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Muslin Underwear Sale.

GEO. WYMAN & CO. offer an entirely new line of Muslin Underwear for Ladies', Misses' and Children. Gowns 35c to \$5.00. Drawers 8c to \$5. Corset covers 8c to \$3.00. Skirts 21c to \$15.00. Chemise 25c to \$5.00. We have also 100 dozen of what the manufacturer calls "outs" that we offer much under price. They are styles that they are unable to get any more trimmings for, so they sell us what they have on hand under price, so we give them to our customers at the low price as we buy them. We invite you to visit our store this month and you will go home with the impression that Spring is here, and it will answer just as well as a trip to Florida—See?

Special Sale of Dress Goods for January.

The lady that understands herself, knows if she wants fine wash goods for waists and dresses she has the best assortment to select from in January. Our new wash Mercerized goods for Spring Shirt Waists are now on sale. Also Lawns, Swisses and all the new wash goods for dresses for May and June wear are now ready, from 15c to \$1.00. Our aim is to describe the goods in our advertisement and the prices but all this fluffy stuff is beyond description you will have to come and see it.

Special Sale for January Linens.

We offer the greatest bargains in linens ever offered by us. Table Linens, 2 yds wide, 75c, worth up to \$1.25. Table Linens at 50c, worth 75c. Napkins 80c per dozen and up. Towels \$1.00 per doz. worth \$1.80 and upwards. Crash 2-3-4c up. Counterpanes way under any price we ever offered or expected to make 45c, 50c, 55c, 60c, 75c and upward.

Sheets and Pillow Cases.

Sheets \$1.00 at 50c. Sheets 72x90 at 45c. Sheets 68x90 at 37½c. All standard bleached cotton at 6½c to 7½c a good bleached cotton at 5c. New lines of Percales, Gingham, Seer-Suckers, etc. When you see the goods you will know that Spring is here.

COME AND SEE US
GEO. WYMAN & CO.
SOUTH BEND, IND.

Closed evenings except Saturday

COUCH COMFORT

We have on sale the most complete assortment of the best made couches known. A great variety in style of frames and in any color desired. If you need a couch of any kind we will make it greatly to your profit if you visit our store. All goods delivered free of expense and in perfect condition. Our entire stock was never so replete in big bargains—and this season's creations surpass all former efforts. When in South Bend make this store your headquarters, we shall be pleased to meet you.

WM. E. SMITH & CO.

115-118 S. MICHIGAN ST. SOUTH BEND, IND



From the top of the tops to the bottom of the bottoms

Leather—solid leather—
nothing but honest makes
—stylish shapes—combined

Where?

Here.

When?

All the time.

Wet days and cold quite often from now on
Suitable Shoes are Sensible Shoes.

We can sell you footwear that isn't afraid of
the wet—and effect a saving for you in price if it
can be done.

Carmar & Carmar.

BUCHANAN, MICH.

Are You Going West?

Beginning February 15th continuing every day thereafter until April 30th, there will be a special rate to all points in Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Montana and British Columbia. For maps, rates, routes and other information write at once to H. W. Steinhoff, District Pass. Agent, Wisconsin Central Railway, Saginaw, (W. S.) Michigan.

All church people will be interested in the series of articles in the Woman's Home Companion which deals with "The Great Movements Which are Making the World Better." The first article in this series, dealing with "The Great Work of the Presbyterian Church of America," appears in the January number.

If you need fine shoe repairing call at Parkinson's 1st door east of Roe's hardware store. "That's So" 7t-31

BASKET BALL

Exciting Game Between Benton Harbor and Buchanan High School Teams.

DIFFERENT RULES USED

Benton Harbor Girls Win Nearly Every Point, but Boys Contest More Evenly Matched.

On Friday night at Rough's Opera House, there was a scene of excitement and interest, in witnessing the games of basket ball between Benton Harbor high school pupils and the pupils in our village high school.

A practice game opened the evening, and the opposing sides were the girls of the two schools. Our girls had had careful training using the Ypsilanti rules, but the Benton Harbor girls, who were a strong team and had played together for something over two years, were using the official rules and as these rules were used for the evening, it gave the Benton Harbor girls the advantage and they easily won nearly every point from our girls. The visiting girls had great skill in throwing and if the ball once got into their hands, it rarely missed its destination, the basket.

When the boys' game came on the floor the audience realized the teams were more evenly matched and the contest was close. At the end of the first half the score stood 8 to 5 in favor of Buchanan, and the cheers and school yells were something deafening.

At the close of the second half the score stood 14 to 11 in favor of Buchanan, and our boys went home happy.

About one hundred Benton Harbor people came to enjoy the game and cheer their players, and occupied seats on the stage.

The decisions of the umpires were fair as conceded by all, and the visitors were gallant and courteous, not demanding anything beyond their rights. Altogether it was an interesting contest and being free from objectionable features deserves the support of the people whenever a game of basket ball is played.

Finds Way to Live Long.

The startling announcement of a discovery that will surely lengthen life is made by Editor O. H. Downey, of Churubusco, Ind. "I wish to state," he writes, "that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption is the most infallible remedy that I have ever known for Coughs, Colds and Grip. It's invaluable to people with weak lungs. Having this wonderful medicine no one need dread Pneumonia or Consumption. Its relief is instant and cure certain."

W. N. Brodick, druggist, guarantees every 50c and \$1.00 bottle, and gives trial bottles free.

INSTALLATION

Lady Maccabees Place New Officers in Charge.

Friday evening at the Lady Maccabee Hall there occurred the installation of officers for the ensuing year, which was followed by a very interesting program.

The evening opened by a selection given by the orchestra, composed of Ethel and Clarence Stryker, Messrs. Clark, Dickinson and Hallock.

The following are the new officers installed:—Mrs. Delia Scott, Lady Commander; Mrs. Mary Willard, Lieut. Commander; Mrs. Nora Sparks, Past Commander; Mrs. Millie East, Record Keeper; Mrs. Emma Knight, Finance Keeper; Mrs. Margaret Dodd, Chaplain; Mrs. Mattie Heberling, Sargent; Mrs. Minnie Mead, Mistress at Arms; Mrs. Martha Lyon, Sentinel; Mrs. Carrie Dickenson, Picket.

Mrs. Millie East was installing officers and at the close of the installation, an interesting program was given, consisting of recitations and music. Refreshments were served before dispersing. There were about one hundred people present, each member of the lodge bringing with her an invited guest.

ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Of the Buchanan—Bertrand Sunday School Union.

The 10th annual Convention of the Buchanan—Bertrand Sunday School Union, will be held at the Methodist church in our village next Saturday evening and Sunday afternoon and evening.

All who are interested in Sunday school work will find the convention valuable and doubtless receive inspiration from the gathering.

The following is the program:

SATURDAY EVENING.

7:00 Devotionals, REV. CHAS. SHOOK.
Appointing of Committees.

Address, REV. W. J. TARRANT.

SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

2:30 Song Service.
Devotionals, REV. A. OSTROTH.

Primary hour in charge of MRS. D. F. BOWEN.

Symposium—The Review of Sunday School Lessons, D. W. KEAN.
General Discussion.

SUNDAY EVENING.

6:00 Union Young Peoples' Service
Conducted by REV. J. R. NEUGARTH.

7:00 Song Service.
Devotionals, REV. C. E. MARVIN.

Annual Address by the President, A. A. WORTHINGTON.

Annual Reports SECRETARY, TREASURER.

Report of Committees.
Election of Officers.

Music in charge of MRS. W. L. MERCER

Officers:—

President, A. A. Worthington,
First Vice President, Lewis Cauffman,
Second Vice President, A. C. Roe,
Third Vice President, Wm. Monro,
Secretary, Edith Beardsley,
Treasurer, Chas. B. Treat.

“One bottle of Coonley's Tonic Ext. of Sarsaparilla cured my daughter of a bad case of catarrh and eruption on her face, leaving her complexion smooth and fresh.” Charles Bruce, contractor, South Bend. Large bottles 50c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

A Remarkable People, With A Remarkable History—The Fatherland

The visit of Prince Henry in America, has directed people's attention to Germany more than anything since the Franco-Prussian war. The prince is a military man and the German army on that account is brought in to notice. The Tunison's Indexed Wall Atlas has much bearing on the subject.

In 1902 the German army numbered 5,211,947 fully trained men. The population of Germany is 52,279,901. The first ruler was Julius Caesar. A greater per cent of persons in Germany can read and write than any other nation. This atlas shows there are 35,000 schools and colleges, 6,000 newspapers, 29,422 miles of railway and 75,700 miles of telegraphy.

The atlas gives 40 facts in history and geography of each of the 40 principal nations. Answering correctly 1,600 questions that can not be found in all the libraries of any State, for these answers were obtained by private research and personal correspondence.

You get Tunison's Wall Atlas Free with this paper by paying one year's subscription.

“Coonley's Beef Iron and wine with Nervine did me lots of good last year; give me a bottle for my wife.” Edward Herring, South Bend. Large bottles 50c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

Conference of Health Officials.

The Michigan State Board of Health convened in Ann Arbor on Thursday and Friday of last week, at the new medical building in the university. Many prominent speakers were present, and papers and discussions of practical importance were presented.

For fine custom work call on J. J. Krenzberger, Merchant Tailor, 211 South Michigan St. South Bend.

This Week at ELLSWORTH'S

Magnificent showing of Foreign and Domestic White Goods. Everything in Mercerized Waistings, Embroidered Allovers, French Lawns, Wash Chiffon, Dot Swisses, Piques, Long Cloths, Nainsooks and Jones Cambrics.

VERY SPECIAL—25 pieces English nainsook, 10 yards in a piece—this week per piece.....\$1.39
1,000 yards 40-inch lawn, extra quality.....75c
10 pieces of fine English waist cloths at yd.....50c
2-yard wide extra quality homespun table linen, yard.....75c
2-yard wide very fine satin damask, beautiful patterns, yard.....\$1.00
Pattern cloths, all lengths, 2 yards wide, at per yard.....\$1.00

100 dozen double damask napkins, 24 inch square; pansy, daisy and poppy on fern Patterns, worth \$5—on sale.....\$2.50
25 dozen 18 inch hemmed German napkins, dozen.....\$1.25
50 dozen hemmed bleached wash rags each.....2c
50 dozen air cell wash rags, each.....5c
20 dozen hemmed bleached Turkish towels, each 20c doz.....\$2.25
Good 9-4 bleached sheets, each.....49c
Peanot 9-4 bleached sheets each 55c.

January Sale of Household Linens.

We have gone direct to the manufacturer for most every piece of linen brought on for this sale, and only the very best and most desirable qualities are here.

VERY SPECIAL.

50 dozen 17-34 fine bleached hemmed fluck towels, dozen.....\$1.75
100 dozen 21-36 extra large Huck towels, each.....10c

January Sale of Muslin Underwear.

Not an old garment in the stock. Every one fresh and new. Beautiful gowns, corset covers, skirts and drawers at prices lower than we have ever been able to offer them before.

Gowns 49c, 75c, 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.95 and \$2.50.
Corset Covers 25c, 50c, 75c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$2.50.
Skirts 25c, 50c, 75c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$9.
Drawers 19c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1, \$1.50 and \$2.

Embroideries and Laces.

The very daintiest and choicest embroideries can be found in our enormous stock—all new and prices the very lowest.

VERY SPECIAL—100 pieces fine cambric edges and insertions, on sale at per yard 10c.

One lot of manufacturers lengths, mostly 4½ yard pieces, at per yard 5c and 10c.

5,000 yards of beautiful Torchon laces, per yard 5c.
200 pieces of handsome point de Paris and fine Torchon laces—on sale at per yard 10c.

Mail orders will receive prompt attention.

John Chess Ellsworth

113-115 NORTH MICHIGAN ST.,
SOUTH BEND, - - INDIANA.

Store open Thursday and Saturday Evenings.

Homemakers will be interested in

the “all around house” described in *The Delineator* for February. The example is a house of moderate cost, equipped with modern conveniences, and in arrangement artistic and comfortable. The well known but often violated principle of architecture that buildings should be in perfect accord with the environment is exemplified in this case; and the interior, in decorations, furnishings and practical workings is a model of taste and convenience. The illustrations offer numerous suggestions that can be carried out in other homes.

Heads Should Never Ache.

Never endure this trouble. Use at once the remedy that stopped it for Mrs. N. A. Webster, of Winnie, Va. She writes, “Dr. King's New Life Pills wholly cured me of sick headaches I had suffered from for two years.” Cure Headache, Constipation and Biliousness. 25c at W. N. Brodick's drug store.

New Service to California.

On January 4, 1903, the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, in connection with the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific Railways, will establish through car service between Chicago and Nebraska, Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Nevada and California, with three daily trains in each direction. Equipment will consist of Pullman First-Class and Tourist Sleeping Cars, Buffet, Library, Smoking Cars, Dining Cars and Free Reclining Chair Cars.

For detailed information, for rates, time tables, sleeping car reservations, call on your nearest Ticket Agent, or address, Robert C. Jones, Michigan Passenger Agent Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Ry., 32 Campus Martius, Detroit, Mich.

“Coonley's Cough Balsam cured my boy of a bad cough after he had kept us awake for a week. It is the best cough medicine made.” Charles Murdock, South Bend. Price 25c and 50c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

BUCHANAN RECORD.

D. F. BOWER,
EDITOR.

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WEDNESDAY, JAN. 21, 1903..

Too much praise cannot be given to the boys of the high school for the excellent work done at the basketball game on Friday evening. The boys have only had a few weeks' practice, whereas the Benton Harbor boys have been playing for a long time. The game is pleasing and beneficial to the players and it is to be hoped when next a game is played here the ill-mannered people can be kept in subjection or dispensed with.

The sight was one to please the eye Friday night in seeing the young people enjoy so healthful and wholesome a game as basketball. The quick, agile movements of the girls, and the strong manly work of the boys, were evidences of good training not only in the rules of the game, but in the great school of life where one sees the need of steady nerve, rapid decisions, graceful yielding to others, at times, and the oft repeated need of controlling one's temper.

Our Manufacturers.

There is nothing so repugnant to us as to be compelled to say anything reflecting on any person, persons, or institution in our village which it some time seems to be necessary to do and for which we are sorry, but it affords us real pleasure to be able truthfully to speak in a complimentary manner of persons and institutions. In today's Record we write a short article in regard to Niagara Mills of which we are justly proud, and we hope to from time to time when our power house is completed and we are not so handicapped by lack of power, to give all our worthy business, interest a space in the columns of the Record in such a manner that our people may be thoroughly informed as to what they are really doing, so that there will be no need of an outside party with stereotyped forms coming to do it.

Unappreciative.

It seems strange that a few persons who can not appreciate a good thing should persist in marring the enjoyment of others as was the case on Friday evening at the basketball game in the opera house. It certainly is about as marked a case of vulgar breeding, to stand up before another or make a noise so as to interfere with the comfort of others, as could be found.

Mr. Mercer at considerable cost and trouble furnished the people of Buchanan with a healthful and pleasing entertainment and they should not allow a few ill-mannered persons to spoil it.

It was right for the marshal to take one out but he was not the only nor the worst one there that evening and it was a pity that not more were put out. It is to be hoped that the Benton Harbor people will not think that Buchanan people are all so rude for we can assure them that those who were guilty of such rough actions are a very small proportion of our village.

A Pleasant Surprise.

EDITOR RECORD:—
DEAR SIR: As Mrs. Bronson and myself neared our home Saturday evening at 9 p. m. we found our home brilliantly lighted. As we entered we discovered 17 members of the Niles Methodist church including its Pastor and choir had taken possession of kitchen and parlor, and were preparing for a first class oyster supper.

After partaking of the rich bounties of the table they had furnished, games and singing were indulged in until the Sabbath nearly had dawned. The happy party departed to their homes leaving behind them many pleasant memories not soon to be forgotten.

Never until of late did I realize as now the value of human sympathy and friendship. To the many who recently have in such a marked degree expressed their friendship and confidence let me say: It has been very thankfully received and appreciated by us, indeed far beyond the power of tongue to express. May God bless you all for your kind acts and sympathizing words. And as they have cheered and encouraged us may we in turn pass the same on to other lives that may be in need. Friendship and sympathy which come from the heart is of great value to all. Let them never die out in hearts. Cultivate the same that they may grow only to comfort and bless society.
L. S. BRONSON.

TEN DOLLARS A DAY

Board of Supervisors Think
That a High Price for Doctors
in Contagious
Diseases.

Pruning Down County Bills—Other
County Seat News.

The present Board of Supervisors are digging down into the accounts of the county, reducing the amounts, and investigating into the business of the county as no other board has done in years.

Thursday was perhaps the most exciting day of this session and of many other sessions and as a result the county has a prospective law suit on its hands.

When the board met Thursday afternoon, the contested bill of Dr. Simeon Belknap, of Niles, came up. This bill is one for \$140 presented by Dr. Belknap for attending a very bad case of smallpox in the city of Niles last October and it was cut down by the auditing committee of the board to \$76 and was about to be allowed Wednesday, when Supervisor Thompson, of Niles arose and stated that he did not like to see his fellow townsman's bill cut in such a manner and asked that Dr. Belknap be called upon to explain and the doctor was on hand Thursday afternoon and make a very plain and business-like talk.

The doctor said he had seen hundreds of cases of smallpox in his career but he had never seen so bad a case as this one. He said he took his life in his own hands when he accepted this case, and that if anyone would offer him at this time \$500 he would not accept the case for that amount of money, and that as a result of his attention to this case his office business in the city of Niles was ruined for at least three weeks as his patients, knowing he had treated this case, refused to come to his office. He stated that he did not appear before the board to beg nor because he needed the money, but that it was a source of pride to him and he didn't want the people of the county to think he was overcharging for his service.

The doctor stoutly maintained that his bill was a just one and that in other counties in the state they allowed \$10 for a visit without hesitancy. He was compelled to send to Chicago for a nurse as he couldn't get any in this county for less than \$10 a day. It came out in the discussion that a member of the board was offered \$5 a day if he would nurse this case, but he refused.

Dr. Belknap stated that he had consulted a lawyer before coming to the meeting and he was told that the Supreme court of this state had decided that \$10 a visit was not an excessive charge. He, at the same time, showed the board a bill which he had in his pocket in which a certain doctor in this county had charged the county \$340 for attending a small-pox case, and he thought that if this was the fact his charge was a very moderate one.

Mr. Babcock, of Niles, moved that the bill be allowed as presented. This brought Supervisors Smith, of Bridgman, and W. A. D. Rose to their feet in opposition to the motion. They thought that if Dr. Belknap got \$10 a visit, other doctors should have the same amount.

Upon an aye and nay vote, the motion was lost and the doctor was allowed only \$75.

Dr. Belknap then left the room, having first told the supervisor of his ward not to accept that amount, and stated on his way out that he would make the county pay that bill, and it looks very much as though the county would have to pay as the court opinion cited by the doctor is squarely in his favor and he has other evidence which is very strong.

Cooney's Beef, Iron and Wine with Nervine is a perfect Tonic and Nourisher. It is a true food and helps in all cases by building up and increasing the strength. It can be taken with all other medicines. Large bottles 50c Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

The Isle of Pines, lying south of the Island of Cuba, is supposed to be the original of Stevenson's "Treasure Island." Professor John Finley recently paid a visit to the island which he will describe in the February Scribner's. He found there at the present day a man digging for treasures.

Cooney's Tonic Ext. of Sarsaparilla is guaranteed equal to any of the \$1.00 Sarsaparillas made, and is sold at 50c a bottle At Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

BERRIEN CO. MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

Have Troubles of Their Own as Seen by
the following.

The special meeting of the Berrien County Medical society, called for the purpose of reorganizing, met at the Miami club rooms Thursday afternoon with sixteen doctors present from various parts of the county.

The meeting was presided over by Dr. Robert Henderson, president of the county society, and after some introductory remarks by Councilor Dr. Loury of Hastings, Dr. A. E. Bulson of Jackson, president of the Michigan State Medical society, spoke at length in a most interesting manner upon reorganization.

He read from the proposition as follows:

The purpose of this society will be to bring into one organization the physicians of Berrien county; so that by frequent meetings and full and frank interchange of views they may secure such intelligent unity and harmony in every phase of their labor as will elevate and make effective the opinions of the profession in all scientific, legislative, public health, material and social affairs, to the end that the profession may receive that respect and support within its own ranks and from the community to which its honorable history and great achievements entitle it; and with other county societies to form the Michigan State Medical society, and through it, with other state associations, to form and maintain the American Medical Association.

The conditions making one eligible to membership in this society are:

First—He shall be legally registered.

Second—That he be a reputable physician from a professional standpoint.

Third—One who will agree in writing over his own signature to practice nonsectarian medicine and to sever all connection with sectarian colleges, societies and institutions.

In Saturday's issue we mentioned that the Berrien County Medical Society had voted to affiliate with all reasonable schools of medicine; we also stated that if that was the case the Bible prediction that the lion and lamb should lie down together would soon be fulfilled, but it seems we are not to be so highly favored as the following from the Benton Harbor Palladium will show:

A spirited controversy is in progress among the physicians of Berrien county over the proposition of the American Medical society made through the state society, to abandon all school distinctions in their mutual conferences and to invite all reputable registered doctors of any authorized practice to join, through the county body, the state and national societies.

It is a hard pill for the dyed-in-the-wool allopaths to swallow, especially the old time doctors who have always treated every "irregular" school or new kind of practitioner with contempt and opposition.

The proposition that all come together and do away with class distinction made to the doctors in every county in Michigan by the state association, has been for some time past under discussion in Berrien county and at a special meeting of the society held here on Thursday and attended by sixteen of the thirty members, favorable action on the proposed amalgamation was adopted by a narrow margin of votes. Those who voted to make the broader affiliation were mostly the younger members of the county society.

The members voting for the resolution and establishing the sentiment of the society were Drs. F. M. Kerry, C. N. Sowers, Fred Belknap and Zelpha Walker of this city; Dr. Robert Henderson, of Buchanan; and Drs. W. L. Wilson, Hatie Schwendener, E. J. Witte and Mary Beers of St. Joseph.

Those opposed were Drs. Geo. M. Bell, H. V. Tutton, C. B. Chapin, Wakeman Ryno and C. M. Ryno of this city; Dr. Bertrand of Coloma and Dr. Simeon Belknap of Niles.

Dr. Ryno says the dissenting members will soon organize another and regular county society.

The officers of the existing county medical society will remain as at present until the annual meeting.

New Century Comfort.

Millions are daily finding a world of comfort in Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It kills pain from Burns, Scalds, Cuts, Bruises; conquers Ulcers and Fever Sores and Felons; removes Corns and Warts, Best Pile cure on earth. Only 25c at W. N. Brodrick's drug store.

BILLS ARE COMING IN

Sixty Have So Far Been Introduced
in Both Houses of
the Legislature.

ROUTINE OF ELECTING SENATOR

Concurrent Resolution Opposing Reciprocity with Cuba Withdrawn—The Junket.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 20.—The two houses are now down to business, the standing committees having been announced by the presiding officers last week, so that the necessary machinery for caring for whatever may be dumped into the legislative hopper is now at hand. The indications are that the usual amount of local legislation, practically all of which ought to be kept away from the legislature entirely, will be rounded up to occupy the attention of the solons. Thus far some sixty bills have been introduced in the



RUSSELL A. ALGER.

two houses, and nine-tenths of them are purely local in their application. The time may possibly come when the people of the state of Michigan will consent to a change in the constitution which will leave this local legislation to the legislative bodies of the respective localities where it properly belongs, and thus cut the sessions of the state legislature squarely in two. Even as it is, only the representatives of the respective localities which the measures affect pay the slightest attention to these bills, but the expense entailed by them is increased wonderfully by the present system.

Vote for United States Senator.

Today the members of each house will, in accordance with the requirement, vote for United States senator. Today's vote will be taken in each house separately, the provision being that it shall be so taken on the second Tuesday of the legislative session. Tomorrow at high noon the two houses will meet in joint convention and the senators and representatives will cast their votes for their choice for this high office. This will complete the requirements, and General Russell A. Alger will then have been formally elected senator for the unexpired term of the late James McMillan.

It is altogether likely that the legislature will adjourn this week for ten days. This is to enable the two houses, or the committees thereof, to visit the various state institutions. In my first letter I predicted that the legislature would go back to the old plan of having a so-called junket, and it was returned to by unanimous consent, experience having taught those who succeeded in having it abolished two years ago that it is a saver of both time and money. This junket will take place much earlier this year than in previous sessions, the desire of the presiding officers being to have this necessary business out of the way at the earliest possible moment.

Favors Anti-Cigarette Law.

Mrs. Lucy Page Gaston of the anti-cigarette league of Chicago was here last week and interviewed a number of legislators with a view to having the anti-cigarette law of Tennessee enacted in Michigan. This law provides for fine and imprisonment for making, selling or bringing into the state any cigarettes. It is understood that Senator Westover will introduce the bill in the senate and that both the executive and educational departments of the state will give it their moral support at least.

If the recommendations of the state court of mediation and arbitration, which were made to the legislature a few days ago, are adopted there will be enacted a law which will require the chief executive of each city and village in the state to notify the court promptly of all labor troubles within their respective jurisdictions, so that the court may tender its services in effecting a settlement. The court does not believe in compulsory arbitration, deeming it an infringement of the constitutional rights of the individual. I believe the assertion is warranted that the powers of this court ought to be enlarged, or the court should be abolished. At present it is just about as useful as a fifth wheel to a wagon, and no more. For a number of years previous to the election of Governor Pingree successive executives paid no attention to this law, and purposely neglected to appoint members of this court, for the conceded reasons that the law gave the court no powers worthy of the name.

Representative Kirk of Tuscola, in

whose district a beet sugar factory is located, last week offered a concurrent resolution opposing Cuban reciprocity. The resolution was laid over one day under the rule, and when it came up for action its introducer had it tabled, explaining that "they were getting together down at Washington."

A determined effort will be made to have the game laws amended this year, the present session being no different from its predecessors in this regard. One of the unaccountable things about the enactment of laws in Michigan at least is that every session for the last quarter of a century sportsmen of Michigan have, after weeks of effort, secured just exactly the changes in the law they desired, only to bob up at the beginning of the next session with a long list of proposed amendments that must be made if the game is to be preserved and rights of the hunter protected. Just why these laws never remain satisfactory over night has yet to be demonstrated. This session is no exception to the rule, and the discussion of needed changes has been on in the newspapers of the state for several weeks, numerous sportsmen having expressed their views on the subject. Just what changes will be finally incorporated in the form of bills remains to be seen.

Ban on High-Power Guns.

Senator Burns of Grand Rapids has drafted a bill for early introduction which has for its object the prohibition of the use of high-power guns in hunting deer. Ever since these guns came into use the number of persons killed by stray bullets in the woods has annually increased, and it is in the hope of decreasing these fatalities that the Burns measure will be proposed. The introducer says he has found upon investigation that nearly all hunters kill deer at a distance of from four to five rods, so it is not necessary for sportsmen to use guns that will carry balls a mile or more. The bill will also prohibit the use in the woods of Michigan of explosives stronger than ordinary gunpowder.

Must Keep Their Eyes Open.

It is evident that the ways and means committee of the house and the finance and appropriations committee of the senate will have to tend to their knitting sharply if they succeed in keeping the appropriations of the present session below those of two years ago. There is no doubt that the appropriations to be asked for will materially exceed those of 1901, but, of course, all that is asked is not always given. One of the items to be asked for, it is understood, is \$150,000 for the Michigan exhibit at the St. Louis exposition. Advocates of this appropriation are already on the ground, but whether they are willing to compromise on a smaller sum has not yet developed. There will be some opposition to as large an appropriation as the sum mentioned.

Under the present law the primary school fund, into which goes the entire revenue from specific railroad taxation, is distributed on the basis of the number of children of a school age, between 5 and 20 years, in the respective municipalities. This is considered an inequitable distribution by some for the reason that a township or city may have a large number of such children within its borders, whereas an unusually small number of them actually attend school. A bill will be introduced for the purpose of making this distribution on the basis of the number of children who attend school.

Murder of McKinley Recalled.

An echo of the assassination of President McKinley was heard in the house this week when Representative Powell of Ionia introduced a bill providing capital punishment for one who, within the borders of this state, murders a president of the United States or any member of his cabinet. Election is the mode of death provided. The bill stipulates, however, that the jury may determine whether solitary confinement for life or death shall be the penalty.

Two years ago the legislature provided a mill tax for the support of the agricultural college, and on the basis of the present equalized valuation of the state this tax produces an annual revenue of about \$100,000. As the years go by this revenue will increase with the increasing value of the state. This revenue is much greater than the college received in previous years from the legislature, and in his recent message Governor Bliss expressed the opinion that the present revenue is too great. Friends of the college, however, and this does not mean that the governor is its enemy by any means, will oppose any measure which seeks to lower the rate.

One of the bills thus far introduced provides an appropriation of \$6,000 for a monument in honor of Michigan soldiers who died in Andersonville prison.

Design for Soldiers' Monument.

The state commission appointed by authority of the last legislature to select a design for a soldiers' monument to be erected in this city selected a design some weeks ago and recommended that the legislature appropriate not to exceed \$250,000 for this purpose. There is little probability that this appropriation will be made. While all agree that this would be a grand recognition of the Michigan soldiers living and dead and a recognition that will some day be made, they are apparently equally of the opinion that there is more urgent need just at present in other directions. The imperative necessity for either enlarging the state house or erecting a new office building for the accommodation of certain state departments is conceded by all, and it is highly probable that both the soldiers' monument project and the plan to erect a home for the governor will have to stand aside this year.

JAMES V. BARRY.

County Gleanings.

The board of Berrien Co. Supervisors who have been in session at St. Joseph during the past week adjourned Saturday after a week full of stormy scenes.

Representative John Lane is very ill at Lansing, and his wife accompanied by A. S. Roe has gone to care for him, latest reports say he is improving.

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1 lb Fancy 60c uncolored Japan tea..... 50c
1 lb 70c uncolored Japan Tea..... 60
1 lb 60c Japan Tea..... 50
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3 lbs good Prunes..... 10c
1 lb 3 Crown Raisins..... 9c
1 gal 40c cooking molasses..... 30c
1 gal Pall Fine Table Syrup..... 38c
6 lb good rice..... 25c
6 bars Lenox Soap wrapped in a heavy honey comb towel, 25c.
6 lbs dark brown sugar..... 25c
Yeast Foam per package..... 3c
Cash paid for Butter and Eggs.

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Elder Shepard preached in the
Evangelical church Sunday morning
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Everything in music and musical
sundries, all late copyrighted, 50-cent
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HELP WANTED.—Carriage and Wag-
on Mechanics of all classes. Studen-
baker Bros. Mfg. Co., South Bend, Ind.
F. 11.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Pres-
byterian church met at the home of
Mrs. Geo. Howard on Tuesday after-
noon.

Parkinson, 1st door east of Roe's
hardware, will do your shoe repair-
ing promptly and neatly. "That's
So" 7t-81

FOR SALE—Household goods of
Mrs. Sarah Rogers, deceased. Resi-
dence Day's avenue, opposite M. E.
church. Call in the afternoons.

Prof. Mercer spent Saturday in St.
Joseph arranging for the basket ball
game to be played there on Friday
evening between Buchanan and St.
Joseph high schools.

C. Bell has opened a shoe and har-
ness repairing shop, over Smith's Ci-
gar factory, also harness cleaning will
be done at very reasonable prices; he
asks a trial. He will please you.

W. D. House will run a bus to
South Bend every Thursday leaving
Klondike livery at 7 o'clock, return-
ing leaves street car depot at 4 o'clock
50¢ round trip. Engage seats. **

The Presbyterian church will give
a sleigh ride party this (Wednesday)
evening, making their destination
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Han-
ley. An oyster supper will be served
or coffee and doughnuts for those
who prefer. The supper will be 25¢,
or the luncheon for 10¢, as one may
desire. Those having the affair in
charge hope for a large attendance

In speaking of the basket ball game
last Friday evening the Benton Har-
bor Palladium says: Buchanan has
a fine team, but it was the opinion of
many that the Benton Harbor boys
could have won out if they had not
been so over-confident. They will
play a return game in the near future
here. The Benton Harbor people re-
turned home about midnight much
pleased with the fine treatment they
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Try our 20c. coffee. W. H. Keller.

Free! an elegant Ping Pong set at
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30 CLUB—M. L. CLUB.

Delightful Occasion for the Club Women
of the Village.

The ladies of the Thirty club gave
a reception to the ladies of the Mon-
day club Friday afternoon, January
16, at the home of Mrs. Rena Desen-
berg. A perfect winter day beamed
out of doors and pretty toilets and
smiling faces filled the home of the
hostess.

Mrs. Cook, the president of the 30
Club in well chosen words spoke the
welcome and briefly recounted the
purpose of such organizations. Mrs.
Whitman, the president of the Mon-
day Literary club, voiced the re-
sponse of the guests.

All united in singing America and
after viewing a forceful word picture
of what the United States would be
without the mineral wealth, the lum-
ber, grain and fruit, the lake traffic
and fisheries of our own state, given
by Mrs. Mand Peck and Mrs. Fannie
Wells, all joined in singing "Michigan
my Michigan."

The Snowflake, sung by Mrs. Gar-
land, was warmly applauded. The
ladies then united in a memory test
of which Mrs. P. N. Weaver retains
a pleasant reminder. Dainty refresh-
ments and sprightly conversation filled
the flying minutes to the good by
hour.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Vanderslice Enter-
tain.

Monday evening at the pretty sub-
urban home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwight
L. Vanderslice the corp of officers and
teachers of the Presbyterian Sunday
school were gathered for considera-
tion of plans for the advancement of
the Sunday school and to enjoy a so-
cial hour. After some time spent in
arranging progressive work for the
Sunday school, the business meeting
was adjourned and an hour of pleas-
ure and merriment was experienced
with croquet, ping-pong and flinch.
This was followed by a tempting two
course luncheon served on the dainti-
est of china.

The guests left with many expres-
sions of pleasure for the delightful
evening.

The party were conveyed to and
from the residence by a sleigh pro-
vided by Mr. Vanderslice.

30 Club

The regular meeting of the 30 club
was held at the home of Mrs. Gertrude
Garland last Wednesday. Mrs. May
Roe had charge of the history lesson.
Mrs. Sylvia Cook's paper on the No-
menclature of the Counties of the Up-
per Peninsula, was made interesting
by the use of the map.

Mrs. Garland at Miss Wilcox's re-
quest, sang a solo which was enjoyed
by all. Mrs. Florence Hall's paper,
Indian Names, was also very interest-
ing.

At recess, to the surprise of all, Mrs.
Garland invited the ladies to the
dining room where they were served
with dainty refreshments, after which
current events were given and dis-
cussed and they adjourned to meet
January 21 with Mrs. May Roe.

PERSONAL.

Alta Wright spent Saturday in
Galen.

Nina Holiday spent Saturday in
Three Oaks.

Mrs. Hailey Koons, of Dowagiac,
was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Perrott spent
Saturday in South Bend.

Miss Nettie Burt, of South Bend,
was in town the first of the week.

Messrs. Berdie and Alvin Longfel-
low, of Galien, were in town Saturday.

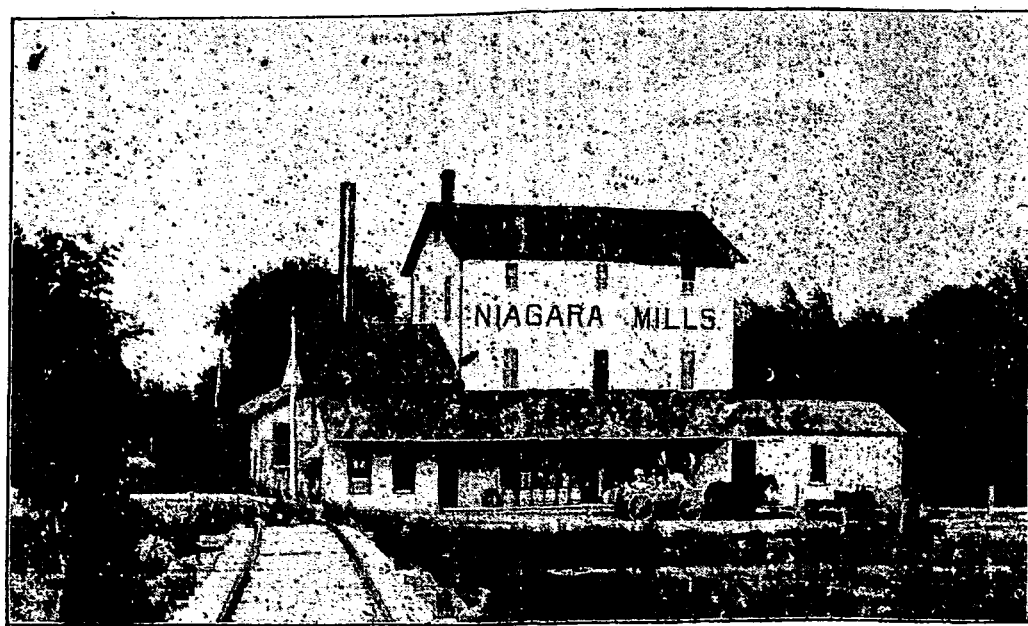
Miss Mary Lyddick returned home
Saturday after a two week's visit in
South Bend.

Mrs. W. N. Brodrick returned Sat-
urday after a two week's visit in
Grand Rapids.

Miss Grace Crandall, who has been
spending two months with her brother
in Elkhart, is home for a time.

Miss Winifred Noble returned Sat-
urday evening from a visit, of some
time, with relatives and friends, in
Chicago.

Miss Hattie Keith, Bud Keith, Jno.
Parren and Esther O. Barton, of
Sawyer, visited at M. K. Spaulding,
Sunday. Edna and Lucy Spaulding
returned home with them.



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In the RECORD window you will
notice a fine photograph of the show
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Mich. The photograph was sent to
our townsmen Messrs. Bainton Bros.
and shows a fine display of their flour,
as well as an exhibition of bakery
goods made from the flour.

Dr. Roe Entertains

There is not a young man in our
village who will be more missed from
its social life than Dr. Claud B. Roe,
and it is with regret that the people
of the village see him prepare for
leaving the place.

Tuesday evening of last week he
gave a farewell stag party to about 20
of his friends and mingled with the
regret of the prospects of losing the
Doctor's society, was the keen de-
light of the evening spent with him
as host.

Notice.

All persons are forbidden throwing
ashes in the streets, by order of the
marshal.

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Cards of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friend
and neighbors who have shown us
such kindness during the death and
illness of our husband and father
and especially do we thank the peo-
ple of the Larger Hope church, particu-
larly the choir, for their sympathy
and kindness.

MRS. JESSE PROUD
AND CHILDREN.

I wish to express my thanks to the
singers who furnished the beautiful
and appropriate music, and to all
friends who so kindly assisted me
during the sickness and death of my
mother, Mrs. Rogers.

MRS. E. A. ADAMS

Buchanan Creamery.

On Thursday evening of this week
at the home of S. A. Ferguson the
will be held a meeting of persons in-
terested in the creamery.

Everybody who is interested in the
development of this industry ac-
cuses to learn more of its working,
is invited to be present and hear the
matter discussed.

Notice

Wm Perrott (Circle No. 20 L. of
A. R. request every member of the
Circle and Post to meet at the G.
R. hall Friday eve. Jan. 23. The
Dept. Treas. and Dept. Chn. plain a-
expected to be present, also McKi-
ley Circle of Galien. Refreshments
will be served.

Bethany Class.

Monday evening thirty-four mem-
bers of the Bethany class with the
popular teacher, A. A. Worthington,
enjoyed a sleigh ride to Niles, being
entertained by Miss Ada VanRipe.
An old fashioned oyster supper was
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The organization feel that it was
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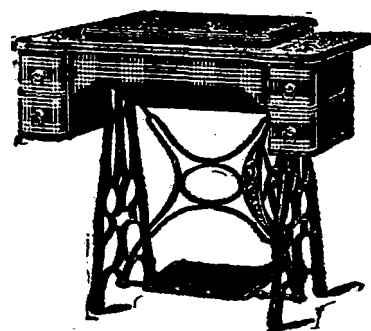
The Galien Sunday School Conven-
tion will meet Jan. 25

The Oronoko Township Sunday
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12 Box Matches..... 10c
1 lb. Ginger Snaps..... 5c
1 lb. Ginger Snaps..... 7c
1 lb. Ginger Snaps..... 10c
1 lb. Tea, worth 70c..... 60c
1 lb. Tea, worth 60c..... 50c
18 lbs. granulated Sugar..... 1.00
1 lb. C Sugar..... 1.00

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WAS SHOT ON SIGHT

South Carolina's Lieutenant Governor "Does" an Editor on the Street.

SEQUEL OF A CAMPAIGN QUARREL

Victim, Unarmed, Shot Down Without a Chance to "Draw."

Men Had Met on the Street Daily and No Sign Been Given of a Coming Tragedy.

Columbia, S. C., Jan. 16.—Narciso Gener Gonzales, editor of The State, is at the Columbia hospital in a critical condition from a pistol wound inflicted by James H. Tillman, lieutenant governor of South Carolina, and a nephew of United States Senator Tillman. The shooting occurred on Main street, just at the intersection of Gervais street, in full view of the state capitol the most frequented corner in Columbia. It was just a few moments before 2 p. m. when the cry was passed along the streets that "Jim Tillman has shot N. G. Gonzales."

Wound Is Probably Fatal.
Gonzales was taken to the office of The State, where physicians pronounce his wound very dangerous and probably fatal. Policeman Boland immediately after the shooting arrested Lieutenant Governor Tillman and took him to the police headquarters, where he was relieved of two pistols with one of which he shot Gonzales. From the police station he was taken to the county jail, where he was kept under protection of officers. The only attributed cause for the shooting is that during the recent primary election Gonzales bitterly opposed Lieutenant Governor Tillman in his race for governor.

Some of Gonzales' "Criticism."
During the progress of that campaign Gonzales in his fight to defeat Tillman had editorially called him a debauchee and blackguard, and having denounced him as a "criminal candidate," and "a proven liar." It was this and other such editorials, it is supposed, that goaded Tillman to the murder. Since the first primary, Aug. 26, 1902, Gonzales has had nothing to say about Tillman except to comment upon the result of the primary.

SHOT DOWN WITHOUT A CHANCE

Seems to Have Been the Way Gonzales Met His Probable Death Wound.

There appears to be no conflict of testimony as to the essential features of the tragedy. Gonzales was walking home alone from his office. Lieutenant Governor Tillman left the state house just after the senate, over which he presided, had adjourned. He came out of the state house accompanied by State Senators Talbott, of Beaufort, and Brown, of Darlington, and was joined on his way up town by Representative Elect Wyatt Aiken and ex-State Deputy Dominick. The meeting with Gonzales was just at the turn of Main and Gervais streets, on the north side of the street. There was no encounter, no fist fighting, no laying on of hands. Tillman, so far as the evidence discloses, simply drew his revolver and fired at Gonzales.

Most of those who saw the affair say there was nothing said until after the shot. One of Tillman's escorts says he thinks Tillman said: "I received your message," and then fired. He is not certain of this, but thinks so. The other companion of Tillman says he did not hear anything, but thinks he would have heard any words if they were spoken. Two or three others say they heard nothing until after the firing of the pistol.

Gonzales himself gave an explicit statement of the affair prior to being put under an anesthetic. He was very emphatic in saying that he had not sent any message to Tillman at any time, and that Tillman said nothing until after he had fired; after he had shot he said something about taking him (Gonzales) at his word. Gonzales took this to mean that Tillman told him that he was settling old issues face to face with him. Gonzales is certain that nothing was said until after the shot was fired, when he tottered to the street car transfer station again which he leaned. Tillman was still pointing his pistol at him, whereupon Gonzales said: "Shoot again you coward." Tillman lowered his pistol and walked away.

WOUND IS AN UGLY ONE

Bullet Passed Through the Victim's Body from Side to Side.

There was only one shot fired, and that entered the right side just above the vest pocket, passed through the forepart of the body and came out just below and behind the left vest pocket. The bullet was picked up on the pavement. Gonzales and Tillman passed each other in full view since the opening of the present session of the legislature on last Tuesday, but there was no encounter, no word passed, and no recognition of any kind before yesterday. Throughout the affair yesterday Lieutenant Governor Tillman was perfectly cool and collected, sober and unexcited, to all appearances. Gonzales was unarmed. A few moments after the wounded man had been conveyed to the office of his newspaper half a dozen or more physicians were going all they could to save his life.

It was promptly decided that the only hope was to perform an operation,

and it was performed at the city hospital late yesterday afternoon. The operation was regarded as successful, but in the judgment of the physicians the wounded man has only one chance in five to live. His constitution and habits of life, however, are stated to be greatly in his favor. The wound is an ugly one, the liver and intestines being punctured.

Lieutenant Governor Tillman was asked for a statement, but said he had been advised by his counsel to say absolutely nothing and he followed their advice to the letter.

HITCH IN THE SCHEME

Detroit's Mayor and the Coal Yard Men Do Not Agree on the Price for Coal.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 16.—The Detroit municipal coal commission, which it had been announced would be ready to open business on a considerable scale at 7 a. m. today, ran up against a snag last night in the form of a notice from Lindemann Bros., from whose yard the biggest part of the business was to have been done, that the price list issued by the commission was not satisfactory to the owners of the yard, and that the coal could not be handled in small quantities there at the prices proposed.

It was the price list for orders of less than half a ton that was the bone of contention, but this was the very feature that was applauded as giving the poor people relief. In larger orders the commission was offering no better prices than the dealers. Mayor Maybury arranged for a conference and expressed the hope that he would be able to offer Lindemann Bros. concessions that would be satisfactory.

NOTHING LIKE INVESTIGATION

Pretty Sure to Catch Somebody in the Chicago Coal Plot Dragnet, It Would Seem.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—Despite the fact that a special grand jury is investigating the coal situation in Chicago a further inquiry as to the facts will be made by a committee composed of one member of each of the following organizations: Federation of Labor, Illinois Manufacturers' association, Commercial club, Merchants' club and the Civic Federation.

The demand for the investigation by such a committee came from a number of representative coal men of Chicago at a conference with the members of the coal committee of the Illinois Manufacturers' association. The new investigating committee will begin its work at once.

Chief Act of the Stock Men.

Kansas City, Jan. 16.—The most important work of the national live stock convention was the passage of resolutions, the pith of which is the following: "Resolved, That we approve the suggestion of President Roosevelt in his last annual message to congress that larger areas of these semi-arid lands should be allowed for a home-stand, and that a commission of experts be appointed to investigate the existing condition and suggest to congress the remedies that will be fair and just and will build up rather than retard the growth and improvement of the west."

Elopers Take Long Chances.

Metropolis, Ills., Jan. 16.—In spite of a river full of floating ice which is preventing steamboats from running Lee Langston and Buelah Estes eloped from Rossington, Ky., braved the danger and crossed to Metropolis in a skiff. A crowd on the river bank watched the lovers make the perilous journey. The wedding took place shortly after the young couple got safely across the river.

Ten Hurt in a Collision.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—Last night at Oak Park, Ills., in a rear-end collision between two local passenger trains on the Chicago and Northwestern railway two persons were seriously injured and eight more slightly hurt. The seriously injured are Eric Harber, Elmhurst, Ills., back and internally, and E. R. Haase, Oak Park, Ills., head and arm.

Another Fake Hero Found.

Alliance, O., Jan. 16.—Terrill S. Arnold was arrested yesterday and has confessed that he fastened a heavy chain around a rail on the Fort Wayne railroad track a week ago. His motive, he said, was to "discover" the obstruction in time to prevent a wreck and thus gain favor with the railroad people.

Judge Cummings Very Ill.

Springfield, Ills., Jan. 16.—Ex-Senator Darnell, who was in the city, was called last night to Astoria by a telegram received from the daughter of Judge S. P. Cummings, a well-known Democratic politician, who stated that her father was lying at the point of death.

Vineta Fires a Shell.

Puerto Cabello, Jan. 16.—The German cruiser Vineta, at sunset Wednesday night, fired a shell at La Vigia, the fort crowning the hills behind this port. The shell, which was fired because men were believed to be in the fort, exploded without causing damage.

Tommy Ryan Knocks Out Stiff.

Kansas City, Jan. 16.—Tommy Ryan, the middleweight champion, knocked out Billy Stiff, of Chicago, in the fourth round of a ten-round bout at the Delaware club last night. It was Ryan's fight from the start.

Tried Matricide and Suicide.

Platteville, Wis., Jan. 16.—Chris Steur, living north of town, after having tried to kill his mother attempted his own life by cutting his throat. He is still alive, but death is expected. His mother will recover.

DEATH OF T. J. JONES.

An Old Time Citizen of Buchanan.

T. J. Jones, the venerable colored barber, died at 2:30 o'clock this morning of heat failure. Deceased was born in Kentucky in July, 1823. For many years he had been a resident of Niles and was extensively known and much esteemed. For a long time Mr. Jones was a deacon in the A. M. E. church, and was a regular attendant at divine worship. He is survived by a wife, four sons and two daughters. The children are as follows: Charles R. and Harry Jones, of Niles; John Jones, Omaha, Neb.; Frank Jones, St. Paul, Minn.; Mrs. Eva Dorsey, Pittsburgh, Pa.; and Mrs. Cora Wilson, of Niles.

Funeral announcement later
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KELSEY DISTRICT.

Robert and Edna Poulson are out of school, sick with colds.

Only eight pupils were in school Monday, and Miss Miller did not arrive before ten o'clock on account of the drifts. After school was out a friend of the teacher's, very popular among the young people of Buchanan, dressed in her father's trousers and brother's boots waded down to invite Miss Miller to stay with her until the weather moderated. "A friend in need is a friend in deed." And we leave it to you to guess who she is.

Tuesday the men of the neighborhood shoveled out the snow drifts and the school attendance was about as usual.

Quotations were given by the pupils Friday morning.

Ida Newsom is no better than she was at the last writing.

Etta Montague returned home Tuesday from a visit in Three Oaks.

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BENTON HARBOR.

Benton Harbor has the gold fish craze, one firm sold 500 in the last three weeks.

The mercury hovered around the zero mark the first of the week and several water pipes burst and one cellar flooded.

This city is fortunate in having on hand nearly 3000 tons of soft coal, while in Niles, St. Joseph and other places there is a great scarcity.

According to the librarian's report, 90% of the books taken from the public library last month, were works of fiction. Only 8 books on religion were read.

Rev. E. A. Hoffman of the Presbyterian church has asked Andrew Carnegie to give them a pipe organ, as the great philanthropist is making a record for himself in this line.

Application has been made at the Kalamazoo insane asylum for the admission of Cyrus Curtis, who is well known in Buchanan and who was the engineer of the Spencer and Barne factory for seventeen years. His mind has been failing for some time and now it seemed advisable to send him to the asylum. Judge Ellsworth will pass upon his case today.

The World Moves Quickly.

New ideas and higher education stamp the literature with every succeeding production. Atlases and maps last year, or two or three years ago, counted for little and counted far less as the year 1903 approached. There is why Tunison's New Indexed Wall Atlas, being the latest, has all the up-to-date creations. What does your favorite paper do? They give you this new Wall Atlas entirely free with one year's subscription to the Record. Delivered free at this office. By mail 10c extra for tubing packing and postage.

GLENDORA.

The mantle of snow is most beautiful, the whitest that ever came.

All north and south roads were drifted full and in many places deep cuts have had to be made to make them passable.

Mr. Hatch, the father of Mrs. Harry Granger, is making his home with her this winter.

Mr. Lewis Paul has moved into his new residence beside the Baptist church. They seem very much at home.

Claude and Harold Blackmun have been enjoying a siege of chickenpox. They are recovering, a fact causing more rejoicing.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kool is seriously ill with whooping cough and lung fever, with but little hopes of recovery.

The creamery was so badly frozen up Tuesday that it took a long time to get it in working order.

Of Interest in the Kitchen.

Those who exercise supervision over the family board will be interested in the suggestions for the menu appearing in The Delineator for February. Some dainty ways of serving midwinter fruits are described and illustrated, and the suggestions in regard to winter vegetables should be appreciated by those who find it difficult to present stored products attractively. Dishes renowned in Scottish history is a feature and offers some choice recipes. An apparently excellent assortment of recipes for cakes and fillings is also included.

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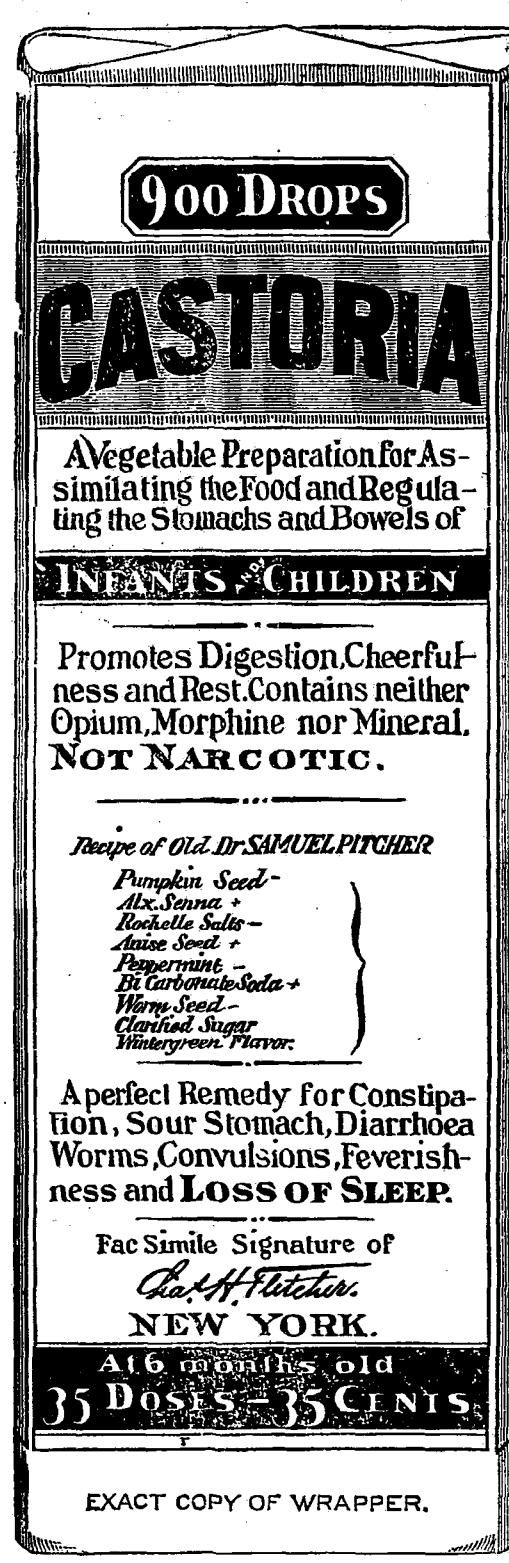
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