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BUCHANAN, BERRIEN CO., MICH., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1902.

PART 1, NUMBER 39.

Special Sale of COTTON BED BLANKETS

FOR OCTOBER OR WHILE THEY LAST

We offer Cotton Bed Blankets very cheap while they last. We have 32 cases, all clean and nice. Take them while they last.
 10-4 small size, suitable for single beds, 55c per pair.
 10-4 medium size, 45c, 50c and 75c per pair.
 11-4 large size, 75c, \$1 and \$1.25.
 12-4 extra heavy, 6 pounds, \$1.50.
 12-4 extra heavy, 7 pounds, \$1.65.
 All the above come in white, grey and tan colors.
 Also all white blankets used for sheets, 81x90 inches, 75c. Also all white bed blankets, full 10-4, 60c per pair.
 We are closing out some wool and cotton and wool blankets in white, red and grey, much under price.
 We offer remnants of prints, 2c; short lengths, 3c; full pieces 3c and 3 1/2c. and some higher, all the same quality. We sell nothing in prints poorer than 64 standard square.
 We have our domestic department full of goods that cannot be matched for the money.

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GEO. WYMAN & Co.
 SOUTH BEND, IND.
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Always Best Goods for the Least Money.



FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE.

What Secretary of State Warner Says about Rail Road Taxation.

"What about railroad taxation?" he was asked.
 "The showing is very favorable to the people," said Mr. Warner. "The gross amount of taxes paid by the railroads of Michigan Jan. 1, 1890, was \$757,234 94. This amount has increased steadily, except for the years 1898-4 5, when the whole country was suffering from the stagnation in business. A little later came Republican legislation raising the rate of taxation on railroads and the gross amount paid by those corporations jumped. first to one million dollars, then to a million and a quarter, and on Jan. 1, of this year the amount was \$1,483,906 84, nearly double what it was 10 years ago. During this ten years the taxation per mile increased from \$113 32 to \$167 85. The benefit of this increase in railroad taxation brought about by the Republican party, is felt by every taxpayer in every school district in Michigan. The specific tax paid by railroad corporations goes into what is popularly called the primary school fund and is distributed among the districts according to the number of children. In 1891 the total amount thus distributed was \$916,587 85 being \$1.42 per capita. In 1899, as a consequence of Republican legislation, the amount was \$1,053,050 50 the next year about the same, while last year the school districts of the state received nearly a million and a half dollars, the exact figures being \$1,464,013 20. This was \$2 05 for every person of school age in Michigan. I haven't the figures at hand showing the gross amount of the primary school fund for 1902, but it is largely increased over that of a year ago the per capita amount being \$2.52 as against \$1.42 in 1891."

"This is a state issue of some consequence. It isn't imaginary, nor is it guesswork. In very many school districts, yes, in a majority of the counties, the primary school moneys paid back to the people to help them maintain their public schools exceeds the entire amount of state taxes levied in such districts and counties."

"Here are some more figures that have a direct bearing on state issues: Jan. 1, 1891—
 State Treasury revenue balance \$504,426.13
 Jan 1, 1903—
 State Treasurer revenue balance \$237,046.66

"The first date marks the time when the Democrats assumed full control in Michigan, the second date marks the end of their administration. During that two years the United States government paid into the state treasury \$420,895 66. If the opportune payment had not been received the treasury revenue balance on January 1, 1893, when the Democrats relinquished control would have been overdrawn by \$188,820. The full effect of Democratic mismanagement was not felt, however, until later, for during their two years of power no public improvement was made, nor were repairs even kept up in state institutions. There was no provision made by them for the increasing needs of our rapidly growing state. This duty devolved upon the Republican administration which followed."

"In this same connection it is interesting to remember that on the first day of August, this year, the revenue balance in the state treasury was very close to \$5,000,000. Republican officials seem to be managing the business affairs of the people in a business like manner. The money of the people is economically expended not squandered. Every department of the state government is honestly administered and is worthy of the confidence and approval of the people."

"It seems to me," concluded the secretary of state, "that the more the people learn about the conduct of their state affairs by the Republican party the larger will be the Republican majorities on election day.—Detroit Journal

Good and warm bed blankets at The Racket, 50c.

COUNTY CONVENTION

Sunday School Workers in Session at Benton Harbor this Week.

The twenty-fourth annual convention of the Berrien Sunday school is being held in the Baptist church in Benton Harbor. The local committees in charge of the convention will be A. R. Arford, chairman general committees; Rev. E. A. Hoffman, musical director; Mrs. F. W. Sessions, chairman entertainment committee and Miss Edith Plummer chairman of the reception committee. Following is the program:

Tuesday afternoon—2:00, song service, conducted by Rev. E. A. Hoffman; devotional service, led by W. C. Pearce, Chicago; opening remarks by the president, "A Backward and a Forward Look;" round table conference, "The Sunday School Teacher," W. C. Pearce; "The Teachers' Meeting," E. C. Knapp, Ann Arbor; question box, Alfred Day, W. C. Pearce.

Tuesday evening—7:00, Song and Praise Service; addresses of welcome, pastor of church, Rev. Dr. Fred K. Fowler, address, "Jesus Christ the Sunday School Teachers' Model," Alfred Day; address, "Teacher's Training," W. C. Pearce.

Wednesday forenoon—9:00, song service; quiet half hour, led by W. C. Pearce; report of executive committee, George Parsons; report of secretary, D. W. Kean; report of treasurer, J. H. Gillette; report of nominating committee; "The Importance of Township Work," Fred Washburn; round table conference, "Sunday School Management," Alfred Day

Wednesday afternoon—1:30, song service; devotional; promises quoted, all invited to quote familiar promises; primary hour, Mrs. A. B. Morse; round table conference, "The Home Department," E. C. Knapp; "The Big Boy in the Sunday School," Alfred Day; conference of township and county officers, W. C. Pearce.

Wednesday evening—6:00, song and praise service; reports of Denver convention, W. C. Pearce, E. C. Knapp; address, "The Evangelization of the Sunday School," Alfred Day, closing thoughts, led by township presidents.

Death of Mrs. Mary Blowers.

News has been received here that Mrs. Mary Blowers, widow of the late Wm. M. Blowers, and mother of Geo. Blowers, of Albion, this state, and of Wm. Blowers, of our village, had died of abscess of the liver, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Lough, in Tampa, Florida. The remains are expected to arrive Wednesday for interment.

Those who were fortunate enough to have known Mrs. Blowers speak in highest praise of her fine character. No greater monument can be reared above one's ashes than to leave the memory of a well spent life.

The funeral will be held Thursday, 2 p. m. from the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Blowers, on Dewey Ave. Elder Black, assisted by Rev. Douglass will preach the funeral sermon.

Called Home.

Again the grim reaper has called, and this time he has taken Master Frank Willard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bosworth and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. French, who, receiving a message yesterday morning of his death, have gone to Plymouth, Ind., the home of Mr. and Bosworth, to attend the funeral.

A Three Cornered Situation

Mrs. E. Parkinson bought some show cases from A. Jones & Co. She sent Mr. Frank Barnes for the cases. In delivering them the glass in the door of one of them was broken. Who is responsible? Mr. Jones had sold the cases in perfect condition, Mrs. Parkinson had not received them, and Mr. Barnes says he is not responsible for the breakage. Who will stand the loss, is the question now interesting all concerned.

Notice.

I will continue to run the rig to South Bend as usual Thursday of each week. I. N. BATCHELOR.

At Ellsworth's Store

:: This Week ::

SPECIAL SALE OF Tailor-made Suits

This week we place on sale one lot of Ladies' Suits, sold regularly at \$9.75 to \$20.00 each, as follows: \$8.50, \$6.50 and \$4.50.

NEW WHITE MADRAS CLOTHS.

This week we will have on sale 25 pieces of English oxford and mercerized chevots, just the correct materials for white waists.

Fancy English oxfords worth 35c and 45c, this week 25c.

Fancy chevots, worth 50c, this week 35c.

Fancy Piques and heavy weight linen for waists, 39c.

SPECIAL SALE BLACK AND COLORED SILK PETTICOATS AT \$4.95.

We don't have to tell you very much about this number; it's the best value in town and can't be matched for \$6. Five styles. They are wonders, \$4.95.

GOOD BLANKETS AT VERY LOW PRICES.

Don't delay your blanket purchasing; the values are better than you can get later in the season. For this week:

10-4 good heavy cotton blanket, fleece lined, in tan, gray and white, a pair 39c.

11-4 heavy cotton blankets, extra large, tan, gray and white, 75c.

300 pairs, 11-4 heavy twill gray blankets, worth \$1.25, this week 95c.

Western Beauty—all wool blanket 11-4 extra size for large beds, silk bound ends, in white, red and sanitary gray, on sale this week \$4.95. This blanket is worth \$6.

Three Great Lots of Underwear On Sale This Week.

LOT 1.—Women's vests and pants, heavy Egyptian cotton, fleece lined, in silver gray, ecru or white silk, taped shaped garments, in extra large sizes as well as all regular sizes. 25c

LOT 2.—Children's good heavy ribbed fleece lined shirts, drawers and pants, all sizes up to 34, each at. 25c

LOT 3.—Special in Ladies' Union Suits, made of heavy Sea Island cotton, fleece lined, finished seams, silk crocheted trimmed, hand finished, the best value to be had at. \$1.25

This garment is made open down the front and across the bust.

Great Handkerchief Bargains

Don't wait long before buying your holiday handkerchiefs. The prices and qualities on sale this week are less than wholesale prices.

Lot 1—Ladies' all linen washed handkerchiefs 12 1/2 inches square, hemstitched. 5c each, 55c doz.

Lot 2—Ladies' all linen, fancy embroidered edges, very sheer quality, worth 25c, this week. 10c

Lot 3—Ladies' fancy handkerchiefs, over 25 patterns, all linen embroidered, worth from 25c to 35c, this week. 15c

Lot 4—Ladies' fancy all linen handkerchiefs, hemstitched, embroidered, fancy scalloped edges, lace trimmed, hand embroidered centers, fancy shapes, values up to \$1 each, this week. 25c

Special Corset Values.

Warner's Celebrated Rust Proof Corsets. Expert demonstrator and fitter who will be glad to fit you perfectly.

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"The fastest selling article I have in my store," writes druggist C. T. Smith, of Davis, Ky., "is Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, because it always cures. In my six years of sales it has never failed. I have known it to save sufferers from Throat and Lung diseases, who could get no help from doctors or any other remedy." Mothers rely on it, best physicians prescribe it, and W. N. Brodrick guarantees satisfaction or refund price. Trial bottles free. Reg. sizes 50c and \$1

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Enoch Egbert, of Minneapolis. Mrs. Egbert was well known here, having lived for many years on a farm near Niles. She died Sunday evening at the dome of her son, W. H. Egbert. She was an elderly lady, being about 77 years old, and had been ill for several weeks. Her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ed. Egbert, is now in town, the guest of her mother, Mrs. J. F. Hahn.

WANTED—Teams at the dam at once, \$8.50 per day.

Lion coffee 11c at Del Jordan's grocery. Phone 16.

Look at those lovely shawls at The Racket. They are only 50c.

Mouth harps, Playing cards, Jews harps. Binns' Magnet store.

His Life in Peril.

"I just seemed to have gone all to pieces," writes Alfred Bee, of Welfare, Tex.; "biliousness and a lame back had made life a burden. I couldn't eat or sleep and felt almost too worn out to work, when I began to use Electric Bitters, but they worked wonders. Now I sleep like a top, can eat anything, have gained in strength and enjoy hard work." They give vigorous health and new life to weak, sickly, run-down people. Try them. Only 50c at W. N. Brodrick's drug store.

FOR RENT—Clear Lake Farm. Enquire of S. C. Cook.

WAX WORKS.

Letter From Mrs. Stebbins Written From London.

Dear Friends:—Never having seen anything of its kind, this exhibition of Madam Tussand & Son's was to me a wonderful revelation of art. A bus ride followed by ten minutes in the underground railway brought us a party of eight to Barker street station. A ticket was bought for a shilling, and we were soon ushered in to the midst of life like figures representing every and all ages. These exhibits are over half a century old. All the old kings and notables with many modern ones were there, so very life-like. Some familiar figures were there such as, George Washington, Presidents Roosevelt, Cleveland, Grant, Lincoln, McKinley, the Empress Dowager of China, Mr. Marconi, his late excellency Li Hung Chung, Sir Thomas Lipton, Rudyard Kipling. I feared to go to the Chamber of Horrors lest I should have bad dreams for some time to come, but there seemed no other way but to keep together as the time to close was near, and we must make our exit by that entrance near the underground railway. After all I did not find it as horrible as the Tower of London and was glad I went.

True there were enough horrible things such as the execution, of criminals in various manners, hanging, chopping heads off, guillotine. In the electric chair was Guiteau. Criminals with criminal faces and tableaux of the execution of Mary Queen of Scots and the murder of the princesses in the Tower. There were others better, such as babes in the woods, ciuderella, exposition to the north pole and there were three scenes from the Transvaal.

At exactly ten o'clock the policeman shouted "All out." So we hustled "oot." And thankful we were for the enjoyment and benefit of that most enjoyable hour at Madam Tussand's Wax Works.

A Soliloquy.

I sat by an open window
 At the close of an autumn day,
 Watching the leaves fall from the trees
 In a most peculiar way.
 And I thought how like people
 Are those messengers so still;
 All going different ways,
 Some mission to fulfill.
 It seems to me the shrunken ones
 Were like the misers—small;
 He would cling to a twig with a firm grip,
 But finally wiggle and fall.

The tiny ones brought to my mind
 A lass of sweet sixteen,
 Miniature in size, but perfect in form,
 And just a little bit green.

Others reminded me of a dude
 Clothed in gorgeous array;
 They would soar, and soar, and soar again,
 And then would flow awa'.

The withered ones looked like old maids,
 Whose gay companions had flown;
 They were always willing to catch on,
 But they could not fly alone.

In nature what curious lessons,
 A close observer finds.
 The rest I saw—I dare not tell,
 I will pull down the blinds.

—Mrs. T. H. MERRILL.

Miss Mabel Currier Entertains.

On Friday evening at the home of Miss Currier, there occurred a delightful social gathering, when all the teachers of the village responded to an invitation to spend the evening as guests of Miss Currier, Miss Abbey who taught here last year, but who is now engaged in the Mishawaka schools, was in town the guest of Miss Lindsley, her friends were delighted to see her at the social. Progressive games were enjoyed, dainty refreshments were served, and all expressed themselves as having had a delightful evening.

Buchanan Township.

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| Equalized valuation 1901 | \$1,413,533 00 |
| " " 1902 | 1,365 300.00 |
| State tax 1901 | 4,084.40 |
| " " 1902 | 2,779.5 |
| County tax 1901 | 2,431.08 |
| " " 1902 | 2,406.03 |
| Total tax Buchanan tp. 1901 | 21,147.48 |
| " " 1902 | 18,089.09 |

WANTED—To buy a general purpose team of horses. Call at W. M. Jayson's in Bakertown. 89

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EDITOR.

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WEDNESDAY, OCT. 29, 1902.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

For Congressman
HON. EDWARD L. HAMILTON,
of Niles.

For Governor
HON. A. T. BLISS,
of Saginaw.

For Lieutenant Governor
ALEX. MAITLAND.

For Secretary of State
FRED M. WARNER.

For Treasurer
DANIEL MCCOY.

For Auditor General
PERRY F. POWERS.

For Attorney General
CHARLES A. BLAIR.

For Land Comr.
EDWIN A. WILDEY.

State Senator
DR. F. F. SOVEREIGN
of Three Oaks

For Supt. Public Instruction
DELOS A. FALL.

Members State Board of Education
LUTHER L. WRIGHT.
PATRICK H. KELLY.

COUNTY REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Sheriff
CHARLES JOHNSON,
of Benton Harbor.

County Clerk
AUGUSTUS L. CHURCH,
of St. Joseph.

County Treasurer
WM. McCRACKEN,
of Oronoko.

Register of Deeds
HENRY A. RACKLIFF,
Benton Township.

Prosecuting Attorney
I. W. RIFORD,
Benton Harbor.

Circuit Court Commissioners
CHAS. W. STRATTON,
St. Joseph.
D. E. BURNS,
Niles.

Coroner
CHARLES COLLIER
of Benton Harbor
A. W. PLATT

BURNS DELIGHTS HIS HEARERS.

Gallien People Treated to an Excellent
Talk Which Caused Much
Enthusiasm.



Edward N. Burns, the well-known young orator, of Bay City, opened the republican campaign with a whoop at Gallien last night. The town hall was filled to its utmost capacity with as enthusiastic an audience as ever assembled within its walls.

The issues of the day were handled in a masterful way by Mr. Burns, whose eloquence is at once vigorous and elegant. The reputation which the young man enjoys throughout the state was ably sustained last night, and the republican committee is to be congratulated upon securing the services of Mr. Burns, who wins golden opinions wherever he is heard.

The past four weeks Mr. Burns has been touring the state under the auspices of the republican State Central Committee. Tonight he speaks at New Buffalo, tomorrow night at Benton Harbor, where a monster demonstration has been planned; and Thursday night he speaks at Tanas, Isoc county, finishing his tour at Bay City on next Monday night.

At Gallien last night Mr. Burns paid Congressman E. L. Hamilton a glowing tribute. He dwelt at length upon the genial character of the man and the great national reputation he has achieved in Washington. He dwelt upon the great work he has done for river and harbor improvements in this district, securing during his three terms the magnificent sum of \$880,000, \$80,000 of which came to

Berrien county. He spoke of the great work accomplished by him in securing free rural delivery routes the district being today a perfect net work of these great avenues of news, numbering at present some 82, where three years ago there none. "His work," he said, "for those old boys in blue who answered the great call of the immortal Lincoln and went down on southern battlefields to fight beneath the stars and stripes for the priceless gift of human freedom. During his term of office he has secured over 900 pensions, and is pushing the claims of over 1,200 more. In the securing of these pension claims his efforts have been indefatigable, and happy we are to stop crowned with an unusual success. The percentage obtained by him being far in excess of that obtained by any other representative in congress, the other congressmen being satisfied with 12 per cent while Mr. Hamilton secured 20 per cent."

"The colored voters of this district E. L. Hamilton has been particularly interested in, and never has any of them asked him a favor, never has one of them gone to him with a request, never has any portion of them petitioned him, that he has not been ever eager to hear them and struggle to secure and grant them their every wish. And in those great halls of national legislation, when bitter southern partisans arose and tried to wrest from our colored brethren the right of election franchise granted to them under our constitutional rights, this great congressman of ours, of whom we are so justly proud, arose and lifted his mighty voice in their defense. His name is throughout this district and this great state a synonym for all that is befitting a gentleman and an orator."

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School Notes.

Miss Seymour is drilling the high school chorus for an entertainment which we expect to give in the near future.

Pupils are finishing their quarterly examinations this week.

Twenty-six high school girls were out to the basket ball practice Monday after school.

The eighth grade have been reviewing in history and civics.

For composition work last week the A class of the seventh grade wrote about the manufacturing of lead pencils, and the B class, "The Life of a Pin." Some very good work was handed in.

The attendance in the third grade last month was .97.

The pupils of the sixth grade have been memorizing "The Death of the Flowers."

The fourth grade regret the loss of two excellent pupils, Edith and Richard Wagner, who have gone to California.

Members of the eighth grade are saying their pennies for some portraits and other decorations for the room.

Charles Farling was welcomed into the fifth grade Monday morning.

Florence Culver, a pupil of the third grade, is spending a week in Battle Creek.

The fourth grade is finding the study of the coral and the sponges interesting, in connection with the geography of the West Indies.

Harold Roe, of the sixth grade, recently won in a contest in physiology. He can give the circulation of blood through the heart in twenty-five seconds.

The B division of the third grade is working in subtraction.

In describing one of the battles of the revolution one of the pupils said, "The Americans would have won the victory if they hadn't had so many sad catastrophes to subdue."

Elmer Cory has returned, after several weeks' absence.

The best drawings in the fifth grade for the past week were made by Hildred Camp and Blanche Williams.

The pupils of the third grade are interested this week in the story of The Water Babies.

The boys and girls of the fifth grade brought their "cents" to school Friday afternoon for the purpose of a contest, in which Edgar McGee won.

WARD SCHOOL

We are very glad to have Marshall Woodworth with us again, after a month's illness.

Adelaide Couse entered school Monday. She brought a beautiful begonia to brighten our school room.

Mrs. Flora Swartz spent Friday afternoon with us.

Some excellent drawings of a stalk of corn, brought in by Olenen Swank, were made Friday.

Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus
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This line runs through the picturesque St. Joe River Valley, touching the many summer resorts of this beautiful region. The country affords to manufacturers all advantages of favorable climate, economical labor and prosperous communities. Superior freight, passenger and telegraph service.

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The all winter Sunday train service inaugurated by the South Haven & Eastern and the Milwaukee, Benton Harbor & Columbus railways will prove of great advantage to the cities, villages and rural communities of Berrien and Van Buren counties. Chicago and Detroit Sunday dailies will reach St. Joseph, Benton Harbor, South Haven and all intermediate points early upon the day of issue. Passengers desiring to reach or leave these counties upon Sunday can now do so at convenient hours. Sunday afternoon trains will leave South Haven at 3:00 p. m. for Lawton and St. Joseph and Benton Harbor at 3:45 p. m. for Buchanan, connecting at both points with fast trains for Chicago, Detroit, Buffalo and New York.

Young People's Business Meeting.
The young people's society of the Evangelical church will hold their business meeting for the month of October at the home of Rev. Kinn. All members and friends are requested to be present to take part in important matters of business and election of officers Thursday evening.

PERSONAL.

Zed Jarvis was in Niles Friday.

Miss Susie Miller visited in Sawyer Monday.

John Graham is in town greeting his many friends.

Zella Alliger of Dowagiac spent Sunday in Buchanan.

A. F. Howe was in Hinchman and Berrien Springs Saturday.

C. L. Smith of Decatur spent Sunday as guest of Jerry Lyon.

Mrs. John File and daughter Eva were Chicago visitors Sunday.

Rev. J. R. Niegarth is entertaining his parents from Ewart, Ind.

Prof. Ralph Kean of Three Oaks was in town Friday and Saturday.

Mr. A. Willard was at home Sunday and the early part of the week.

Mabel Colvin and Mr. O'Neil drove over to South Bend Saturday night.

Chas. E. Brewster of Grand Rapids was a guest of W. A. Palmer over Sunday.

Mrs. Fanny Devin went to Chicago Thursday and spent a few days with her son Frank.

Mr. C. Ramaker of Chicago has been the guest of his sister Mrs. H. V. Shrieber.

Mrs. C. L. Bristol returned to Battle Creek Saturday, after a few days visit in town.

Miss Elma and Coda Rutherford of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with Rev. W. J. Douglass.

Mrs. Alfred Mead went to Chicago Thursday to visit her son Roy. She returned Sunday night.

Mrs. H. B. Knight and daughter Minnie of New Carlisle are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Knight.

Dr. Perry Anderson and wife, Frank Sanders and Trix Mansfield spent Sunday in South Bend.

H. M. White of Mishawaka, Ind., agent of the Grand Trunk spent Sunday with James White and family.

Miss Beatrice Mansfield went to Chicago last week returning with Dr. Perry Anderson and wife as guests.

Mrs. N. Canfield visited a few days last week at Dowagiac with her sister Mrs. Koons and niece, Mrs. M. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Haynes of Edwardsburg spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Chas. Snyder.

Messrs. and Mesdames Zed, and John Jarvis, Mrs. Frank Thomas, and Mrs. Fred Smith were in Chicago Sunday.

Miss Lucy Spaulding went to Sawyer Monday to spend a week visiting her sister, Edna Spaulding and other relatives.

Miss Gertrude Leonard went to Chicago Thursday and returned on Sunday accompanied by Mrs. John File and daughter, Eva.

Mrs. H. S. Berry of Niles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Hamilton is at the home of her parents while her mother is suffering with a broken wrist.

Mr. and Mrs. Paden and family who have spent the summer in our village, occupying Mrs. Florence Kean's house returned to their city home in Chicago this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Brenner of Jeffersonville, Ind. and Mrs. S. H. Brenner and daughter Olive of Elkhart are guests at the home of Mrs. H. D. Rough and other relatives.

Dr. Perry Anderson and wife of New York, who have been on a six month tour of lower California and Mexico were the guests of Mrs. J. G. Mansfield from Thursday of last week till Monday evening.

Mrs. Mary Hasse and her two children of St. Louis Mo. have been on a visit to her parents, Mr. and J. P. Anstiss for some time. Saturday they all went to LaPorte where Mrs. Haase will visit her sister Mrs. Paul for an indefinite time. Elsie Anstiss went with the party Saturday.

Registration Notice.
To the electors of the township of Buchanan, county of Berrien, state of Michigan:

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the township above named will be held at the township clerk's office, at G. H. Batchelor's law office, within said township on Saturday, Nov. 1, 1902, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose, and that said Board of Registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from 9 o'clock in the forenoon until 5 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid. By order of the Board of Registration.
Dated Oct. 14, 1902.
Geo. H. Batchelor,
Clerk of said Township.

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MISSSES' SHOES
CHILDREN'S SHOES
BABIES' SHOES
MEN'S SHOES
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Week ending Oct. 15. Subject to change:

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| Quinces | 75c |
| Tomatoes | 50 |
| Butter | 18c |
| Eggs | 20c |
| Potatoes | 40c |
| Onions | 50c |
| Apples | 50c |
| Cooking Apples per bu. | 25c |
| Cabbage per lb. | 1c |
| Flour per bbl. | \$4.00 |
| Flour Patented | 4.40 |
| Corn Meal per 100 lbs. | 2.00 |

The Pears-East Grain Co., report the following prices on grain to-day:

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| Wheat | 68c |
| Corn | 57c |
| Rye No. 2 | 46c |
| Oats new | 30c |
| Beans, hand picked bu. | \$ 235 |

LOCAL NOTES

New stock of books at Binns' Magnet Store.

Miss Viva Smith is very ill with neuralgia of the heart.

FOR SALE—A large brass kettle Enquire of Mrs. Fanny E. White.

Buy a Cattaraugus pocket knife. Every one guaranteed. Binns' Magnet store.

Miss Artie Logan has accepted a position as assistant in Dr. Claude Roe's office.

FOR SALE—A cherry bed-room suit, complete with springs. Apply at Mrs. Howard Smith's.

Services at Mt. Zion U B church will be at 2:30 Sunday afternoon, Nov. 2. Rev. W. J. Tarrant, pastor.

FOUND—A gold bangle. Finder may have same by identifying property and paying for this advertisement.

To be in the fashion you must eat Honey Comb Candy. Call for free sample. For sale only by Glenn E. Smith & Co.

FOR SALE—A good cow and a gentle horse for family driving. Inquire at M. Stoddard's, first door north of Rough's mill. 3t

There are at this office ready for distribution, copies of the State Horticultural Society's report, which those interested in may have by calling for.

Quarterly meeting will be held in the M. E. church next Sunday; love feast, short sermon by pastor and communion following, to which all are invited.

Regular meeting of L. O. T. M. Tuesday evening, the 28th, commencing promptly at 7 o'clock. Exercises at 8. Come and see the "Grandmother's" drill.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Whitman. Plans for work are maturing which call for help from every woman in the church.

Just go and see the new hats at Mrs. E. Parkinson's. There you will find all the new styles, and prices to suit the times. Take your old hats there and they will look as nice as new ones. New goods every week.

WANTED—Dictionary and History of Berrien County, Michigan, said to have been printed by the RECORD of 1871 and edited by E. B. Cowles. Will buy one or more copies if presented soon. EDITOR.

The ladies of the Eastern Star gave a most excellent dinner in the Arthur building on Saturday. A large number of people attended, and the ladies netted about \$10. Their reputation for serving a good dinner is well known.

J. P. Beistle and wife returned on Tuesday morning from an extended visit to the east. They spent a week in and around Washington and the remainder of the time in Pennsylvania. They visited the coal regions and had a delightful time during the entire trip.

Saturday while Mrs. L. R. Hamilton was arranging a curtain, she stepped backward from a couch to the floor and stepped on something which threw her. She fell on her hand, drawing up her wrist and breaking several of the smaller bones. Dr. Garland dressed the fracture.

The regular weekly teachers' meeting was held Monday night at the Evangelical church and it was a very interesting session. Elder Black presented the lesson in a very helpful way and brought out a number of excellent thoughts. Next week the meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Schreiber.

Mr. J. P. Antis has a sick horse.

Lion coffee 11c per pound at Del Jordan's grocery

See our stock of composition and note books, Binns' Magnet Store.

Mr. Fred Tichenor is quite ill, and is under the care of Dr. Ullery, of Niles.

Oil 10c per gallon, 18 lbs best granulated sugar 98c at Del Jordan's grocery. Phone 16.

The band boys did the proper thing Monday night, and the business men appreciated their music.

Emma Ginrich has been engaged by Mrs. A. M. Glover to fill the place vacated by Mabel Colvin.

FOR SALE—At once a team of mares, both supposed to be with foal, weighing about 1300 pounds. Price reasonable. Inquire at RECORD office.

Mr. Joseph Knight, who so severely injured his back last week, is reported as improving. His mother and sister are here this week, cheering him.

There will be a Christian Endeavor County Convention held in Coloma on October 31 and November 1. An interesting program has been arranged.

Miss Mabel Powers, formerly of Buchanan, and Mr. Geo. Frommis were united in marriage at the home of the bride, in Chicago Saturday, Oct. 25.

E. A. Warner and wife, of York, Neb., formerly a resident of Buchanan, gave this place a flying visit on their return from Washington, D. C. A number of the older residents were very glad to see them and sorry they did not make a longer stay.

FLAG EVENING.

Thirty Club as Hostesses to their Friends Monday Evening.

The members of the 30 club invited their husbands and a few friends to meet with them Monday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Marvin, and enjoy a social hour. About sixty guests assembled, listened to an excellent program and indulged in some pleasant games.

The committee who planned the evening's entertainment were Mesdames Roe, Desenberg, Garland, Brodrick, and Miss Searls.

The program consisted of two selections by the ladies' quartette, who sang as always, very sweetly; an enjoyable recitation by Mrs. Kingery, who rendered it in response to request; an excellent paper on "The First Flag," by Mrs. S. C. Cook, president of the club, and a very interesting paper on "Flag Lore," by Miss Artie Logan. The program concluded by all singing America. A flag game, with guessing to be done, was next indulged in, and Mrs. Harvey Rough won first prize in this, Mrs. Glenn Smith winning consolation prize.

Two course lunch was then served, consisting of sandwiches, pickles and coffee, sherbet and cake.

The club colors, green and white, were displayed in the candelabra, and the flag was used as decorations.

Death of Father and Mother.

On Friday morning E. W. Sanders returned home from Washington and from a visit in Pennsylvania with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sanders, and other relatives, where he had been three weeks. When he first went to see his parents they were quite well, but after visiting elsewhere and returning again they were not very well, and both had quite a severe sick spell before he left, but when he left them last Thursday morning they seemed to be fairly well again. Monday, at dinner, he remarked that it was about time he heard from his parents, when there was a ring at the door bell. His son answered the call and returned with a message, saying father and mother were dead.

They lived at Oline, Penn., and were aged 80 and 83 years. Mr. Sanders took the 5:19 train on Monday for Pennsylvania.

Engine Jumped the Track.

Sunday morning as the M. B. H. & C. passenger engine pulled into the yard the air brake refused to work and the engine ran into the rear end of a freight car, smashing the cow-catcher and derailing the two front wheels of the engine. The engine was not seriously damaged nor was the freight car. In fact the engine was soon placed on the track and everything moved along in the usual order.

MRS. BAIRD'S TRIP EAST.

Visit to Washington Described by One of the Ladies of the G. A. R.

We left Buchanan Oct. 4, at 1:30 p. m., and arrived in Detroit at 6:30 p. m., where we were met by Post No. 483, of Detroit, who gave us a hearty welcome and each of us a badge. We arrived in Washington, D. C., at 12 p. m. Sunday night. We spent the day Monday at headquarters, getting located. In the evening we viewed the city decorations by electricity, in the national colors, which were beautiful. We also attended the camp fire.

On Tuesday, the 7th, visited the several buildings of note—pension building, capitol, library, Smithsonian institute. The evening was spent receiving delegates who had arrived during the day.

Wednesday, the 8th, we viewed the grand march of the old veterans along Pennsylvania avenue. All street cars were stopped and business houses closed during the day. As the several bands played the National airs, had you seen the old Vets keeping step to the march time, with old glory floating over them, you would have thought them back in '61 to '65. This was a grand sight, ever to be remembered, and to fill one's heart with patriotism. The evening was spent in receiving our friends at our headquarters.

Thursday, the 9th, convention was called to order in the Lutheran Memorial church at 9:30 a. m., by the National president, Mrs. Emma Wall, of Kansas. The day was spent in hearing reports from the different committees. Convention adjourned at 4 p. m. to attend the reception given by Mrs. Roosevelt in the Corcoran Gallery of Art, to the several patriotic organizations of women. This being the 51st birthday anniversary of the Department President of Michigan, the delegates had prepared a reception for her, and a surprise. In the evening at their headquarters, after refreshments, she was presented with a sterling silver souvenir spoon, with the capitol building engraved in the bowl and the Grand Army badge on the handle. After which a pleasant evening was spent in speech and songs, wishing their president many happy returns of her birthday anniversary.

Friday morning, Convention called to order at 9:30 a. m. At noon Gen. Grant Circle served dinner to delegates. The convention closed at 11 p. m. San Francisco, Cal., was the place chosen for the next convention in 1908.

We left Washington Saturday evening at 6:20 p. m. After a very pleasant journey arrived home Sunday, Oct. 12.

Important Real Estate Transfers.

Three farms near Buchanan have recently changed hands, which involved the transfer of large sums of money.

The Turner farm has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Vanderslice, and they will make their home there in a short time. They are well known in this community and many friends are ready to extend them a welcome. The Kelsey and Zerbe farms have been bought by J. Jaquays & Co., of Benton Harbor, and they will start a nursery there at once. A car load of peach stones will be unloaded on the place and thirty men will be employed there.

These changes bring increased activity near Buchanan and will, no doubt, tend to the general good.

Pleasant Visitors.

Thomas J. Tormey, city editor of the Niles Daily Star, and Edward F. Burns, of Bay City, were guests of the Misses Alta Wright and Nina Holliday on Monday evening. They drove to Galien in the evening, where Mr. Burns made a political address. The drive was delightful, with the exception of rain on the return trip. Before leaving town they made a call at the RECORD office, and we were pleased to meet Mr. Burns and are indebted to Bro. Tormey for the courtesy.

Notice.

O. H. Fuller will make regular trips to South Bend each Thursday with the 'bus, which leaves promptly at 7 o'clock. Prompt and careful attention given to parcels. Leave orders at Harry Rough's.

A Praiseworthy Act.

Through the personal efforts of John Wenger about \$100 has been raised to help pay the expense of special treatment for Burnette Peters. The cabinet works raised \$25 for the same purpose.

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