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## SPECIAL JANUARY SALE OF LINENS

During January we offer table linens, napkins, towel and bed spreads at special prices; the lowest ever made by us.

We mention a few items:

Cotton crash, 2c, 2½c and 3c a yard.  
Linen crash, 5c a yard and up.  
All linen bleached huck towelling, 18 inch, 10 a yard.

54 inch half bleached table damask, 20c yard.  
58 inch red and white damask, 20c yard.  
72 inch bleached damask, 45c yard and up.  
Napkins, 50c a dozen and up.  
Towels, 5c, 10c and up. Every variety.  
Pattern cloths and napkins all sizes.

This sale takes in our entire stock. The special prices are for January only, this is the opportunity of the year to buy linens.

COME AND SEE US.  
**Geo. Wyman & Co.**

CLOSED EVENINGS EXCEPT SATURDAY

SOUTH BEND, IND

## PHILLIPS FAILS AGAIN

"Corn King" Unable to Meet His Margins on the Chicago Board of Trade.

THE CAUSE IS A SLUMP IN RYE

Tried to Dispose of the Grain Outside the Pit, but Failed—Effect of Collapse.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—A notice was posted at the opening of the board of trade calling for the closing of all open deals with George H. Phillips, the former "corn king." A heavy call for extra margins is said to have been the cause of the posting of the notice. The call was made the previous afternoon and Phillips and his staff worked all night over the firm's books. The trouble is said to have been due to a 3½ cents' break in rye. Phillips is credited with holding a line of 1,500,000 bushels of this cereal, mostly in May options. The break was caused by a sale of 50,000 bushels. Phillips is said to have on his books also from 4,000,000 to 5,000,000 bushels of May wheat and about 3,000,000 bushels of May corn.

Failed to Negotiate.  
Phillips opened negotiations with elevator men before the opening of the board of trade in an endeavor to dispose of his rye outside the pit. The negotiations fell through and May rye, which closed the previous day at 66½ cents, opened with sales from 61 to 60 cents. The whole Phillips line was dumped on the market. Brokers acting for Armour & Co., however, bought nearly all of it and the market in consequence rallied rapidly to 65 cents.

The effect of the notice posted by Secretary Stone was instantaneous, the whole list opening up sharply. Wheat opened 1 to 1½ cents lower; corn ½ to 1 cent down, and oats nearly 1 cent depressed. Mr. Phillips could not be seen following the announcement of the closing of his deals, but members of his staff stated that he was still in good financial condition.

Phillips Makes a Statement.  
Mr. Phillips gave out a statement, in part, as follows:

"The amount involved in my trouble of today is about \$60,000. My customers had their trades well margined and if the trades closed out today bring a fair price I can meet all my obligations. I was 'long' about 1,200,000 rye, 5,000,000 wheat and 400,000 corn and oats. Saturday a member of the board interested in breaking the rye market sent notices calling for an extra margin of 10 per cent. on rye. This naturally caused selling orders Monday, and the representative of member mentioned, finding the market bare of orders, forced the market down 3 cents. This was done in a moment and the news flashed all over the country, caused consternation among holders of rye contracts, many of whom sold on a weak market. A decline of 1 cent in wheat, coupled with rumors reflecting on my strength, resulted in unusually heavy calls for margins. I was for the moment unprepared and the only alternative left was to close out. I have no excuses to offer and no complaints to make."

Career of Phillips.  
George H. Phillips' career on the board of trade during the last two years has been such as to keep him most of the time in the public eye. A clerk originally for one of the large commission houses, he finally branched

out as a broker and member of the board and in the early summer of 1900 began to attract attention when it became evident that he was engineering a corner in corn. A young man, he had the old-timers of the corn pit hard up against the wall before they realized the fact and for months he had them at his mercy, dominating the corn pit at his pleasure and forcing the price up as he saw fit.

Axiom Held True.  
But the axiom of the floor is that no man ever successfully ran a "corner" and got out of it safely, and it turned out so in the case of Phillips. Careless bookkeeping and the fact that some of his partners became submerged with private deals resulted in the firm's asking for a receiver in August, 1901, and the affairs of the old George H. Phillips company were wound up and it was only recently that Mr. Phillips started anew, backed by many of his old customers who had implicit faith in his honesty and ability.

HISSES FOR ROSEBERY

London Liberal Association Shows Hostility to the Former Premier.

London, Jan. 14.—That the Liberal party is not at all enthusiastic over the promised return of Lord Rosebery was amply demonstrated at the meeting of the London Liberal association in St. James hall. Great things were expected from the meeting, as it was known that the former leader of the party would demonstrate his intentions in a letter. The letter was read, and was received in an astonishing manner. It was cheered and jeered and hissed.

And not only did the audience throw cold water on the Rosebery declaration, but Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, in a wildly cheered speech, said he welcomed Lord Rosebery back to the fold, but with reservations. In fact, Sir Henry said in so many words that if Lord Rosebery returns in full standing to the Liberal party he must come in and subscribe most heartily to all the policies that have been maintained and upheld by those who have been faithful always.

Yacht Hohenzollern Coming Over.  
Berlin, Jan. 13.—Emperor William's yacht Hohenzollern will go to New York to participate in the launching of his majesty's new yacht. Prince Henry of Prussia will also be present at the ceremony as representative of Emperor William.

Car Sheds Burned.  
St. Louis, Jan. 13.—The car sheds of the Bellefontaine division of the St. Louis Transit company were burned and a large number of summer cars destroyed. The loss is estimated at about \$60,000; fully insured.

Fell Seven Stories.

Chicago, Jan. 14.—J. B. Chapman, 1289 North Ashland avenue, who fell seven stories in an elevator shaft at the Chamber of Commerce building, is dead at the Presbyterian hospital. Chapman and Thomas Cavanaugh, who was also injured, were employed by the Elevator Supply and Repair company. The two men were at work on a scaffold when the structure gave away and they fell headlong into the shaft. Cavanaugh, who is 28 years old, is cut on the face, hands and body and internally injured.

Murdered by a Robber.

St. Joseph, Mo., Jan. 14.—Roy Iden, aged 22 years, was shot and killed by a robber at midnight in a butcher-shop in South Eleventh street, where he was employed as clerk. Iden was making change for a customer when two men entered and commanded them to throw up their hands. Iden instead grasped a revolver, when one of the robbers shot him dead. The robbers escaped.

## SEVEN DIE IN THE FIRE

Two-Story House Burns and a Man, Wife and Five Children Are Cremated.

OWNER IS ARRESTED ON SUSPICION

Victims Awakened Only to Know Their Dreadful Fate—Nordica in a Wreck.

Buffalo, Jan. 13.—Henry Pearlstein, his wife, and five children ranging in age from 1½ to 12 years, were burned to death at an early hour yesterday in a fire that destroyed a two-story frame building. Joseph Supowski, who owned the building, and Karl Bracki, his brother-in-law, have been arrested pending an investigation. Supowski carried an insurance of \$9,000 on the building and its contents. The Pearlsteins and another family lived in rooms above the store and were asleep when the fire started. Supowski told the police yesterday that he accidentally dropped a lamp.

Loud Explosion During the Fire.

A few minutes after the fire began there was a loud explosion that blew out the front of the store and hurled some of the contents of the windows into the middle of the street. Plate glass windows on the opposite side of Broadway were shattered, and the report of the explosion was heard two blocks away. The flames enveloped the building in a short time. The family living in the rear flat barely escaped with their lives.

Avoked to Meet a Frightful Fate.

The Pearlsteins were awakened, but before they could reach the only stairway leading from their rooms the fire had undermined the floor in the hallway, and it collapsed, carrying them down into a mass of flames. Their charred bodies were found four hours after the firemen had extinguished the flames. The body of the mother and baby were found together, the little one tightly clasped in its mother's arms. Pearlstein's body was found close to that of his wife. He also held one of the children in his arms. The bodies of the other three children were found huddled together close to the father's body.

Nordica in a Railway Wreck.

Rome, Ga., Jan. 13.—As a result of a collision between a passenger and a freight on the Southern railway at an early hour yesterday, near Reeves' Station, twenty miles north of Rome, an engineer was killed, Mme. Lillian Nordica, the singer, was injured; her companion, E. Romaine Simmons, sustained a bruised hand, and three employees of the road were injured. The dead man was Frank Tracey, engineer, Atlanta. The injured are Mme. Nordica, E. Romaine Simmons, Guy Conally (engineer on freight), George Florence (passenger conductor), Mme. Nordica had a shoulder bruised and her neck a little strained, but the bruise and strain cannot be severe, for the doctor attending her said he thought she would be able to sing tonight at Nashville, Tenn. Simmons, too, will be able to accompany the singer.

NORDICA IN A WRECK

Actress' Shoulder and Neck Sprained—Engineer Killed.

Rome, Ga., Jan. 14.—In a head-end collision on the Southern railway near Reeves Station, twenty miles north of Rome shortly after 2 o'clock in the morning Engineer Frank Tracey was instantly killed and several others bruised and injured. Mme. Nordica, whose special car, Brunnhilde, was attached to the north-bound train, suffered a severely sprained shoulder, and the muscles of her neck were wrenched, but the road's physicians declare that she is not seriously injured and can fulfill her engagement at Nashville, Tenn.

E. R. Simmons, pianist for Nordica, received a severe injury on his left hand and a general shaking up, but will be able to perform at the concert. Nordica was badly frightened. She had been highly successful at Atlanta and left in high spirits. She was asleep in her stateroom when the collision threw her from her berth to the floor of the sleeping-car. For several hours her car, together with others, was isolated in the woods and later sent over another line to Chattanooga. The singer recovered her composure during the day and expressed great thankfulness that she had escaped so lightly. Other passengers and trainmen were slightly bruised, and property to the value of \$100,000 was destroyed.

More Trouble for Dowie.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Benjamin F. Williams, formerly a school teacher in Mansfield, O., and a follower of Rev. John Alexander Dowie, yesterday began suit in the circuit court of Cook county for damages in the sum of \$50,000 against Dowie and others for alleged conspiracy to alienate his wife's affections. Williams says his wife won't live with him because he refuses to pay tithes to Dowie's enterprises.

Boer General Killed.

London, Jan. 14.—General Kitchener reports to the war office that it is practically certain that the well-known and important Boer general, Oppermann, was killed in a recent engagement at Onvermacht. He commanded the Piet Retif, Utrecht, Vryheid, Wakkerstroom, and Swaziland commandos.

## DEPEW AND BRIDE AT HOME

Senator Declares for the Panama Canal as Soon as He Lands.

New York, Jan. 13.—Senator Chauncey M. Depew and his bride arrived from Europe Saturday night on the steamship St. Louis. The senator was



MRS. CHAUNCEY DEPEW.

in excellent health and spirits, but Mrs. Depew suffered much from seasickness. Depew talked entertainingly of his visit to France, and described the trouble he had in having to attend three marriage ceremonies.

Senator Depew was asked what he thought about the Panama canal and his observation of the condition of the European countries he had been visiting. "I think the Panama route is better than the Nicaragua," said he, "and I also think the price of \$40,000,000 is reasonable."

LABOR STRUGGLE SETTLED

Civic Federation Committee of Thirty-Six Backs Its First Success.

New York, Jan. 10.—A virtual settlement of the bitter struggle for shorter hours which has been waged between the garment cutters and the clothing manufacturers of the United States for months was reached yesterday. The question involved about 40,000 men in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Syracuse, Utica, Rochester and Baltimore. The settlement was reached through the medium of the committee of thirty-six appointed by the recent conference of the National Civic Federation in this city.

The United Garment Workers demanded an eight-hour day nearly a year ago. This the employers absolutely refused to grant, insisting on nine hours. President Marks, of the manufacturers' association, receded from his demands for a nine-hour day, but offered eight and one-half hours. To this Secretary White agreed. It is understood that the garment workers will continue efforts to secure an eight-hour day, but that they will abandon all ideas of striking. The two opposing officials were brought together by the committee of thirty-six.

THINK STEAMER WAS BURNED

St. Joseph Residents Witness Strange Flashes of Light at Night.

St. Joseph, Mich., Jan. 14.—Whether some unknown lake steamer has burned in Lake Michigan off this port is a question that many citizens are discussing. Alderman August Loeffler, accompanied by Fred Vail, while returning to their homes in South St. Joseph about 12 o'clock at night, saw several bright flashes out on the lake on the Chicago steamer course. Mr. Vail went to the edge of the bluff, where he could get a clear view of the lake. He saw a bright illumination, followed by bright flashes as of flames extending into air.

Owing to the fact that no lake boats have been operating at this shore, since the close of navigation marine men are puzzled and cannot account for the appearance of the flashes unless they were due to the burning of some strange vessel.

Policeman Murders His Wife.

New York, Jan. 14.—William D. Ennis, a Brooklyn policeman shot and killed his wife and fatally wounded her mother, Mrs. Magee at Mrs. Magee's home. Ennis escaped. The policeman had separated from his wife and had refused to support her, and she had him arrested recently. He went to the house, and when admittance was refused him, he drew a revolver and putting his shoulder to the door, burst it in. He ran up stairs to his wife's bed room and fired one shot at her, which pierced her heart. Her mother, who had heard the uproar, ran to Mrs. Ennis' room. Ennis fired one shot at her, and mortally wounded her. He then left the house declaring that he would kill himself.

Prize Fight at Grand Rapids.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 10.—Joe Leonard, of Buffalo, and Emil Sanchez, of Chicago, fought ten rounds before the Olympia Athletic club last night. The decision was a draw, although some present thought Sanchez had a little the better of the mill. Neither was badly punished. They met at 133 pounds.

Went to Her Lover's Funeral.

Adrian, Mich., Jan. 11.—Mrs. Farrington, wife of J. B. Farrington, who shot and killed Jesse Hooker on Mrs. Farrington's account, went with Hooker's family to the funeral of the victim. She is still living with the Hookers, and it is said she will continue to do so until after the trial of her husband.

## January Clearance and Before Inventory SALES

We take our inventory the first week in February this year and we have put low prices on a lot of goods to clean them out. Everything must go to make room for the new goods constantly arriving.

### CLOAK DEPARTMENT SPECIALS.

This week we commence to sell goods in this department at prices less than the cloth cost to make the garments. If you have been waiting for these sales, this week is the time to take advantage of the opportunity.

We intend to sell every coat on our racks, low prices will do this, so come down and find what you want.

Jackets that were sold up to \$4.50, 50c each.

Coats that were sold up to \$7.50, \$1.00 each.

50 per cent off the price of all long coats.

33 1-3 per cent off a lot of desirable furs.

Any waist in the house marked \$1.00, \$1.25 or \$1.50, during this sale only 39 cents.

Any waist that formerly sold for from \$1.75 to \$3.00, during sale 95 cents.

You will find some great values offered you in the cloak department this week. Come down.

### MUSLIN UNDERWEAR

At prices less than you pay for the materials. When down town don't fail to come to Ellsworth's to see the handsomest line of muslin underwear ever brought to South Bend. You can't do better with your money if you go all over the world shopping.

Beautiful corset covers that are new, right and correct in every way, 25 cents.

A special number is a night gown for 50 cents. The skirts offered here at 95 cents are being sold on State street for \$1.49.

Our goods are the best and prices the lowest for similar qualities.

### WHITE GOODS HAVE ARRIVED

Many of our customers have been waiting for the news. The white goods are now here. Never have we brought to town such an assortment. We doubled our usual purchase and can offer you any kind of fabric in white goods ever heard of. This week the full line will be ready for you. The large purchase enables us to quote lower prices than ever. The goods are most beautiful.

Come to see the new

White Madras Cloths,

White Linen Crashes,

White English Oxfords,

India Linens,

Nainsooks, Dimities,

Swisses and Mulls.

Low prices quoted on best goods.

These prices are the best ever quoted on goods of equal value in South Bend.

### LINENS IN HANDSOME PATTERNS.

72 inch, full bleached, all-linen, heavy Scotch damask, 50 cents.

72 inch, full bleached, all-linen, heavy satin damask, 75 cents.

72 inch, full bleached, all-linen, heavy satin damask, 95 cents.

90 inch, full bleached, all-linen, double satin damask, \$1.25.

20 inch, full bleached, union napkins, 95 cents dozen.

20 inch, all-linen, full bleached napkins, \$1.25 dozen.

24 inch, all-linen, full bleached napkins, \$2.00 dozen.

### TURKISH, TEA AND ROLLER LINEN TOWELS.

21 by 42 inch, heavy double thread, unbleached Turkish towel, 12½ cents.

22 by 44 inch, heavy double thread, unbleached Turkish towel, 15 cents.

26 by 50 inch, heavy double thread, unbleached Turkish towel, 25 cents.

19 by 36 inch, heavy double thread, bleached Turkish towel, 10 cents.

21 by 42 inch, heavy double thread, bleached Turkish towel, 12½ cents.

22 by 44 inch, heavy double thread, bleached Turkish towel, 20 cents.

22 by 44 inch, heavy all-linen washed huck towel, 25 cents.

18 by 36 inch, heavy all-linen tea towel, 10 cents.

### MUSLINS, GINGHAMS AND CAMBRICS

Mercedes' prints, 3 cents

American Shirting, 4 cents

Logan L L Muslin, 3½ cents

Chapman X bleached, 5½ cents

Chapman X half bleached, 5½ cents

Lonsdale, 7½ cents

Hill's Muslin, 7 cents

Fruit of the Loom, 7½ cents

Toile du Nord, A. F. C. and Red Seal gingham, 10 cents.

36 inch, dyed and printed cambrics, 12½ cents.

Queen Long Cloths—Chamois finish, every piece perfect, 95 cents to \$2.25 for 12 yard pieces.

### BED SPREADS, SHEETS AND PILLOW CASES

Full sized hemmed crochet bed spreads, handsome patterns, 75 cents

Full sized hemmed crochet bed spreads, handsome patterns, 95 cents

Full sized fringed-crochet bed spreads, handsome patterns, \$1.15

Full sized fringed-crochet bed spreads, handsome patterns, \$1.45

Full sized, 81 by 90 inch, hemmed sheet, 50 cents

Hemmed pillow cases, ready for use, from 5 to 50 cents each

### WASH DRESS GOODS

The whole town is talking about this store's wash goods. Every purchaser has been pleased. If you have not seen them, make it your duty to come down this week. The newest, largest and swellest line of wash dress goods ever opened for your inspection.

You will find the best goods at the lowest prices at this store.

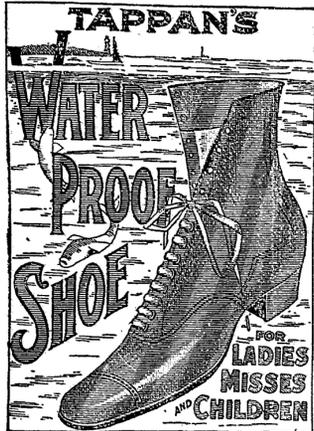
## JOHN CHESS ELLSWORTH

113-115 N. MICHIGAN ST.

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# HOLIDAY FOOTWEAR

Make Very  
ACCEPTABLE PRESENTS



This shoe is made from genuine WATER-PROOF KID and is designed to meet the wants of all who desire a STYLISH, ATTRACTIVE OUT-DOOR SHOE. We sell them at popular prices and guarantee them to be the MOST DURABLE Shoe on the market at any price.

We have a Fine Line of all the Latest Styles

Also  
NULILFIERS  
JULIETS AND  
SLIPPERS

Any of which will make the nicest kind of a present.

We present any baby born 1901 with its first pair of shoes.

CARMER & CARMER

## OUR RELIGIOUS CORNER

CONDUCTED BY  
THE PASTORS' ASSOCIATION

### Live Religion Where You Are

G. Campbell Morgan, recently said: "Man is saying: Certainly I could be a Christian if I could get out of this position; if I could get out of this business, this particular situation in which I am engaged, where there are ungodly men round about me. If I only lived in your home instead of mine, I could be a Christian. My environment is against me." "If you cannot be a Christian where you are you cannot be a Christian anywhere. God is no more in my home than in thine." "It is so easy to be a Christian while we are in the sanctuary, and the very breathe of eternity is upon us and God is at hand. Tomorrow in the city, in the workshop, in the office, on the mart it is very hard." "God is no more in the sanctuary than He is in your shop, or your office, or the mart, and it is no more difficult to pray when ungodly men are thronging around you than it is to pray here. So long as you are longing for freedom from your present environment to be a Christian, you will never find the deliverance you seek."

About forty thousand people attended the meetings of the old Jerry McAuley Mission in New York the past year, under the auspices of S. H. Hadley. The largest part of these were homeless men and drunkards. The work is brightened by much soul saving result, and Mr. Hadley says: "We have on an average thirty-five redeemed drunkards and converts among the congregation each night."

There are about one hundred thousand Finns in northern Minnesota and Michigan. They have few ministers of their own denomination—the old-style Lutheran church, and they are becoming addicted to strong drink. What they need is to have the pure gospel preached to them.

The Jewish Colonial Trust has 120,000 Jewish shareholders, representing every country in the world, and the dream which they have had of once more becoming the natural tenants and masters of the Holy Land is slowly assuming substantiality. All the great powers are increasing their trade with Palestine, while, within the country itself preparations are going forward which will make the Promised Land a veritable land of promise.

I've some neighbors who are searching This footstool high and low To find a creed, or something, That ain't so laggin' slow As the old time scripster teachin's Of the Bible clout at hand, And they're burrowing like badgers Ev'ry cranny in the land By a bran new-fangled route— A sort of Pullman kerridge What the Book don't speak about

They're beyond the good old Scriptures, An' hold as no account For your up-to-date religion The Sermon on the Mount, With its glorious teachings, shining Like the sun on ev'ry line, A lighting up the verses With a radiance divine. They are cuter than a circus And they fancy they have got God's plans down fine and certain As a nickel in the slot. And they laugh an' aggravin' laugh At the old chaps likin' me, Who find the Scriptures all they want, And take 'em as they be. They hev books frum floor to ceilin', Books of ev'ry sort and kind, Some fat—some lean—some middlin', Of ev'ry print and bind. And there's more on the planner, And they're litterin' up the chairs, Besides the floor and table, Likewise the chamber stairs: Books, books of ev'ry readin', Of high and low degree, With names and insides, Latin, Or Greek, at least to me. But, for my simple reading, All the books on floor and shelf Ain't worth this simple passage: "Love thy neighbor as thy self." They're uncertain in the morning, At noon their sailings plain, 'Bout five o'clock, you'll notice, They're wobblin' off again. They're up and down and sidelin', They're this way, then they're that, 'Till the very level headedest Can't tell just where they're at. I take down my old Bible And say it on my knee, And it's more than like to open "As yere done unto Me," Or, "The Lord He is my Shepeerd," Or, the place where "God is Love," And it sets my soul a soarin' Straight to the throne above. I'm glad I ain't no scholar, If to be one, we must need, To lose our hope of Heaven A hunting for a creed.—By S. B. Mc Manus in *Ram's Horn*.

**NONE IN HIS.**  
"It's funny about Chinamen, isn't it?" remarked the saloonkeeper whose place was next door to a laundry. "I knew Sing Lung was working away like a steam engine this hot day, and so I drew a glass of cold seltzer and handed it in to cheer and revive him." "That was thoughtful of you," said the man leaning on the bar and wishing he was a Chinaman. "Oh, but the fellow wouldn't touch it." "No?" "And he even flew mad and ordered me out of his place. Didn't seem to understand, you know." "But I think he did. Yes, I think he had been there before." "How do you mean?" asked the saloonist. "Why he's been given knockout drops and had his laundry robbed of the last nickel!"

**ODDS AND ENDS.**  
The bows of the North American Indians were usually made from a species of osage orange. The first cotton gin in this country was put in operation by Eli Whitney, the inventor, in 1793. The first factory for the manufacture of cotton sewing thread was located at Pawtucket in 1794. Henry VIII was enormously fat and easily overheated. At the slightest exertion his face became purple.

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### PLEASANTRIES.

"I suppose when you were in Rome you did as the Romans do?" "I tried to, and in two days I was the laughing stock of the whole city."—Chicago Tribune.

Dr. Dossem—Troubled with sleeplessness, eh? Is your trouble of long standing? Patient—Yes, and of long walking. The baby's had colic every night for the past three months.—Detroit Free Press.

—Jones—Well, it's your own fault; you ought to have thought twice before you asked her to marry you. Johnson—She didn't give me the chance; she was a widow, you know.—Boston Transcript.

"What did Gumbo draw when he was at the seaside?" "Blest if I know. But there is one thing I'm sure he didn't draw." "What's that?" "A so-o-er breath."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

**Unnecessary Fear.**  
Widow Goosefeshel—Oh, dear, oh, dear, Mrs. Gossup, I can't tell you how I feel. Whenever I wake up in the night and it happens to strike 12, I imagine that my dear, dead husband will appear to me! Mrs. Gossup (comforting)—But, my dear, poor woman, how can you imagine such a thing! Your husband never did appear until after two in the morning, you know.

**LITTLE LAUGHS.**  
**An Explanation.**  
Maude—"I'm so glad to see that your health has greatly improved." Clara—"Thank you. My rapid recovery was due to this engagement ring." Maude—"Indeed! From whom did you receive it?" Clara—"From my physician."

**Canaries as Weather Prophets.**  
"I have heard of all sorts of barometers, or, rather, weather signs, but I know of no more reliable weather prophets than my birds," said a Baltimore lady who owns several canaries. "I can almost always tell when it is going to rain by the distinctness with which I can hear the trains at night, but the birds are even more reliable than that. If I hear them singing in the morning early, before I take the coverings of their cages off, I know that the day will be a good one, no matter if it is raining at the moment, but if they do not sing I am sure there will be bad weather before the day is over. I have never known them to fail, and I never think of going shopping or calling unless the birds sing in early morning. That is why I never get caught in the rain, as many of my friends do. That poor weather bureau man, who makes so many mistakes in his prophecies, ought by all means to get himself some canaries."—Baltimore Sun.

**The Cautious Cossack.**  
Says a Russian traveler: "The Cossack bears himself as if there was always a Kirghee with a spear before and a Bashkir with a drawn sword behind him. He always appears angry and extremely cautious, as if he were on the battlefield watching his enemy and careful of attack from behind. Coming into contact with a stranger, the Cossack looks at him with a searching, scrutinizing eye; his talk is like that heard in a cross examination at the bar; his interrogations are catching questions. So they are all, the men and the women, the young and the old. The insolence of their young children and aged persons makes a revolting impression. Probably all Russia was in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries as the Cossacks are at present—powerful, harsh, insolent, half savage."

Pepto Quinine Tablets cure a cold.

### COMMON COUNCIL

A regular meeting of the Common Council of the village of Buchanan was held Tuesday evening, January 7, 1902, at the council chambers. President Black presiding.

Present trustees Pears, Monro, Kingery, Glover; absent Remington, Curtis. Minutes of last meeting, December 3, read and approved.

The Finance committee made the following report.

The Finance committee to whom was referred the following bills, have examined same and would recommend there allowance as per statement below.

GENERAL FUND	
H R Worthington, sup w w	76
J T Wing & Co, sup w w	10 71
Union Supply Co, sup w w	8 25
Kauanha Fuel Co., Car Coal	48 45
Chas A Chapin, Dec lights	127 50
Chas A Chapin, Nov lights	147 50
John Camp, sal marshal	15 00
Wm Monro, mdse	69 82
D V Brown, nightwatch	2 50
Glenn E Smith, mdse, express and exchange	4 65
D H Bower, printing	4 90
Wm Vinton, sal Dec	40 00
Geo Howard, sal Dec	40 00
J Charlwood, lubor	4 62
J P Anstiss, freight and dray'g	19 40
DEBT PAYING FUND	
W A Palmer, interest	140 00
HIGHWAY FUND	
Geo Beede, street labor	6 37
John Camp, sal st com	20 00
C O Hamilton, snow plowing	3 50
L Hamilton, snow plowing	4 00
RECAPITULATION	
General fund	\$549 25
Debt paying fund	140 00
Highway fund	33 87
Total	\$723 12

Motion by Glover supported by Kingery that the bills and report of the finance committee and orders drawn for same.

Ayes, Pears, Monro, Kingery, Glover. Motion by Monro supported by Kingery that the President and Trustee Glover investigate the defective walks constructed by A Miller & Son and report damages to same, as off set against bill presented for work.

Ayes, Pears, Kingery, Monro, Glover. Motion by Pears supported by Glover to adjourn.

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### HOME DEPARTMENT

Let Us Rummage

The "rummage sale" is now rampant in the land, and "everything from money to hardware," represents the comprehensive terms in which its claims are set forth. A worthy object, such as the raising of a church debt, is the point of departure, and straightway all interested friends are set to rummaging in their garrets and storerooms, their cupboards and sheds until furniture, books, clothes, pictures, tools and machinery, crockery, umbrellas, musical instruments and stoves, accumulate in a vast, dusty and bewildering heap. When the sale finally takes place, it may be said of the presiding genius, as of Lowell's country storekeeper—

"In little less than everything dealt he, From meeting houses to a pound of tea."

The rummage sale is the paradise of the junk man and Jew, and at a recent function of this sort, one "ole clothes man" purchased over fifty straw hats at a cent apiece, and marched off happy under the weight of his bargains.

Now without trying to balance the good and bad features of this latest development of civilization, one cannot fail to be struck by the fact that people have almost unlimited hoardings of more or less valuable "rubbish," which they are quite ready—perhaps secretly rejoiced—to part with "for sweet charity's sake." And the further thought strikes one, would it not be well for those householders and housekeepers who live far from the madding crowd of committee-women, or who do not care to contribute to an indiscriminate sale, to indulge in a little private rummaging for the benefit of those in their neighborhood, to whom the beginning of winter is a hard and threatening season?

A family, perhaps, has been burned out. They have taken refuge in a few rooms back of the grocery store, and a discarded bedstead and a couple of shabby chairs that are gathering cobwebs in your attic would be a welcome gift now. The chuddah shawl, which you are hesitating about consigning to the ragbag can be washed and pressed, and will save the washerwoman's baby from many a cold in that poor, drafty house of hers. Those school books that your boys have outgrown are just the thing for the ambitious Irish lad whose school days are over, but who finds a little time to "figure" of a winter evening. The stray magazines and paper-covered novels will be a blessing to Cousin Abby's deaf old house keeper, who lives in a world of perpetual silence. And when once you begin rummaging, all sorts of things come to light—dresses, head-gear, shrunken flannels, children's toys, book-shelves, lamps, work bags and ornaments. You were tired of them, or threw them aside for something better, or had no child to cut them down for. And you will be surprised to find, too, how common misfortune is, how many neglected boys and girls deserve help, how much good can be done without pauperizing.

Whatever our condition, by all means let us rummage a little.

D. R. G.

#### Some Household Hints.

For the rich holiday dinners pineapple sherbet is especially good, and is recommended by dietary experts as a useful digestive aid. Grate a fresh pineapple, cooking a pint of the meat in a pint of water for 15 minutes. Strain through a cheese-cloth, and add a teaspoonful of granulated gelatine that has been dissolved in a quarter of a cupful of cold water. Add also a cupful of sugar and the juice of a large lemon. Strain again and freeze.

—A remedy for a hoarse cold that is highly endorsed is a bit of porous plaster. The plaster is cut into three pieces, one of them applied at a time, lengthwise, just below where the collar fastens, letting it extend down on the chest. After a day or two replace this piece with a second, and so on till all three are used. In the case of children who become hoarse without fever; this treatment is often useful.

—Grape juice for a first course at a luncheon may be served in a lemon cup. The top of the lemon is cut to form a cover, the meat of the shell entirely removed. Into this is put the grape juice, flavored with a little of the lemon juice, the top restored, a perforation made in it permitting two straws to be inserted, a tiny ribbon bow tied around them at the point of insertion. Through these, without removing the cover, the contents of the lemon cup are taken.

—A coffee sauce offers a good flavor with a mold of any sort of blanc-mange. The coffee is brewed in hot cream. Pour half a pint of boiling hot cream over two tablespoonfuls of ground coffee. Cover closely and let stand for about a quarter of an hour, then strain into a saucepan, sweeten and stir in the yolk of an egg and a scant teaspoonful of cornstarch. Let it come to a boil over a medium fire, and when cold add the beaten whites of two eggs, and set away to chill thoroughly before serving.

—Proper and improper methods of preparing food for the table often mark the difference between digestibility and the reverse. Take the case of salt mackerel, for example. This valuable addition to the breakfast menu is adversely criticised chiefly because it is not cooked or eaten as it should be. It should first be thoroughly freshened, soaked all night and part of the day before, with several changes of water. It cannot be too fresh, for it is always possible to add salt. It may then be rubbed with a little olive oil and broiled, and if it is plunged into boiling water for an instant after it is broiled, its plumpness will be restored. Sprinkle with lemon juice and garnish with parsley. No liquids should be taken while the fish is being eaten—the contrary practice being, it is said, chiefly responsible for the reputation of indigestibility which the fish seems to have won.—*Harper's Bazaar.*

#### Novel Use for Old Magazines

A new way of saving the special magazine articles in which she is interested has been found by a woman who considers it a waste of money to have such periodicals bound. When the other members of the family have finished reading the magazines she removes the wire or cord that holds the leaves together and takes out the leaves she wishes to preserve. These are then sorted into envelopes marked "history," "verse," "fiction," etc. When she has collected enough articles to form a thousand page book on any subject she numbers the pages over, writes out an index and sends the books to be bound. In this way she has collected several volumes on subjects of special interest.

#### The Popularity of Rugs.

During the past twenty-five years a considerable change has been effected in the treatment and furnishing of floors. This seems a short period in which to reckon when the history of floor coverings dates from far back before the Christian era, even to the ancient days of Egyptian splendor. Prior to this time primitive ages had adopted the fur skins of wild beasts to make Babylonians were renowned for their weaving of rags and the ornamentation they introduced. From them the art was passed on to the Persians and the people of India, and so through Asia and Eastern Europe, and after the Renaissance, into France and England. In this country rugs are becoming more and more in demand in place of carpets. From a hygienic standpoint, according to the *Delinquent* they are much to be preferred. In the February number is an interesting article on floors and their coverings which will be highly appreciated by the practical householder.

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#### St. Valentine's Day and Washington's Birthday divide the honors in the February Designer, which contains Valentine verses, Valentine amusements for the children. "Washingtonian Tableaux," a Washington's Birthday comedy—"Mrs. Podgers' Mince Pie," and illustrated directions for dressing the hair in Martha Washington style. Three capital short stories are "Aunt Lina's Conjuring," by Will Harben, "Her son's Wife," by Margaret Whitlans Beardsley Beardsley, and "Miss Clarissa's Smile Factory," by Mary Knight Potter. "Pincushions" and Novelties in Crochet" give hints for fancy work. "The hygienic pantry and storeroom," "Household advice" and "Breakfast Recipes" offer assistance to the housewife. "Points on Dressmaking," "Fashions and Fabrics," "For Health and Beauty," and "Nursery Lore" are other practical and interesting features. "Daughters of the White House," by Waldon Fawcett, is an illustrated article of merit, and "Book Notes" and Selections for the Recitationist" make up the list of miscellany. Prominent among the fashion features is "Costumes for Elderly Ladies," beautifully illustrated, and containing just such information as is needed by those desiring dignified and appropriate apparel. Aside from this there is a generous supply of fashion designs for adults and juveniles, all suitable for the season and artistically pictured. A new

departure in the *Designer*, and one which will be highly appreciated, consists of fully-illustrated instructions for the making of stylish hats and bonnets. By the aid of this article any woman with an average knowledge of sewing can turn out a handsome and effective hat or bonnet at reasonable cost.

### COUNTY SEAT NEWS

CIRCUIT COURT

Court adjourned last Wednesday night, after beginning the Evans vs Gentle case, to permit James O'Hara to go to the supreme court.

In the case of Beistle vs Alvah P. Cady, Andrews & Murdoch, the plaintiff, by A. C. Roe, has made a motion to set aside the judgment by default entered for defendants December 17.

The case of Frank Pullen and Ellen Pullen, vs Chas E. Stone and Edson J. Stone, which has been settled out of court.

In the case of Thomas Mars administrator of the estate of Jesse DeLong on behalf of the creditors vs Josephine DeLong, the attorneys have stipulated a decree in favor of the defendant.

The jury in the Hinchman vs Pere Marquette Ry case brought in a verdict Tuesday, about 4:45 p. m. in favor of the defendant railway company.

#### NOTES

James Dushane has filed sixteen contracts with parties who own property along a proposed line of the Berrien Springs Water Power Co. to set and maintain a line of telephone and telegraph lines from Berrien Springs and Niles to South Bend to supply power to the city of South Bend.

Articles of association have been filed with the County Clerk, whereby the Larger Hope Church of Christ, of Buchanan becomes incorporated for the purpose of religious worship.

#### MARRIAGE LICENSES

Wm Friedberg 35, Chicago, Johanna Agat 25.

Henry Petillon 58, Syracuse, N. Y. Mary L. White 47, Charleston, Ill.

#### REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

James M Hall to Arno Hall e 1/2 160 and 161 Watervliet \$100.

J C Wicoff to Ernest Tabor prop in sec 19 Berrien Springs \$100.

Harriet A Wire to Carrie E Glidden fl lots 3 4 5 blk 5 Wilkinson's add to village of Chikaming \$330.

Bernhart Burkhardt to Catharine Feisner n w 1/4 n e 1/4 sec 31 Buchanan \$1.

Jacob O Rough to Rose Valentine n e 1/4 n e 1/4 w 1/4 s e 1/4 n e 1/4 s e 1/4 sec 6 Buchanan \$1000.

Samuel Ritchie to John Pletcher lot 7 blk 24 A A Morley's add to New Troy \$325.

Geo W Batchelor to Jennie Davis s 1/2 s w 1/4 sec 9 Buchanan \$600.

Burwell Hinchman to Harry A Spaulding part e 1/2 s w 1/4 s e 1/2 sec 2 Chikaming \$50.

W J Spaulding to Burwell Hinchman same description Chikaming \$50

Orville W Coolidge to G Hilton Scribner s w 1/4 sec 1 Sodus \$1.

Armenia C Disbrow to Burwell Hinchman part n w 1/4 n w 1/4 sec 1 Chikaming \$100.

John Germinder sr to John Germinder jr part n e 1/4 s w 1/4 sec 9 2 acres Galien \$20.

Christopner Clymer to Jas Du Shane part n e 1/4 n w 1/4 sec 32 Berrien \$50.

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The annual dinner of the Michigan association at the National Capitol will take place January 27. Hon. E. L. Hamilton, member of Congress for this district, will be toastmaster, which gives assurance that the occasion will not lack in sparkling wit and humor. Senator Burrows and Hon. Gerritt J. Diekema will respond to toasts.

We are in receipt of a copy of the Albion Democrat published at Albion, Ind. by Mr. W. H. McEwen a nephew of Mr. H. P. McEwen of this place. The Democrat is a well printed news sheet and well patronized by the merchants of the town.

Gen. James H. Wilson of the army, Capt. C. H. Clark of the navy and Whittaw Reid of New York have been selected as special representatives of the United States to attend the coronation of King Edward.

Postmaster E.S. Williams of Niles has been reappointed for a second term. Mr. Williams has made a good record during his administration.

The Saturday Herald of St. Joseph is publishing the list of Delinquent taxes due the state for 1899 and previous years.

PERSONAL.

Mr. James Hatch was over from Niles Friday.

Mr. D. L. Parker of Niles was in town Friday.

Mr. H. H. Hosford was in St. Joseph Saturday.

Mr. Otis Bigelow of Dowagiac was in town Friday.

Hon. L. C. Fyfe of St. Joseph was in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Brodrick were in Niles Thursday.

Mr. W. A. Hitch of Dowagiac was in town Thursday.

Mr. F. A. Bryan of South Bend was in town Friday.

Mr. Oscar Kropff of South Bend was in town Friday.

Mr. D. S. Scoffern of Niles was in town last Thursday.

Mr. Chas. A. Chapin was over from Chicago on Friday.

Mrs. Mary Kolb has gone to Three Oaks for a few weeks.

Mr. J. M. Caulfield of South Bend was in town Wednesday.

Mrs. C. D. Kent and son Webb are visiting relatives in Flint.

Mr. Clarence N. Edwards of South Bend was in town Friday.

Attorney A. C. Roe was in St. Joseph on business Monday.

Mr. Cass B. Rozell was in St. Joseph on business Monday.

Mr. C. H. Baker of New Carlisle was in town last Thursday.

Mr. Solon H. Benbow of Kalamazoo was in town Thursday.

Mr. Chas. Lancaster of Detroit was in town on business Friday.

Miss Mfittie Smith went to her new home in Milwaukee, Tuesday.

Mr. T. C. Patterson of Berrien Springs was in town Thursday.

Susie Fiss and Julia Long visited friends at Three Oaks Saturday.

Mr. Glenn Rumsey of Colon, Mich. was registered at Hotel Lee Friday.

Attorney A. A. Worthington went to St. Joseph on business last Friday.

Mr. Wm. Mrohs of Laporte, Ind. was in town Thursday of last week.

Leeds Lemon and Fisher Scott were guests of Mr. Jay Godfrey last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Mowrey entertain friends from Michigan City over Sunday.

Hydraulic Engineer T. W. Orbison of Appleton, Wis. was in town last Friday.

Deputy Internal Revenue Collector A. C. Martin was in town Thursday on business.

Deputy Game Warden W. A. Palmer was in Benton Harbor on business the first of the week.

Supervisors A. F. Howe and John Graham returned home Saturday the Board having adjourned.

Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Kohler of near Carlisle were the guests of his uncle Mr. M. A. Shaw and family over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lyon were guests of Decatur friends over Sunday. They were accompanied by Miss Emma Wheaton.

Messrs H. H. Smith and C. O. Hamilton have been in Niles the past week engaged in putting up the new oven at Charwood's bakery.

FLINGS AT THE FAIR SEX.

May—Do you think one should marry for love or money? Chaperon—My dear, love is an excuse for marriage, but money is a justification.—Stray Stories.

"But none of the other girls seem to admire my new dress." "Is that so? Turn around. I didn't realize it was so pretty as that."—Philadelphia Evening Bulletin.

When women are going to have a club meeting to debate an important question their first preparation for it concerns the lunch and floral decorations.—New York Press.

Kitty—My dressmaker says it is such a pleasure to fit a gown to me. Edith—Considers it a sort of artistic triumph, I suppose? The true artist delights in difficulties.—Boston Transcript.

Wife—I had to spend fifty of that five hundred on some necessary things. Husband—Well, what are you going to do with the four hundred and fifty? Wife—Oh, that goes for luxuries.—Judge.

Fay—How do you like my new gown? May—It's very pretty. "Do you really think so?" "Yes, indeed. I was just crazy to get one like it when they came into fashion two years ago."—Philadelphia Record.

Mrs. Von Blumer—That cook was the worst thing I ever had in my house. Von Blumer—Yes, you acted as if you didn't like her. "I couldn't help it. Why, it was all I could do to write her out a good recommendation."—Life.

"I am sorry I kept you waiting so long, Henry, dear," murmured the wife as she entered, ready for the theater. "It took me so long to put on my coat. Did you put on only one coat?" he asked blandly. She turned quickly and found his gaze resting on her cheeks.—Columbus, O., Journal.

FASHIONS FOR THE TABLE.

Dull green borders are much liked for the small fancy table dishes. Gold tracers are often used to enhance the effect.

Colored flowers and Venetian glass, after old-time crystal lustres, in which are concealed tiny lights, throw a soft and prettily glow over the modern dinner table.

Goblets after the time of Louis XIII. have a very attractive antique pattern, highly gilt, and may be used separately or there are complete services to be had to match.

The iris blossom, bud and foliage leaf, is a recently introduced pattern in fine china. Certainly, the purple blossom makes a showy and effective decoration, says the Minneapolis Journal.

Gold decorations, unrelieved by any coloring, on an ivory tinted background, are very smart for table ware, usually in bordered effects, both hand-like and of lace pattern design, with medallion center.

Mme. le Mode decrees that for Rhine wine, rose-colored goblets, with a hollow stem, are de rigueur or a clear crystal glass, with a stem ornamented in gilt. New champagne goblets take the form of the calyx of an iris, enamelled in relief, with a rim most beautifully clear and transparent.

Recently exhibited sets of Louis XV. candelabra wine glasses and fruit dishes had mirrored panels and ruby medallions, and were both exclusive and expensive.—Boston Herald.

TRIFLES LIGHT AS AIR.

Indecision has been the cause of many a business crash.

Men of talent often lack the force of character to produce success.

A chronic grumbler objects to being regarded as such by his friends.

Some men tell exaggerated stories in a way to carry the stamp of truth.

Women with a fad are apt to close their eyes to the real things of life.

Women rarely accept an explanation which does not coincide with their own views.

Men dislike to have their opinions controverted by facts presented by a woman.

When caught in his own trap the practical joker is the most severe in his condemnation.

Circumstances often control conditions and compel compliance with unpleasant situations.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

PERSONALS.

A. H. Copeland, the first train dispatcher in the world, is at present living at Chenoa, an Illinois village.

Figarola Canedo of Havana, has given that city a library of over 3,000 volumes, only 300 of which, however, are bound.

Edwin Lemare, the organist of St. Margaret's, Westminster, has accepted the position of organist of Carnegie hall, Pittsburgh.

Edwin Charles Madden, the third assistant postmaster general, is a Michigan man. His great-great-uncle was Lord Nelson, the hero of Trafalgar.

Dr. Richard Hogner of Boston, has been knighted and decorated with the Swedish order of Vasa, which is bestowed by the king for meritorious conduct.

John M. Penniman, a patrolman on the police force of Boston, has been a police officer for fifty years. He is claimed to be the oldest policeman in the country.

William Waldorf Astor is to be invited to accept the mayoralty of Maidenhead for the coronation year. The holding of this office will not, however, entitle him to an invitation to attend the ceremonies at Westminster.

OBITUARY

URDELIA STEBBINS BLACKMAN was born in Connecticut Aug. 15, 1820 and died at her home one mile north of Glendora on January 16, 1902. Her parents moved to Ohio when she was a child. In 1843 she was married to Reul Blackman who had come to Berrien county some five years previous. Mr. and Mrs. Blackman drove from Ohio to their future home in Berrien county, taking six days to make the journey. On arriving at Berrien Springs they spent the winter with his sister, in the spring taking up their residence on the 80 acre claim Mr. Blackman had settled. In 1848 Mr. Blackman built a frame house from timber hewn out by himself, sawmills being unknown at that time.

Seven children were born to this union only two of whom survive, Mrs. Lillian McFaul and Mr. Delbert Blackman. Mr. and Mrs. Blackman have always resided upon the homestead with the exception of two summers at St. Joseph and three years at Buchanan for the purpose of educating their children.

In 1888 the present home was built on the site of the old frame mansion. Mr. Blackman died on April 22, 1885 since which time the deceased has made her home with her son Delbert who took charge of the home farm.

The funeral was held on Saturday and was conducted by Rev. H. L. Potter of Dowagiac.

JOB GAUNTT

Was born at Bordentown, Burlington county, New Jersey, January 24, 1819, and he died at his late home January 8, 1902, being 82 years, 11 months, and 14 days old. He moved to Ohio in 1845, and in 1849 he was married at Centerville, Ohio, to Miss Eliza A. Miller. To them were born nine children, five boys and four girls; two boys and one girl died in infancy; the children now living are Henry C. Gauntt and Lida A. Batten both of Galien, Mich. Samuel W. of Townsend, Montana, Eva S. Baldwin of Chicago, Kate E. Conradt of Ma-deirville, Ind. and Adin who occupies the old homestead.

In March 1853, Mr. Gauntt moved with his family to Weesaw, Berrien county, Mich., where his wife died March 11, 1880, and where he lived till his own death. On January 12, 1901 Mr. Gauntt had a fall breaking his hip, and from this accident he never recovered.

His father Samuel Gauntt was a minister in the Quaker or Friends' church, and his own son Job was an adherent of the doctrines of that church. He was honest and upright in all his business transactions, a kind husband, a loving father and a generous neighbor. He manifested much patience in his last lingering illness scarcely ever complaining of his severe suffering.

In response to an earnest request of long standing, Elder William M. Roe conducted the funeral services at his late home Jan. 10, 1902. Amid the bleak winds of winter his mortal remains were gently laid to rest in the Bakertown cemetery to await the resurrection morn.

Mrs. Caroline Redding an old and respected resident of Dayton died suddenly at her home Saturday. The funeral was held Tuesday from her late residence.

A PLEASING ENTERTAINMENT

The Third of the School Course

The Boston Dramatic and Musical Company gave an excellent entertainment at the Christian church, on Wednesday night of last week. Although the attendance was not as large as should have been yet those who attended were amply repaid.

Mr. Eccles as reader and humorist was excellent and gave splendid satisfaction. Miss Trickey the violinist was most charming and well worthy of the high praise accorded her.

Mr. Paine the impersonator convulsed the house and gave general satisfaction. The next number of the course will be a lecture on China, by Dr. H. Darwin McIlrorth.

Be sure to see Burgderfer at Routh's Opera House Jan. 25.

Letters unclaimed remaining in the post office at Buchanan, Mich. Jan. 14, 1902: Mr. Chas McCracken, Mr. Al Stanton, Wm V'sson, G. Markham, Miss Lennie Barber.

G. W. NOBLE.

Sunday School Convention

The Annual Convention of the Buchanan Bertrand Townships Sunday schools will be held at Buchanan Saturday and Sunday next. The first session will be held at two o'clock Saturday afternoon in the United Brethren church. Saturday evening in the Advent church Mr. E. K. Warren of Three Oaks, president of the County association will give an illustrated talk on his travels in Palestine which will be a great treat. No admission fee will be charged but a collection will be taken.

Mr. Warren's views were nearly all taken by his son Paul who made the trip with his father and other members of the family, and are exceptionally good.

Mr. Warren has kindly consented to give this lecture, coming bearing all expenses himself and it is hoped that a large audience will greet him.

It was the Editor's good fortune to hear Mr. Warren's talk at Berrien Springs during the County Convention and we have no hesitancy in stating that it was as fine a lecture on the subject as ever given. Mr. Warren's descriptions being very clear, interesting and instructive. The sessions Sunday will be at the Evangelical and United Brethren churches.

The annual meeting of the stock holders of the West Michigan Nursery Co. was held in the local office at Benton Harbor last Tuesday. The old board of directors were reelected and officers selected as follows:

President, John W. Bedford of Cushing, Mich.

Vice President, Frank M. Kelley, Fair Plain.

Secretary and treasurer, Harry L. Bird.

Farm superintendent, W. B. Mosher Eau Claire.

Mr. Milton Preston of Eau Claire, is the fifth member of the board.

This is the largest nursery company now in Michigan and the acreage of growing stock has been increased from 30 to 250 acres.

Piano Lessons

Miss Lillian Tormey a well known pianist of Niles will endeavor to form a class in Buchanan. She will be here next Saturday for the purpose of enrolling pupils. Miss Tormey is a graduate of the conservatory of Notre Dame, Ind. having taken the post graduate course last year.

We are going away for a time and take this occasion to thank our friends and patrons for their kindness in the past and at the present time, and to bespeak for

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Bertrand Special Election

There will be a special election held on Monday, January 20, at town hall, Bertrand, upon the question of raising \$2500 by tax for the purpose of building a new bridge over the St. Joseph river at Bertrand in said township. EUGENE FARRAN, Clerk.

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## BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 16, 1902

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### LOCAL NOTES

The P. and H. society will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Baird.

Mrs. A. F. Peacock who has been quite ill for some time is slowly recovering.

Mr. Clarence Weaver is back at his duties in Keller's grocery after a siege of chicken pox.

The Monday Literary Club will hold their Annual Reception next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. H. D. Rough.

The Portage Prairie Visiting Club had a very enjoyable meeting with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Dressler last week Wednesday.

Friday night Buchanan Camp 886 M. W. A. will install their officers, after which a social time will be enjoyed by all present.

The ladies of the Larger Hope church gave Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baird a surprise last Saturday evening, about thirty calling at their home and leaving a purse of \$10. A pleasant evening was spent by all.

The installation of officers will take place at the meeting of Buchanan Camp No. 886 M. W. A. on Friday evening.

Elder Wm. M. Roe delivered an address at the Township Sunday School Convention at Eau Claire last Saturday and also occupied the pulpit of the Christian church at Eau Claire last Sunday morning and evening.

Last Saturday the Board of Supervisors by a vote of 30 to 2 rescinded the franchise granted the DuShane company at Berrien Springs, and granted a franchise to C. A. Chapin's company at the same place.

On Saturday the Laporte county sheriff and two deputies assisted by Wm. Jayson who lives near Baker-town captured a tramp who had been traced by the Indiana officers to a swamp near Jayson's place. He was wanted on a charge of assault.

The 30 Club met with Mrs. H. D. Rough Wednesday afternoon. History lesson conducted by Mrs. Hattie Kingery; Paper by Mrs. Sylvia Cook; Music, Miss Georgia Wilcox, Mythology, Miss Ella Hahn. Next meeting will be held with Mrs. Bessie Lyon.

The Record is informed on excellent authority that the Indiana Electric Railway Company have secured control of the M. B. H. & C. Ry. and will utilize that road in their extension from South Bend to St. Joseph. If this report is true it will mean much for Buchanan.

The First National Bank of Buchanan held their annual election on Tuesday and re-elected the old officers as follows: D. S. Scoffern, President; J. W. Beistle, Vice President; Chas. F. Pears, Cashier; Directors, D. S. Scoffern, J. W. Beistle, C. F. Pears, Chas. Bishop and C. H. Baker.

Mr. Charles Wells entertained the J. C. Club last Friday evening in a very pleasant manner. Progressive carrom was played until a late hour, the first prize was won by Mr. Frank Rough, the booby prize by Mrs. Mary Geyer. Refreshments were served, and in the "wee small" hours of the morning the J. C.'s wended their way homeward.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Niles City Bank Tuesday morning, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Chas. F. Pears, president; Geo. L. Faurote, vice president; D. S. Scoffern, Cashier. S. W. Redden, Chas. Bishop, Chas. F. Pears, Geo. L. Faurote and D. S. Scoffern were elected Board of Directors.

Mrs. David Salisbury who resides near Dayton had quite a serious accident last Thursday morning. She was carrying a pail of milk down cellar when she slipped and fell down the stairs breaking her right ankle and bruising herself seriously. Dr. Henderson was summoned and set the broken ankle, and she is getting along nicely. Mrs. Salisbury is the daughter of Mr. N. Hamilton of this place.

Dr. Darwin McIlrath will give his celebrated lecture on "China the Forbidden Land," in this city Wednesday, February 12. This will be the last number of our school lecture course. Dr. McIlrath spent three years in China and he undoubtedly has a better knowledge of all classes of the Chinese people than any other American today. His lecture is illustrated throughout with stereoptical views and moving pictures.

The 30 Club held a very enjoyable meeting at the home of Mrs. Daisy Rough last Wednesday evening. Nearly sixty were present and a varied program enjoyed by all. Conundrums were first served followed by a paper by Miss Beatrice Mansfield; piano duet, Mrs. C. F. Pears and Mrs. R. J. Blake; solo by Mrs. Sig Desenberg; reading, Mrs. C. F. Pears; solo, Mrs. Seavey of Wabash, Ind. After the programme light refreshments were served, all present enjoying a very pleasant evening.

Work was begun Tuesday on straightening the Michigan Central tracks between Buchanan and Niles as was outlined in the Record of some weeks ago. The track will run south east from the depot here over a long trestle and run down through the hills by Gitchell's Lake rejoining the old track about a mile west of Niles. The new track will make a difference of about 20 feet in the east bound grade between here and Niles. Several car loads of timber are on the ground and a large force of men at work, and the work will be pushed to completion as quickly as possible but it is expected that it will take several months before the track can be completed.

### THE PASSION PLAY

#### The Foresters' Fine Entertainment

Rough's Opera House was well filled on Monday by the friends of the Woodman Forester Team to witness Mr. Walter Kilrain present his famous lecture and motion pictures of the Ober Ammergau Passion Play.

The lecture was an unqualified success and was extremely interesting. The pictures were excellent being the only moving pictures ever made from an actual performance by the peasant actors. Mr. Kilrain's lecture was descriptive and excellently given in every detail.

The fund of the Forester Team will be increased by a nice sum as the result.

For the benefit of our readers we would state briefly that the Passion Play owes its origin to a curious tradition. In 1681 the peasants of Ober Ammergau, a town of Bavaria, were stricken with plague and fever and the plague had so increased in 1683 that but two couples were left in one complete parish. At this time of dire straits eighteen of the burghers of Ober Ammergau assembled and made a solemn vow that once in ten years they would present in living pictures the Passion of Jesus Christ. From that instant according to the old record, those who were ill recovered and the plague ceased. Since this time with a few exceptions this vow has been faithfully observed every ten years, and thousands visit the quaint old town every decade to witness its production.

The Foresters' next entertainment will be January 25th and will be an evening of wit, humor and pathos by that charming impersonator C. L. Burdgerfer of Reading, Hillsdale Co. Michigan.

#### Did't do it Purposely

The Record is in receipt of the following communication from the path master who was charged with putting dirt on one of the hills to spoil a coasting partie's pleasure.

The young people who spent the evening at Elder L. S. Bronson were very much mistaken in thinking that the roads were filled with dirt simply to spoil their anticipated coast. As far as the "obliging" (?) pathmaster is concerned he did his duty, as the road was becoming impassable.

Mr. J. E. Miller of St. Joseph has been granted an increase of pension.

The official proceedings of the last session of the Board of Supervisors begins with this issue.

Geo. Wyman & Co. are selling linens way under price during January. See advertisement.

The Big Double store of B. R. Desenberg & Bro. have another lot of "Bargain Days" in their adv this week. Read about them.

A Jones & Co. are running a series of advs that our readers should watch closely. They will prove interesting to you.

The breaking of a belt at the power house Thursday, and put the power plant out of business and repairs were not completed until Saturday.

Primrose (Chapter R. N. installed their officers last Friday evening. State Oracle Clara Richards acted as installing officer.

#### Have two Teachers

District No. 12 fr. of Bertrand township is having a general mix up over the question of a teacher or rather of two teachers. Frank Swink son of George Swink, and a graduate of Buchanan High School of last year was engaged as teacher and has been teaching at the school until last Friday when he was notified to discontinue teaching and the school board engaged a Miss Draves of Niles to begin work on Monday. When Monday came Miss Draves reported for duty and likewise Mr. Swink who declined to give up his contract.

The matter will be taken up before the county school examiners and county commissioner Jennings has set a hearing for Saturday, January 25 and both sides will have a chance to state their case.

First Farmer—Blest if I think the agricultural department is any good at all! Second Farmer—What's the trouble? First Farmer—Well, I wrote to 'em to find out how high wheat was going to go an' I couldn't get no satisfaction at all.—Puck.

Towne—Scribbler tells me he worked hard and lost a great deal of sleep while he was writing that novel of his. Browne—Well, his loss was my gain. I tried to read it last night.—Philadelphia Press.

# THE SECOND WEEK OF our January CLEARING SALE

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The first week of our Sale has proved a great success, and it will not be our fault if the second is not a greater one, as the SPECIAL BARGAINS we offer this week and every day up to Feb. 1st, when we begin our annual inventory, will far exceed anything ever attempted. Our old time method of not carrying one season's goods over to the next and the determination to reduce stock to the lowest possible notch, will be used to place these goods before you at such attractive prices that it will mean dollars saved you.

**REMEMBER--that during this month we sell you everything in Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Overcoats at one quarter off**

### Monday Jan. 20th,

#### Special Dress Goods and Silk Sale

Black and colored Dress Goods in Pebble Cheviots, Mohairs, Venetians, Broadcloths, Zibolines, Serges, etc., sold regularly at \$1.25 to \$1.65  
Sale Price this day only, per yard **98c**

Black and colored Camel's Hair, Serges, Crepes, Whip Cords, Henriettas, Serges and fancy weaves, regularly sold from 75c to \$1.00  
Sale Price this day only, per yard **69c**

Venetians, Homespuns, Ladies Cloths, Cashmeres, Camel's Hairs, Poplins etc., regularly sold from 50c to 75c  
Sale price this day only, per yard **42c**

Colored Henriettas, Serges, Whip Cords, Brocades, Plaids and Fancies from 36 to 44 inches wide, regularly sold at from 25 to 37½c  
Sale price this day only, per yard **22c**

Colored yard wide half wool Cashmeres and fancy brocades, regularly sold 15 to at 18c  
Sale Price this day only, per yard **9c**

Black Duchesse Satin and Peau de Soie Silks, regular 85c grade **69c**  
\$1.00 quality **78c** \$1.25 quality **98c**  
Black Taffeta Dress Silks \$1.00 quality 27 inch wide **79c**  
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### Tuesday Jan. 21st,

#### Special Linen Sale

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### Wednesday Jan. 22

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Ladies' \$6.00 Walking Skirts **\$3.98**

Ladies' tailor made suits, made of all wool Venetian, Homespun, Cheviots etc., handsomely trimmed, Eaton and Blouse Jackets, flounce and flared skirts worth up to \$15.00 Sale Price **7.50**

Ladies' Flannel Waists made of high class French flannel in all colors, have sold from \$2.50 to \$4.00 Sale Price choice **1.98**

Women's Raglan Storm Coats in all wool Covert Cloth, worth \$10.00 Sale Price **6.85**

All Wrappers greatly reduced for this sale

### Thursday Jan. 23

#### Special Underwear Sale

For this day only 1-4 OFF on all Ladies' Misses', Children's Men's and Boys' underwear and hosiery

### Friday Jan. 24

#### Special Shoe Sale

For this day only 1-4 off in both shoe departments on all Men's and Boy's Shoes, Rubbers, Felts, Mackinaws and Lumbermens foot wear (except Lambertville Rubbers) Ladies', Misses', and Children's Shoes and Rubbers (except Queen Quality shoes)



# Board of Supervisors

Berrien County, Michigan

Official Proceedings

JANUARY SESSION, 1902

JANUARY SESSION

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1902.

The day and hour of adjournment having arrived, the Board of Supervisors for the County of Berrien in the State of Michigan, was called to order by the Chairman.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors responded to their names:

Messrs Seel, Matrau, Lawrence, Buchanan, Pool, Volheim, Johnson, Howe, Graham, Willard, Clark, Eaman, Baldwin, Halliday, Schultz, Thomson, Babcock, Sheehan, Smith, Beall, Stemm, Hess, Miners, Handy, Miller, Walker, Potter, Baldrey, Jones, Rynearson, Baker and Norris.

The minutes of the last day's meeting of the previous session were read and approved.

Mr. Sheehan presented and read petitions from Hettie M. Horn and Pamela Griffith, both of the city of Niles, praying that the Board direct the County Treasurer to refund to the petitioners the amounts as set forth in the petitions as being erroneously assessed on the tax roll for the year 1901, and on motion of Mr. Smith the petitions were referred to the Judiciary Committee.

The following petition was read by the Clerk and on motion of Mr. Walker was referred to Committee on Roads and Bridges.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH. DEC. 26, 1901.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of the County of Berrien, State of Michigan:

Your petitioner respectfully shows to the Honorable Board aforesaid that he has been granted franchises in all the following townships between the city of Grand Rapids in the County of Kent, and city of Benton Harbor in the County of Berrien, for the purpose of constructing, maintaining and operating a line of street railway:

Paris township, Gaines township, Byron township, Dorris township, Hopkins township, Allegan township including the incorporated villages of Gobleville and Bloomingdale; Columbia township, Arlington township, Bangor township including the incorporated village of Bangor; Hartford township, including the incorporated village of Hartford; Watervliet township, including the incorporated villages of Watervliet and Coloma; and Benton township. Said line of railway must be constructed and in operation between the aforesaid cities of Grand Rapids and Benton Harbor before the first day of September 1903.

The township of Watervliet has consented to the erection of two bridges across the Paw Paw river within the limits of said township, one of which is north of the village of Coloma, and the other north and east of the village of Watervliet.

Your petitioner therefore prays that the said Board of Supervisors will take such action as may be lawful and necessary to authorize and empower the construction of the bridges before described by himself, his successors and assigns.

Dated at Grand Rapids this 26th day of December, 1901.

(Signed) W. H. PATTERSON.

Petitioner.

Upon motion of Mr. Stemm the Board adjourned until tomorrow morning at nine o'clock.

A. L. CHURCH Clerk. JOHN SEEL Chairman.

FORENOON SESSION

THURSDAY, JANUARY 9th, 1902.

Pursuant to adjournment the Board was called to order by the Chairman.

The roll was called and the following Supervisors responded to their names:

Messrs Seel, Matrau, Lawrence, Buchanan, Pool, Volheim, Johnson, Howe, Graham, Willard, Clark, Eaman, Baldwin, Halliday, Schultz, Thomson, Babcock, Sheehan, Smith, Beall, Stemm, Hess, Miners, Handy, Miller, Walker, Potter, Baldrey, Jones, Rynearson, Baker and Norris.

The minutes of yesterday's meeting were read and approved.

A petition signed by a number of residents of Watervliet township, praying that the Board take action looking to the opening of a street as set forth in said petition, was on motion of Mr. Babcock referred to the Judiciary Committee.

Mr. Rackliffe, Register of Deeds, addressed the Board upon the matter of transcribing or making new maps in "Plat Book" No. 1 of Berrien County, and upon motion of Mr. Babcock the matter was laid upon the table.

The following report was submitted:

REPORT OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Your Committee to whom was referred the petitions of Hettie M. Horn and Pamela L. Griffith of Niles City, in the matter of erroneous assessment, have given the matter careful consideration and have consulted the Prosecuting Attorney and can find no law authorizing this Board to rebate taxes as prayed for in said petitions, but as to the equity of rebating the county tax, we respectfully refer to the Board without recommendation.

E. N. MATRAU } Committee  
JAS. B. THOMSON }  
M. V. BUCHANAN }

Upon motion of Mr. Baldrey the report of the Committee was accepted and placed on file.

Mr. Baldrey then moved that Board remit that part of the tax that has accrued to the County.

The ayes and nays were called for, and the ballot was taken with following result:

Ayes, Messrs Volheim, Howe, Willard, Thomson, Sheehan, Smith, Beall, and Baldrey.

Nays, Messrs Seel, Matrau, Lawrence, Buchanan, Johnson, Graham, Clark, Eaman, Halliday, Stemm, Hess, Miners, Handy, Miller, Walker, Potter, Jones, Rynearson, Baker and Norris.

There being eight ayes and twenty nays, the motion was by the Chairman declared lost.

Mr. Matrau moved that the question of heating and lighting the County buildings be made a special order of business for two o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Sheehan moved to amend the motion as follows:

That the Building Committee ascertain the cost of placing the County heating and lighting plant in operating condition and the cost of operating same and report to the Board at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon, which amendment prevailed.

The question then occurred on the original motion as amended and was by the Chairman declared carried.

Bill No. 31, being a bill of the St. Joseph Water Department to the County for water supplied the County buildings from April 1st to December 31st, 1901, was by the Committee on Claims, referred to the whole board for action and upon motion of Mr. Baldrey allowed as claimed.

Upon motion of Mr. Thomson the Board adjourned until one-thirty this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION

At the adjourned hour the Board was called to order by the Chairman.

A quorum being present roll call was omitted.

The Committee on settlement with the County Treasurer submitted the following:

GENTLEMEN:

Your Committee on settlement with County Treasurer, report that they have performed that duty and find the financial condition of the County on the 31st day of December 1901, to be as follows:

To be continued

## School Notes.

HIGH SCHOOL

Next week will be the last of the first semester of this year. The first three days will be used for the regular semester examinations. According to the regulations a number of the pupils in the high school whose standings are above 90 will be excused from the examinations.

In the high school the work of the second semester will begin Wednesday Jan. 22. New subjects will be taken up as follows: Senior Reviews, Physiology, Botany, Physical Geography and American Literature.

EIGHTH GRADE

Clara Sabin called last week.

We are pleased to have Cuthbert Rand with us again.

Dora Hershenow was first to inform the school that Mr. Hamilton of Niles represents our district in Congress.

Our study of the Constitution of the U. S. concluded with a written lesson which, with a few exceptions was very satisfactory. The second semester we shall study the constitution of our state.

We are grateful to Harold Wenger for the information which was so helpful in our study of the Ordinance of 1787.

Our natural history cards have come. Occasional study of them will prove very interesting and helpful.

SEVENTH GRADE

Lillie Proud has returned to her school work after an absence of several days.

The grade has been learning the names of the President's Cabinet and they are looking out for the changes that may take place in the future.

Ward Hamilton posed for the drawing class and several good sketches were handed in.

Earl Camp has been absent several days on account of his mother's illness.

SIXTH GRADE

Rexford Glover, who has been absent on account of sickness returned to his school work on Monday.

The study of Washington Irving has been taken up. Several good compositions on his life have been handed in.

The grade are reviewing in all branches now.

The picture of the "Martyred President" is in our possession and we are very proud of it.

FIFTH GRADE

Ruby Reamer has moved to Bridgman to live and we are sorry to lose her.

The children enjoyed drawing their Christmas presents last week.

Supplementary work in Reading has again been taken up by the B' division.

The Historical readers are again in use.

This week is special review work.

FOURTH GRADE

The geography class is engaged in the study of the great mining region of the west. Ralph Shetterly brought for examination a fine collection of gold, silver, copper and lead ore, a valuable addition to our museum.

Pupils are preparing for a question box, next Friday afternoon.

Mildred Roe furnished a fine new calendar for the schoolroom.

Cotton has been an interesting subject of study, and we are so fortunate as to have a real branch with flower and cotton ball to draw from. Harvey Blake brought a miniature bale of cotton.

Wilfrid Provan and Rolla Hull have left school, Wilfrid to go to his new home in New Jersey and Rolla, to St. Joseph.

The school enjoyed an imaginary trip through Yellowstone National Park. Several good pictures helped the pupils to appreciate the wonders of the place.

THIRD GRADE

School began Monday with thirty-two present.

Reviews in the different classes begin this week.

Cotton was the subject of the language and science work last week; a pod and a small bale of cotton being furnished by Bernadine Blake.

Lessons in the study of the human body have been receiving attention.

General topics for the week are ice, snow, frost and stars.

SECOND GRADE

School opened January 6 with all the pupils in attendance.

Webb Kent left us Wednesday for a week's absence.

Mrs. Frank Barnes called upon us Thursday.

FIRST GRADE

Nora Barr entered school last Monday.

Richard Pears and Ralph Sewell, who have been ill, re-entered school Tuesday.

George Benedict of Chicago is spending a few days in our school.

"The Little New Year" is the title of our new song.

The A class have only fifteen pages more in the First Reader to read. We hope to finish it next week.

Had Seen It Before.

Dr. C. W. Crawford, manager of the Grand Opera House at Spencer, Iowa, vouches for this: At a recent performance at this theater an over-dressed woman, after rustling ostentatiously into her seat, finally composed herself and looked at her programme. Opening it at the second page of the bill, she saw in prominent letters, "Synopsis," which she mispronounced in an audible tone. "Pshaw!" she remarked turning to her companion, "we've seen this here play before; let's go home." But after a whispered objection on the part of her friend, who probably explained her mistake to her, she settled back in her seat apparently somewhat discomfited.—New York Clipper.

Restoring Frescoes.

The castle of Cles, in Trent, at present used as a barracks, contains some very fine frescoes and wall paintings made when the Cardinal von Cles occupied the palace as bishop of the see. They date from 1530 to 1535. Three famous Italian artists were summoned to Cles to beautify the castle—Dosso Dossi, from Ferrara; Romanino, from Brescia, and Figolino, from Vicenza. Much of Dossi's work is visible, but part has been unfortunately white-washed over. These works are now to be rescued as far as possible from destruction.

The Acoustic Telemeter.

The British war office, it is reported, is making arrangements for carrying on a series of elaborate experiments with an apparatus invented by General Gilletta, of the Italian army, called the acoustic telemeter, the object of which is the location of the direction from which hostile firing proceeds and the determination of its distance. The Italian government, it is stated, has had a number of the instruments for experimental use in the approaching military maneuvers.

"I wish I could think of some new and unusual birthday present to surprise mamma with this year," said Miss De Muir, wrinkling her fair brow in deep perplexity. "How do you think she'd like a son-in-law?" hoarsely whispered young Spoonmore, falling readily into the only line of thought that seemed to suggest itself.

Fuel Out of Waste.

One problem which municipal authorities of all countries have been seeking to solve is how to best dispose of the city's garbage. A process has been discovered in France, by which garbage is converted into briquettes. It consists of mincing the refuse, straw, paper and the like and adding tar and naphthalene. The whole mass is then mixed in a kneading apparatus and dried, and pressed into briquettes. The director of the Paris municipal laboratory says that these briquettes have a slight odor of gas, burn brightly, and engender heat slowly. With a more highly perfected method of manufacture they will engender less ash, and the heat-producing qualities will be about the same as those of common coal.

Correct Answer Astonished Teacher.

The teacher of an intermediate grade in the third ward school was "showing off" her pupils before a number of visitors. The spelling class was on the floor, and one small, red-headed boy was given the word "introduction." He paused, twisted his lips, stared, and then in a faltering way spelled it correctly, and seemed rather surprised that he had done it. "Do you know what the word means?" asked the teacher. "No'm." "What, you don't know what introduction means?" "No'm." "Well, now, I'll explain it to you. Does your mother ever have callers?" "Yes'm." "Well, now, suppose that two ladies came to call on your mother. Your mother knows one of the ladies but doesn't know the other. She has never seen the lady and doesn't even know her name. Now, how would she become acquainted with this lady and find out her name?" "She'd send me out for a can of beer." As that was the correct answer the teacher had nothing further to say.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

SCIENCE AND LOVE.

You say that the rose on the vine Has sprung from the dust of a star; That the hills are but atoms—that Chance Has erected all glories that are; You tell me the beasts of the field And the billows that break on the shore Were fashioned by time out of stuff That floated at random before.

O, scientist, have it your way Concerning the rose and the sea. But someone who rules from on high Made a heart that is beating for me! Ah, scientist, once I believed In the doctrine you preach, but I know Since her eyes have looked up into mine That only God fashioned her so.

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# MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

Items Which Are of Special Interest to Our Readers.

Happenings Throughout the State Received by Telegraph and Put in Type.

**Detroit, Mich., Jan. 13.**—The Free Press this morning says: The Michigan Telephone company, with the other telephone concerns controlled by the Erie, has formally passed into the control of the big Bell combination known as the American Telegraph and Telephone company. It is announced that the scheme of reorganization of the Erie has been carried through, by means of which the \$9,000,000 of indebtedness which has been carried along for a year will be wiped out.

**Bell Combination Gets the Outfit.**  
W. E. Moss, of Detroit, who has been interested in the transfer, said last night: "Ninety per cent. of the stock and 75 per cent. of the bonds of the Erie company have been deposited with the National Shawmut bank, of Boston, and the \$9,000,000 in collateral trust notes, running for one year, drawing 5 per cent. interest, which represent the debt of the Erie, will be paid up on presentation at the office of the Old Colony Trust company, of Boston. The Bell company will furnish \$9,000,000 in cash to take care of the obligations of the Erie and for working capital."

**Location of the Soul.**  
Detroit, Mich., Jan. 13.—Professor Lombard, of Ann Arbor, instructor of physiology in the University of Michigan, believes that he has located the dwelling place of the soul in the spinal column. He has arrived at this conclusion after many months of experiments with frogs. He takes the brain from a frog, hangs it up by its under jaw for an hour, and drops acetic acid on the frog's foot, which immediately begins to jerk and twitch. This occurs twenty-four hours after the brain has been removed. The professor calls the movements "reason movements."

**BUT A SINGLE BODY RECOVERED**

**Progress Is Slow in Clearing the Negaunee Mine of the Flood of Water.**

Negaunee, Mich., Jan. 14.—Save for the body found the day of the accident none of the victims of the mine disaster has yet been recovered. This is due to the fact that the mine has since been flooded with water. It has not yet been determined how many men have perished.

It is expected that within a few days the water will have been pumped from the shaft and mine, and the work of taking out the bodies will be speedily accomplished. The operations of the past couple of days has been confined to efforts to rid the mine of water. Sunday night an additional pump went into commission.

**Bert Farrington's Trial Set.**

Adrian, Mich., Jan. 14.—Bert Farrington, who shot and killed Jesse Hooker, his wife's paramour, in this city Jan. 5, was arraigned in the circuit court here yesterday and pleaded not guilty. His trial was set for Jan. 27. The night of the shooting Farrington had gone to Hooker's home, where his wife was visiting, in company with two officers, to secure evidence on which to base a divorce suit. They got into the house and found the man and woman in Hooker's room, whereupon Farrington killed Hooker.

**Mine Is Still Caving.**

Negaunee, Mich., Jan. 10.—The surface of the Negaunee mine is still caving in, going direct to the drift, where the bodies of the workmen are covered. The blacksmith shop west of the opening went down late Wednesday night, and from present indications the dry house west of the opening will go down. It is now problematical when the bodies of the buried miners will be recovered.

**Groom Failed to Show Up.**

Owosso, Mich., Jan. 13.—William Hoffman, aged 60, and Mrs. Lucinda Campbell, aged 52, both of Cornua, were to have been married at the home of the bride. Everything was in readiness for the ceremony, but it did not take place. The groom failed to show up. Mrs. Campbell's sons are said to have bitterly opposed the match and to have voiced their opposition to Hoffman.

**Boy Invents a Beet-Weeder.**

Owosso, Mich., Jan. 11.—J. E. Strehl, an Owosso boy, has invented a beet weeder which works on the same plan as a cultivator, except that it goes over the field at right angles with the row instead of along the row. By means of a series of drives it weeds and thins the beets at the same time. Strehl has sold his patent for \$2,000 and royalties.

**Department of Commerce.**

Washington, Jan. 10.—The senate committee on commerce has authorized a favorable report on Senator Nelson's bill for the creation of an executive department of the government to be known as the department of commerce.

**Going Largely Into Improvements.**

Chicago, Jan. 11.—Improvements have been planned by the management of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road for the coming year which will cost between \$5,000,000 and \$8,000,000.

**Upholds the Eight-Hour Law.**

Topeka, Kan., Jan. 14.—The state supreme court has handed down a decision sustaining the eight-hour law. The decision was by Justice Smith, and was in the case of W. W. Atkin of Kansas City, Kan., who in filling a street paving contract for the city had worked his men more than eight hours a day. He was convicted in the district court of violating the law and appealed.

**They Wonder Where He Went.**

Durand, Mich., Jan. 10.—A. R. Harrington has left Bay City and people here are wondering where he went. He leaves a wife and two children in Durand.

## HE SUSPECTED CROOKEDNESS

**Snow Had Reason to Believe There Was Oleomargarine Skulduggery.**  
Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 11.—A prominent officeholder is said to have caused the rumpus in Food Commissioner Snow's department which led to the arrest of Charles H. Thompson, claim agent of the Hammond Packing company, of Hammond, Ind., in this city while in the alleged act of offering Snow a bribe for stopping prosecutions of his company. Suspicion that there was crookedness in his department first came to Commissioner Snow's notice last September when, by some mistake, it is alleged, he picked up a telegram to this official signed "Bates" and making an appointment with the official in Chicago.

The commissioner smelled a mouse and kept his eyes open. When test cases were started against different grocers and others in the state for the alleged sale of oleomargarine contrary to law, Snow noticed that there were no cases against the Michigan Produce company, of Detroit, large dealers in the Hammond oleo. He gave orders to commence suit against the Michigan Produce company, and this was acquiesced in after some little effort to switch Snow off to another firm.

That same day Snow received a telephone message from a man at Hammond, Ind., who gave his name as Joris, but later turned out to be a former member of the dairy and pure food department, who, he says, made him the offer of a half a cent a pound on all Hammond oleo sold in the state provided there were no prosecutions of itself or its agents, and by clever work the burly commissioner landed Thompson, the company's claim agent. Although Snow will probably not take legal steps a resignation is looked for.

## BOLD THUGGERY AT BELLEVILLE

**They Hold a Crowd at Bay While They Try to Make a Big Haul.**

Belleville, Mich., Jan. 13.—The store of F. L. Robbe here was entered Saturday shortly after 6 p. m., by three masked men, who held up the occupants of the room and decamped with a money sack from the cashier's desk. At the time of the affair a number of employes of the Detroit Sanitary company, whose main works are near here, were cashing their pay checks.

Miss Edith Robbe was at the cashier's desk. The robbers made a demand on Miss Robbe for the money then on the counter about to be paid on one of the checks. The girl ran out of the room, closely pursued by one of the robbers. She managed, however, to save the money. The other men, after holding the crowd in the store at bay for a few minutes, became alarmed at the commotion, and grasping a money sack on the counter, which contained a small sum, escaped. The sheriff is in pursuit.

## HELD ON A MURDER CHARGE

**Bert Farrington, Who Shot and Killed His Wife's Paramour.**

Adrian, Mich., Jan. 10.—Bert Farrington, who shot and killed Jesse Hooker Sunday night, in accordance with the finding of the coroner's jury, has been bound over for trial on the charge of murder. Mrs. Farrington says she is sorry her husband didn't kill her also when he invaded the room where she and Hooker lay. The woman says she had agreed to return to Adrian to live with Farrington for the sake of their child, but not as a wife. Farrington began divorce proceedings some time ago, but dropped them under the conviction that he could induce his wife to return to him. Mrs. Farrington was not put on the witness stand at the inquest. The remains of young Hooker have been taken to Sumpter, the family burial place. They were accompanied by the family.

**Ice Yacht Racing at Kalamazoo.**

Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 14.—Four days of ice yacht racing are scheduled to take place on Gull Lake on Jan. 23 to Jan. 27, Sunday being omitted, on which occasion it is expected there will be a large attendance of people from this state. The principal interest will center around the races for the cup given by the late H. R. Willis, of Chicago, which is now held by the Demon, of the Onawha Boat club, of this city, and which will be open to all challengers on the second day.

**"Moved On" to Eternity.**

Entraican, Mich., Jan. 14.—A tramp giving the name of Joseph Trimbell stopped at the home of Mrs. Sarah Comden, a widow. He seemed ill and exhausted, and she could not get him to go on. She felt obliged to send for Sheriff Bellows three days later. The sheriff ordered the tramp to get ready to leave. As the man was putting on his boots he dropped dead. In his clothing was found \$124.60.

**Four Persons Horribly Burned.**

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Jan. 13.—The home of Henry Plaunt was destroyed by fire early Saturday, and the eleven inmates barely escaped with their lives. Four members of the family were horribly burned in making their escape from the house, their passage being through a mass of flames. A 10-year-old boy saved his life by jumping from a second-story window.

**New Steamer on the Route.**

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Jan. 13.—The Algoma Central Steamship line has purchased a large passenger steamer which will be placed on the route between Toledo and Sault Ste. Marie. It has cabin accommodations for 500 passengers and can carry 500 tons of package freight. It is expected to have her make a trip from Toledo to the Soo twice a week.

**Lodge Is Rich on Calumet and Hecla.**

Calumet, Mich., Jan. 14.—One of the richest lodges in the United States is located at Central mine, in Keweenaw county, a few miles north of this city. A Masonic chapter was organized several years ago. About \$500 was invested in Calumet and Hecla stock at \$60 per share. Later the lodge doubled its holdings and shares are now worth \$600 apiece.

**Thompson's Bail Is \$2,500.**

Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 10.—Charles M. Thompson, who was arrested in State Food Commissioner Snow's house, has been arraigned before Justice Mills and put under \$2,500 bonds, which were promptly given.

## CONGRESS IN BRIEF

**Synopsis of the Proceedings in the Senate and the House.**

Washington, Jan. 11.—The house yesterday unanimously passed a bill giving Mrs. McKinley the free mailing privilege during her life, recommitting the permanent census bureau bill with instructions to add a civil service reform clause and adjourned to Monday.

Washington, Jan. 14.—In the senate Nelson of Minnesota called up the bill providing for the establishment of a department of commerce, and it was debated at length but without action. Mason introduced a resolution declaring the United States owed reciprocity to Cuba. The Hepburn Nicaragua canal bill was received and referred. Hoar introduced a resolution for an investigation of the Philippine situation by a select committee of the senate. An executive session was held.

The house put in the day on the pension appropriation bill without action. It appropriates \$139,846,480, against \$145,245,230 last year. Adjournment was taken as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Representative Stokes, of South Carolina.

## CROKER HAS RETIRED

**Lewis Nixon Succeeds Him as Financier of Tammany Hall.**

New York, Jan. 13.—Richard Croker announced his retirement from the formal leadership of Tammany Hall Saturday afternoon. The announcement was made at the meeting of the executive committee at which the plan of organization for the year 1902 was agreed upon. Lewis Nixon was chosen as Croker's successor as the chairman of the finance committee. This position, by long usage, carries with it the leadership of the organization.

In announcing the name of Nixon for the chairmanship of the finance committee George M. Van Hoesen, president of the general committee, said the step was taken at the desire of Croker himself. Croker, however, did not express himself until all the business before the meeting had been transacted, when he arose and addressed the chair. In the course of his remarks he said: "I have been in the organization thirty-five years and during that period it has polled a larger vote proportionately in years when it had no patronage. So you need never fear the efforts of men who leave us because they wish to get positions. It is neglect of yourselves and distrust of your leaders which will hurt you."

## OLD BELL IS WELCOMED

**It Proclaimed Liberty in '76 and Charleston People Do It Honor.**

Charleston, S. C., Jan. 10.—The Liberty bell under the escort of Mayor Ashbridge and the delegation from the Philadelphia council arrived yesterday at 10 a. m. from Savannah. The train was met at the station by Mayor Smythe and the board of aldermen of Charleston, and President Waggoner and the directors of the Charleston Exposition company. A detachment of regulars and several companies of marines, with a regiment of militia were drawn up at the station when the train bearing the bell rolled in. As the bell was lifted from the flat car a salute of thirteen guns was fired. The historic relic was placed on a decorated truck, but it was found that the wagon would not bear the weight, and the bell had to be replaced on the car and taken to grounds by rail. At the exposition grounds Mayor Smythe extended a formal welcome to the bell and its escort, and Mayor Ashbridge responded. Several brief addresses were made and patriotic airs were sung by 2,000 school children. The bell will be placed in the Philadelphia building.

**Big Steamer Is Wrecked.**

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 10.—The big steamer Bristol was wrecked on the coast of Green Island, halfway between here and Skagway, on the night of Jan. 2, and Captain McIntyre and six of the crew were lost. Three boats carrying seven men each got away safely, but the captain's boat, which was the last to leave the steamer, was smashed against the collier and all on board went down. The following were lost: James McIntyre, captain; C. Vivian, chief engineer; Frank Roberts, pilot; A. Edwards, third engineer; H. C. Hurlant, William H. Romer, Joseph Silva.

**Aged Man Asphyxiated by Gas.**

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—Charles Caleb Cresson, the head of a prominent and influential family living in this city and Germantown, was found dead in his home at the latter place, having been asphyxiated by gas escaping from a heater in his room. Mr. Cresson was 86 years old. For many years he was head of a wholesale drug store in this city and was a noted philanthropist.

**Soldier Hanged for Murder.**

Washington, Jan. 14.—The war department has been advised of the execution of Pheneas Foutz, late corporal of Company K, Nineteenth infantry, at Cebu, Philippine Islands, on the morning of Jan. 3, 1902. Foutz was convicted of the wilful murder of a native girl in the Philippine Islands on Nov. 15, 1900.

**Gorman Elected Senator.**

Annapolis, Md., Jan. 14.—Arthur Pue Gorman was elected United States senator to succeed George L. Wellington. The total vote was: Gorman (Dem.), 68; Jackson (Rep.), 62. The vote for senator in the senate was: Gorman, 17; Jackson, 9. In the house: Gorman, 51; Jackson, 43.

**True Bill Against Dr. Krause.**

London, Jan. 14.—The grand jury yesterday found a true bill against Dr. Krause, the former governor of Johannesburg, on the charge of inciting Cornelius Broeckman, the ex-public prosecutor of Johannesburg (who was executed Sept. 30 last) to murder John Douglas Foster.

**Great Parade at Inauguration.**

Columbus, O., Jan. 14.—The inauguration of Governor Nash for his second term yesterday was followed by a great parade of civic and military organizations, and last evening there was a reception in the new annex to the state house.

**Nash Inaugurated Governor.**

Columbus, O., Jan. 13.—Governor George K. Nash was inaugurated into office for the second term at noon today. The inaugural ceremonies were held in the rotunda of the capitol.

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Among costly metals are aluminum, thorium and cerium. The last two named were worth about \$392 a pound before their utilization in gas lighting by incandescence.

Selenium, which has the curious property of losing its resistance to the electric current under the influence of light, is used in the telegraphoscope, and is worth \$22 a pound.

Uranium, worth \$86 a pound, is used in the glass and porcelain industries. It has been found that uranium carbide is superior to nickel or tungsten in the manufacture of high-grade steels.

Palladium, which has the smallest coefficient of dilatation, is used for the mounting of astronomical instruments. The standard meter of France is made of Palladium. The pure metal costs \$482 a pound.

Iridium, worth more than \$780 a pound, is the hardest metal known and is used to tip gold pens. This hardness makes it difficult to coin Siberian gold, which is impregnated therewith, and the Russian mint requires that gold for coinage shall be free from all traces of iridium.

Vanadium, which oxidizes in air with great difficulty, melts at 2,000 degrees and becomes red-hot in hydrogen. Neither hydrochloric acid nor nitric acid attacks it. The addition of vanadium considerably augments the ductility of copper, aluminum and iron. These properties would be valuable to electro-metallurgists if the price of the metal were not still very high—\$592 a pound. Its use, therefore, is limited to coloring glass and to the preparation of indelible inks by mixture with aniline.

Tungsten, worth eighty cents a pound, is also largely used in metallurgy and gives to steel qualities similar to those imparted by molybdenum.—New York Press.

## MARRIAGEABLE AGE.

In France the "man" must be 18 and the "woman" 16.

In German a "man" in order to marry must be at least 18 years of age.

In Portugal a boy of 14 is considered marriageable, and a "woman" of 12.

In Greece the "man" must have seen at least 14 summers and the "woman" 12.

In Spain the intended husband must have passed his fourteenth year and the woman her twelfth.

In Austria a "man" and a "woman" are supposed to be capable of conducting a home of their own from the age of 14.

In Turkey any youth and maiden who can walk properly and can understand the necessary religious service are allowed to be united for life.—Chicago Post.

## Pointer for Manufacturers.

American manufacturers seeking new markets in China will not succeed, says a writer, unless they make their packages small enough for carriage on a mule's back and wrap their wares in red paper instead of brown. The heathen purchaser prefers red; it is luckier.

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Minors of Charles Kremble, deceased.

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 10th day of January in the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

Present, Frank H. Ellsworth Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Anna Kremble (Kremble, minors). On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Anna E. Burns praying that a guardian may be appointed for said minors, and that John Seel may be appointed as such guardian.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 10th day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be held in the Probate office, in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

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

FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Judge of Probate.

HOLLAND E. BARR, Probate Register. Last publication Feb. 6, 1902.

Life Sentence for Bliss.

Mount Clemens, Mich., Jan. 10.—Homer Bliss, aged 24, who was convicted several weeks ago of murdering his father on his farm near here, has been sentenced to imprisonment for life. In imposing sentence Judge Tucker told the prisoner that it was hard to conceive of a more revolting crime than the murder of one's father.

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Estate of Burton Jarvis, Deceased.

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Present, Frank H. Ellsworth Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Burton Jarvis (deceased). On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Frank Jarvis praying that a certain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Frank Jarvis and Mitchell Alexander or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 10th day of February next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate are required to appear at a session of said court then to be held in the Probate office in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

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