

Special Sale of Carpets for March

GEO. WYMAN & CO. offer an entire new line of carpets at special price for March, we also make all our carpets ready to lay, free of charge during March; this is to facilitate the carpet business for the busy part of the season.

We offer a good Cotton Ingrain for 25c; a Cotton Granite 25c; Sultana, double-faced carpets 25c; "Crex" Grass carpets in hall runners and plain, 30 inches wide 25 cents a yard.

Cotton Chain extra two-ply Ingrain carpets 30c and 35c.

Best quality all wool, two-ply extra Super, yard wide carpets 45c to 65c.

Tapestry Brussels 50c to 75c.

Velvet carpets 85c to Royal Wilton Velvet \$1.35.

Japanese Rugs, 6x9 \$5.50; 7 ft. 6 in. x 10 ft. 6 in. \$9.50; 9x12 \$12.50; especially suited for dens and bedrooms. Tapestry Brussels Rugs 9x12 \$12.50. Wilton Rugs 9x12 \$27.50, \$30 and \$35. Japanese Matting, cotton chain 25c, some more and some less. China Mattings 9c yd and up. Wild's Linoleums 45c to \$1.40 per square yard. Oil Cloths 20c to 35c square yard. Opaque shades 20c and upward, also cheaper shades. We make window shades to order.

Suits.
We are now showing the best assortment of styles in Ladies' and Misses' Spring Suits ever shown by us. Sizes Misses' 14 to 16, Ladies' 32 to 44, \$10 to \$45.

Skirts.
Ladies Walking Skirts, \$2.50 to \$10. Dress Skirts \$1 to \$25. We carry extra large sizes in some styles.

Shirt Waists.
We are now showing white mercerized and other wash waists for spring. White waists \$1 and up. Colored waists 50c and up, sizes 32 to 44.

Trunks and Bags.
We carry a full line of Trunks, Bags, Suit Cases and Telescopes in our Cloak Dept, second floor, prices reasonable.

Toilet Articles.
We offer Kirk's Juvenile soap 10c cake. Pear's unscented soap 10c. Pear's scented 15c. Mennen's Talcum Powder 10c. Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder 10c. We carry a full line of Hudnut's Perfumes and Toilet Articles. Hair Brushes and Clothes Brushes 10c and up. A 20 oz. roll of extra quality Toilet Paper, 2,000 sheets to roll, 10c, 3 for 25 cents.

Gorsets.
We carry R. & G. Corsets in the different styles and lengths, and Ferris Waists—the two best lines in their kinds made.

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GEO. WYMAN & CO.
SOUTH BEND, IND.
Closed evenings except Saturday



M. W. A. County Convention

TOMORROW, April 1st, there will be held all over the United States the county conventions of the Modern Woodmen of America, the important business being to elect delegates to the various state conventions to be held May 6. The meeting of this state will be held in Owosso. The Berrien county convention will be held in Buchanan, and as this county is most thoroughly organized, standing second in size of membership in the state, being excelled only by Kent county, there is a large delegation expected here at that time. There will probably be between 80 and 100 delegates present.

The membership of the Buchanan camp is 238, and beside being one of the largest camps, it is also next to the oldest camp, having been organized in September 1889. Three Oaks camp was the only camp then organized in the state.

The auxiliary to the M. W. A., the Royal Neighbors is also a strong lodge here, there being in Primrose

camp No. 896, 98 members. They have the distinction of having had the first oracle in the state, as Buchanan had the first Royal Neighbor lodge in the state, Mrs. H. M. Brodrick having held the office of oracle. The lodge also has the honor of having one of the officers of the state camp, Mrs. Clara Richards, hold office in the local camp. Mrs. Richards is state oracle and has supervision of the work in Indiana, Michigan and Ohio. The Royal Neighbors will serve dinner on Wednesday to the visiting delegates.

The Woodmen committee on arrangements are Messrs. A. L. Emerson, O. P. Woodworth and Dr. H. M. Brodrick, who are making extensive plans for the accommodation of the guests, and will give them a royal welcome and a cordial good time while they are in the village. The hall will be elaborately decorated and other plans now in progress will be carried out to make the convention a grand success.

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THE GLOVE DEPARTMENT

Our new glove department is situated in the middle aisle. The \$1.00 Bargain Gloves are our share of an enormous import order. These gloves are made from the choicest and most carefully selected skins. Superior in fit and finish. Elastic, durable and guaranteed absolutely perfect. This price is the lowest gloves of such superior quality were ever sold for in South Bend.

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Your choice of five different styles at 95 cents each. These are bargains.

Four styles of silk petticoats for \$4.95 each. Best silk petticoat you ever saw for the money.

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This week we place on sale 100 Bates Bed Spreads at 98 cents each.

150 Fine Fringe Bed Spreads, extra size, worth \$1.85 for \$1.25.

Mail orders will receive prompt attention.

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113-115 NORTH MICHIGAN ST.,
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Our stock of Spring Goods is Complete, we show all the good things that are usually found in an up-to-date Dry Goods store at tempting prices.

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In our Dress Goods department we show all the new Spring Novelties, including the Etamines, Voiles, Twines, Crashes, Burlaps, Maltese, Mohairs, Mohaired Zebeline, Nuns Veilings, Grenadine Mistrals.

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You will want a Silk Jacket or a Silk Skirt and we have prepared for you. 36, 27, and 19 inch Black Taffetas 50c, \$1.25 yd. Peau De Soie.....

Colored Silks in Waist Patterns only, Pongees in colored hand embroidered figures, plain natural color Pongees, Peau de Soie, Peau de Sygnes, dainty figured and stripes China Silks.

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Best on earth suits—Famous Siegels make at \$10, others at \$13.00 \$15, \$20.00.

Skirts in the Voiles Mistrals, Cheviot, \$5 to \$10. Walking Skirt \$2 to \$5.00.

Suits and Skirts

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We buy our waists from one of the best waist manufacturers, perfect-fitting and correct in style. Pretty China silk waists in the Ecorse lace and embroidery fronts. Taffeta and Peau de Soie in colors and black. Prices ranging from 2.50 to \$9.00



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Newest dress trimmings, embroideries, appliques and laces. Novelties in Neckwear and belts.

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We extend an invitation to all to call and examine our stock.

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Buchanan's Business Openings.

Splendid opportunity for a couple of good factories; two good brick buildings ready, waiting for occupation.

Under the above head we will publish from time to time business opportunities as we see them, and any one desiring information and addressing the RECORD we will do all we can to furnish information desired.

REPUBLICANS OF MICHIGAN.

Do your duty at the polls on Monday, April 6th. The Republicans of Michigan should be impressed with the importance of the approaching election. Aside from the important local offices to be filled there is to be elected an associate justice of the Supreme Court and two regents of the University. It is important that men of acknowledged ability and special fitness are placed in these positions, the incumbents of which have to deal with questions of the greatest interest and importance to all the people of the State. The Republican nominees for these offices are well qualified for the positions which they seek, and they deserve the hearty support of every Republican in the State. That support involves the duty of going to the polls and casting a ballot. There should be no apathy this spring. Every Republican in Michigan should go to the polls on April 6 and do his duty.

The nominees for the township offices on the republican ticket do not need any words from us; they are well known to all and are men thoroughly fitted for the positions.

The candidate on the republican ticket for Chief Justice, Hon. Frank A. Hooker, came up through the ranks by virtue of an indomitable will and an unflagging energy. When he was a young lad his father moved from Connecticut to Maumee City, Ohio, and shortly thereafter permanently located Fort Dearborn in the latter state. Very early in his career he found it necessary to engage in hard manual labor, and at the age of 14 began to learn the trade of a stone mason and he followed this trade during the favorable months until he attained his majority. During the winter months, when unable to work at his trade, he occupied his time in study and private teaching. At the age of 18 years he took a commercial course with a view to fitting himself for a business career, but he had a strong aversion to commercial life and soon turned his attention to the study of law.

When but a few months past his majority young Hooker was admitted to the bar and immediately entered upon the practice of his profession at Bryan, Ohio, having formed a partnership with John A. Simon. Some 16 months later he moved to Charlotte, Michigan, where he has ever since maintained his legal residence, although residing at Lansing for the past ten years in compliance with the statute which requires Justices of the Supreme Court to live at the seat of government. He was warmly received in his new home where his sterling worth and unusual ability were soon recognized. In May following his removal to Charlotte he was made superintendent of schools of Eaton county, a position which he held until May 1, 1879. From 1869 to 1875 he was one of the justices of the peace of Eaton county, and from 1873 to 1877 was prosecuting attorney. So well did he discharge the duties of these positions that in April 1878, he was elected judge of the fifth judicial circuit of Michigan, and continued upon the circuit bench until he was elected associate justice of the Supreme court to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Chief Justice Allan C. Morse. In April 1893, he was reelected to this position for the full term of ten years.

It will be seen that Justice Hooker's experience on the circuit and supreme benches extends over a period of a full quarter of a century, thus grandly equipping him for the great office he has filled so acceptably for

the past ten years and which he will continue to fill with credit to himself and honor to the State for ten years more. Justice Hooker, because of his conspicuous abilities, has been afforded an opportunity to become a jurist of acknowledged ability. He has made the most of this opportunity and the people of the State are to be congratulated on the fact that now in the very ripeness of his talents they will continue to have the benefit of his services on the bench.

TOWNSHIP CAUCUSES.

Nominations Made for the Various Township Officers.

The republicans of Buchanan township held their nomination caucus in Rough's Opera House on Saturday, March 23, 1903. There was a large turnout of voters and workers. There was a good deal of interest developed in the nomination of clerk, treasurer and highway commissioner, in which a ballot was necessary to decide the candidate.

The caucus was called to order by A. A. Worthington and the following officers were nominated: C. F. Pears, chairman; E. L. Kelsey, secretary and F. H. Andrews, Frank Lamb and Herbert Roe as tellers. They were all duly sworn in by A. A. Worthington.

Upon motion of John Hanover it was declared that they take an informal ballot for supervisor.

The ballot for the nomination of supervisor was as follows: Total number of votes cast 161; Jos. P. Beistle 129; Frank Fisk 14; H. F. Kingery 10; scattering 8.

Motion was made by G. W. Noble that the informal ballot be declared formal and Jos. P. Beistle be declared as nominated for supervisor. Motion was supported by I. N. Vincent and Mr. Beistle was declared nominated for supervisor.

The ballot for the nomination of clerk was as follows: Total number of votes cast 208; F. W. Ravin 189; G. W. Batchelor 69. Mr. F. W. Ravin was declared as nominated for clerk.

The ballot for treasurer was as follows: Total number of votes cast 221; Will Miller 98; C. D. Kent 95; F. G. Lewis 15; Thomas C. Sterns 18. There being no choice on the first ballot for treasurer, a second ballot was taken resulting as follows: Total number of votes cast 226; Will Miller 129; C. D. Kent 92; scattering 5. Will Miller was declared elected as treasurer.

The ballot for the nomination of highway commissioner was as follows: Total number of votes cast 235; Wm. Wray 121; Chas. Bradley 97; Jacob Weaver 12; scattering 5. Wm. Wray was declared as nominated for highway commissioner.

The ballot for justice of the peace was as follows: Total number of votes cast 102; Chas. E. Sabin 85; W. H. Keller 17. Mr. Chas. E. Sabin was declared nominated.

The ballot for the board of Review was as follows: Total number of votes cast 47; Chas. Bishop 29; H. F. Kingery 14; Geo. Searls 3; Herman Davis 1. Chas. Bishop was declared nominated for board of review.

Motion was made by G. W. Noble, that rules be suspended and Mrs. Eliza Emery be nominated to succeed herself for school inspector. Motion supported by B. F. Needham and Mrs. Emery was declared the nominee for school inspector.

Mr. B. F. Needham made a motion that the rules be suspended and the four constables be nominated by acclamation, supported by G. W. Noble. The constables were nominated as follows: Clinton McCollum, John Camp, Lee Bunker and Ross Reynolds. Motion was made by I. L. H. Dodd and supported by B. F. Needham, that John W. Broceus be nominated by acclamation as a committeeman for the next three years to succeed D. E. Hinman, whose term expires. Motion carried.

It was decided that the officers nominated should pay for the rent of the hall.

The caucus then adjourned with a splendid ticket nominated to the satisfaction of every one.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.

Saturday afternoon in the Council Chamber the democrats met to nominate a township ticket. A. F. Howe was elected chairman and Henry C. Eisle, Secretary, Geo. Hess and Wm. Batten were appointed tellers.

The following nominations were made: J. L. Richards, supervisor; Edson B. Weaver, clerk; Henry R. Adams, treasurer; George Hess highway commissioner; Mrs. Mary Stryker, school inspector; Wm. R. Rough, board of review; Richard V. Clark,

justice of the peace, Lewis Proud, Wm D. House, Chas. Bates, H. C. Eisle, Constables.

PROHIBITION CAUCUS

The prohibition caucus met in the council chamber Monday evening, Myron Mead, president; O. F. Richmond, secretary.

The following officers were nominated: M. S. Mead, supervisor; W. F. Runner, treasurer; H. M. Mowery, clerk; Jos. Beach, highway commissioner; Chas. Shook, school inspector.

DAYTON.

Mrs. E. Parkinson visited in Dayton Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Edna Weaver went to New Carlisle Friday to help care for her mother who is very ill.

A large crowd attended the entertainment at the school house last Friday and Saturday evening of last week, and went home feeling they had the worth of their money.

F. H. Weaver cut his foot quite badly Tuesday morning.

Mrs. S. Martin and son, Burton, who have been visiting in Iona the past three weeks, returned to their home Saturday.

Mrs. Ida Strunk and son, Harry, visited at Bertrand on Sunday.

Mrs. Gogle of Dayton, and neice, Miss Smith, of Saginaw, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stryker last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wosley visited in town Friday.

Mr. A. W. Pane returned from Ann Arbor Friday of last week and on Monday he went to Chicago.

Frank Strink went to Bertrand Wednesday.

Last Chance.

If you do not get one of the best \$1 maps you ever saw for nothing do not blame us. This week we will still give you a chance to get a \$1.00 map and the RECORD for a year for \$1.25. A number are availing themselves of this last chance, if you do not you will be to blame.

Interurban Electric R. R.

South Bend is to have another interurban railroad from South Bend to New Carlisle, Hudson Lake and Michigan City.

The work is to begin at once, the steel rails intended to be used from Niles to St. Joseph will be used. The distance is 34 miles.

PUBLIC SALES.

Saturday, April 4, Mrs. John Gogle will sell 1 Champion combined machine, 1 spike tooth drag, 1 corn sheller, 1 hand cart, shovels, rakes, hoes post diggers, 30 bu. shelled corn, 50 bu. corn in the crib, seed corn, 1 ton clover hay, corn stock fodder, heating stove, cook stove, carpet, milk safe, cupboard, clothes presses, chairs, tables, bedsteads, bedding, dishes, soft coal, wood and numerous other articles.

Tuesday, April 7, Harroff Bros. will sell at their residence 4 1/2 miles west of Buchanan: 2 horses, 2 cows, and calves, 11 shoats, 1 sow, 1 boar, 300 bu. corn, 40 bu. potatoes, 5 chickens, 8 tons of hay, 2 bu. seed corn, 1 lot cabbage, 1 lumber wagon, 1 corn planter, wire checker, 1 hay rake, 2 drags, 1 bob sled, 2 top buggies, 2 sets single harnesses, 1 set fly nets, shovels, forks, post hole diggers, wire stretcher, grind stone, log chains and other articles too numerous to mention.

Tuesday, April 7, Chas. A. Sabin will sell at Maple Grove, 6 miles north west: 4 horses, 5 cows, 2 yr. heifers, 2 yearling heifers, 2 calves, 1 Hereford bull, 25 sheep, 10 tons timothy, 6 tons marsh hay, straw, 2 wagons, 1 buggy, hayrack, wood rack, dump boards, Champion mower, hay rake, 1 horse drill, 2 horse Deering cultivator, 1 garden cultivator, 2 harrows, 1 olive plow, 2 shovel plows, 3 log chains, 1 large iron kettle, 1 grind stone, 2 sets of heavy harness, 2 sets single harness, Harpoon hayfork, hoes, forks, shovels, 50 bu. potatoes; 10 bu. early Mich., 10 bu. wonderful, 10 bu. Sir W. Raleigh, 5 bu. early rose all selected seed, 1 bu. race horse, seed corn selected, 3 bu. ex early yellow dent selected seed corn, quantity of selected sweet corn seed, pumpkin seed, squash seed, cook stove, walnut extension table, square table, chairs, bedsteads, carpets, and many other household goods too numerous to mention.

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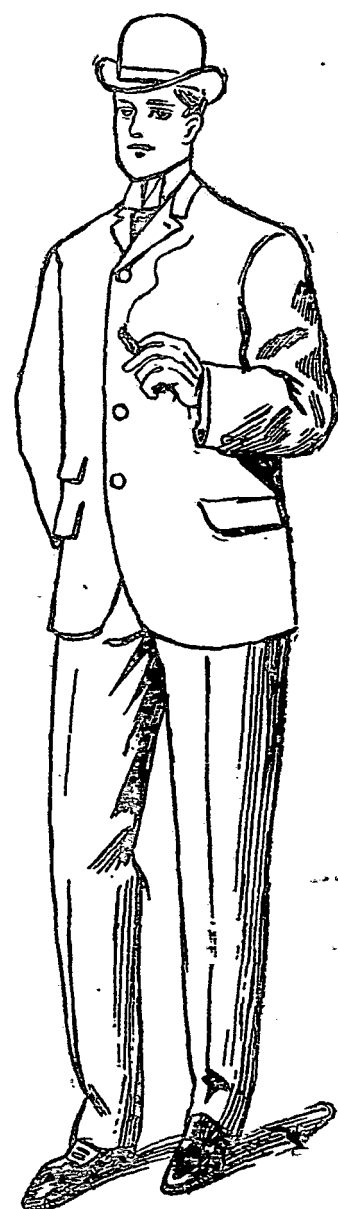
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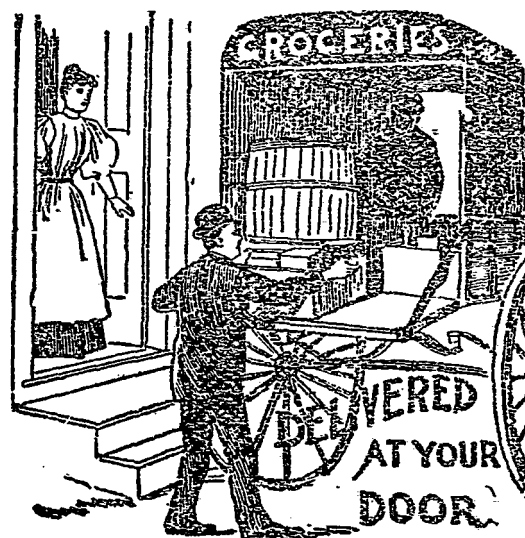
On Wednesday, April 1, at the residence of Edward J. Long, will occur the postponed sale which did not take place as advertised last week on account of the stormy weather.

Low Rates to Florida.

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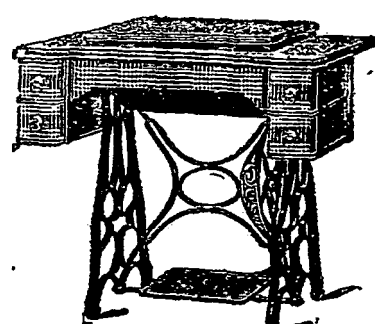
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STORY TOLD BY A COLORED ORATOR

Plan Changed and Present Purpose Is the Abduction of Shaw, Root and Knox.

Winona, Minn., March 26.—An aged negro orator, J. C. Fremont, of Watertown, S. D., a well-known representative of the colored race, who, at the close of the civil war was president of the society that sent many negroes back to Africa, lectured here Tuesday night on the "Race Problem," and while here called on Representative Tawney and asked for a private interview. He stated that he had a communication which he desired the representative to convey to the president, to the effect that he had come into possession of information that a plan had been made to attempt the life of Roosevelt on his western trip.

Plan Is Changed to Kidnaping. He said, however, that this had now been abandoned, and instead the plotters were planning, at some favorable point in Montana or Colorado, to capture Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, Secretary of War Root and Attorney General Knox, and carry them to the mountains, to be held for suitable ransom. Fremont refused to divulge the source of his information, but insisted that it was correct. Tawney places little credence in the tale, but has, nevertheless, written to Secretary Shaw, telling him the negro's story.

WE WILL DUN SAN SALVADOR
Small South American Republic Owes Us a Matter of Half a Million Dollars.

Washington, March 26.—The state department has taken measures to collect the award assessed against the government of San Salvador by the arbitration in the case of "El Triunfo," a United States corporation, amounting to about \$531,000.

The secretary has accorded the Salvadoreans a full opportunity to present reasons why the judgment should not be paid, but after patiently considering these representations the department has just informed the Salvadorean government that it cannot reopen the case without showing gross disrespect for the arbitrators, and that it sees no reason why the money should not be paid.

JUST A SMALL FAKE
Story That the New York Central Railway Had Recently Passed Into New Hands.

Paris, March 26.—W. K. Vanderbilt arrived here late last evening from London, and went to his residence in the Champs Elysee. In reply to an inquiry concerning the report published in New York that the New York Central railroad had passed into the hands of the Rockefeller-Pennsylvania-Morgan interests with his consent, Vanderbilt sent the following note to the Associated Press correspondent:

"There is no truth in the statement that the New York Central railroad has passed into other hands. The present directors act in harmony, each with the other. No changes are contemplated."

Fort Wayne Traction Property Sold.
Cleveland, O., March 26.—The Fort Wayne Traction company, of Fort Wayne, Ind., capitalized at \$2,000,000, has been sold by Cleveland parties to a syndicate composed of George F. McCulloch, of Indianapolis; Henry Paul and State Senator Fleming, of Fort Wayne, and Levering Jones, of Philadelphia.

Health Commissioner Fatally Hurt.
Superior, Wis., March 26.—Health Commissioner J. A. Rene and Meat Inspector Otto Rogers were severely injured yesterday by being struck by an electric car while driving on Tower avenue. Dr. Rene was unconscious last night and will probably die. Rogers has several ribs broken, but will recover.

Gen. Wood Goes to the Philippines.
Washington, March 26.—Brigadier General Wood left here yesterday afternoon for Boston, whence he will sail in a day or two for the Philippines to assume command of the military department of Mindanao. Secretary Root issued a highly eulogistic order on the occasion.

Judge Siebecker Indorsed.
Madison, Wis., March 26.—The Wisconsin bar convention of 200 leading lawyers Tuesday indorsed Judge Robert G. Siebecker, of Madison, as the successor to the late C. V. Bardeen on the supreme bench Judge G. C. Green, of Green Bay, was the nearest competitor.

They Kept Open on Sunday.
Bay City, Mich., March 26.—West side saloonkeepers disregarded the order to keep their places closed Sunday, and as a result, Oscar Hutschenreuther, Joseph Proulx and Mark Kinderman have been held for trial to the circuit court.

Lake Lumber Rates.
Detroit, March 26.—The board of managers of the Lumber Carriers' association, in session here yesterday, fixed the carrying charges for the season of 1903, in most cases deciding upon about the same rates as those of last year.

PERFECTION WAFERS

YOU CAN'T SING TOO LOUD THE PRAISES OF PERFECTION WAFERS.

PERFECTION WAFERS SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES IF GIVEN A TEST.

TRY THEM AT YOUR GROCER.

ON EVERY CRACKER.

MADE BY
WAYNE BISCUIT CO. FT. WAYNE, INDIANA.

First publication March 27, 1903.
Estate of Orson O. Bronson, Deceased.
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1903.
Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Orson O. Bronson deceased.
Harry I. Bronson having filed in said court petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to the petitioner or some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that the 20th day of April A. D. 1903, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
A true copy. FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Register of Probate.
Last publication, April 17, 1903.

First insertion March 13
Tax Title Notice.
To Maggie Dunham, wife of De Witt C. Dunham the owner of the lands herein described, Taxed Thereon, That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after service upon you of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereon, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional costs or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.
DESCRIPTION OF LAND.
Lots 3 and 4, bl 6 Brookfield's add city of Niles, taxes, \$4 45 for 1897; lots 3 and 4 bl 6 Brookfield's add city of Niles, taxes \$6 03 for 1890; lots 3 and 4 bl 6 Brookfield's add city of Niles, taxes \$7 71 for 1890; lots 3 and 4 bl 6 Brookfield's add city of Niles, taxes \$10 16 for 1890.
LOUISA MARBLE
Place of business, South Bend, Ind.
Last publication April 24.

First insertion March 13, 1903.
Tax Title Notice.
To Lizzie A. David, the owner of the lands here in described, Taxed Thereon, That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a reconveyance thereof at any time within six months after service upon you of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereon, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publication of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commencement of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional costs or charges. If payment as aforesaid is not made, the undersigned will institute proceedings for possession of the land.
DESCRIPTION OF LAND.
West half of the following described lands: commencing 11 rods north of s w corner of n e 1/4 of s 34, east 47 1/2 rods, north 8 1/2-100, west 47 1/2 rods, south 8 1/2-100 rods except alley, section 26 tp 7 south range 18 w Village of Buchanan according to the plat thereof. Tax for year 1890 \$4 34.
ENOS HOLMES
Place of business, Buchanan, Berrien Co. Michigan.
Last publication April 24.

Good Accommodations
and Board by the meal or by the week. Warm, pleasant sleeping rooms.
MRS. W. F. RUNNER
CLARK ST.

"Papa says: Breakfast is not Breakfast without"

WHEATLET

Robust, red-cheeked children are made so by Nature's best cereal offering—WHEATLET.
Wheatlet, nutritious, cannot be substituted by any other cereal.

WHEATLET
contains an everlasting wholesomeness imparted by the choicest seed wheat obtainable.
There's a pure food show on all the time at our store—it's full of palate pleasers. Try us.

Trees Vines Plants

I will have a large supply of Nursery Stock to offer the coming season, which I will sell as close as is consistent with good business methods. Before ordering kindly submit your lists for quotations. One or two live agents wanted.

E. A. BOAL, NURSERYMAN.

HINCHMAN, MICHIGAN.

HAMILTON BROWN

CARMER & CARMER, AGENTS.

SHOE CO.

Our Store is Stocked

With heavy Shoes for the out-door worker. There are shoes here which are intended to stand rough knocks—which are strongly built—which can be depended upon to take their wearer through a day's work without a sign of giving out. Farmers and teamsters use them. No other shoe would do—and no other shoes in adult sizes is so cheap

TAKE A LOOK.

Carmar & Carmar.

BUCHANAN, MICH.

Treat Brothers

Dealers in

Staple and Fancy Groceries.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE, SALT, CORN, HAY, STRAW, AND OATS. :: :: :: ::

Plan for Paper

In all your plans for improving your home take wall paper into consideration. If you leave that out you omit the most essential feature. Eventually people will change the dress of their room each year; many do it now, that is why wholly new styles of decorations come out each season.

All the most attractive and artistic designs for this year are now here and we wish you to feel at any time and see them.

W. F. RUNNER,

Corner Druggist.

LARGE AND COMPLETE LINE OF

Hot Water Bottles \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.
Fountain Syringes, 60c, 75c, \$1.15
\$1.25 and \$1.50.
Combination Fountain Syringes and
Hot Water Bottles, 75c, \$1.25
\$1.50 and \$1.75.
Bulb Syringes 40c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00
and \$1.25.
Warranted Pure Para Gum Rubber.

Sole agents for Bunte
Bros. & Spoeher's Fine
Candies in pound and
half pound boxes.

DR. E. S. DODD & SON,
DRUGGISTS AND
BOOKSELLERS, ::
BUCHANAN, MICH

BOARDERS WANTED
By meal, day or week.
Convenient to business part of city.
ONE DOOR NORTH EXPRESS OFFICE
MRS. C. CROTHER

Made Right Is Right

There's a lightness and whole-
some about our fine Bread.
The materials are best—the work-
manship is best. A reliable loaf
with an attractive flavor. Loses
none of the nutriment from the
grain to the table. You'll enjoy it
and be benefitted at the same time
—5 cents.

Van's Bakery.

BUCHANAN, MICH.

Nimble Nickel.

I will furnish any goods advertised
in this paper or any where else in the
U. S. at the advertised price.
B. F. MORLEY.
Phone 38.

LOCAL NOTES

25c. Carpet Beaters at The Racket.

7 bars Lenox soap 25 at Jordan's
grocery, phone 16.

Men's watch chain for 75c. and
\$1.00 at The Racket Store.

Tennison Bunker has moved into
the Harper residence on Portage St.

Miss May Fydel has taken a posi-
tion in the Misses Shafer's dress mak-
ing parlors.

Elder Paton will preach in Larger
Hope church next Sunday morning
and evening.

FOR SALE—Good buggy, almost
new, and a set of single harness.
M 31 Jay Godfrey.

April 8. has been the date set for
the basket ball between the Royal
Neighbors and the Eastern Star Lad-
ies.

You are missing something good
if you do not try Smith's meats.
Nothing but the best.

There is no school this week and
teachers and pupils are enjoying the
spring vacation.

Alva Schram, who has been in the
employ of Mr. Van Meter as baker,
has had to quit the work on account
of ill health.

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

Reed Murdock & Co. of Chicago
have established a pickle and per-
serving factory at New Buffalo. Can
not Buchanan get something? Even a
pickle factory would be some encour-
agement.

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending Mar. 10 Subject to
change:
Furnips 25c
Butter 20c
Eggs 12c
Potatoes " " 45c
Onions " " 50c
Apples " " 60c
Cabbage per lb 1c
Flour per bbl. \$4.00
Flour Patented " " 4.40
Buckwheat Flour 5.80
Corn Meal per 100 lbs. 2.00
Lard 11c
The Pears-East Grain Co., report
the following prices on grain to-day:
Wheat No. 2 Red. 68c
Corn, yellow 38c
Oats No. 3 white. 34c
Rye No. 2 46c
Beans, hand picked bu. \$2.00
Hay, No. 1 timothy \$10.00

Catsup 10c, W. H. Keller.

Veal loaf at W. H. Keller's.

Try a pair of those 15c. Hose Sup-
porters at The Racket Store.

American Family soap at W. H.
Keller's.

5 gal. kerosine oil 57 cents at Jor-
dan's, phone 16.

WANTED, a girl for general house
work. Apply at Record office.

Jewelry; watch chains, solid gold set
rings, brooches, stick pins, link cuff
buttons, silver thimbles etc. Binns' Magnet
store.

A. M. Charwood, who has been in
the employ of his brother at Niles,
has been engaged by Mr. Van Meter
as baker.

Leave your order for your meats
and groceries at the same time, with
G. E. Smith & Co., you there get
the best.

FOR SALE—An 80 acre farm 8 1/2
miles from Buchanan.

Inquire at the Record office
A 17

Wall paper; granites, tiles; ingrain,
stripes, orientals, tapestries, morie, effects,
burlaps etc. Special work properly cared
for. Binns' Magnet store.

The Evangelical church was crowd-
ed to the walls on Sunday night to
hear Rev. Niergarth's farewell ad-
dress.

James Batten has left the employ
of W. H. Keller and expects to en-
gage in work for the Patricians.

W. D. House will run a bus to
South Bend every Thursday leaving
Klondike livery at 6 o'clock, return-
ing leaves street car depot at 4 o'clock
50c round trip. Engage seats. **

Cass City is preparing for a pickle
factory. Buchanan seems to be in a
pickle as there is not even a pickle
factory in sight.

Paint, interior, decorative enamels, floor
paint, barn paint, varnish, wood filler,
Japalac, putty, turpentine, alabaster, paint
and varnish brushes. Binns' Magnet store.

For your gardens we have a won-
derfully large supply of garden seeds,
flower seeds, Onion sets. It pays to
trade at Glenn E. Smith & Co.

Millinery opening at THE PARIS,
Wednesday and Thursday, April 1st
and 2nd. Do not miss seeing the
beautiful line of Pattern Hats.
Mrs. H. O. WEAVER.

"U. S. Corn Cure for Ladies is the
best I ever used; it took off my corns
without burning a bit." M. P. Mears
739 Fairmont St., Cleveland, Ohio.
Only 15c at E. S. Dodd and Son's.

Mrs. H. D. Rough entertained the
Day's Ave. Club and a few friends
Friday evening. Mrs. Glenn Smith
won first prize and Mrs. Myron Smith
consolation.

WANTED—Man and wife to take
charge of house and stock. Must
give first class references. Apply at
Beaumont Station on the M. B. H. &
C. R. R. 2 1/2 miles from Buchanan on
the river road. Mrs. E. B. SMITH,
Rural No. 1.

Some time ago a little four year old
was started to Sunday school. After
being there a couple of times, he one
day came to his mother and said,
"Mamma has God flying machines?"
The mother said: "Why do you want
to know that my son?" "Because my
teacher says God is in heaven and how
would he get there if he did not have
a flying machine."

The Secret of Long Life.
Consists in keeping all the main or-
gans of the body in healthy, regular
action, and in quickly destroying
deadly disease germs. Electric Bitters
regulate Stomach, Liver and Kid-
neys, purify the blood, and give a
splendid appetite. They work won-
ders in curing Kidney Troubles, Fe-
male Complaints, Nervous Diseases,
Constipation, Dyspepsia and Malaria.
Vigorous health and strength always
follow their use. Only 50c guarantee
ed by W. N. Brodrick, druggist.

PERSONAL.

Blennie Waterman was home for
over Sunday.

Arthur Ingleright and wife spent
Monday at St. Joseph.

Guy Ingleright spent Wednesday
of last week at Michigan City.

Myrtle Mead went to Battle Creek
Monday after a brief visit home.

Gertrude Leonard has gone to Chi-
cago to make her permanent home.

Mrs. S. H. Brenner, of Elkhart,
Ind., has been in town for a few days.

Mrs. F. L. Kearney, of Mishawaka,
Ind., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ira
D. Wagner.

Mrs. W. B. Blowers is entertain-
ing her brother, W. E. Kempton, of
Crandon, Wis.

Miss May Watson, who is living in
South Bend, came to spend Sunday
with her parents.

W. S. Woods, of Benton Harbor,
visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.
K. Woods on Sunday.

Mrs. Prame and Mrs. Swank spent
the day with their aunt, Mrs. A. J.
Davis, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Lybrook, of
Berrien Springs, were the guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Anslem Wray on Sun-
day.

Rev. J. A. Blickinstaff, of Ber-
rien Spring, is in Buchanan assisting
Rev. Tarrant in revival services this
week.

Mrs. E. B. Smith, who has been
spending the winter in Chicago, re-
turned to her country residence last
Friday.

Mrs. M. A. Clark, of Trinidad,
Cal., who has been a guest of Mr.
and Mrs. R. V. Clark has left for
Minerva, Ohio.

Mrs. Sam. Bollman and daughter,
May, from Mansfield, Ohio, have
been visiting their aunt, Mrs. J. F.
Peck, the past week.

Hiram Spencer, for many years a
resident of Buchanan, but now of
Benton Harbor, was a guest at the
home of Mr. Glidden this week.

Miss Gertrude Quick returned last
Wednesday to his home at Walnut,
Ind., after spending several weeks
with relatives and friends in this
place.

Elsie Anstis went to Three Oaks
to spend her vacation, but on Sunday
morning trod on a nail which caused
her a very sore foot. She returned
home Monday evening.

Mrs. O. S. Ely, of Butler, Mich.,
returned to her home last Saturday,
after a three weeks visit with her sis-
ters, Mrs. Eli Mitchell and Mrs. Wm.
Ingleright, and brothers, Messrs. Con-
rad.

Mrs. Helen Green, of Minneapolis,
Minn., arrived in Buchanan, Friday
of last week, and is the guest of her
sister, Mrs. H. N. Hathaway. Mrs.
Green expects to make an extended
visit.

Hominy at W. H. Keller's.

3 lb. can beets 10c W. H. Keller.

Best grade of olive oil W. H.
Keller.

Lion and XXXX coffee 12 cents
per lb. at Jordan's grocery, phone 16.

FOR SALE—Corn suitable for feeding
hogs, at a bargain. Inquire of Herbert Roe.
LEE BROS. BANK.

WANTED—By a leading business
house in Buchanan, a bright young
man who is willing to make him-
self useful. Apply at Record office.

Chas. Lewis, from near Dayton, had a
hearing on Monday before Justice J. C.
Dick for procuring flour and feed on false
pretenses from Bainton Bros. Mrs. Bevil-
himer went his security pending trial.

A very nice 70 acre farm 4 1/2 miles
from Buchanan Mich., for sale cheap.
Good buildings, some timber and
first class soil. Inquire of Alex Em-
ery, Buchanan Mich. M 31

John Helmick, whose life was dis-
paired of last week, has taken a new
lease of life and is improving. He
bids fair to be out again as the weath-
er becomes more settled.

A Legacy of the Grip.

Is often a run-down system. Weak-
ness, nervousness, lack of appetite,
energy and ambition, with disordered
liver and kidneys often follow an at-
tack of this wretched disease. The
greatest need then is Electric Bitters,
the splendid tonic, blood purifier and
regulator of Stomach, Liver and Kid-
neys. Thousands have proved that
they wonderfully strengthen the
nerves, build up the system, and re-
store to health and good spirits after
an attack of Grip. If suffering, try
them. Only 50c. Perfect satisfaction
guaranteed by W. N. Brodrick

C. E. Scott, who was employed on
the Smith farm at Beaumont Station
on the M. B. H. & C. R. R., leaves
the place on Wednesday to go to
Los Angeles California.

U. S. Corn Cure for Ladies is a per-
fect cure for hard or soft corns, Bun-
ions and calouses. Use it once and
you will use no other. Only 15c
E. S. Dodd & Son's.

The Christian Sunday School has
started a Sunday School revival.
An increase in attendance is the re-
sult and much interest is being shown.
Watch for the blue and red buttons.

Wm. D. House, the liveryman, has
bought several new Rubber Tired
buggies and will sell all his steel tired
buggies at a bargain, also several sets
of harness both single and double.

Rev. Wier of McCormick Seminary
preached in the Presbyterian church
last Sunday. His address was most
helpful and inspiring. He was not a
candidate for the pastorate of the
church.

Chas. A. Sabin will move into
Wm. Burk's house on Dewey Ave.
next to Wm. Powers. He expects to
thoroughly repair his own house on
next lot facing on third street and
later occupy that.

Mrs. Niergarth and children left for
Ried City Tuesday morning to spend
two weeks with her and her husband's
parents before going to her future
home, to which Rev. Niergarth may
be appointed by conference this week.

J. P. Hamilton, the well known
piano tuner, will be in Buchanan
April 9th. Orders may be left with
Herbert Roe.

LEE BROS. BANK.

A. 7.
About sixteen of Lee Mead's
friends met Friday night by invita-
tion at the home of Vera Jennings
and spent the evening in social in-
tercourse, games, music, etc. As Lee
leaves this week to make his future
home in Chicago, this party was in
the nature of a farewell for him.

Carrie Lewis, one of the bright
young ladies of the village, who has
been at Grand Rapids for sometime
preparing herself for a teacher, has
been appointed to Miss Lindsley's po-
sition as fourth grade teacher. We
think the position well bestowed and
predict successful work by Miss
Lewis.

Last season there was about on 4th
street a white robin which attracted
considerable attention, with the re-
turn of spring, the robin has also
come again. In comparing the ro-
bin with last year's appearance, Mr.
Chas. Treat, near whose home the
robin nested, says he is not so white
and has evidently wintered where
they burned soft coal.

E. J. Elson is responsible for the
following story: a few days ago at the
mill pond there was a number of
snakes rolled together, making a col-
lection as large as a man's thigh, Mr.
Elson killed them and counted twenty-
three black, garter, and water
snakes—Mr. Elson is a truthful
man and a sober citizen, and does
not think he needs to change his
beverage.

Wine Lo-ti Coonley's Beef, Iron
and Wine with Nerve is a perfect
food tonic. It is made of the finest
old Port and Sherry Wines with pure
Ext. of Beef, Iron, Nerve and Cas-
cara with Aromatics carefully selected
and combined so as to be readily tak-
en up by the most delicate stomachs
and carried into the blood, giving re-
newed and premanent vigor. It does
not interfere with other medicines of
any kind but helps and improves
their action. Large bottles, 50c.
Take no other, there is no other like
it nor as good. Sold by E. S. Dodd
& Sons.

Millinery Opening

Wednesday and Thursday, April 1st
and 2nd. THE PARIS.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.
Has world-wide fame for marvel-
ous cures. It surpasses any other
salve, lotion, ointment or balm for
Cuts, Corns, Burns, Boils, Sores, Fel-
lons, Ulcers, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Fev-
er, Sores, Chapped Hands, Skin Erup-
tions; infallible for Piles. Cure
guaranteed. Only 25c at Wm. Brod-
rick, druggist.

Important to Mothers.

Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA,
a safe and sure remedy for infants and children,
and see that it

Bears the
Signature of
In Use For Over 30 Years.
The Kind You Have Always Bought.

THE HUB

SOUTH BEND, IND.

Newest Style

Spring Suit

This is the style fashion has slated
to run this season. Come in and try
one on.

\$10, \$12, \$15, \$25.

Boy's Department.

Confirmation suits, double breasted
2-piece suits, all wool worsted and che-
viot suits.

\$2.50 to \$6.00

Single breasted with vest \$5.00 to \$10.

Pony rig No. 2 will be given away
free. No cost. Buy a dollars worth.



Boy Lost

A boy was lost from Niles, Mich., about September
31st, 1904. He was five ft. three in. old, and 17 years
tall. He wore a waist coat with mutton chop lining
and a pair of swallow tail trousers, was barefooted
with his father's boots on. When last seen he was
standing on his back looking for the "RACKET STORE"
Buchanan, Mich., where he could buy a pair of
Boy's Fast Black Hose for - 10c
Misses " " " " 10-15c
Ladies' " " " " 10-15c
Men's Suspenders - 25c
Candy, per pound - 10c
at "THE RACKET STORE."

MATRIMONIAL CONTAGION.

Among the Teachers of the
Buchanan Public Schools.

Miss Mabel Lindsley, teacher of the
4th grade, who has taught in the Bu-
chanan schools for a number of years
has resigned her position and gone
to her home at Decatur, Mich., and
from there she will soon go to take
charge of a parsonage, becoming the
wife of Rev. Darby, a minister in the
Christian church.

Miss Lindsley is the third one of
the teachers to marry this year.

There seems to be a contagion of
matrimony and Supt. Mercer thinks
of starting a matrimonial bureau, the
proceeds of which will be devoted to
a fund for a home for the bachel-
or maid school teacher.

There need be no trouble now to
get teachers, with such an epidemic
there will be plenty of applicants.

GREAT EXCITEMENT.

Caused by the Report That the Niles Oil
Well Was to be Shot.

The morning was beautiful and the
unusual event of shooting an oil well
caused to turn out a number of Bu-
chanan people. They drove in dou-
ble and single rigs and the boys as-
tride the wheel, all on their way to
see the great event. Among them,
eager to glean some new thing, was a
Record representative, but as he
neared the scene of the expected
event, he found the people who had
preceded him on their return. The
word they gave was that instead of
shooting at eleven o'clock, as report-
ed, it would be two.

Perhaps it is true, but it may have
been to see how many would be
brought out. It is barely possible
that it will be shot this p. m., as he
saw something covered with blankets
which he supposed might be nitro
glycerine but even his nose for news
did not tempt him to investigate, as
the further he could get from nitro
glycerine the better he was off.

PERE MARQUETTE R. R. EXTENSION.

The plan of the Pere Marquette in
buying the M. B. H. & C. R. R. has
been made public by the announce-
ment that the road will be extended
from Benton Harbor to South Bend,
thus making Benton Harbor a
railroad center and the railroad fac-
ilities of South Bend will also be
greatly increased.

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church will serve chicken pie dinner
in the social rooms of the Presbyteri-
an church, on Monday, April 6th.

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Brushes

Hair Brushes,
Bath Brushes,
Hand and Nail Brushes
Clothes Brushes,
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Mr. Wellman was born in Mentor, Ohio, Nov. 3, 1858. At the age of 14 he began his newspaper experience establishing at that age a weekly paper in the little town of Sutton, Neb. In 1878 he returned to Ohio, and a year later established the Cincinnati Evening Post. In 1884 he became the Washington correspondent of the CHICAGO HERALD, and in 1882 he visited Central America and the West Indies, and located the landing of Columbus on Watling's (San Salvador) Island, and marked the spot with a huge stone monument. Mr. Wellman's dashes to the north pole are well known. In 1894 he made the first of his two arctic voyages of exploration, reaching the latitude of 81 degrees northeast of Spitzbergen. In 1898 he returned to the North, penetrated to Franz Joseph Land, returning again to this country in 1899. On each trip he met with wonderful success in the discovery of new islands and lands, and brought back with him scientific data and information of great value to the American Geographical Society.

Mr. Wellman has been a voluminous writer for scientific magazines and popular periodicals. On returning from his arctic trips he renewed his connection with THE RECORD-HERALD, and is now the Washington correspondent of that paper. His incisive discussion of contemporary affairs has given him a high place in the regard of statesmen and scientists of the day.

BUCHANAN LOSES.

Sometime ago our esteemed fellow town's man, Mr. Will Monroe, departed for Tahlequah, Indian Territory where he has decided to make his future home; on Tuesday of last week

his wife and son Donald also took their departure stopping for a short time at Mrs. Monroe's mothers home in Joliet, Ill. Saturday afternoon A. L. Jones and family took their leave of Buchanan and will also stop at Joliet where they will join Mrs. Monroe and then proceed to their new home. Both Mr. Jones and Mr. Monroe and their families will be missed but we hope that our loss will be their gain.

Final Farewell.

After the other departments of the Evangelical church had given Rev. Niergarth and wife their farewell receptions and presents, and when they thought the farewells were about over the Y. P. A. of the church gave them a royal entertainment and presented Rev. Niergarth a beautiful office chair.

The entertainment occurred Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Rough and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rehm.

The house was beautifully decorated with ferns, palms and potted plants.

The following fine program was rendered: Selection by orchestra, J. and C. Conrad, John Houseworth, Mary Conrad, instrumental music, Miss Mary Lyddick; song, Milton, Almeda and Helen Niergarth; duet, Cassie Brower and Louis Rurner; solo, Rev. J. R. Niergarth; farewell talk, Theodore Sanger; music, Bertha Houseworth; duet, Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Niergarth; duet, Misses Mary and Emma Conrad; paper, "Farewell," Clayton Houseworth; selection by orchestra; short talk by president, J. C. Rehm and presentation of chair. Rev. Niergarth was entirely surprised at this gift and expressed his heart-felt thanks.

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DO YOU KNOW

Cardinal Gibbons has accepted the invitation to offer the opening prayer at the inaugural ceremonies of the St. Louis exposition, as he did at the Chicago World's fair.

Graeme Stewart, Republican candidate for mayor of Chicago, has written club women of that city asking their aid in his campaign. They in turn, see a chance to gain a point and will pour in suggestions and personal advice.

A Clerk in Kewanna, Ind., defrauded a customer of \$5 ten years ago. He recently heard a sermon in San Jose, Cal., that quickened his conscience and he restored the money and \$5 added for interest.

H. C. Ide, a member of the Philippine commission, who has arrived here from Manila on leave of absence says, the health boards have stamped out the Asiatic cholera, which caused the death of 100,000 natives. Winston Churchill, author and dramatist, has made a successful appeal before the lower house of the New Hampshire legislature of which he is a member, for his bill for a state exhibit at the St. Louis fair.

Gens. Miles and Wheeler witnessed a test of the new machine gun at Cleveland, the invention of Dr. S. N. McClean. The gun shoots 25 times with one pull of the trigger, gas from the first explosion setting the revolving plate automatically in motion.

Bishop Spalding thinks the precedent established by the anthracite coal commission, of which he was a member, will do much to settle all labor difficulties by arbitration and that the period of strikes in the United States has passed forever.

C. K. G. Billings, the millionaire horseman of New York, will open his new palace-like stable on the site of old Fort Tryon Saturday night by a unique banquet to 39 members of the Equestrian club in the carriage room. In the center of the room will be an immense bed of flowers, around which the guests will assemble, each on the back of a horse, held by a groom. Special satin, gold fringed

saddles have been provided. A table three feet long and two feet wide fits just above the saddle pommel out of the way of the horse's head. The servants will serve the 12 courses on foot. It is estimated that the cost will be \$100 per plate.

A giant wall of ice has blocked the Niagara River for several hours leaving the river bed bare so that hundreds of souvenir hunters were walking at will upon the river bed. The gorge has broken and the water is pouring in torrents over the ledge.

ABIDE BY THE LAW.

We have been requested by Justice J. C. Dick to print the following extract from "Acts and ordinances of the village of Buchanan".

"If any person being the owner, or having the care of any geese, turkeys or poultry of any kind shall permit the same to run at large without the enclosure of the owner or person having the care of the same, at any time; he or she shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five dollars, and costs of suit, or by imprisonment not exceeding ten days or both such fine and imprisonment in the discretion of the court.

Justice Dick says there are constant complaints coming to him of violation of this ordinance and if the complaints continue, arrests will surely follow.

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