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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.  
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Pattern cloths and napkins all sizes.

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## SITUATION REVIEWED

General Chaffee Briefly Gives His Ideas of Things in the Philippine Islands.

CANNOT TRUST ALLIED PACIFICOS

Army Judge Advocate's Opinion—Tagal Amazon Captured—Eleven of Our Soldiers Missing.

Manila, Jan. 20.—General Chaffee, in the annual report which has just been issued, sums up the situation from the military point of view by saying that the provinces of Batangas and Laguna, in southern Luzon, and the islands of Samar, Mindoro and Cebu constitute the disturbed area in which bodies of insurgents in force are to be found. General Chaffee says the prolongation of guerrilla warfare is due to the physical character of the country and to the nature of the warfare carried on by the insurgents, who in the same hour pose as friends and act as enemies; to the humanity displayed by the United States troops, of which the insurgents take advantage, and to the fear of assassination on the part of those natives who are friendly disposed toward the United States should they give the latter information concerning the movements or whereabouts of the insurgents.

**Mixed Government Not an Advantage.**  
Municipal and provincial governmental governments are being organized. These governments have not yet received a practical trial. They constitute the only certain and reliable method of ascertaining the progress of the Philippines toward self-government. In the same report Judge Advocate Groesbeck says the suppression of brigandage will probably be one of the most trying problems of the future. If the military arm be left free to deal with the marauders there is no doubt of their final suppression. But the presence of the civil government complicates the situation considerably.

**Eleven of Our Soldiers Missing.**  
A report has been received here that a dug-out canoe, in which eleven men of company I, of the Second Infantry, were traveling, is missing and is probably lost. It is believed the men either perished or were captured. General Wade has cabled from Cebu that 365 insurgents surrendered on the island of Bohol last Friday. The authorities here say that this statement is astonishingly accurate, as the secret service had failed to learn of the existence of any such body of insurgents on Bohol.

**Capture of a Filipino Amazon.**  
An important capture was made in Laguna province, Luzon, when eight men of the Eighth Infantry captured a woman insurgent named Aqueda Kahabagan. She recently commanded an insurgent force of 800 men, 300 of whom carried rifles. General J. Franklin Bell is still active in Batangas province, Luzon. A recent engagement in this province in which the insurgents were defeated with severe loss resulted in the wounding of one United States officer and the killing of one private.

**NINETY PER CENT. HAVE SIGNED**

Extension of Time to Everett-Moore Seems Nearly Assured.

Cleveland, O., Jan. 18.—The Everett-Moore bankers' committee gave out a statement yesterday to the effect that out of \$11,500,000 liabilities, credits to the extent of \$10,000,000 have signed

the asked-for extension of time agreement, leaving only 10 per cent. of the creditors to be heard from.

When the outstanding creditors are heard from the jurisdiction of the bankers' committee will become operative and the syndicate properties will resume operation. The bankers' committee will supervise the workings of the syndicate by having representatives on the boards of directory of the several properties.

**William Hoffmeister Kills Himself.**  
St. Louis, Jan. 21.—William H. Hoffmeister, of St. Louis, ex-supreme recorder of the Legion of Honor, committed suicide at the Planters' hotel by shooting himself with a revolver. Mr. Hoffmeister was defeated last night for re-election as supreme recorder of the Legion of Honor by C. R. T. White, and an entirely new supreme council was elected after a sensational contest.

**Editor Kohlsaat Steps Out.**  
Chicago, Jan. 18.—H. H. Kohlsaat, editor of the Chicago Record-Herald, has severed all active connection with that paper. He will retain 60 per cent. of the stock and will be president of the company. Mr. Kohlsaat's successor in the editorship and the business management of the paper is Frank B. Noyes, who while Mr. Kohlsaat was at the head of the daily acted as publisher.

**Iowa Editors Organize.**  
Des Moines, Ia., Jan. 18.—The Iowa State Editorial association was organized in Des Moines, nearly two score of the best-known editors in the state being in attendance. C. M. Junkin, of Fairfield, was elected president and W. A. Parrott of Waterloo secretary. Meetings will be held annually.

**Marconi Releases Miss Holman.**  
New York, Jan. 21.—Mrs. H. B. Holman, of this city, announces that her daughter had asked William Marconi, the developer of wireless telegraphy, to release her from her engagement to marry him, and that Mr. Marconi had complied with her request.

**Report from Kitchener.**  
London, Jan. 21.—Lord Kitchener reports that since Jan. 13, thirty-one Boers were killed, thirteen were wounded, 170 were made prisoners and forty-one surrendered.

**Theband Identifies His Valet.**  
New Orleans, Jan. 21.—T. G. Mannens has been identified by P. E. Thebaud as his valet, Edward Kern, Jr., who stole a large amount of jewelry from Mrs. Thebaud.

**Terrible Accident in Ireland.**  
Belfast, Jan. 21.—Thirteen persons were killed and fifty injured by the collapse of a mill here yesterday.

**Michigan Minutes.**  
Ishpeming—A proposition to change the Peninsular bank at Ishpeming from a state to a national institution was voted down.

Saginaw—W. R. Burt, of this city, is arranging to buy forty acres at Owosso for the site of a beet sugar factory.

Detroit—The survey for the Detroit and Lansing electric road has been completed.

Bay City—Two grade crossings of the Michigan Central and Bay City Consolidated roads have been approved.

East Saginaw—The Savings Bank of East Saginaw and the Lenawee County Savings bank at Adrian have applied for extensions of their charters.

Negaunee—After giving the Barasa mine, near Negaunee, a thorough exploration with diamond drills the Sonora Mining company, of Pittsburgh, has surrendered its option.

Gov. Taft Arrives at San Francisco.

San Francisco, Jan. 21.—The United States transport Grant, with Governor Taft on board, arrived from Manila last night and went into quarantine immediately.

## ALL QUIET AT PANAMA

Revolutionary Leader Accomplishes What He Set Out to Do.

DESTROYED STEAMER LAUTARO

General Alban, Commander of the Colombian Forces, Killed During the Engagement.

New York, Jan. 21.—The Colombian consul, Mr. Bugard, has received the following dispatch from Panama dated Jan. 20: "General Alban attacked the rebel fleet and perished on board steamship Lautaro. Have taken over command and am prepared to defend the city with 1,000 men."

The dispatch is signed by Arjona, who was General Alban's secretary.

Panama, Jan. 21.—All is quiet here. General Herrera, the revolutionary leader, informed Captain Mead of the United States cruiser Philadelphia that he came here to prevent the Colombian government using the steamer Lautaro against the Liberals. He had accomplished this, and therefore retired. The revolutionists had seventeen wounded in the engagement. The number killed cannot be precisely ascertained. Of the government forces five men were killed and four wounded.

**Victory for the Rebels.**  
The Colombian rebels won a naval victory over the government forces. They made a fierce attack on three vessels in the harbor here at daylight, completely surprising General Alban's forces. After a stubborn battle, in which six ships, three on each side, were engaged, the government steamer Lautaro was sunk and many soldiers on board killed. Among the dead is General Alban, governor of Panama, and commander-in-chief of the government forces.

Three gunboats composed the rebel fleet. Two of them were badly disabled in the fight. The United States cruiser Philadelphia was in the harbor and witnessed the engagement. Sailors from the Philadelphia after the battle, went on board the Lautaro to help fight the fire which had been started by insurgent shells, but they were unsuccessful.

**Surprised by the Rebels.**  
The attack was almost a complete surprise to the government. The insurgent fleet was composed of the steamers Padilla, Darien and Gaitan. The government ships were the Chilean line steamer Lautaro, the Pacific Steam Navigation company's steamer Chicuito and the Panama Canal company's steamer Boyaca. The first named steamer was seized by General Alban and the other two have been chartered by the Colombian government.

All three of the government steamers had been armed with as many guns as General Alban could secure. He had taken a large force on board the Lautaro and Chicuito, intending to sail to attack the insurgents. The principal insurgent attack was made by the Padilla. It entered the bay and succeeded in getting to close quarters with the Lautaro.

**Desert the Lautaro.**  
The Padilla opened a fierce fire, to which the Lautaro made a brief response. General Alban, however, was killed early in the engagement and many soldiers on board were killed or wounded, and soon after the crew, disheartened at the suddenness and fierceness of the Padilla's attack, deserted the ship as soon as it was discovered to be on fire.

The government steamer Chicuito at once opened fire on the Padilla, and was, in turn, attacked by the Darien and Gaitan. The Chicuito was not seriously injured, but seems to have inflicted serious damage on the Darien. The Padilla, too, was compelled to retire to a safer distance as a result of the fire of the Chicuito.

**Land Guns Open Fire.**  
The guns of Las Bovedas also opened a fierce fire on the rebel ships, the range, however, being too great to render the shells dangerous. When the firing finally ceased the revolutionary steamer Darien approached the Philadelphia. The captain of the Darien was told by Captain Mead of the Philadelphia that the insurgent fleet would not be permitted to bombard the city of Panama or to land troops at the docks.

The body of General Alban was taken off the Lautaro as soon as possible, sailors from the United States cruiser Philadelphia assisting. The dead and wounded were also removed. The fire, however, could not be extinguished and the Lautaro sunk in the harbor.

**Seven Men Hold Up a Train.**  
Fort Smith, Ark., Jan. 17.—The south-bound Kansas City Southern passenger train was "held up" Wednesday at 11 p. m. half a mile north of Spiro, I. T., by seven masked men. The local safe in the express car was opened, but nothing secured from it. The robbers tried to open the through safe, but failed. Then they rifled the mail car and probably secured some registered mail.

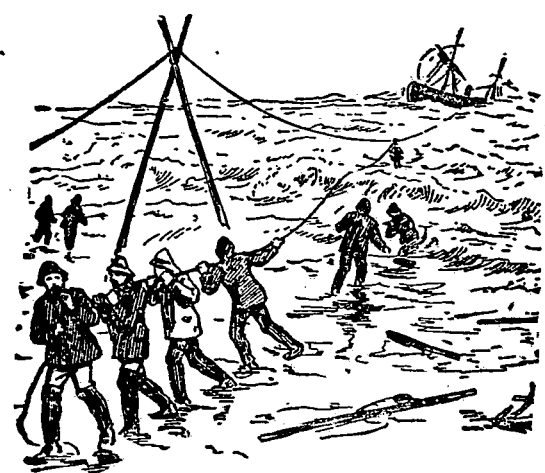
**No Peace Overtures.**

London, Jan. 21.—The colonial secretary, Mr. Chamberlain, in the house of commons, said there was no foundation for the reports that overtures for peace in South Africa had been made by the Boer envoys.

## TWICE IN THE SAME PLACE

Steamer Goes Aground in Ludington Harbor—Everybody Saved.

Ludington, Mich., Jan. 18.—Early yesterday the second marine disaster occurred right where the first one did a few weeks ago, and another of the Pere Marquette Railway company's boats is stuck fast at the mouth of the harbor. This time it is the steamer No. 3, and her crew of thirty-five and her nine passengers, four of whom



THE RESCUE.

were women, were saved by the breeches buoy, being brought ashore one at a time with the seas breaking over them for more than half the 200 feet of distance from the shore.

Captain Frank Dority, the last man to leave the vessel in the buoy, says the rudder stock was twisted by the large seas that were rolling and the steering gear refused to work. The steamer then lost her head and rolled in the trough of the sea until she struck. Engineer Williams made every effort to work the vessel off with her own steam, and stayed in the engine room until he was driven out by the water.

Following are the names of the passengers: W. W. Archibald, Manistee; E. W. Seymour, Manistee; E. C. Flaherty, Detroit; Joseph Norris, Manistee; Anna Johnston, Manistee; Mrs. Bremanstein, Detroit; W. A. Gastier and wife, Ludington, and A. A. Seibert, Manistee.

Captain Joseph Reid, of Sarnia, who successfully released the car ferry Muskegon, arrived here last night and will take charge of the wrecking operations on steamer No. 3. Three days of absolutely calm weather will be necessary to effect a release, and this can hardly be expected at this time of year.

## CONGRESS IN BRIEF

Synopsis of the Proceedings in the Senate and the House.

Washington, Jan. 17.—The following bills, among many others, were passed by the senate yesterday: Appropriating \$25,000 for the construction of a public building at Hammond, Ind.; authorizing a number of gentlemen to accept foreign decorations; appropriating \$4,500 for a lightship on southeast shoal, Point au Pelee, Lake Erie; to establish storm warning signals at South Manitou Island, Lake Michigan, at a cost of \$15,000.

Washington, Jan. 20.—The house of representatives was in session less than an hour Saturday. Only routine business was transacted, the most important feature of which was the reporting by Cannon, chairman of the committee on appropriations, of an urgent deficiency bill. One item of the bill is \$40,000 for the entertainment of Prince Henry of Prussia. The bill carries \$16,700,000.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The senate agreed to begin talk on the house bill to provide revenues for the Philippine islands—the tariff bill—today. The house bill giving Mrs. McKinley a frank on mail for life was passed. Mason made the personal explanation that he was not opposing free rural mail delivery. The ship subsidy bill was reported and the bill to create a department of commerce debated without action. An executive session was held.

The house put in the day in general debate on the urgent deficiency bill, during which Clark of Missouri wanted to know why, when we were to pay for the entertainment of Prince Henry of Prussia Great Britain should not pay for the entertainment of our envoy to the coronation.

**Kalamazoo Ruins Kill a Man.**  
Kalamazoo, Mich., Jan. 18.—While posting bills on the ruins of the Michigan Buggy company's plant, which was destroyed by fire Thursday night, John J. Decker and George Kieber were caught under a falling wall, the former being instantly killed and the latter badly crushed. Decker was to have been married soon, and his betrothed is nearly crazed with grief.

**Judge Scores the Witness.**  
Ludington, Mich., Jan. 17.—In the circuit court her William Holmes, Louis Holmes, Daniel Lapham and William Lapham pleaded guilty to killing deer out of season. In passing sentence Judge McAlvay roundly scored the complaining witness for some of the means employed in working up the case.

**Third Bad Fire in a Year.**  
Calumet, Mich., Jan. 18.—Lake Linden, five miles south of this city, was visited by a third disastrous fire within a year yesterday morning. Fire in the Toplin building was discovered at 3 o'clock, and before it was under control the damage amounted to \$60,000.

**Child Falls Into Hot Water.**  
Detroit, Jan. 21.—John Turczynski, aged 2 years and 7 months, is dead as the result of being scalded in a tub of boiling water Saturday morning. The child's mother had placed the water in a tub on the floor and turned her back for a moment. It is thought that the youngster, while playing with a brother, aged 6 years, either fell or was pushed into the tub.

## ADVANCE SALE OF LACE CURTAINS

Among the new arrivals at Ellsworth's this week are some attractive curtains. Monday morning we commence the selling. Fix up your windows and make your home pleasant by using some of these pretty new goods. The prices are within the reach of all.

## Money Saving Offers

Three great money saving offers in the sale commencing Monday:  
Three-yard ruffled mull curtains, all white or with colored insertion; the kind we sold for \$2 last year. Our large purchase permits us to offer this number while they last for \$1.50 per pair.

Nottingham curtains, 62 inches wide, 3½ yards long, the \$2 curtain in every store in the United States, for \$1.50 at this sale.

A bunch of very desirable traveler's sample ends of curtains at 50c each.

Handsome, ruffled mull curtains, 3 yards long, 75c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50.

Nottingham curtains from 50c to \$6.00.

Beautiful Arabian Curtains, \$2.50 to \$10.00.

Brussels Nets from \$4.00 to \$15.00.

Ruffled Net curtains from \$1.75 to \$10.00.

The above items are quoted from the largest assortment of curtains ever brought to South Bend. The styles are right, the prices low and you can depend upon your money's worth if you buy your curtains at this sale.

## Linen Department

The great display of linens and wonderful value giving keeps this department one of the busiest places in the store.

We wish to clean up all the remnants of table linens and crashes left from this January sale before inventory. We have made special cut prices on every remnant. Don't fail to look them over.

## Towels and Wash Rags

You cannot afford to pass this department, no matter how many you have; you can afford to stop and buy from the following numbers:

Our bleached, hemmed wash rag, 3c.

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

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

Our 18 by 36 inch, washed huck towel, 10c.

Our 22 by 44 inch, washed huck all linen towel, 25c.

10 pieces more of 18 inch, heavy, all linen, bleached, washed crash 10c.

1,000 yards 18 inch, heavy unbleached, all linen crash 8½c.

## Embroideries

The sales in this department have been enormous. The same value giving will continue throughout the month. Big assortment to choose from and all new.

## Petticoats

We have just received another lot of our special, all silk, black, taffeta petticoats, two styles:

14 inch pleating, small two-inch ruffle, \$4.95.

Graduated flounce, two-inch ruffle, \$4.95.

Handsome black mercerized, fancy petticoat; two rows ruffles and cords, graduated pleating on flounce. Special, 95c. Great reduction on all petticoats before stock taking.

## Muslins, Sheetings, Gingham

Our muslin underwear sales continue to grow each day as the people begin to find out the great values we are selling. We have had to duplicate our order on some numbers already.

The handsomest gowns, corsets covers and skirts are to be found here. All well made, full and generous, best materials used, just the kind that will always please you.

Toile Du Nord's Red Seal A. F. C. gingham	10c
Fruit of the Loom Muslin	7½
Lonsdale	7½
Hope	7
Chapman, bleached	5½c
Chapman, half bleached	5½c
Logan LL, yard wide bro muslin	3½c

## Clearance Sale of Cloaks

We are getting ready to take our inventory Feb. 1, and wish to make a clean sweep of every coat in the house.

We are giving 50 per cent off on all cloaks.

We are giving 33½ per cent off on all furs.

There are a few short jackets left at \$1.00.

All flannel waists marked way below cost.

**JOHN CHESSELLSWORTH**

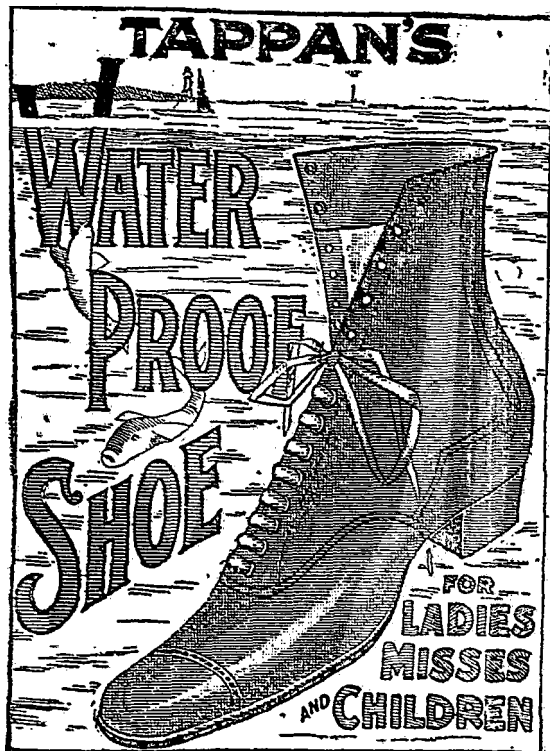
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BUCHANAN AND BERTRAND TOWNSHIP  
SUNDAY SCHOOL UNION.

Convention Held Saturday and Sunday,  
Jan. 18 and 19, 1902

The first session was held at the United Brethren church Saturday, 2 p. m. The devotional service, which consisted of singing and short prayer service by Rev. J. C. Royer, Rev. Jas. Turner, Rev. W. J. Douglass and Mrs. A. Nutt, was conducted by the president, Rev. J. R. Niergarth, who afterwards read Eph. 3, and emphasized the thought "that ye might be filled with the fullness of God." Prayer was offered by Rev. E. R. Black and Rev. J. R. Niergarth.

After singing, a large chart consisting of a circle within a circle, carefully prepared by Rev. E. R. Black, outlined the "Analysis of the Acts of the Apostles." Beautiful and helpful thoughts were brought out in the Normal Hour: Waiting on the Lord for the guidance of His spirit; separated by heart cuttings; unselfish giving; power with God by prayer, because our God is strong and mighty; martyr's spirit. The only regret that the time was so limited to the study of this book.

Lura Keller then gave a very pleasing recitation, "The Cross Bearer," which portrayed in poetry the experience of many workers. It was indeed a benediction to each cross bearer.

The Home Department of our Sunday School was presented by D. W. Kean in a forceful manner. It is hoped that each Sunday School will have a well organized Home Department in the near future.

The president appointed the nominating committee: I. L. H. Dodd, Rev. James Turner, F. G. Lewis, Mrs. Hattie Wells, Miss Anna Mead, J. C. Rehm and Hiram Leiter.

Committee on Resolutions: Rev. W. J. Douglass, Rev. E. R. Black and I. L. H. Dodd.

Committee on Entertainment: Miss Anna Mead, Mrs. James DeViney and Mrs. A. Nutt.

A pledge of \$20, made by D. W. Kean at the county convention for Buchanan and Bertrand township Sunday schools, for state work, was assumed. This means that each Sunday school pledge an amount to be paid by November 1, 1902.

After singing W. J. Douglass pronounced the benediction. During this session Miss Mary Conrad proved to be a very efficient leader in singing. It was one of the best Saturday noon sessions in our history; it in attendance and interest.

Saturday evening the session was held in the Advent church. The

church did its best to extend itself, but many were compelled to return home, the crowd was so great. Those who were fortunate to get a seat were taken on that "wonderful trip to Palestine." With the 110 views and Mr. Warren's description of the six months spent in this foreign land, it was the next thing to visiting it yourself. It was fine beyond description. The only regret was that so many were turned away. Mrs. E. S. Dodd favored the audience with a fine solo, "Jerusalem." Rev. E. R. Black conducted the Praise service.

The third session was held at the Evangelical church Sunday at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. W. L. Mercer had charge of the music. Two beautiful anthems were sung during the session. Rev. James Turner led the devotionals. The convention enjoyed the song, "Jesus Lives," by Miss Emma Wray's class of fifteen little ones. Minnie Blodgett gave a pleasing recitation, "Who bids for the children," which was followed by an address to children by Rev. W. J. Douglass.

The second half of this session was spent in a review of this quarter's lessons, by A. C. Roe. It was very helpful. We wish we had time and space to give a full outline as presented by the speaker. After singing Rev. C. E. Marvin pronounced the benediction.

The Young People's Union service was held at the United Brethren church. At six o'clock the church was well filled with representatives from each society. The Misses Lindsley and Abbey were the leaders. It was a most excellent service. Subject, "Hard places in life." There was great freedom in testifying, singing and praying. Mrs. Mercer and Miss Shaw sang a duet, with Miss Clara Hubbell as organist.

At seven o'clock the last session was held at the Evangelical church. Mr. D. L. Boardman had charge of the music. Rev. C. E. Marvin conducted the devotionals by reading St. John xiv: 1-14. After an anthem by the choir D. W. Kean conducted a symposium, The hope of the Sunday School for the future.

I. L. H. Dodd, Rev. C. E. Marvin, Miss Edith Beardsley, Rev. J. R. Niergarth, Mr. D. H. Bower, Mr. J. A. Cozens, Mr. W. G. Hathaway, Rev. W. J. Douglass, Rev. James Turner, Rev. J. C. Royer and Mr. Abram Logan expressed their hope for the Sunday school in the near future.

After singing, the first vice-president, Rev. W. J. Douglass, gave a stirring address to the Sunday school workers. The annual reports of secretary and treasurer were read and approved. The nominating committee

submitted the following report, which was adopted:

To the members of the Buchanan and Bertrand Townships Sunday School Association: Your committee on nomination met at the Evangelical church. The entire committee were present. The chairman, I. L. H. Dodd, called to order, and F. G. Lewis was elected secretary. We submit herewith a report of our work in the following nominations and recommendations;

For president, A. A. Worthington; first vice-president, Lewis Cauffman; second vice-president, A. C. Roe; third vice-president, Wm. Monro; secretary, Miss Edith Beardsley; treasurer, Chas. B. Treat; executive committee, the officers of the association, the pastors of the churches affiliating in the association, and the superintendents of the Sunday schools.

For president of Primary Union, Miss Edith Beardsley; for vice-presidents, the first primary teacher in each Sunday school; secretary, Miss Clara Hubbell. Superintendent of the Buchanan and Bertrand township Sunday School Association Home Department, D. W. Kean.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

I. L. H. DODD, Chairman.  
F. G. LEWIS, Secretary.

By the committee—

REV. JAS. TURNER,  
MRS. W. S. WELLS,  
MISS LIBBIE IRWIN,  
MR. F. G. LEWIS,  
MR. HIRAM LEITER,  
MR. J. C. REHM,  
I. L. H. DODD.

A. A. Worthington, the new president, was introduced to the convention by Rev. J. R. Niergarth. Mr. Worthington, in a few earnest words, planned some aggressive work for the year 1902. A vote was taken and almost the entire audience stood as one man, pledging themselves to do the best they could to help in this great work.

"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name" was sung, Rev. J. C. Royer pronouncing the benediction. The offerings at the different sessions were 18.79.

"What splendid language Mr. Chokah uses in his sermons!" "Yes, indeed. But then what can you expect? His sermons are invariably made up of five-eighths Bible and 'three-eighths Shakespeare.'" — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

"In your vermiform appendix," the surgeon told him after the operation was over, "we found, strange to say, a small brass tack." "That proves I was right," feebly answered the sick man, "when I said it was something I had eaten in mince pie." — Chicago Record-Herald.

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### Great Development in Florence

J. N. Taylor, United States Mineral Surveyor, has just come down from Florence and reports great activity in the camp and that there is more development going on at the present time than there has ever been, before in central Idaho.

"The Banner" said Mr. Taylor "is working sixty men in getting their mine ready to start as soon as their hundred ton mill they are putting in is completed. This property has developed into a great mine, I believe the largest free milling gold mine in the Northwest. They have twenty-seven feet of \$14.00 ore in one drift, and twenty-three feet of \$66.00 ore in another drift. This property was bought by a New York syndicate composed of Henry Clews, Arbuckle Bros. and others a short time ago for two hundred thousand dollars, and the value of the property is hard to estimate as they have a million dollars worth of ore blocked out.

"The Ozark mine lying north of the Banner is also drifting on a twenty-four foot ledge on the 100 foot level, and there is no question but that it will develop into a great mine, as it has the richest ore in the camp and has a greater showing as far as developed than the Banner. They expect to get the mill now on the property started by the first of March and add stamps enough as soon as the roads will permit in the spring to make their capacity 100 tons per day, and with those two big mines with others that are getting ready to start, the people of Florence look for a great boom in the spring. The town of Florence is full of mining men looking for bonds on property where the owners are not able to do the necessary development work to put the property on a paying basis but as usual the prospectors' idea since the development of the Banner and Ozark is such that they are hard to deal with in the way of price, but the people who are looking for the property have made liberal offers since the Banner and Ozark started, and I am satisfied will pick up most of the best properties between now and spring." —North Idaho Star.

Clipped from the South Bend Tribune: One of the largest Fire Sales ever held in this city is now in progress at Alex Lippman's clothing store, No. 123 S. Michigan St., where you can buy anything you need in suits, overcoats, hats, shoes and furnishings, at almost your own price. Sale just opened up and will last till everything is sold.

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## School Notes.

### HIGH SCHOOL.

The work of the second semester began this morning.

The members of our Senior Class will deliver their first orations in the high school room Friday afternoon of this week.

The half year promotion place is making great improvement in our grades. Last spring many of the pupils who were not quite up to the grade, were kept back for a half year and will be promoted to the next grade at this time.

### EIGHTH GRADE.

Mrs. Mead and Mrs. Stanton called last week. Visitors, we are always pleased to receive, parents are especially welcome.

A very interesting test in principal parts of verbs took place Thursday. Fred Fuller and Bessie Hazlett were the last to take their seats. Both failed on the principal parts of "slay."

A pupil in the history class said "The London Company set sail New Year's Day in May 1607."

January 12 was a day Lizzie Lano will long remember because of her splendid victory in the history class. She carried home the prize.

### SEVENTH GRADE.

The pupils of the seventh grade have been studying the lives of Sir Walter Scott and Washington Irving. Some good papers on these men have been handed in.

The grade are delighted to think that two of their examinations are over. They had their tests in History and Arithmetic.

The drawing class had the pleasure of sketching an owl from a stuffed specimen.

Earl Camp is the only one absent from school this week.

### SIXTH GRADE.

The motto for the week as chosen by the pupils is "Right always wins the day."

Our drawing books have been completed and are ready for the new ones at the beginning of the semester.

The new music chart is being studied with interest by the pupils.

Katie Richardson and Percis Cook have been out of school on account of sickness.

### FIFTH GRADE.

Examinations Monday and Tuesday, and we are always glad when they are over.

Kenneth Peters of the fourth grade kindly brought a wooden shoe which came from Holland, for our drawing lesson. The study of Holland, we have just finished.

During our morning exercises lately we have had much pleasure as well as profit using the geographical cards brought by Edna Bates and the United States History cards belonging to Fay Douglass.

The pupils find the review lessons in geography very pleasant even if they are obliged to work pretty hard. They find out for themselves from other books all that they can bearing on the subject for the day.

### FOURTH GRADE.

Examinations are in progress.

Lyle Kingery, who is one of our best pupils, is obliged to leave school on account of ill health and we regret the loss.

### THIRD GRADE.

Examinations in the classes are held this week.

Frances Wilson spelled the school down on Thursday.

Nina Bins was absent several days last week on account of sickness.

"Children in Other Lands" and the "Story of the Life of Hans Christian Anderson," will be read this week.

### SECOND GRADE.

Our work was much interrupted last week on account of the illness of so many children. Our attendance for the week averaging only 21.

Lillian Shaw brought us a doll dressed as a Robinson Crusoe, the suggestions for his costume have been taken from his own description of his clothes made from skins.

A division will finish their second Reader this week, the B division have completed 95 pages during the semester.

### FIRST GRADE.

Anna Keller, who has been having a siege of neuralgia, is in school again.

Edna Hull has gone to St. Joseph to live.

Winifred Andrews and Beatrice Bain ton are kept at home with bad colds.

Clenmen and Frankie Swank re-entered school Monday.

Our new story for Friday was "The Shoemaker and the Elves."

The A and B classes wrote a reproduction of "George's Visit to the City," last week. Some very nice papers were written.

### Pointers 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.

## Not Altogether Wrong.

Teacher—What state is south of Indiana?

Smart Boy—Kentucky.

Teacher—What state is north of Kentucky?

Smart Boy—Indiana.

Teacher—What is there between the two states?

Smart Boy—Some bad feelin's and things.—Indianapolis News.

"How can you stand the slow life of a small town?" "Oh, it's a matter of taste, like driving; some men like to ride so fast they can't see anything—others like to dawdle along and enjoy the view."—Detroit Free Press.

"I think Eve was to be pitied." "So do I. Why, there was no other woman whose clothes she could criticize."—Philadelphia Bulletin.

## For Consolidation of Rural Schools.

A meeting of voters, tax-payers and school patrons of Bertrand township and Niles township west of the river will be held at the Bertrand township hall Thursday, Jan. 30, at 1:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of considering the advisability of consolidating the rural schools into one or more graded schools.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Delos Fall will be present and give us many valuable points.

Don't let a storm or anything else keep you away. Come prepared to talk and ask questions.

The plan in brief is this: The small schools of eastern Bertrand and possibly Niles township west of the river can profitably be disbanded and a large graded district be organized with a school building of three or four rooms erected as near the center as convenient, in which building three teachers can instruct the 81 pupils now being taught by eight or more instructors.

Covered rigs furnished with robes, blankets and foot warmers will call for the children and return them at the close of the school.

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Please notify your neighbors.

Yours for the betterment of present conditions,

C. D. JENNINGS, Com'r of Schools.

There will be a contest in rapid addition and a pie social at the Howe school Friday evening, Jan. 24. All are invited.

The annual meeting of policy holders of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company of Berrien county will be held at the opera house in the village of Buchanan, at 2 p. m., on Saturday, Feb. 1, at which meeting are to be elected a president, secretary and four directors, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

R. V. CLARK, Sec'y.

There will be a pie social at the Prairie school in District No. 8, Bertrand township, on Friday evening, January 31.

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## At South Bend

One of the largest Fire Sales ever held in northern Indiana is now in progress at the Lippman clothing store, No. 123 S. Michigan St. Do not fail to attend this sale, for you can save money and get fine all-wool suits, overcoats, hats, caps and shoes at less than one-half actual cost.

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The February Century is to contain two articles, with illustrations, on the new scheme for beautifying the City of Washington; and another important feature in the same issue is "A visit to Mount Vernon a Century Ago," containing conversation with General Washington as recorded in the diary of a Polish poet attached in this country to the suite of Kosciuszko. In one of their talks the matter of new buildings for the government departments in the "Federal City" was brought up,—the expense of the buildings was estimated at \$96,000, and it was suggested that it would be difficult to get enough houses to lodge all the members.

"Very well," the General said, jokingly, "they have only to camp out: the representatives will be placed in the first row, the Senate in the second, the President with his suite in the middle."

The present topographical arrangement of the City of Washington was designed under President Washington's supervision, and the new plans contemplate an enriching of this arrangement, the chief improvement being a superb avenue from the Capitol to the Washington Monument, the latter forming an axis from which other avenues and vistas will open.

Frank A. Vanderlip's first article the "Commercial Invasion" has attracted comment throughout the country. Men of importance in the financial and industrial world seem to be reading it everywhere. In the February Scribner's Mr. Vanderlip will present the industrial conditions which confront America in Italy, Austria and Germany. He describes the intense antagonism toward Commercial America which exists in Austria. He then shows the dangers which the United States has to fear from our most successful competitor in every field—Germany.

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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 15th 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 Ireland, Elizabeth Kremble, and Katherine 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.

ROLAND E. BARR, Probate Register.

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### PERSONAL.

Mr. C. F. Pears went to Chicago Monday.

Mr. J. E. French was in Niles last Thursday.

Mr. Geo. East went to Chicago last Thursday.

Miss Cora Dumbolton was home over Sunday.

Mr. J. P. Beistle was in Berrien Springs Friday.

Mr. A. J. Carothers was in Berrien Springs on Friday.

Mr. J. Biscomb of Detroit was in town last Friday.

Mr. J. M. Caulfield was over from South Bend, Friday.

Mr. J. W. Needham of St. Joseph was in town Monday.

Dr. L. E. Peck made a professional trip to Galien Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Kelling of Niles were in town Sunday.

Mr. H. M. Crockett of South Bend was in town Monday.

Mr. F. A. Bryan was over from South Bend on Friday.

Mrs. Geo. Lano entertained her sister from Galien Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Stowe is visiting relatives in Berrien Springs.

Miss Stella Winchester of St. Joseph was in town Monday.

Mrs. G. H. Parkinson of Battle Creek is in town this week.

Mr. H. H. Hosford was a Berrien Springs visitor last Friday.

Mr. H. F. Kingery and son Lyle went to Chicago last Thursday.

Mrs. Annie Warner is spending the week with Three Oaks friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Valentine visited relatives in town on Sunday.

Attorney A. A. Worthington was in St. Joseph on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Jennings of Paw Paw are visiting relatives in town.

Mrs. Buhland of New Carlisle is visiting at the home Mr. N. J. Slater.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Blackman of Glendora visited at Mr. J. H. Godfrey's Tuesday.

Mrs. C. D. Kent and son Webb returned on Friday from their visit at Flint.

Mrs. Artus of Michigan City visited her daughter Mrs. John Renbarger last week.

Mr. A. O. Wood tie inspector for the M. C. R. R. was in town on business Friday.

Miss Marion Daw of Chicago is visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Graham.

Mr. Gary Dutton went to Michigan City Monday to visit his sister, Mrs. F. M. Boeckling.

Mrs. Chas. A. Ingalls and daughter, Pansy are visiting relatives in Galien, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Smith of Glendora visited their father Mr. J. H. Godfrey over Sunday.

Dr. L. E. Peck went to Ann Arbor on Monday where he will spend the week on special surgical work.

Mr. Wm. G. Evans was called here from South Bend by the accident which befell his mother recently.

Attorney A. O. Roe, and President Geo. H. Black went to St. Joseph, Tuesday called there on legal business.

Mrs. Chas. Hoffman who is visiting her daughter Mrs. W. R. Hinkel, at South Bend is expected home on Friday.

Mrs. Maria Stebbins passed through town Thursday on the 1:30 train called to Buchanan by the illness of her father.

Mr. Arthur Ingleright and Mrs. F. E. Spaulding were St. Joseph visitors on Friday of last week.

Mr. Hervey Hedrick and his friend Miss Nora Campbell, of Benton Harbor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Godfrey Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. H. L. Potter of Dowagiac changed cars here Monday on her way to Berrien Springs, being called there by the illness of her sister Mrs. Lord.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Newbury who have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hanley returned to their home in St. Louis, Mo. the last of the week.

Mr. Alva Sherwood of Three Oaks was a Buchanan visitor last Thursday. He called on a number of old friends renewing acquaintanceship with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Binns started on Saturday for Las Vegas, New Mexico where they will remain for an indefinite time in the hopes of benefiting Mrs. Binns' health.

### Late This Week.

The RECORD is a little late this week owing to the disabling of the electric power plant at the dam. We trust our readers will overlook the delay, as it is as annoying to us as it is to our subscribers.

### A Good Showing.

The twelfth annual report of the Berrien County Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company shows a very creditable record for the past year.

The amount of risks carried Dec. 31, 1901, was \$7,572,599, a net gain during the year of \$756,279. The net increase in policy holders for the same time was 470.

### Pioneer Sketches

The RECORD is arranging to publish during the coming year a series of Pioneer Sketches, giving incidents and matters of history which will prove interesting to all of our citizens, both old and young.

The first of these sketches will appear the first week in February or week after next, and others will appear from time to time. Now will be a good time to subscribe, if you are not already a subscriber to the RECORD, and you will be sure to have all these interesting articles.

### A Good Showing.

The RECORD is pleased to announce that its circulation is growing steadily and satisfactorily. We are printing over fifty copies more each week than one year ago.

This is a significant fact, inasmuch as all subscriptions are discontinued upon their expiration, showing that the RECORD is popular with the people of this section. The steady increase is still keeping up at even a greater rate than before. This increase will be of corresponding benefit to our advertisers, and they are not slow to take advantage.

### Fred E. Lee Married.

The Dowagiac News of last Friday has the following article:

"In New York City at 10 o'clock this morning occurred the marriage of our townsman, Fred E. Lee, to Miss Mary Grey, of Newark, New Jersey. It is announced that Mr. and Mrs. Lee will remain in the east for a brief time, and will come to this city in about two weeks. It is reported that their future home will be in Chicago, where it is known Mr. Lee has large real estate holdings. J. O. Becraft, of this city, was, so far as known, the only friend of the groom's from Michigan who was present at the ceremony. Today the many friends of Mr. Lee in this city have utilized the telegraph wires very freely in communicating their congratulations."

### Woodman Install Officers

Buchanan Camp No. 886 M. W. A. installed their officers at their regular meeting last Friday evening.

Neighbor Steven Arney acted as installing officer installing the following officers:

V. C. D. H. Bower  
W. A. John Jarvis  
E. B. Allan Emerson  
Clerk, W. F. Runner

Escort, Eugene Murphy  
Watchman, W. E. Welcott  
Sentry, J. W. Broceus

Physicians, J. A. Garland, H. M. Brodrick, L. E. Peck.

After installation refreshments were served and a general good time had socially. The Camp is in a prosperous condition and has a total membership of 248 Woodman.

### New Undertaking Firm.

The RECORD welcomes to its ever increasing family of advertisers the firm of Perrott & Son, Funeral Directors, who have ordered the card to appear in the RECORD for the coming year.

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The senior member of the firm was formerly engaged in the undertaking business before the war, in partnership with Capt. Binns, and had a shop on Oak street near where the Advent church now stands. When the civil war broke out both Mr. Perrott and Mr. Binns sold out their business to the late Jacob F. Hahn, and enlisted in the army, serving with credit to themselves and their town.

About a year ago Mr. Perrott purchased the Hahn shop and business located on Oak street, and together with his son, Harry O., who had just purchased the undertaking business of the late Porter Henderson, formed a partnership and fitted up the Hahn shop for their occupancy, and the new firm are now ready for business.

The RECORD wishes them success in their undertaking.

### Farmers' Institute.

The St. Joseph County Farmers' Institute will be held at South Bend Wednesday and Thursday, January 22 and 23, in the Auditorium annex. A fine program has been prepared and prominent speakers will be present at each session.

### C. T. Lee's Daughter Married

At the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Lee, 513 Main street, Dowagiac, at 3 p. m. Monday, occurred the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Elma Lee Cahill, to Mr. Ralph Emery, of Detroit. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Reed Stuart, of Detroit, in the presence of the immediate relatives. They will make Detroit their future home.

### An Excellent Record

Something over a year ago a young man appeared among us choosing as his work the pastorate of the First Presbyterian church of Buchanan. Later his estimable wife came also, and on April first, last, began their work together among us.

We can but say that the outlook was anything but encouraging. A church heavily in debt; a year past without any additions in membership and a passive lukewarmness of the members were the conditions. But lo! what a marvelous change has been brought about by the untiring zeal, energy and devotion to his profession, of the Rev. C. E. Marvin of the Presbyterian church. A debt of over \$3000 has been subscribed for, and paid and we, "the church," who have struggled along with this burden for over eight years, take this opportunity of publicly expressing our appreciation of him who has been the instrument of God in this work. We also desire to extend to those not connected with other churches an invitation to come and encourage us and the pastor to a greater zeal by your presence, that, the work of the coming year may be but a rounding out of the passing one, and of future years more bright.

### An Enjoyable Reception.

The Monday Literary Club held their annual reception at the pleasant home of Mrs. H. D. Rough on Monday evening. About seventy were present and all thoroughly enjoyed the evening. The program was an excellent one and gave great pleasure to all. It comprised the following: Violin solo, Don C. Brillhart, accompanied by Miss Clara Hubbell; a vocal solo, by Mr. Will C. Porter, gave much enjoyment to those present; a harp solo, by Mrs. Lura Pears, with harp accompaniment by Mrs. Lura Pears, then followed and was greatly enjoyed; a brief talk on Mexico, by Miss Stella Winchester, added many items of great interest to those already learned during the study of the past few months. Miss Winchester is a prominent club woman of St. Joseph, and her coming was kept a secret by the committee until she was introduced when her number arrived on the program. A delightful duet by Mrs. C. F. Pears and Mrs. D. L. Boardman was next, followed by a solo by Mr. Porter. Mr. Brillhart's violin solo closed the program, after which dainty two-course refreshments were served. A general social time was enjoyed after the refreshments, and all took occasion to look over the interesting Mexican articles brought here by Miss Winchester, and to ask that pleasant lady numerous questions.

The committee in charge of the reception was Mrs. H. D. Rough, Mrs. C. D. Kent, Mrs. D. L. Phelps and Miss Maria Samson.

### Sues a Druggist for Damages.

Reed City, Mich., Jan. 21.—Thomas Heffernan, a druggist, of Baldwin, Lake county, and his bondsmen have been sued by Mrs. Amelia Cummings for \$10,000 damages. She claims that James Cummings, who was tried for the murder of his brother Percy last summer, had been in the habit of obtaining liquor at defendant's store, which caused him to neglect his family and led to the circumstances causing the death of his brother.

### Disinherited Daughter Contests.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 17.—In the circuit court here yesterday a contest was begun over the will of the late Lucetta R. Medbury, whereby she devised fully \$1,000,000 to her friend, Helen L. Coyne, and to the children of her deceased son, disinheriting her daughter, Esther A. Eason, in express terms, which stated that she had been provided for out of her father's estate. Mrs. Eason is the contestant.

### Backed by the Hammond Company.

Potoskey, Mich., Jan. 17.—A. B. Thompson, the Emmet street grocer and popular alderman, is being prosecuted by the state commission for selling colored oleomargarine. Thompson makes no denial of the facts, but bases his defense on the constitutionality of the enactment. It is said that the Hammond Packing company will back Thompson in his fight to prove the law invalid.

### OBITUARY

#### EDWARD DEMPSEY.

The funeral of Mr. Edward Dempsey, late of Elkhart, Indiana, was held at Bertrand town hall Wednesday morning at 11 o'clock, Rev. W. J. Douglass officiating. The deceased was about 40 years of age and was a son of the late Joseph Dempsey, formerly of this town.

#### CASS MORLEY.

Rev. Wm. M. Roe on Monday conducted the funeral of Cass Morley, aged 50 years. The deceased had been for the past few months an inmate of the county house at Berrien and had been suffering from dropsy and heart trouble, and died suddenly on Sunday morning. Interment was made at Bakertown.

#### AMOS SHEPARDSON

Died at his home in Sun Dance, Wyoming last Friday, after a brief illness, aged 80 years. The deceased was for many years a resident of Berrien county, being the father of Mrs. B. F. Needham. Mr. Shepardson removed to Wyoming about 18 years ago, since which time he has resided at Sun Dance.

#### MRS. A. L. NOBLE.

Postmaster G. W. Noble received a dispatch Wednesday morning announcing the death of his brother's wife, Mrs. A. L. Noble, of Ann Arbor. The deceased had been in poor health, and Tuesday underwent an operation to endeavor to improve her health, but heart trouble resulted and she never recovered from the effects of the operation. She was 55 years of age.

### UNANIMOUS FOR PANAMA

Isthmian Canal Commission So Reports to the President.

Washington, Jan. 21.—The president yesterday sent to congress with a message simply of transmittal the supplemental report of the isthmian canal commission, in which it is unanimously recommended that the offer of the new Panama Canal company to sell all of its rights, property and unfinished work to the United States for \$40,000,000 be accepted. The senate ordered the report printed in the Congressional Record and also as a document.

The report concludes as follows: "After considering the changed conditions that now exist and all the facts and circumstances upon which its present judgment must be based the commission is of the opinion that the most practicable and feasible route for an isthmian canal, to be under the control, management and ownership of the United States is that known as the Panama route."

### TELEGRAPH SYSTEM TO GO

Illinois System to Equip Its Lines with the Telephone.

Chicago, Jan. 20.—The Record-Herald says: The Illinois Central railroad will within the course of a short while have all the principal stations along its line completely equipped with telephone wires for the use of officials and employees in transmitting orders and messages of the company. Those who have experimented with the system claim for it many great advantages over the old telegraph system. The installation of the system will cost about \$100 per mile, or approximately \$540,000 to equip the entire road, including its main branches and the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley road. Chicago will probably be the starting place. Almost simultaneously, however, work will be commenced at New Orleans and St. Louis.

### Exercised Over Pearson's Views.

Indianapolis, Jan. 21.—Methodist circles here are greatly agitated over the utterances of Professor Charles W. Pearson, of Northwestern University. Presiding Elder Rawles, of this district, said: "He has been guilty of an unmerited, unjustified and ridiculous assault on the Methodist church. When he assaults the scriptural stories of the works of the Lord Jesus \* \* \* he would evince a large measure of honesty by withdrawing not only from his position as a teacher in a Methodist school, but from the church whose great history of good works he has traduced."

### Feenlar Accident at Detroit.

Detroit, Jan. 21.—Without apparent reason, four buildings, each four stories high, collapsed at 8:30 o'clock in the evening and in a few minutes there was nothing but a smoldering mass of ruins to mark their site. The loss is more than \$200,000, but by a lucky chance there was no one near by and no casualties resulted. There are rumors that an explosion took place just before the collapse, but they cannot be verified. The ruins took fire after the crash.

### Seven Perish in a Hotel Fire.

Davis, W. Va., Jan. 21.—The hotel at the Hamilton lumber camp near here burned and at least seven lives were lost. The cause of the fire is not known, but it is thought there was some sort of an explosion, as the large frame structure was suddenly enveloped in flames. All means of escape were quickly cut off. Many narrowly escaped with their lives and some were injured. Seven dead bodies have been recovered.

### Brigands Accept the Ransom.

Constantinople, Jan. 21.—United States minister Leishman says the brigands who abducted Miss Ellen M. Stone and Mme. Tsilka on Sept. 8 have agreed to accept the amount of ransom raised by subscription. The place of payment is now the only question unsettled.

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### Big Haul for Robbers.

Glendive, Mont., Jan. 20.—Robbers secured between \$10,000 and \$20,000 worth of unset and set diamonds yesterday by stealing two trunks from the baggage room of the Northern Pacific station and breaking them open. The gems were the property of S. H. Clausen & Co., jewelers, Minneapolis.

### Child Hanged by a Servant.

Cincinnati, Jan. 21.—Annie Lage, a servant girl, murdered the 5-year-old son of William H. Whitaker by hanging and then attempted to commit suicide by asphyxiation. It is probable that she will die without regaining consciousness.

### Don Carlos at Nice.

Nice, France, Jan. 21.—Don Carlos, the Spanish pretender, by special permission of the French government has arrived here on a visit to his son, Don Jaime, who is recovering from an attack of diphtheria.

### Governor Murphy Inaugurated.

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 21.—The inauguration of Hon. Franklin Murphy as governor of New Jersey took place at Taylor's opera house at noon, in the presence of an audience which filled the building.

### Gallant Ninth Is Coming Home.

Washington, Jan. 18.—Orders have been prepared at the war department for the return to the United States of the Ninth Infantry, which played such a gallant part in the siege of Peking and has seen so much fighting in the Philippines.

### Burglar Not Coming.

The Woodmen Forester Team have just received word, canceling the date of the Burglarer entertainment which was to have been held next Saturday at Rough's opera house.

An illustrated health talk to ladies will be given in the Christian church Friday, Jan. 24, at 2 p. m., by Mrs. E. J. Haskin. Subject, "Some Plain Facts." No admission charged.

Regular meeting of L. O. T. M. Tuesday evening, and installation of officers. Guards and Banner Bearers meet to practice Monday night.

R. K.

Remember the lecture on China by Dr. Dr. McIlrath, Feb. 12. This is an opportunity to learn something of most interesting country from a noted writer and speaker who has had the advantage of several years personal observation. He illustrates his lecture through with views and moving pictures and will give it in the Evangelical church.

Letters remaining unclaimed in the P. O. at Buchanan for the week ending Jan. 21 1903: Miss Mathelia Gray. G. W. NOBLE, P. M.

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### LOCAL NOTES

Mr. W. P. Wood is confined to his home by an attack of pneumonia.

Dr. M. M. Knight is suffering with a very bad hand, which he is fearful is caused by blood poisoning.

The Auf Weidersehen Dancing club will hold their fifth dance on Wednesday evening, Jan. 29, 1002.

Rev. J. R. Niergarth will begin a series of meetings next Monday evening at the Wagner school house, four miles west of town.

A large number of Buchanan citizens took advantage of the excursion to Benton Harbor over the M. B. H. & C. Ry. on Wednesday.

The residence of D. D. Baxter at New Buffalo was destroyed by fire Tuesday. Loss \$900 insured in Cass Co. Mutual for \$600. Cause unknown.

A jolly crowd of about forty Modern Woodmen and their ladies enjoyed an oyster supper Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Broceus.

B. R. Desenberg & Bro. are advertising their last week of their Clearing Sale and are offering some great bargains for the week. Read all about it and take advantage.

About forty members of Perrott Post G. A. R. and Ladies Circle met Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Couse and enjoyed a fine supper and passed a delightful evening.

A big crowd of the members of the A. O. U. W. and their friends enjoyed an oyster supper last Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Shetterly. It is needless to state that every one had a good time.

A sleigh load of fourteen young people gave Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blodgett a pleasant surprise Tuesday evening. The evening was spent in playing games. A fine oyster supper was served and all report a good time.

A large delegation of the members of Sylvia Chapter No. 74, O. E. S., went to St. Joseph Wednesday evening to visit America Chapter No. 234, and enjoyed a banquet at the conclusion of the session of the chapter.

Last week Wednesday was the 80th birthday of Mrs. Mary Wagner, and a number of her friends met at the home of her sister, Mrs. E. J. Roe, on that afternoon and helped her celebrate the day, all having a most enjoyable afternoon.

The 30 club met Wednesday with Mrs. Bessie Lyon. History lesson, conducted by Mrs. Jennie Wood; paper, by Miss Georgia Wilcox; music, Miss Beatrice Mansfield; mythology, Mrs. May Roe. The next meeting will be with Miss Lottie Searls.

Mr. Alonzo F. Howe has just received by express from Mr. R. E. Jennings of Paw Paw, Van Buren Co., a fine registered Jersey bull which is said to be a fine animal by those who are posted on such matters. Mr. Howe is well pleased over his investment.

The Colonial Dames and their gentleman friends were delightfully entertained Tuesday evening by Mrs. John Graham and Mrs. Carrie Crotser at the home of Mrs. Graham. Dainty refreshments were served at the conclusion of the games played.

The special election held Monday in Bertrand township for the purpose of voting on the question of bonding for bridge purposes, was overwhelmingly in favor of the proposition. A total of 55 votes were cast, of which but four were against the proposition.

Attorney A. A. Worthington received a telegram Tuesday evening informing him of the death of his only sister, the wife of Judge Smith of Ionia, Mich. The news came as a great shock as Mr. Worthington had not heard of her illness. He expected to leave for Ionia Wednesday.

Last Friday was Mrs. A. A. Worthington's birthday and the members of the Spook Club made it memorable by treating her to a surprise party and overwhelming her with gifts of solid teaspoons and other articles of beauty and utility. All had a royal good time and are anxiously waiting for the next.

The Monday Literary Club meets next week with Mrs. M. Hern.

Prof. R. J. Blake's Dog and Monkey show gave an exhibition at Berrien Springs Wednesday evening to a packed house.

The Maccabees will have an oyster supper Friday evening at the home of Ben Shetterly, and everybody is invited to be on hand, for a good time is assured.

The O. W. L. S. and their gentleman friends enjoyed a sleighride and coast out to the residence of Mr. Ephraim Thomas last Friday evening. A very pleasant time was had.

Prof. R. J. Blake took his dog, pony and monkey show over to Galien last Wednesday and gave a great exhibition to a house packed full to overflowing by the residents of that town and vicinity.

The RECORD was pleased to receive a visit Saturday from Mr. R. M. Moore of Chicago, who is the skillful stereopticon operator who was here with Mr. E. K. Warren on the occasion of his lecture on Palestine.

The creamery at this place is meeting with a success far beyond the anticipations of its fondest enthusiast. Monday morning nearly 3,000 pounds of milk were received, and last week the officers reported that it was more than paying expenses.

Miss Gertrude Mae White, a former resident of Buchanan, and a step-daughter of the late Dr. F. H. Berwick, has had the great fortune to find her father, who she believed was dead. He is living in Caddo, Indian Territory, and his daughter has recently gone there to make his home happy.

Messrs. H. A. Hathaway, D. L. Boardman and Dr. O. Curtis returned from their trip to the Grand Encampment, Wyoming, and are enthusiastic over their trip. The town is 55 miles up in the mountains from the railroad, and the travelers report some very exciting experiences on their trip.

Mrs. Mary Evans who resides on Dewey Ave., had a serious fall last Friday evening, which inflicted painful injuries. She had stepped to the door to throw out a pail of water when she slipped and fell. It is thought that she has either broken her leg just above the ankle or severed the ligaments of the foot, the swelling being so serious that it is difficult to tell at this writing.

Mrs. Lilah Elder, of Lansing, died last Wednesday at the home of her daughter, in Dowagiac. The deceased lady was well known to many of our citizens by reason of her residence here a few years ago with her daughter, Mrs. W. C. Edwards, during Mr. and Mrs. Edwards' stay in Buchanan. Her many friends sympathize with Mrs. Edwards in the great loss she has sustained.

The question of centralized rural school will be fully discussed at a meeting of voters, tax-payers and residents of Bertrand township, to be held next week Thursday, Jan. 30; as the matter will be of much interest to all concerned, and we publish for the benefit of our readers a circular issued by School Commissioner C. D. Jennings. This plan has been tried with marked success in Ohio, Illinois and many other states.

Buchanan Division No. 5, Order of the Patricians, held their installation of officers Wednesday evening. A large number were in attendance and the team from Court No. 81, of Benton Harbor, were present and exemplified the work in excellent shape. The officers elect, as published in a former issue of the RECORD, were duly installed. The membership now reaches 85, and the Patricians have recently beautified their lodge rooms with new paper, carpets, and put in electric lights.

A large delegation of our citizens attended the dance at Dowagiac Tuesday evening. Among those who were Mr. and Mrs. Sig Desenberg, Mr. and Mrs. A. Richards, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Marble, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hosford, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steiner, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roe, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Pears, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Brodrick, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Porter, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Smith, Misses Minnie Shafer, Winifred Noble, Zula Redden, Susie Butler, Beryl Wynn, Lillie Sparks, Vera Glidden, Dr. C. B. Roe, Dr. J. Filmar, Dr. O. Curtis, Messrs. Matthew Beistle, Lloyd Butts, Glenn Baker and J. C. Rough. All reported a very nice time.

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The P. & H. society will meet Thursday with Mrs. E. A. Baird.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hanley entertained about forty neighbors and friends at their home, last week in honor of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Newbery of St. Louis, Mo., who have been visiting their parents here for some weeks. An enjoyable evening was passed.

The debate at the Dayton school house last Saturday evening was voted a success. This question "Resolved that the Republican Party should bear the commendation and admiration of the American people," was decided in favor of Mr. C. B. Rozell, the negative, but later it was found that the chairman had made an error in giving out the decision and it was awarded to Mr. Ed. Wansburg and Robt. C. Schreiber the affirmative.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 20.—The supreme court, although adjourned until Jan. 28, Saturday granted a writ of habeas corpus, returnable today, in the case of Charles H. Pratt, found guilty of contempt of court by Judge Wiest at Mason Wednesday and sentenced to thirty days' imprisonment. Pratt was indicted and convicted two months ago of an attempt to bribe ex-Speaker Adams, of the Michigan legislature. He gave bail and appealed his case to the supreme court, afterward removing to Chicago. He was required to be present this week to renew his bail, and while in the state was subpoenaed to give evidence for the people in the prosecution of Adams, who was on trial.

Pratt claimed that he could not be subpoenaed while here in compliance with the order of the court, and when placed on the stand refused to testify on the ground that it would tend to criminate him. The judge said that Pratt was not in a situation to claim his constitutional privilege, and ordered him to testify, and after he had repeatedly refused committed him for contempt. The case has attracted widespread attention, as without Pratt's testimony it is admitted that Adams cannot be convicted.

Wants a Primary Election Law. Lansing, Mich., Jan. 20.—George B. Horton, master of the State Grange, sincerely indorses the agitation for the enactment of a primary election law to abolish conventions. He does not, however, believe the matter warrants the calling of the legislature in extraordinary session. "The people," he said, "would not support a call for an extra session, on account of the expense. Moreover, it being such an important subject and somewhat new, the people ought to have time to consider it. Then the legislature would act more deliberately and understandingly and would be more apt to enact a good law."

He Illustrates His Point. Horton sees in the many improvements that belong to this age the need of stricter regulations of some of the factors of progress. To illustrate his point he cited the fact that now a township board may give electric railways valuable franchises, and he believes that the rights of the people along whose highways the cars run should be more carefully conserved. The subject of good roads is one that Horton feels demands prompt attention.

Negro Population Decreasing. Lansing, Mich., Jan. 20.—Rev. G. R. Collins, pastor of the African M. E. church, says that the colored population in this city is gradually decreasing. He has completed a census and finds the total 300, whereas a few years ago when he came here, the colored folk numbered 500.

Verdict in a Case Involving a Fire Policy Worth \$87,000.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 17.—The circuit court jury Wednesday rendered a verdict giving N. and M. Friedman judgment for the full amount of a policy held in Atlas Assurance company, with interest. The Friedmans had a dry goods store in the Luce block. The block collapsed last summer, and after the collapse fire completed the ruin. Insurance companies refused to pay on the ground that the fire started after, and was the result of the collapse, instead of the collapse being caused by fire.

The court ruled that the burden of proof as to when the fire started rested on the company, and the jury rendered a verdict for the Friedmans. A

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stay of proceedings was granted and the case may be taken to the supreme court. Several similar suits against other companies which refused to pay are pending. The total loss in the fire was \$97,000, with insurance of about \$87,000.

Violates Michigan Laws. St. Joseph, Mich., Jan. 21.—Judge Coolidge, in the circuit court, rendered a decision against the League of Eligibles and in favor of Attorney General Owen, in which the scheme of the league is declared a lottery and violation of Michigan laws. This organization commenced business in Indiana in August, 1892, and has been known as the "League of Eligibles" and the "League of Educators." It is run by three persons in Chicago, who promised certain amounts of money to members of the association when they were married.

He Knew What Hit Him. Detroit, Jan. 18.—After remaining in an unconscious condition for seventy-two hours James Fahey opened his eyes in Emergency hospital and asked for a glass of water. A daughter of the old man was at his bedside and he recognized her at once. He talked quite rationally and remembered being hit by a street car. He complained of a pain in his chest, about the lungs. His recovery is now expected.

Albion's Unknown Benefactor. Albion, Mich., Jan. 17.—President Dickie yesterday announced the gift of \$10,000 to Albion college, but the name of the donor is not given. On Tuesday Dickie received a letter from a gentleman saying that he would pass through Albion on Wednesday, and asking Dickie to meet him at the train. At the train Dr. Dickie was handed an envelope with the request not to open it until he reached his office. More is expected.

Proposed Change of Asylum Location. Pontiac, Mich., Jan. 21.—At the meeting of the asylum trustees Trustee Prall, of Saginaw, introduced a resolution asking that a committee be appointed to investigate as to whether it will be better to make additions to the present asylums or build a new one somewhere in the state. If built, it may be built at Saginaw.

Murderer Confesses His Crime. Houghton, Mich., Jan. 18.—Charles Johnson, held in the county jail here since Sunday upon suspicion, broke down last night and made a complete confession of the murder of Mat Smette on the night of Jan. 7 on Quincy Hill, detailing the manner in which he waylaid his victim, shot him twice through the head, and after rifling the body threw it down the railroad embankment. After murdering his victim in cold blood he robbed the body of \$30.08.

Knocked Down Seven Times. Chicago, Jan. 21.—The fight between Benny Yanger, of Chicago, and "Kid" Herrick, of Rochester, N. Y., at the America Athletic club last night, was stopped by Referee Hogan in the third round, who gave the decision to Yanger. Herrick had been knocked down seven times, taking the full count each time.

## COUNTY SEAT NEWS

CIRCUIT COURT

O'Hara & O'Hara were granted forty days extension of time in which to file and settle a bill of exceptions in the case of Lucy Stickley vs. Sodus township.

The case the People vs. Phillip D. Collins, charged with assault and battery, has been settled by Mr. Collins pleading guilty. The assault was upon Jimmy Miller.

The case of Sylvester Parks vs. W. E. Versaw has been appealed to the Circuit court. The suit grows out of a dispute involving notes of \$145. Weldon Bros. are the plaintiff's attorneys and Hammond & Hammond represent the defendants.

A. B. Hojak was arrested at Buchanan Friday and brought to the county jail for jumping a board bill and obtaining credit under false pretenses last year.

The Big Meadow drain matter will come up before Judge Ellsworth on February 11 at 10 o'clock when a hearing will be had to condemn property along the proposed route of the drain. The drain will be for the purpose of carrying off surface water on what is known as the big meadow in Oronoko township and will cross a part of Lake township.

Register of dead H. A. Rackliffe has begun the work of re-copying the county plat book No. 1, that consists of twenty-two plats.

Phillip Collins, who pleaded guilty to the charge of assault and battery on James Miller Jr. in Benton Harbor, was sentenced by Judge Coolidge to pay a fine of \$15 and costs.

Mr. A. B. Hojack who was arrested in Buchanan charged with jumping a board bill, was discharged as Prosecuting Attorney Riford thought the evidence insufficient to convict him.

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Received from appropriatibns	101625 30
Primary schools	33530 40
Liquor tax	30135 63
Loans	20000 00
Rent—Dix & Wilkinson	240 00
Delinquent tax call, Co. Treasurer	13581 88
Received, T. A. Walker	6 74
Received tax sales	846 20
Received, State Treasurer	1998 05
Tax redemptions	181 04
Costs	40 45
Jury fees	57 05
Entry Fees	180 00
Teachers institute fees	294 87
Deer licenses	54 40
Farm produce	438 46
Inheritance tax	97 38
Estate Henry Smith	683 49
Spragne and Rocky drain	16 25
Chikaming towuship	23 89
Gallen township	9 46
Fines	510 43
	218271 70

DISBURSEMENTS

Paid State Treasurer	48558 08
General expense	32149 39
Building fund	783 74
Jury fund	6656 39
Poor fund	5625 09
Asylum fund	1314 13
Soldiers relief	1870 50
Stenographer	1500 00
Officers salaries	7698 60
Bills payable	1500 00
Paid (10) couny bonds	10000 00
Fish and game	45 50
Inheritance tax	97 38
Estate of Henry Smith	491 65
Teachers institute	413 65
Survey	65 97
Bainbridge township	1409 75
Benton township	2938 90
Benton Harbor city	12301 88
Berrien township	1009 57
Bertrand township	822 27
Buchanan township	1809 39
Chikaming township	1099 77
Gallen township	1186 82
Hagar township	770 08
Lake township	2896 17
Lincoln township	1870 70
New Buffalo township	890 61
Niles township	982 42
Niles city	7039 79
Oronoko township	1269 14
Pipestone township	1157 82
Royalton township	1100 36
Sodus township	1242 67
St. Joseph township	621 53
St. Joseph city	10314 55
Three Oaks township	1493 29
Watervliet township	2307 83
Weesaw township	963 15
Berrien Springs village	268 09
Buchanan village	760 08
Eau Claire village	263 23
New Buffalo village	680 62
Watervliet village	500 46
Coloma village	495 00
Gallen village	247 50
Stevensville village	237 93

DRAIN ORDERS PAID

Hickory Creek	3928 19
Mud lake	20 00
Franz and Norton	71 58
Rathburn and Morley	148 34
Hathaway, Helmick and Emlong	864 24
Town Corners	330 75
Keeler Creek	252 40
Johns	205 61
Emlong	3 00
Buckhorn	140 50
Hickory Creek ext.	3605 00
Abraham	1572 26
Wolfr Ceek	64 10
Kerstetter	11 10
Hall and Potter	6 30
Aumack	498 09
Thomson	390 02
Dye Brothers	82 07
Dixon and Dye	267 26
Crooked Brook ext.	52 73
Zech	336 08
Hollis	48 61
Round swamp	346 90
South Branch Gray run	32 80
Berrien Center	75 48
Troy meadow	104 55
Purdue, McDonald and Clark	219 45
Wolf Creek ext.	87 38
Evans drain	2 32
Miller drain	62
Wagner Lake No. 9	634 75
Potter	61 37
Smith	1 50
Nowlen	3 40
Bodtke	11 25
Critchett, Allen and Huston	19 64
Bain	3 00
Sparling Gonder	50 00
Huyck	4 75
Yon and Stoffer	68 51
Lee and Hoppy	65 41
Bakertown	4 00
Moss Lake	3 75
Pipestone	4 75
Eau Claire village	12 00
Halliday ext.	32 65
Clark Duart	17 39
Gallen River	60 00
Winter	4 50
Sprague and Rockey	25 09
Shields	6 75
Dec. 31, 1901 cash on hand	10188 12
	218271 70

The balances remaining in the several funds December 31, 1901. are as follows:

Bill payable	30000 00
Soldiers relief	571 04
Poor fund	925 41
Officers salary	45 32
Asylum find	1785 69
Library	439 10
Teachers institute	114 87
Fish and Game	77 25
Survey	5 64
Bainbridge township	16 38
Benton township	25 19
Benton Harbor	935 10
Buchanan Township	13 97
Chikaming	9 08
Hagar	5 52
Lake	21 69
Lincoln	9 41
Niles	93 44
Niles city	199 28
Oronoko township	5 28
Pipestone township	16 08
St. Joseph township	69 44
St. Joseph city	248 59
Watervliet township	11 12
Weesaw township	3 24
Berrien Springs village	10 63
Buchanan village	19 00
Coloma village	2 53
Eau Claire village	4 04
New Buffalo village	1 03
Stevensville village	5 05
Three Oaks village	2 95
Interest Co. tax 1882	10 23
Interest Co. tax 1883	7 11
Interest Co. tax 1884	11 58
Intereit Co. tax 1885	14 86
Interest Co, tax 1886	27 00
County tax 1887	4 50
Interest tax 1887	55 31
Interest tax 1888	63 54
Interest tax 1889	62 08
County tax 1890	9 79
Interest tax 1890	126 94
Interest tax 1891	40 83
Interest County tax 1892	96 42
Interest County tax 1893	356 89
County tax 1894	33 76
Interest tax 1894	330 08
County tax 1895	35 69
Interest tax 1895	604 09
County tax 1896	56 41
Interest tax 1896	740 95
Interest tax 1897	678 81
Interest tax 1898	580 74
Interest tax 1899	351 79
Interest tax 1900	27 49

DRAINS

Anderson and Bays	10 00
Antisdale	2 63
Bakertown	13
Bain	81
Becker	144 28
Bedortha	09
Beeson Murdoch	17 86
Bertrand ext. No. 1	148 88
Bodtke	9 75
Brown	02
Boughton	2 00
Buckhorn and Outlet	17 53
North Branch Clark and Swank	2 57
Chamberlin	9 72
Chauney and Martin	9 89
Clark	7 80
Close	597 50
County Farm	02
Crooked Brook	1 62
Crooked Brook ext.	6 15
Crooked Lateral No. 1	1 30
Curtis	79
Clymes	2 90
Clark and Duart	3 96
Dalrymple	2 00
Davis	9 20
Devoe	02
Dixon and Dye	8 02
Dunning	16 79
Dye Brothers	17 93
Defield	18 44
Ewald Fogel	1 00
No. 11	05
Ernsburger and Smith	2 40
No. 8	50
No. 4	4 50
Evans	6 28
Ferry and Carpenter	3 23
Featherbone Ave.	14 06
Haskins No. 15	2 69
Town Corners	7 29
Fish and Stanley	38
Gallen River	22
Gallen village	16 15
Garfield Ave.	03
Gray Run and G. R. ext.	21 91
Graham	5 73
Hauser	77 79
Halliday ext.	29 63
Haller	77
Hendrick Witzel	2 22
Hess	22 47
Hill	28 50
Howard Jink	65
Horine Tonyson and Jerue	2 12
Hollis	38 84
Howser	3 97
Huyek	02
Huston	6 02
Hyatt	01
Hancock and Eastman	15 63
Hall and Potter	3 49
J. S. Ingles	38
Jennings	8 28
Johnson	6 03
Johns	27 86
Judy Lake No. 5	2 21
Kammerer	18 27
Kerstetter	34 26
Kelsey	8 39
Kitron	1 48
Kill	38
Lewis	2 15
Lintner, Allen, Renbarger	33 86
Little Hickory	2 95
Little Paw Paw	90
Long Swamp	4 80
Locust Street	16 25
Lee and Hoppy	2 45
Mayer	2 96
Main Drain Madron Lake No. 4	5 52
Meilke Fred	59 58
Moss Lake	28 12

Moore Klasner and Hess	23 77
Morgan	3 66
Morris	4 63
Mud Lake (Watervliet)	6 09
Mud Lake (Pipestone)	14 90
Mud Hollow No. 14	2 28
Mutehler and Sabin	28 78
Miller	9 28
Namitz	12 86
Neidlinger	1 86
Drain No. 9	1 09
North Branch Blue Jay	02
Norris Lake	3 75
North Branch Madron No. 4	10
Omweg	3 69
Osborn	65
Parker	11 76
Pratt William	1 68
Penwell	1 87
Pearl and Godfrey	5 02
Peterson	8 52
Pipestone	261 06
Prinkert, Murdoch and Swem	09
Pipestone Lake	288 15
Phillips and Crook	1 50
Poats	5 39
Pettys and Robinson	11 98
Rathborn and Morley	5 85
Round Swamp	12 51
Rugg Lake	1 00
Russett	2 83
Starr and Wellington	1 29
Sparkling and Gonder	4 19
Seimon	4 09
Drain No. 7	1 75
Drain No. 17	2 20
Spencer	7 12
Shields	4 93
No. 16	05
Sill	2 20
Smith	3 31
Smith Peter	46
Smith Metzgar	2 15
South Branch Blue Jay	8 94
Storm	9 05
Socrites	6 32
Storms Connell	1 72
Stover	2 85
South Branch Madron Lake No. 4	79
South Branch Gray Run	23 81
Schuler Damroc	18
Summers and Mershon	13 50
Sunday	3 54
Keeler Creek	3 41
Tannes	6 00
No. 11	53
No. 12	10
Thornton Valley	39 79
Troy Meadow	4 77
Tompkins	51
Wagner No. 9	30 18
Frank and Borton	9 24
Wall	2 41
Westfall Domsese	66
Westfall Huston	95
Webber	4 19
Winter	1 72
Wolf Artiss Hirmeit	3 48
Wilson and Marble	4 09
Wolf Creek	1 03
Wolf Creek ext.	22 62
Yon and Stoffer	8 09
Hickory Creek ext.	27 32
Gaul and Nash	6 00
Eau Claire	28 20
Eau Claire village	3 08
Landon	20 00
Hickory Creek	366 31
Aumack	1 91
Berrien Center	9 52
Zech	13 92
Thomson	49 95
	\$33116 46

OVERDRAFTS

The following accounts of the County were over-drawn on the 31st day of December 1901.

State account	3177 48
General expense	8358 29
Jury fund	8980 39
Building fund	64 97
Stenographer salary	379 07
New Buffalo township	71
Sodus township	147 59
Three Oaks	5 14
County tax 1882	88 72
County tax 1883	25 33
County tax 1884	36 96
County tax 1885	54 79
County tax 1886	77 85
County tax 1888	22 73
County tax 1889	13 87
County tax 1891	13 81
County tax 1892	4 35
County tax 1893	11 17
County tax 1897	114 17
County tax 1898	146 73
County tax 1899	357 42
County tax 1900	466 67

DRAIN FUNDS OVERDRAWN

Berrien Springs, Oronoko	1 66
Big Meadow	13 99
Cuthbert Innhoff	4 40
Durdorf	36
Fetke	19 96
Gardner	54 90
Green	98
Hathaway, Helmick, Emlong	9 54
King ext.	2 57
Pardu, McDonald and Clark	73
Potter	1 37
Richardson	58 34
Sober	36
Williamson	102 08
Abraham	8 89
	22928 34
December 31, 1901, Cash on hand	10188 22
	\$33116 46

St. Joseph, Michigan, January 9, 1902.

H. D. POOL  
J. M. BABCOCK  
CARL J. SCHULTZ  
Committee

Upon motion of Mr. Smith the report was accepted and adopted. The following report was submitted:

Your Committee to settle with the County Clerk, would report that they have performed that duty and find that the collections and payments made by said Clerk to be as follows:

Entry fees collected by County Clerk	104. Entrees \$2 each	208 00
Receipts from Counto Treasurer for fees paid into treasury		208 00

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# Board of Supervisors

Berrien County, Michigan

Official Proceedings

## JANUARY SESSION, 1902

Jury fees collected, 19 cases \$3 each	57 00
Receipts from County Treasurer for such fees paid into treasury	57 00
Hunters licenses issued 103. Fees collected for same	54 00
Receipts from County Treasurer to balance	54 00
Fines collected and costs	94 00
Receipts from Treasurer	94 00

Your Committee finds that 23 entries were made for which no entry fee was paid also in the Circuit Court Journal five cases in which no jury fee was paid and would respectfully recommend that the County Clerk be instructed not to make entries unless the proper fees are paid in time and manners provided by law and to enforce the law in the matter of collection of jury fees.

H. D. POOL  
J. M. BABCOCK  
CARL J. SCHULTZ } Committee

Upon motion of Mr. Lawrence the report was accepted and adopted.

The following report was submitted:

### REPORT OF JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of John B. Read and 33 others, claiming to be tax payers of Watervliet village, praying that a part of said village known as the "Lewis addition" be placed without the corporate limits of said village, have had the same under careful consideration and find that in our opinion this Board has no authority to grant such petition as the petitioners have not complied with the statutes providing for such change, and we hereby recommend that said petition be not granted.

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

Upon motion of Mr. Babcock the report of Committee was adopted.

A communication from the Secretary of State was read, which communication was relative to the annual report of the Sheriff, and also as to the advisability of providing a matron for the county jail.

Mr. Potter moved that the communication be accepted and placed on file.

Mr. Babcock offered the following amendment:

That the communication from the Secretary of State be referred to the Committee on County Buildings; which amendment was declared carried.

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

The following claims were audited and allowed:

NO.	CLAIMANT	NATURE OF CLAIM	CLAIMED	ALLOWED
1	Geo. W. Boon	deputy	3 00	3 00
59	Metropolitan Hotel	meals	1 50	1 50
61	C. E. White	justice	9 05	9 05
33	Chester Badger	poor com	14 04	14 04
32	Chas Miller	poor com	18 48	18 48
26	J. C. St. Clair	justice	59 20	59 20
28	S. B. Kimball	justice	42 75	42 75
40	R. C. Sinsabaugh	constable	1 75	1 75
81	Dennis O'Brien	police	6 54	6 54
33	Charles Johnson	police	2 80	2 80
44	Dwight Warren	justice	85	85
7	John Detemple	dep sheriff	36 47	36 47
46	John McFallon	dep sheriff	15 00	16 10
84	Irving R. Pearl	dep sheriff	9 90	9 90
30	W. H. Hollis	justice	82 40	82 40
6	Eljen Clark	justice	4 55	4 55
41	W. H. Hollis	justice	4 15	4 15
62	George Francis	marshal	7 20	7 20
57	W. E. Wansbrough	dep sheriff	20 80	20 80
63	Theo G. Beaver	justice	9 00	9 00
45	Frank M. Breece	dep sheriff	3 00	3 00
91	Charles Johnson	police	7 22	7 22
92	Dennis O'Brien	police	4 70	4 70
89	J. L. Bishop	supt poor	14 64	14 64
7	A. N. Woodruff	justice	18 72	18 72

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

A. L. CHURCH  
Clerk

JOHN SEEL  
Chairman

### FORENOON SESSION

FRIDAY, JANUARY 10TH, 1902.

The day and hour of adjournment having arrived the Board was called to order by the Chairman.

Upon the roll being called 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, Ryneerson, Baker and Norris.

Minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

The following claims were audited and allowed:

NO.	CLAIMANT	NATURE OF CLAIM	CLAIMED	ALLOWED
56	Peter Jacobson	quarantine	65	65
79	E. S. Curran	supplies	1 05	1 05
69	D. N. Barrett M. D.	medical	3 00	3 00
22	S.&F.R.Belknap	medical	3 00	3 00
24	G. H. Knaak	drugs	4 55	4 55
11	Lawyers Co-operative Co.	books	7 00	7 00
64	A. B. Morse Co.	printing	89 49	89 49
34	W. C. Bastar, M. D.	medical	4 50	4 50
	A. B. & E. Allen	supplies	7 88	7 88
16	The Citator	subscription	2 00	2 00
13	Doubleday Bros. & Co.	office supplies	12 25	12 25
9	H. R. Pattengill	examination	3 00	3 00
12	Detroit Legal News Co.	books	6 00	6 00
14	Remington T. W. Co.	supplies	8 00	8 00
10	Ihling Bros. & Everard	supplies	62 09	62 09
80	F. A. Woodruff	postage	4 00	4 00
53	Enders & Young	quarantine	3 65	3 65
55	W. F. Loshbough	janitor	2 50	2 50
52	P. H. Fisher M. D.	medical	40 50	40 50
35	Ricaby & Smith	printing	16 00	16 00
78	L. Hemmingway	burial soldier	40 00	40 00
43	Hone Brothers	plumbing, etc.	25 53	25 53
83	Frank A. Higbee	medical	16 00	16 00
90	G. A. Blakeslee & Co.	supplies	1 46	1 46
42	L. J. Merchant	printing, binding	67 00	67 00
72	E. S. Curran	drugs etc.	3 05	3 05
15	Herring & Herring	office supplies	33 92	33 92
70	G. M. Bell M. D.	medical	5 00	5 00
8	Harry Stone	repairs clock	1 50	1 50
66	J. N. Reed	printing	19 00	19 00
59	Uriah Wood	wood quarantine	1 50	1 50
97	C. A. White	printing	5 50	5 50
98	H. V. Tutton M. D.	services	10 00	7 00
96	Paul R. Howard	medical	3 00	3 00
37	Evening Press	printing	73 50	73 50
95	Moon Furniture Co.	furniture	22 00	22 00
18	Richmond & Backus	supplies	10 90	10 90
19	E. D. Collins & Co.	supplies	19 95	19 95
97	Evening Press	printing	2 50	2 50
5	W. L. Garrett M. D.	medical	10 00	10 00
4	C. N. Sowers M. D.	medical	5 00	5 00
39	I. W. Riford	expense	36 84	36 84

29	B. H. & St. J. Gas Co.	gas for jail	31 90	31 90
49	Myrick & Son	supplies	1 50	1 50
35	Charles Miller	supplies	13 00	13 00
51	VanWormer & Son	quarantine	1 48	1 48

The following report was submitted:

To the Board of Supervisors of Berrien County:

GENTLEMEN:

Your Committee on settlement with the County Treasurer would submit the following supplementary report in the matter of drain orders to Hickory Creek and Hickory Creek extension drains, in favor of J. E. Burbank

Paid out of the general expense fund of the County, being in total \$1006 48

The general expense fund has been reimbursed as follows:

By orders drawn on above named drains		
October 2, 1900	229 23	
January 11, 1901	386 25	
January 11, 1901	346 00	
		961 48

Leaving balance due the general expense fund \$ 45 00

H. D. POOL  
J. M. BABCOCK  
CARL J. SCHULTZ } Committee

Upon motion of Mr. Smith the report was accepted and adopted.

The following report was submitted:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Berrien County:

Your Committee to whom was referred the petition of W. H. Patterson, relative to the construction of two bridges over the Paw Paw river, within the limits of this County for street railway purposes, respectfully report:

WHEREAS, W. H. Patterson has petitioned the Board of Supervisors of the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, for permission and authority to own, construct and maintain two bridges over and across the Paw Paw river, so called, within the limits of said County.

AND WHEREAS, The said petitioner proposes to use said bridges for carrying over and across said river the track of a line of street railway and the operation of cars thereon.

BE IT RESOLVED, By the Board of Supervisors aforesaid that authority, permission and license are hereby granted said petitioner, his successors, and assigns to own, construct and maintain without expense to the County of Berrien two bridges for the purpose heretofore mentioned, including the necessary approaches, abutments and piers.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That said bridges, approaches and piers shall be constructed in a safe, substantial and work man like manner under the direction and subject to the approval of the Committee on Roads and Bridges of said Board.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, By said Board that one of said bridges shall be located along side of the existing approaches, abutments and piers of the present highway bridge over the Paw Paw river, within the township of Watervliet and north of the village of Watervliet; and the other bridge shall be located across the Paw Paw river within the township of Watervliet and north and east of the village of Coloma.

PROVIDED, That all bridges constructed by authority of this resolution shall be constructed at about the same height as the highway bridges now existing at the points named in the foregoing resolution.

ALSO FURTHER PROVIDED, That said bridges shall be constructed before January first 1903, otherwise this franchise shall be null and void.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this resolution shall take effect upon the acceptance of its terms in writing by said petitioner within ten days after its passage

AND IT IS FURTHER PROVIDED, That if, in the future, the United States government shall demand that draw or swing bridges shall be constructed across the Paw Paw river at the points granted said petitioner, then said petitioner his successors or assigns shall construct swing or draw bridges at their own expense and the County of Berrien shall be not at any expense, whatever, in the construction of said bridges.

ISAIAH RYNEARSON  
ALEX HALLIDAY  
ALMON J. BAKER } Committee

Mr. Baker that the report and recommendations of the Committee be adopted.

The ayes and nays were called for, the roll was called with the result as follows:

Ayes, 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, Ryneerson, Baker and Norris.

There being 32 ayes and no nays, the motion was by the Chairman declared carried.

The following resolution together with bond in accordance with same was submitted:

RESOLVED, That the permission granted by the Board of Supervisors to the Berrien Springs Water Power Company, to build a dam across the St. Joseph river at or near the village of Berrien Springs, on or about the fourth day of January A. D. 1895, together with all amendments and modifications thereto by subsequent action of the Board be and is hereby repealed, revoked and annulled.

To be continued

### MINERS' IN CONVENTION

Nearly 1,000 Delegates from Twenty-Four States Assemble at Indianapolis.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 21.—Nearly 1,000 members of the United Mine Workers of America have gathered here for the thirteenth annual convention which began at 10 o'clock in Tomlinson hall. It is confidently expected by President Mitchell, Secretary Wilson and other officers that it will be the largest convention ever held by union laborers. Delegates are here from twenty-four states, representing every bituminous and anthracite coal field in the United States. Benn Tillet, the famous British labor leader, who is in this country studying labor conditions, is the guest of President Mitchell.

His address will be one of the features of the convention. The convention will continue until Jan. 30, when the joint conference with the operators of Ohio, Pennsylvania and Indiana will begin. This last conference will probably last for ten days. It is the understanding that the delegates are preparing to ask for an advance that will be equivalent to an all round increase of at least 10 per cent. Along with this report, however, is another to the effect that many of the operators have determined to take a stand for a reduction of 10 per cent. on the ground that they have had an unprofitable year and that the prospects for the coming year are not bright enough to warrant even a continuation of the present scale.

Mrs. Wiles Exonerated.

Chicago, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Alice Bradford Wiles was found "not guilty" of writing anonymous letters attacking Mrs. Robert F. Farson at the close of a long all-day fight before the Chicago Woman's club. The suspected woman was exonerated without a trial, but not before those who believed her guilty had hurled against her a mass of evidence. Official exoneration for the public was refused to her friends.

First publication Oct. 24, 1901.

### Foreclosure Sale

Default having been made in the payment of money secured by a certain mortgage dated the 9th day of April 1897, executed by Stephen A. Denison and Clara A. Denison his wife, both of the township of Galien, county of Berrien and state of Michigan, to Burton Jarvis of the county and state aforesaid, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the register of deeds of said county of Berrien, in Liber 46 of mortgages, on page 41, on the 10th day of April, 1897, on which said mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of four thousand seven hundred and eighty four dollars and seventy nine cents (\$4747.79), principal and interest, and the further sum of thirty five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage; and no proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph, in said county, (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held), on Tuesday the 21st day of January A. D. 1902, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the township of Galien, in the county of Berrien and state of Michigan, and described as follows, to-wit: The east half of the south west quarter of section eleven (11) in town eight (8) south, range nineteen (19) west, also the west half of the south east quarter of section eleven (11) in town eight (8) south, range nineteen (19) west, also the east half of the west half of said south west quarter of said section eleven (11).

Dated October 24, 1901.

BURTON JARVIS,

Mortgagee.

A. A. WORTHINGTON, attorney for mortgagee.

The above sale was postponed by me on the 29th day of January 1902 at 1 p. m. to February 17, 1902 at 1 p. m. at the same place.

Dated, St. Joseph, Mich., Jan. 21, 1902.

FRED B. COLLINS

Sherriff.

### Sylvia Chapter No. 74 O. E. S.

The Worthy Grand Matron has issued a special dispensation allowing the Chapter to hold their next regular meeting on Wednesday January 29. All members urged to be present.

CLARA HARPER, Sec.

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### Administrators Sale of Real Estate

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss: In the matter of the estate of Charles Kramble, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance and by virtue of an order granted to the undersigned, as administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of the estate of Charles Kramble, by the Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate in and for said county, on the 13th day of January, 1902, there will be sold at public venue, to the highest bidder, at the premises hereinafter described in the townships of Buchanan and Bertrand in said county, on Friday the 7th day of March, 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day (subject to encumbrances by mortgages or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased, or at the time of the sale, all the right, title, and interest of said deceased in and to the following described lands and premises, situated in the townships of Buchanan and Bertrand, county of Berrien and state of Michigan, to-wit: The south east quarter of section five (5) in town eight (8) south, range eighteen (18) west, in the township of Bertrand in said county. Containing one hundred (100) acres of land more or less.

Dated January 23, 1902.

A. A. WORTHINGTON, administrator de bonis non with the will annexed, of the estate of Charles Kramble.

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### Estate of Geo. W. Colvin, deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss: At a session of the Probate Court for the County of Berrien, holden at the Probate office in the city of St. Joseph on Tuesday, the 21st 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 George W. Colvin, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition duly verified, of John C. Wenger, administrator of said estate praying that he may be authorized to mortgage the real estate belonging to said estate in said petition described.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 17th day of February A. D. 1902, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of St. Joseph, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted.

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

ROLAND E. FAXN, Judge of Probate.

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