamazoo Accor., No. 32 7:20 P. M.

TRAINS WEST. LEAVE BUCHANAN. Chicago & Kalamazoo Accor., No. 21 8:15 A. M. Bosk., N. Y. & Chi. Special, No. 15, 12:00 P. M. Mail, No. 3, 7:20 P. M.

Time Table in effect Nov. 26, 1899. Southward trains. Northward trains. Table with columns for stations and times.

Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis Railway. THE POPULAR ROUTE BETWEEN THE MICHIGAN CITIES AND ALL SOUTHERN PORTS.

VANDALIA LINE. Terre Haute & Loganport Ry. Co. TIME TABLE. In effect Nov. 26, 1899. Trains leave South Bend as follows:

Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus Railway Co. Time Table. EFFECTIVE SUNDAY, OCT. 22, 1899, AT 12:05 O'CLOCK A. M.

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Club Offer. We have made arrangements with the publishers of the Michigan Presbyterian whereby we are enabled to give to our readers, The Michigan Presbyterian, price \$1.00, until January 1, 1901 and the BUCHANAN RECORD for one year only \$1.60.

Wayne Hotel, Detroit. AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN PLAN. \$2 TO \$3.50 \$1.00 TO \$2.00 SINGLE MEALS, 50c. UP TO DATE CAFE.



