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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 facilifate 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.

Veivet carpets 85c to 75c. Veivet carpets 85c to Royal Wilten 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 Mattiags 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 SI to S25. 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 waisis 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. Fear's unscented soap 10e. Pear's scented 15c. Mennen's Talcum Powder 10c. Dr. Graves' Tooth Powder 19c. We carry a full line of Hudnut's Perfumes and Toilet Articles. Hair Brushes and Clothes Brushes loc and up. A 20 oz. roll of extra quality Toilet Paper, 2,000 sheets to roll, 10c, 3 for 25 cents.

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

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

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INTERESTING COUNTY CONVENTION

M. W. A Elect Delegates to State Camp.

As stated in Tuesday's issue, the county convention of the Modern Woodmen was held in Buchanan Wednesday. The delegations from Quite a Number of Casualties But no the north end of the county came on the eight o'clock Pere Marquette train and were met by the reception committee, Messrs Al. Emerson, Dr. H. M. Brodrick and O. P. Woodworth to the M. W. hall.

At eleven o'clock "the convention | joyous combat. was called to order by Mr. W. F. Runner, clerk of Buchanan camp, and Mr. J. P. Beistle was made chairman and Mr. A. J. Baker, of Colomo, secretary of the convention.

The following committees were appointed: Credentials, D. B. Southerland, Pearl Grange; Wm. Gabel, St. Joseph; Frank Zerby, Berrien Springs; F. M. Van Horn, Benton Harbor and Horace Morley, Galien.

Order of Business, W. H. Stroup, Niles; H. A. Feather. Hinchman; J. M. Cunningham, Benton Harbor.

Resolutions, Dr. H. M. Brodrick, Buchanan; J. T. Vanderveer, Coloma; I. Rynearson, Three Oaks.

The convention then adjourned until one o'clock, and in a body the delegates marched up to the Presbyterian church basement, where the Royal Neighbors had prepared a enjoyed by all. Many were the com-

Business Men's Game of Basket Ball Played Before Large Audience.

EVENING

BRILLIANT PLAYS

· Serious Accident.

The anxiously waited Wednesday, when the business men of the village were to play basket ball, finally apand headed by the city hand escorted peared and the north and south side were arrayed against each other in

> The day was an unpropitious one as it rained the greater portion, and was threatening toward evening, but as the night drew nigh the sky cleared. The opera, house was well filled with the champions of either side.

About 8:30 o'clock, when, to strains of music by the band, the contestants marched out upon the floor, there was loud and prolonged cheering. The game began by the north side scoring the first point and they continued to be in the lead to the end. The playing was very vigorous, in fact so vigorous that Attorney A. A. Worthington, of the south side, was disabled by Cashier Herbert Roe, being pushed against his head, causing him to re-

tire from the field. The playing was again resumed with a some what lessened volume of power but still enough to cause Dr. sumptious dinner which was greatly Orville Curtis near the end of the

The Millinery Department

ELLSWORTH'S STORE

THE DISTINCTION AND EFFECT, backed by excellence of wearing quality, has won the ELLSWORTH STORE its unrivaled reputation in Northern Indiana. When you buy your new hat be sure you buy it at Ellsworths store. If you do this you make sure of finding in it the chic, distinction and durability which stamp all our hats. Trimmed hats are most reasonably priced. A splendid trimmed hat costs only \$2.48. The \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 hats are beauties, and copies of our model hats can be made for you at very modest prices. Our trimming department is strongly organized and we can fill orders for you in a most sastisfactory way. You will find the department splendidly equipped, and the new management has spared no pains or trouble to bring on the correct styles.

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.

TERRY WANTS ANOTHER TRY

Rothwell Says He Will Consider It After He Has Had a Few Uonths of Theater.

San Francisco, April 2. — "Young Corbett" and Terry McGovern had a meeting last night at which the lat ter solicited another match for the championship. Rothwell said that he intended to engage in a theatrical tour for some months, and at the end of his stage venture he would consider the proposition.

Harris, the manager of McGovern, in a statement, said that while he did not believe the timekeeper had any dishonest motive in the fight, still he was of the opinion that the watchholder had been mistaken in calling off the seconds in which McGovern was on the floor.

Three Men Hurt in a Collision.

Fremont, Nep., April 2.-West-bound passenger train No. 3 on the Union Pacific road, collided with a switch engine in the Fremont yards last night, injuring three persons, none seriously The injured are: John Umperson, engineer. shoulder broken; Oscar Auham, fireman, badly bruised; Joe Youngman, news agent, back hurt. All three of the men live in Omaha.

Died in the Street.

Chicago, April 2.-Weak from exposure. Ralph Allen, 45 years old, a traveling salesman, who lived at 347 Elm street, died Tuesday afternoon while being conveyed to the Alexian Brothers' hospital. Allen was found in front of 436 North Clark street ten minutes after he had escaped from his home, where for the last two weeks he had been ill of pneumonia.

Latest of the San Domingo War.

San Domingo, April 2.-The Dominican warship Presidente, flying the flag of President Vasquez, arrived off this a pilot, who went on board. The cruiser then left San Domingo, after exchanging cannon shots with the fort. No damage was done on either side.

Contract Is Not Signed.

Chicago, April 2.-DeWit Erksine, representing the Indiana Harbor Syndicate, when asked in regard to the truth of a story that a ontract had been signed with the railroads running east from Chicago providing for the construction of the Calumet canal, said that no such contract had been signed.

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San Francisco, April 2.-After a bugologist who was trying to cross colored shoe and harness repair man en up by the most delicate stomachs lingering illness Dr. Thomas Foster honeybees with lightnin' bugs, so and carried into the blood, giving rewas united in marriage to Susie Cardied Tuesday at the age of 85 years. \A[they could work at night." He was one of the oldest newspaper ter. The marriage was the occasion newed and premanent vigor. It does men in the country, having been conof a pleasant and social gathering at "Pshaw! that's nothin'," put in not interfere with other medicines of nected in an editorial capacity with the Kansas man: "Why, out in Kanany kind but help's and improves the rooms of the couple over Smith's the Philadelphia Public Ledger in aas they plant potatoes and onions in cigar store where they enjoyed a their action. Large bottles, pts., 50c. 1836. alternate rows, and that makes the Take no other, there is no other like sumptious banquet. * * * Benton flarbor Abstract Co.—Abstracts or Osmicure Medicinal Soap title. Real estate mortgage loans. Of fice 104 Water St., Benton Harbor, Mich. antiseptic, for Infants, toilet, bath 25c eyes of the potatoes water, so they | it nor as good. Sold by E.S. Dodd $\diamond \diamond \diamond$ Osmicure Blood-Nerve Tonic Bring your printing to the Record don't need no irrigation,"—Ex. & Sons. great for Bladder & Kidney. 50c. \$1.00

Opportunity for Buchanan Boys.

A competitive examinaton for the purpose of selecting principal and alternate nominees for midshipmanthat is student at the United States Naval Acadamy at Annapolis-will be held at Bullard's Hall, Nilès, Michigan on Thursday, April 9, 1903. The mental examination will be conducted by a board of three examiners and a physician will be in attendance to examine applicants as to their physicial qualifications.

The mental examination will cover the common branches ordinarily taught in the public schools in grades below the high school.

The applicant standing highest in the examination will be nominated principal, and the three applicants having the next highest standing will be nominated first, second and third alternates respectively.

The successful applicant will be obliged to take an examination for admission to the acadamy on the third Tuesday in April, which examination may be taken at Detroit, Grand Rapids or Saginaw. At the time of this examination nominees must be between the ages of fifteen and twenty years.

Persons desiring to take the competitive examination at Niles, will kindly inform E. L. Hamilton at Niles as long in advance of the examination as possible.

> $\diamond \diamond \diamond$ 30 CLUB.

The ladies of the thirty club met with Mrs. W. B Blowers Wednesday afternoon.

The lesson was conducted by Mrs. port early yesterday and signaled for Blowers. Mrs. Daisy Rough read an interesting paper on the Normal Schools of Michigan.

> itation entitled "Benton Harbor, Mich".

Current events were given in answer to roll call. Business matters were discussed after which the ladies adjourned to meet with Mrs. Sylyia Cook.

> * * * Matrimonial Festivities.

cara with Aromatics carefully selected Last Sunday evening at the office Old Newspaper Man Passes. "No, but I read the other day of a and combined so as to be readily takof Justice Frank Sanders, C. Bell, the

pliments extended to the Royal Neighbors for the very efficient manner in which they served the meal and seated so large a number at one time, each being served without a moment's delay.

At one o'clock sharp the chairman called the convention to order and the reports of the various committees were read and adopted, following which came the selection of four delelgates to the state convention which will be held in Owosso, May 6. There were nine candidates and after the ballot was taken it was found that O P. Woodworth, Buchanan; Dr. C. N. Sowers, Benton Harbor; Wm. Stroup, Niles and J T. Vanderveer, Coloma received the largest number of votes and were declared elected

The four receiving the next highest number were J. Fisher, Eau Claire; Wm. Shearer, Derby; Chas. Dewitt, St. Joseph and John Smee, Three

Oaks and they were made the alternate delegates.

The subject of a county M. W. A. picnic was brought up and it was decided that a picnic be held at St. Joseph at a date to be decided later. The convention then adjourned, the eighty delegates all expressing themselves as being well pleased with the courteous treatment extended them by the local M. W. A. camp. The next convention will be held in

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Niles in 1905.

Change of Times.

A new time card will be issued Sunday, April 5th, on the Pere Marquette R. R. taking eflect at 12:05 a m. Trains will be changed and Sunday trains discontinued. There will be no Sunday trains April 5. This is on the road formerly known as the Miss Beatrice Mansfield gave a rec- M B. H. & C., but which has just passed into the hands of the Pere Marquette system.

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In Kansas.

"Say, Hiram, did you know that some of them horticultural experimenters were talking about crossing | old Port and Sherry Wines with pure the strawberry with the milkweed so as to have strawberries and cream?"

game to be retired from the field in a crippled condition. The two south siders were the only ones to leave the combat, what other casualties there were, were not reported, but no doubt next morning found a number of business men with sore muscles. Altogether it was a very pleasant

game and what undue violence there was, was due, no doubt, to lack of practice and knowledge of the game. The two sides were represented as follows: North; H. H. Hosford, Herb Roe, Wm. Sparks, Sig Desenberg, D. F. Bower,

South; Chas. Pears, Dr. Curtis, Dr. Peck, A. A. Worthington, Glenn Smith.

The score was 25 to 11 in favor of the north side.

During the intermissions, while the basket ball players were resting, the band rendered some excellent music.

The net proceeds for the band were about \$40 and the boys want the bus iness men who so vigorously and cheerfully played ball, as well as all who attended, to know that they appreciate their efforts to help them.

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Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from Yellow Jaundice, I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electic Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed

WANTED-House cleaning or washing to do. Drop a card addressed, Box 331, and I will call. Terms

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BARGAINS IN PETTICOATS

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.

TWO BEDSPREAD BARGAINS

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.



Store open Thursday and Saturday Evenings.



by W. N. Brodrick. Only 50c. * * *

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EDITOR.

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.

Hon. E. L. Hamilton sends us a notice of the competition examination for admission to the naval acadamy which will be in Niles next week A chance for the boys who wish to become naval heroes.

Common Conrtesy.

Common courtesy would demand of a man, who accuses another of what he is not guilty, to at least, acknowledge he was wrong when he finds out that is the case.

A great many people do what they are ashamed of having made known. A good way is to do only right then there is no need of fearing publicity.

Plain Facts.

It is remarkable how anxious people are to prevent anything appearing in the paper that will reflect on them, regardless of how mach they deserve it, but as long as it hits the other fel-

We have been careful not to pub-

tried in the connty. Congressman Hamilton.

Hon. E. L. Hamilton has been hon ored by an invitation to delivered an address before the Hamilton club at their banquet, to be held in the Auditorium at Chicago, April 9. He has accepted.

The undersigned will receive seal ed bids for the painting of the U. B. church. All bids to be in not later than April 11. at 2 o'clock. The board will not be bound to accept the lowest or any bid. Specifications

may be had on application to the board.

New Families Expected The change in the taking of the M. B R. & C. R R. into the Pere Marquette system, seems likely to ef fect Buchanan favorably, as uncom firmed rumors say that some of the trains will be made up here and will lie here over night, so that the fam-

make their homes in Buchanan This will effect quite a number of people at least five men on each train

and their families will probably move to Buchanan.

The Chinese cooks have their own way of marketing. They do not go to the markets singly, each man buying what his employer requires. In stead, all the cooks in the city meet at a certain place every morning, and each man tells what his family needs. A Chinese scribe writes each order down. The orders are then arranged so that the scribe knows exactly how many chickens are wanted, how low they are anxious to have it spread. of mutton, how much of each kind of

one or the village. We have often buy all these things, which are afterleft out of our columns articles that other newspapers grasp after, because we did not care to reflect on our town or its people.

Wreck on the Big Four.

On Wednesday night near North Manchester, Ind., there occured a frightful collision on the Big Four R. R., between a south bound freight and a passenger train going north. Two of the train crew were killed and many trainmen and passengers injured.

Among the dead are Charles Seavey engineer, whose wife was Miss May Wilbur, whose girlhood was passed in Buchanan, she is the daughter of Mrs. Abner Robinson. Concerning the accident the Palladium says:

The death of Engineer Charles Seavey was learned here with profound sorrow. He was considered one of the best engineers on the road and had been with the Big Four for many years. His run was at one time on this end of the frieght, but he has been running on passenger at the south end for some years. He was married ten years ago to Miss May Wilbur of this city and invitations were received here last week for their tin wedding anniversary.

His young widow is left with five little children.

Engineer Seavey was frightfully mangled, one arm being completely severed from his body.

Just as the accident happened Seavey turned on the air brakes and sav ed the passengers probably from a horrible death. His fireman jumped to the right and escaped with a few injuries, Seavey jumped to the left and was ground to death in the wreckage.

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County Seat News.

The circuit judge has been given a new and formidable power by the state Legislature which allows him to put a convited person on probation before sending them to prison or to jail providing it is a first offence.

The new law provides that a trial judge can suspend sentence or if sentence has been pronounced, its enforcement can be held up to allow the convicted person to redeem himself. Judge Coolidge may now. if

wards divided fairly among the cooks.

Each one has his turn for getting the choicest things, and the cooks who have dinner parties to prepare for are allowed the best.—THE HOUSE

A Pittsburg teacher has a seven. vear-old pupil whose mind is very fertile in invention.

Seeing an expression of pain on his face as he raised his hand, she asked, 'What is it. Jamie?"

"I have such a bad headache I think f must go home," was the reply. Putting her hand on his head, and finding it quite cool, she said, "I think it can't ache much, Jamie. You would better not go now." Jamie went back to his work, but

soon his hand was raised again, and inquiry developed the fact that his tooth ached so severely that he felt he could not remain a moment long er.

condition, once more assured him that the pain was only imaginary, and returned to her class.

the lesson when a wail from Jamie's seat caused her to go to him again and with some impatience she said, "Well, Jamie, what can it be this

time?"

down his cheeks, Jamie answered, "Its stomach-ache, and that's so far down you can't see it."-April Women's Home Companion.

> \diamond \diamond \diamond Low Rates to Florida.

And return; also to many southern points Via the Big Four Route. Sel ling dates, March 3rd and 17th, April 7th and 21st. Return limit 21 days For full information and particulars as to rates, tickets, limits, etc., call on Agents "Big Four Route," or ad- Harpoon hayfork, hoes, forks, shovdress the undersigned.

WARREN J. LYNCH, Gen'l. Pass. & Ticket Agt. W. P. DEPPE. Asst. G. P. & T. A. Cincinnati, Ohio. $\diamond \diamond \diamond$

north west: 4 horses, 5 cows, 2 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 oliver plow, 2 shovel plows, 3 log chains, 1 large iron kettle, 1 grind stone, 2 sets of heavy harness, 2 sets single harness, els, 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, quanity of

selected sweet corn seed, pumpkin

seed, squash seed, cook stove, wal-



cuit court yesterday Judge J. W. Donovan directed a verdict for the defendant in the suit brought by the Walton Salt company, of Algonac, Mich., against the National Salt company, the so-called trust, to enforce a contract made with the Walton company by the National Salt company, by which \$1,000 per month was to be paid to the Algonac company for remaining idle. The contract was made in 1899. Judge Donovan holds that the contract is in violation of the Sherman anti-trust act, and therefore void

Pro Bono Publico,

Lansing, Mich., April 2.—Secretary of State Warner announces for the benefit of the public and the election commissioners, that a separate ballot must be provided for each constitutional amendment to be voted on at the coming election. Election boards must hand these out the same as ballots containing the tickets.



WILL MAKE THE SEASON OF 1903

AS FOLLOWS:

evening, at Geo. Harrison's barn, rear of

Friday morning 'till Friday evening,

Saturday at Sunday at my barn in Gal-

Mares must be returned for trial in 21

Care will be taken to prevent accidents,

outl will not be responsible for any which

Jon Dougherty's barn, ½ mile South of

Swop's blacksmith shop, Baroda.

TERMS-\$10 for a standing colt.

Walnut Grove, Ind,

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West of Buchanan, Mich.

That are right at Jordan's Grocery. All goods delivered. Phone 16 evening, at Geo, Hanley's barn 1¼ mile, 19 lbs. white extra C sugar......98c -5 lbs. ginger snaps..... 25c 7 lbs. best rolled oats......25c 5 lbs. rolled oats (cup and saucer).....25c 2 lb. package Turky rolled oats, prize..... in each package.....10c Best clothes pins per doz.....01c 1 can high grade Honey Brand early..... June peas..... 09c days and once a week thereafter until 1 can our Fancy High Grade sweet..... 1 can Standard High Grade tomatoes...10c 1 25c can yeast foam baking powder...10c





Magazine Reviews A Little Laborer of Georgia. Not many descriptive articles can throw so much light upon child labor in the South as does a little story in the April McClure's called, "Who Was Her Keeper?" The author, Mary Applewhite Bacon, is, her editor tells us, a native of Georgia, and thoroughly familiar with the conditions she describes. The central figure of the story is a seven year-old girl, \$6.50 \$6.00 whose family leave a Georgia farm \$2.50 to live in a cotton mill district, hav-50c ing been promised "a good house to \$2.50 live in painted white, with three rooms in it" and "cash money every Saddy night." The point of the story is the tragic effect on her of long hours and nightwork within the noisy shadows of the blanking mill machinery—From April McClure's. Jones. \diamond \diamond \diamond SPRING'S ACTIVITIES. is the flicker that is most clamorous in his happiness. The hyla chatters

the farmer turns over the furrow with the plow and cultivates the top only sufficiently to insure the destruction of the weeds. Mr. Campbell's plan was to plow very deep, and by means of specially constructed implements, pack the bottom of the furrow. The top he kept well cultivated, approaching as closely as possible to making fine dust over the entire field. Even when there were no weeds showing, the cultivation was continued, the object being to form a blanket of fine soil above the seed-bed and so rctain to the end of the season a greater portion than usual of the rainfall, somewhat limited in that longitude. The theory was simple and the practice easy. It has gained a wide following, and is becoming one of the accepted principles of the farming of the new West. It means, when carried to perfection, that the natural rain waters will be absorbed readily into the ground, that they will be held there by the packing of the bottom of the furrow slice, and that undue evaporation will be prevented by the stratum of dust above. Over the semi-arid region, where the rainfall is only twelve inches a year, little or no moisture fails after the middle of June until autumn. Then it is that the corn withers, the wheat shrivels, and the fruit trees lose if a quantity of coarse sand be scattered over a bit of soil, no matter how dry the summer, there will always be

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their strenght But it is noticed that of April. At the farm house, in the beneath 1t moist earth. So it was argued that is the bottom of the plowed surface could be packed to retain the spring rains, and the top of the field could by frequent harrowing be kept in a sandlike state of fineness, the full value of the rainfall might. be utilized. The flood of muddy waters that formerly rushed away toward the sea after every rain ceases, for the rains have gone into the ground where they fell. It is a new condition, and one that appeals to the farmer with great force.-From "Pushing Back the Arid Line" by Charles Moreau Harger, in the American Monthly Review of Reviews

for April. A Love Letter.



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Of shoe-wearing used to be the breaking-in process. People used to expect at least a week's foot unhappiness. They looked for it and were seldom or never disappointed.

> Different now. It is a daily occurance for us to have people say about a new pair of shoes: "They are as comfortable as the old one's." It ought to be SO. .

A shoe that is the shape of the foot, that is not too large, and not too small, will feel comfortable from the first minute you wear it.

Call When It's Shoe-buying Time.





Getting Ready for Summer Begins the First AprilD ays.

In that part of the year which we call spring, and which is a preface or preparer for the warm weather, we may almost everywhere observe a starting into activity—a getting ready for summer. This is especially true fields, in the meadows, in the swamps, everything is preparing for warm weather. The barn has been dear to sheep, calves, cattle, horses during the winter, but now their attention is turning toward the life of outdoors. And there is a gladness about it, a gladness that is shared by all creatutes, from fowls to horses. The young folks on the farm share in this. Living things out of doors are becoming joyous, too. Everything in the fields is glad, from the hyla, our preacher of spring," to the bluebird, the "angel of spring." But it

what does he have to say on the subject? Some one has translated it. Tru-el-ly, tru-el-ly, spring is here.-From Nature and Science in April St. Nichola

with a shrill voice; the bluebird-

* * * Rank of the White House.

One moonlight night in June, 1902, while strolling through the grounds with Mr. Charles F. McKim, one of the Park Commission, we seated ourselves on one of those mounds which tradition ascribes to John Quincy Adams' taste in landscape architecture. That afternoon crowds of people arrayed in joyous costumes befitting the semi-tropics had come from the hot city to rest under the trees and listen to the Saturday concert of the Marine Band. The musicians, clad in white duck, were located in ad in White turch, men-little depression, so that the sound f the music rolled up the slopes to he attentive audience. A year before we had observed the same effect at Versailles; and both the differences of the. differences of the. differences of the. differences of the. differences of the diffe a little depression, so that the sound of the music rolled up the slopes to the attentive audience.

same effect at Versailles; and both similarities and the differences of the two pictures were being discussed as we sat in the quiet night, behind the locked gates, where not a sound from the city streets broke the grateful noise of water splashing in the fountains. On the high portico the Pres dent sat amid a group of dinner guests, and the lights of their cigars were "echoed" by the drowsy fireflies about the grounds.only the brilliantly lighted windows of the secretary's office suggesting the workaday world. The noonlight, shining full on the White House, revealed the harmonious lines of its graceful shape.

general style of the White House,many of them larger and much more costly,---is there any that, in point of architecture, surpasses it?"

' No; there is not one in the same class with it," he replied deliberately -a judgement confirmed latter under the noonday sun. From Charles Moore's "The Restoration of the White House' in April Century.

 $\diamond \diamond \diamond$ Farming in the Semi-arid Region. In 1894, a year of widespread drouth South Dakota farmer, H. W. Camp. bors by harvesting a crop of potatoes

Would not interest you if you're looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo. writes, "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me It's the best on earth. 25c at W. N Brodrick's Drng store.

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Estate of Orson O. Bronson, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for 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

Probate In the matter of the estate of Orson O. Bronson

In the matter of the estate of Orson O. Bronson acceased. 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 neutrino.

Last publication, April 17, 1903.

First insertion March 13

Tax Tltle Notice. To Maggie Dunham, wife of De Witt C. Dunham the owner of the lands herein described, TAKE NOTICE, That sale has been lawfully made of the following described land for unpaid taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title lawfully taxes thereon, and that the undersigned has title thereto under tax deed issued therefor, and that you are entitled to a re-conveyence thereof at any time within six months after service upon you of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned of all sums paid npou such purchase, together with one hundred per cent additional thereto, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publi-cation of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commence-ment of suit, and the further sum of five dollars for each description without other additional 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.

ious lines of its graceful shape. "Tell me," I asked the architect "among the great houses that have been built during recent years in the general style of the White House. "Bedorighted to the the the the transformation of LAND Lots 3 and 4, bl 6 Brookfield's add city of Niles, taxes, \$4 45 for 1897; lts 3 and 4 bl 6 Brook-field's add city of Niles, taxes \$6 68 for 1890; lots 3 and 4 bl 6 Brookfield's add city of Niles, taxes \$4 71 for 1898; lots 3 and 4 bl 6 Brook-field's add city of Niles, taxes \$10 16 for 1896. Louisa Marele Place of business, South B and, 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.

TAKE Notice. 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 re-conveyence thereof at any time within six months after service upon yon o time within six months after service upon yon of this notice, upon payment to the undersigned of all sums paid upon such purchase, together with one hundred per cent. additional therete, and the fees of the Sheriff for the service or cost of publi-cation of this notice, to be computed as upon personal service of a declaration as commence-ment of suit, and the further sum of five dollars bell, who had been experimenting in tilling his claim, surprised his neigh-the undersigned will institute proceedings for posession of the land. · DESCRIPTION OF LAND.



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.

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Corner Druggist.



BY THE DAY OR WEEK AT





[Copyright, 1903, by G. L. Kilmer.] PRIL 27, 1863, Colonel A. D. Streight set out from Moulton, Ala., on his famous ride through Alabama and Georgia which had for its sequel the remarkable tunnel escape from Libby prison, Richmond. a few months later. Streight's raiding force numbered 1,700 men and was composed of his own regiment, the Fifty-first Indiana; the Seventy-third Indiana, Third Ohio, Eightieth Illinois and two companies of the First Tennessee cavalry. The infantrymen were mounted on mules, for the most part young, unbroken and very wild.

The orders to the raiding chief directed him to penetrate the enemy's lines to the interior of Alabama and Georgia and destroy the railroads which carried supplies and munitions to the Confederate army under General Bragg, then operating in middle Tennessee. It was hoped by the planners that this raid would put an end to Bragg's campaign as effectually as the work of Forrest and Van Dorn had thwarted Grant's overland campaign against Vicksburg in December, 1862. Just at the time raids in the enemy's rear were the Federal order of the day. Stoneman's cavalry was on a similar errand in Virginia behind the army of Lee, then stationed at Fredericksburg, and Grierson was riding over the country behind the defenders of Vicksburg. In order to mask Streight's movement from the eagle eye of Forrest a heavy column of Federals, marching from Iuka, Miss., eastward, made a feint upon Tuscumbia. But Forrest was too clever to be thrown off the trail. He was a raider himself, with a reputation to sustain. Streight's first long halt was at Day's. Gap, in Sand mountain, and when his rear guard marched through the pass it was attacked by Forrest.

Streight prepared to give Forrest a taste of his own favorite game. When the rear was attacked, the head of the column had reached the other side of the mountain. The line came to a halt and faced about, with one flank resting upon a ravine and the other upon a marshy creek. All the roads leading in from the right, left and front were strongly guarded and two twelve pounder mountain howitzers placed in the center on the road. The Tennessee cavalry, acting as a rear guard, was instructed to fall back before the enemy's advance and pass through the line of battle. Streight's arrangement was hardly completed when Forrest's brother. Captain W. H. Forrest, charged the Tennesseeans, who promptly gave way and were followed into the gap by their assailants. Then the whole Federal line arose from their hiding and poured a rapid fire upon Forrest's ranks. Two Confederate guns opened at once upon Streight's line, and Colonel Roddy's regiment charged vigorously, but was quickly repulsed. Forrest's guns were within 300 yards of the Federal center, and Streight sent the Third Ohio and Eighteenth Illinois forward to charge the routed enemy and capture their artillery. The raiders shot down the horses at the Confederate guns, and these were abandoned. with their caissons, together with forty wounded and nearly as many dead troopers. It was nearly midday when the Confederates drew off from the fight. Streight surmised from the boldness of the attack that he had Forrest to cope with and expected the next blow upon his front. Posting a strong guard in the gap, he pushed on with the main body to a crossroad six miles from the battlefield. For once Forrest was misled. Two of his regiments were not up yet, and he waited for their help to dislodge the enemy from the gap and contented himself with a long range skirmish until 3 p. m. Massing his four regiments, with four guns, he dashed forward only to encounter a thin skirmish line of Federals, who galloped away without firing a return shot.

sharpshooters dismounted and asked the girl to follow and point out the way. Suddenly several shots were fired, and the brave miss, who was Emma Sanson, stepped in front of Forrest, saying: "General, stand behind me. They will not dare shoot me."

Forrest prevailed upon the girl to keep back out of range, but she said, "You may be wounded, and it is my purpose to keep near you." Finally they found the ford, and while Forrest was examining it the sharpshooters opened fire, and several bullets cut the bushes close at hand, one or two actually piercing the girl's spreading skirts. "They've only wounded my crinoline!" said she, waving her sunbonnet defiant-

ly at the Federals across the ravine. Instantly the sharpshooters stopped firing, took their own caps in hand and waved them, with three hearty cheers.

Forrest's delay at the ford gave Streight time to reach the town of Gadsden and destroy the stores and supplies and to capture fresh horses for his men. The raider hoped to reach Rome and destroy the bridge behind his column so that Forrest would be baffled in his pursuit. A detachment of 200 men of the Fifty-first Indiana rode away to seize the bridge af'Rome, and Streight disposed the remainder of his force in ambush upon Blount's plantation. At that point the road ran half a mile through a dense growth of young pines, then turned sharply to the right through an open field.

Streight barricaded the road at the bend, compelling his pursuers to turn into the field. Behind a ridge he concealed 500 men and posted his sharpshooters in the pines. Forrest had been caught before by ambush and decided to take this with a rush. With a dash he cleared the barricade and rode on so rapidly that the sharpshooters had lit tle time to ply their shots. Firing their carbines and pistols right and left, the Confederate troopers dashed for the second line beyond the field. This charge also carried home, and the line

gave way. Finding that Streight's men were still undaunted and ready to dispute the road at every point, Forrest sounded

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

LESSON I, SECOND QUARTER, INTER-NATIONAL SERIES, APRIL 5.

Text of the Lesson, Acts xx, 28-38. Memory Verses, 31-34-Golden \Text, Acts xx, 35-Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

Copyright, 1903, by American Press/Association.] 28. Feed the church of God, which He ath purchased with His own blood.

After the uproar at Ephesus Paul went into Macedonia and abode three months in Greece, after which he started for Jerusalem, hoping to be there by the day of Pentecost (verse 16). Having come as far as Miletus, he sent for the elders of the church at Ephesus, that they might come to Miletus to meet him. Our lesson is part of his address to them, the whole address beginning at the eighteenth verse. He felt that these were the last words he would ever speak to them (verse 25), and he reminded them that in his ministry among them he had taught them all things, not only the essential and fundamental repentance toward God and faith in Jesus Christ, but also the whole counsel of God (verses 21, 27).

29. 30. For I know this, that after my departing shall grievous wolves enter in among you, not sparing the flock; also of your own selves shall men arise, speak-ing perverse things to draw away disciples after them.

It was Paul's delight to maintain himself by his own labor, that he might have to give to the needy things temporal and spiritual; but there were and always have been, and there are and always will be till the kingdom comes, those who, professing to be shepherds, not only do not feed the flock, but take good care to live upon the flock-wolves in sheep's clothing (Jer. xxiii, 13-16; Matt. vii, 15; x, 16). No true servant of Christ ever seeks to draw people to himself; but, like John the Baptist, cries, "Behold the Lamb of God!" The Lord Jesus never sought any glory for Himself, but always glorified the Father, and Love seeketh not her life with Dr. King's New Discovher own, is never selfish. Both from ery. Our niece, who had Consumpwithout and from within the church tion in an advanced stage, also used the adversary works, but the Love that gave Himself for us shall finally conquer.

31, 32. And now, brethren, I commend you to God and to the word of His grace. King's New Discovery as to no other which is able to build you up and to give you an inheritance among all them which are sanctified.

Our Lord's own command was, "Take ye heed, watch and pray" (Mark xiii, 33-37; xiv, 38), and because of our adversary, the devil, who is always seek-



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Streight had rightly judged Forrest's

by Forrest's advance guard. Ridpidly on, he selected the next battleground at the crossing of Crooked creek, in another mountain pass. The captured guns, with the mountain howitzers, were stationed to cover the road. An hour before sundown Forrest came on at the head of three regiments and rode up to within a hundred yards of Streight's line. For three hours the combat raged so close that at times the flashes of carbine and pistol illuminated the features of the combatants with a ghastly glare.

Again Streight pulled out his main column, leaving the pass to be held by a handful. The captured guns, having become a useless burden because the ammunition fitting them had all been fired back at its driginal owners, were

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the recall and allowed his weary troopers a night's rest. Streight took advan-



"THEY'VE ONLY WOUNDED MY CRINOLINE!"

tage of the lull and stealthily set out. for Rome in the path of the detachment sent to seize the bridge. At the Coosa he found that the citizens had run off the ferryboat after his advance guard crossed, and he was compelled to ctics, for he was soon assailed on the march to another crossing seven miles distant. This unfortunate detour gave Forrest time to cross the river and get between the raiders and Rome.

At last it became clear to Streight and his officers that the situation was desperate. The men were worn out and slept as they rode. Many of the mules were footsore, and the soldiers were obliged to walk. It was decided to struggle on and if possible overtake the detachment sent on ahead, but on the morning of the third day of this running fight the whole command sank under hunger and fatigue, and the leader

reluctantly ordered them to rest. Forrest after resting his men on the late battlefield had selected 500 of the best and hurried on the track of the raiders. He found them in their bivouac and quickly divided his force to spiked and left behind. Twice during surround them. Streight at once formed the night retreat Forrest's advance was | his line, but some of his men dropped ambushed, and next morning Streight asleep while under fire of the Confedlined up his column for battle at erate skirmishers. Both leaders sent Bloutsville. Forrest failed to come up, out a flag of truce, and Streight offered and the raiders pushed on across the to surrender if Forrest would show

ing to devour, we need the whole armor of God (I Pet. v, 8, 9; Eph. vi, 11-13): It is by the grace of God, made known to us in the word of God, that we are saved (Rom. iii, 24; Jas. i, 18), and the same word causes us to Z grow in grace (I Pet. ii, 2; II Pet. iii, 18). This verse speaks of those | who are sanctified. See also on this I Cor. vi, 11; Heb. x, 10, 14, then note in John xvii, 17, that we are by the word of God sanctified in the daily life. Any seeming discrepancy in the truths that we are sanctified and perfected forever, yet being sanctified and not yet perfect, is easily understood if we distinguish between what we are in Christ before God by virtue of His great sacrifice and what we are in our daily life here before men (1 John iii; 1, 2). 33-35. I have shewed you in all things how that so laboring ye ought to support the weak and to remember the words of the Lord Jesus; how He said, It is more blessed to give than to receive. By practice as well as by precept

Paul had taught them that he was not seeking theirs, but them; that he wanted nothing from them, but that he had of hearing, in the Buchanan RECORD, a newspa something to give them. So when other teachers came seeking their goods and not their souls they could say, "That is not like Paul, for he never sought anything for himself, but ever taught us of the love of God in Christ, and by the love of Christ he constrained us to give without asking us to" (II Cor. v, 14). Paul realized what he taught, that, though seeming to have nothing, he yet possessed all things, and, though poor, he could make many rich (II Cor. vi, 10). Perhaps in no epistle do we find the riches of the grace of God so fully set forth as in the epistle to the Ephesians, and if we only believed God and that others might be just as rich simply for the taking we could not but speak what we have seen and heard (Acts iv, 20).

36. And when he had thus spoken he kneeled down and prayed with them all. In chapter xxi, 5, we find that at another place they knelt down on the shore and prayed. Paul was certainly a man of prayer, and if we understood the privilege of access to God that is included in prayer we could not but be people of prayer. While kneeling is the position here mentioned, we find in I Kings viii, 22, that Solomon stood with his hands spread forth toward heaven, and we find in the agony in Gethsemane that Jesus both knelt and fell on his face. The position of the body is secondary, but that the soul takes hold of God, that is 'everything (Isa. lxiv, 7; Ps. lvii, 2; lxii, 5).

37, 38. And they all wept sore and fell on Paul's neck and kissed him, sorrowing most of all for the words which he spake that they should see his face no more.

In this world of changes and separations when the best of friends and the dearest of our loved ones are often, called away from us there is comfort in such words' as "Thou, O Lord, remainest forever" (Lam. v, 19; Heb. i, 11). He hath said. "I will never leave.



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

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

A new barn is being erected on the farm of Jacob Miller, 24 miles north west of the village, and there was barn raising on Monday.

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

Thursday of next week there wil be an opportunity for any of the Buchanan boys who wish to compete for an appointment to the naval acadamy to make an effort.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises, sprains Instant relief.

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It's the little colds that grow into management then took control. were served by the hostess and all ex-Marchand that he was not ready to big colds; the big colds that end in pressed regret at soon losing her from Grand Rapids, Mich. e Elden C. Harner, democratic cancross-examine witnesses. Capital Stock, \$800,000.00 consumption and death. Watch the their circle. * * * didate for county school commission-little colds. Dr. Wood's Norway er, was in Buchanan on Monday and The Buchanan Cornet Band have Important to Mothers. Pine Syrup. Examine carefully every bottle of CASTORIA, made a pleasant call at the RECORD made arrangements with the Royal a safe and sure remedy for infants and children, "IT IS IGNORANCE THAT WASTES Letters unclaimed remaining in P. office. Mr. Harner is a pleasant entertainers and Refined Novelty Co. and see that it O. at Buchanan, Michigan, for week young man, has been engaged in teachto give an entertainment at our opera EFFORT." TRAINED SERVANTS USE Bears the ing, taught in Benton Harbor last house Saturday, April 4, for their ending March 31, 1903: John P. Signature of Charty, Thitcher. Oglebay, Miss Rosa Lamb. Postal year, is now in the insurance and benefit on which occasion they will SAPOLIO In Use For Over 30 Years. present Matrimonial Masquerading, caid; Daniel Clark. real estate business. Mr. Harner is The Kind You Have Always Bought, a nephew of Stephen Harner. one of the funniest of the successful G. W. NOBLE, P. M.

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Mr. M. Cathcart, after a serious attack of pneumonia, was out on the street yesterday shaking hands with his friends.

miles from Buchanan. Inquire at the RECORD office

A 17 The ladies of the Presbyterian church will serve chicken pie dinner in the social rooms of the Presbyteri-

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

WANTED-By a leading business house in Buchanan, a bright young man who is willing to make himsely useful. Apply at RECORD office.

The spring 1903 wall paper season is now on. Paper hangers are now engaged 10 days or more ahead See to your papering now and avoid the rush. Binns' Magnet Store.

Rev. Douglass will preach a sermon to the G.A.R. and the ladies of the Circle on Sunday morning, in commemoration of the surrender of Lee. Everybody is invited, especially the

G. A. R. and the ladies of the Circle.

H. L. Bartle, who has served so efficiently as Y. M. C. A. secretary ia Benton Harbor, will leave there soon, having resigned his position He has

made a splendid record and goes to a good field in Fairmount, W. Va.

The Royal Entertainers and Refined Novelty Co, that will appear at our

opera house next Saturday night for the benefit of the Buchanan Cornet Band, comes to our town highly recommenced by the press and local managers where they have appeared.

A special train on the M. B. H. & C. R. R. was run over the road Wednesday by the Pere Marquette officials who lately acquired the road, and a

through inspection took place. All accounts were settled and the new

Walter Swartz, of White Pigeon, barrels Thursday, and the prospects Michigan, is spending a few days are good for a continued increase. with his cousin, Mrs. Peter Moyer, After all, this section of the country and other relatives.

Mrs. L. L. Bunker and Mrs. N. Boyer went to Elkhart Thursday to of it. spend the week with Mrs. Bunker's

daughter, Mrs. Wm. Yoder. Mr. Crestus Perrott, who has been

FOR SALE-An 80 acre farm 31 the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Perrott and other relatives, left Thursday for his home in California.

> Mr. Frank L. Miller has accepted a position with the Indiana Fence Company and went to South Bend last week Thursday to begin work.

J.W. C. Brown, principal of the high school, and his mother. Mrs. Emily Brown are spending a few days with relation in. Lawton, Mich.

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piano tuner, well be in Buchanan April 9th- Orders may be left with Herbert Roe.

LEE BROS. BANK.

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. A 28, p

The new uniforms for the band boys will arrive Monday and as they only lack a little more money to pay for them, they concluded to have another entertainment, and as they had a chance to get a first class comedy show for Saturday night, they will ask the citizens to help them out.

Miss Grace Godfrey gave a farewell party last Friday evening to the Bethany class. An observation contest was given, games of flinch were played. Ice cream and cake

may be in the oil belt, in that case Buchanan may reap some of the fruits For Sale.

Mr. Jay Godfrey offers for sale at his residence on Portage street, at bargain prices the following: Wood and iron bedsteads, springs and mattresses, barpets, chairs, tables, fruit jars, canned fruit, etc. *** *

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Broke Into His House.

S. Le Quinn of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. J. P. Hamilton, the well known | They're guaranteed to cure, 25c at W. N. Brodrick's drug store. * * *

SALT TRUST INVESTIGATION

Comes to a Eudden Postponement Because the Government Man Is Not Ready.

Chicago, April 2.-The charge that railroads by practically allowing a rebate in the salt rate to a concern operating boats between Michigan points and this city, thus give it a monopoly of the salt industry, was investigated by the interstate commerce commission in the United States court yesterday. The complaint, which it is said is brought primarily by the Detroit Salt company, alleges that the Michigan, Indiana and Illinois Transportation company, which owns and operates the boats, is allowed as its proportion of the tariff rate between Detroit, Ludington and Manistee and the Missouri river 6 cents a barrel more than other companies will transport salt for.

A good deal of testimony was taken during the day, but the commission adjourned the hearing indefinitely upon the statement of Special Agent J. T.



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Plowing has begun.

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Miss Cora Enos of Watervliet commenced the Spring term of school at No. 8. Monday.

The Bakertown school closes Friday for this year.

Mrs. Jennie Redding entertained the Visiting Club Wednesday of this week and Cora Foster Thursday last week.

- Paul and Willie DeWitt are staying at Sam Davis' to save their mother from having measles. Mrs. De-Witt's health this Spring has not been very good.

Mrs. H. I. Cauffman was called to Jackson Friday to care for a sick daughter in-law.

caucus Saturday p. m. and the Republicans Monday evening. Chas. Matthews heads the ticket for the former and W. B. French for the latter.

Surveyors were at work in Bakertown Tuesday dividing up the Peer estate.

Mrs. Mary Curran drove down from South Bend Tuesday to look after her interest in the above estate. April 1.

$\diamond \diamond \diamond$ GLENDORA.

Considerable plowing is being done for oats.

The prospects are that peaches will be a very light crop on account of the last cold spell.

The Democrats held their caucus on 28 inst. and nominated quite a popular ticket.

Quite a number of ladies from Baroda and New Troy visited the L. O. T. M. M. of this place on the after noon of the 28 inst.

han that in the old wells, Delegates from the M. W. A. camp of this city, the Ivy Leaf, fourteen, and La Salle, two, are in Buchanan today attending the convention

which elects delegates to the state convention. Last night at midnight, the Pere

the M. B. H. & C. and S. H. & E. roads. The Buchanan road is to be Movement on Foot to Settle the Trou-

extended soon to South Bend. We will miss the dark green which has been the distinguishing color of

the cars on the old "Punkin' Vine" as they will presently don a new tint It is to be hoped that work will now be resumed on the new union depot. During the winter the G. & M. transportation company has been refitting its boats for the summers traffic. The five passengers steamers, City of Milwaukee, City of Chicago, The Democrats of Bertrand held | Soo City, Puritan and Argo can now carry 8500 people. They contain 315 staterooms, that will accommodate 945 persons.

> St. Joe gets its water supply from the lake. There has been considerable criticism lately concerning its purity and as to whether it is responsible for the numerous cases of typhoid fever in that city. The board of health has given out an analysis of the water. It contains guite an amount of material in suspension. part of which is live animal matter of various types and the people are advised to boil it, though there is n taint whatever of sewerage in it. April 1.

> > \diamond \diamond \diamond **KELSEY DISTRICT.**

Alvin Bates returned home from a visit in Galien last Saturday.

Mrs. Ketcham and little grandson of Joliet are visiting her brother, Mr. Henry Place.

Mrs. Stineback and niece of Berrien visited at Wm. Stinebacks last

Judge Adams Declines to Make Permanent the Wabash Ra lway Order.

Marguette road assumed control of BROTHERHCODS WIN ON ALL POINTS

ble Without a Strike-Judge Advises Arbitration.

St. Louis. April 2.-The injunction issued March 3 by Judge Elmer P. Adams, of the United States district court, at the instance of the Wabash railroad officials, to restrain the brotherhoods of railway trainmen and firemen from ordering a strike on that system was dissolved in a decision handed down by Judge Adams yesterday. What the next move will be on either side is problematical. At Wabash headquarters it was stated that amicable adjustment of the controversy is hoped for. The same sentiment was expressed at the hotels where are quartered the few representative of the officials of the trainmen and firemen now in the city.

Judge Recommends Arbitration.

Counsel for both sides spent the afternoon in conference, but no agreement was reached. The keynote for amicable settlement was souned by Judge Adams himself, in rendering his decision. He said: "I cannot conclude this opinion without expressing the sincere wish of the court that if the parties are unable to adjust their differences by such mutual concessions as are necessary to that end the offer made in open court by defendants' counsel to submit the questions in dispute to the board of arbitration provided for by the act of congress of 1898 will be speedily accepted, and another instance of rational and intelligent adjustment of a business difficulty be exhibited to an expectant public."

Court Will Retain Jurisdiction.

Judge Adams announced that court would be in session and retain jurisdiction of the case "if desired, so that in the event of any molestation of, or interference with, interstate commerce or the mail service, all its lawful powers may be invoked to restrain the same, with the confident assurance

sired strike upon the filen who were members of their organization. All these things, the judge says: the plaintiff failed to prove.

STRIKES ARE VERY NUMEROUS

There Are Thousands Out at Chicago April 1 Makes Many Men Idle.

Chicago, April 2. — April 1 was "strike day" so far as yesterday is concerned. Over 8,000 went out here yesterday, as follows: Marine fire men, oilers and water tenders, 5,000; tanners, 2,500; excavating teamsters, 900. There were about 4.000 men on strike here before.

The same story comes from all over the country, and the following are a few of the strikes inaugurated: Philadelphia, plumbers; Yonkers, N. Y., plumbers and carpenters; Denver, Colo., sheet medal workers, cigar-makers and tinners; Cincinnati, architectural iron workers; Eastern Pennsylvania, many towns, painters, plumbers, paper hangers, carpenters and bricklayers; Schenectady, N. Y., electrical workers.

At Stanford, Conn., 700 men of various trades struck; Elmira, N. Y., papehangers and decorators; Morristown, N. J., carpenters and hodcarriers; Springfield, Mass., painters and paper hangers; Elizabeth, N. J., plumbers. On the other hand several threaten ing strikes were settled, the most important being that of the trainmen of the New York, New Haven and Hartford company, which was amicably settled late yesterday afternoon. The men appear to be perfectly satisfied with the concessions made by the railroad officials.

Then in the anthracite regions the award of the coal strike commission went into full effect. The inaugura tion of the new conditions was generally observed as a holiday in the southern fields, almost all the mines in that district being idle. In several towns, parades and mass meetings were held.

FOR CONTEMPT OF COURT

President Roosevelt Thought Eight Months' Imprisonment Too Much.

Washington, April 2.-The president has commuted to expire yesterday the sentence of Edward Grant, alias Edward Guerrant, who was convicted before United States Judge McDowell, of the western district of Virginia. for contempt of court, and sentenced Oct. 9, 1902, to imprisonment for eight months in the Washington county jail,



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Mrs. Geo. Boyce Sr. seems to be Sunday. gaining very slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Parmenter spent Sunday with the parents of the latter. Mr. Parmenter is a mason by trade, and says the outlook for work in his line, in South Bend, is very poor. The Union having raised the price of labor so that those contemplating building cannot afford it.

Miss Verna Sheparhson entertained her friend, Mr. Willis Mell, over Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Pennell entertained the Aid society of Disciple Church on Wednesday of this week. General family sewing was the afternoon work.

About noon last Saturday Mr. Eugene Boyce's house was discovered to be on fire. The timely assistance of neighbors saved it with but little damage to the roof.

Glendora saw exciting times on the 28th, A caucus, L. O. T. M. M. blow He Gets the Income of \$2,600 for Be out and a fire.

Mr. and Mrs. Wright and children, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hess and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Tormey were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Blackmun on Sunday last.

Mrs. Dell Blackmun and Mrs. Lillie McFaul went to Buchanan on Tuesday. Mrs. McFaul bought furniture to go to house-keeping again.

Mr. John Lewis spent a few days at South Haven visiting friends.

Galien has secured a pickle and canning factory with a sauer kraut attachment and are now soliciting and engaging acreage for the proper products necessary to run the factory. April 1.

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April Fool's day.

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Strawberries have appeared in market.

Rev. Petrie, rector of Holy Trinity (episcopal) church, has resigned his pastorate, on account of ill health.

The St. Joseph fishing industry is der." Prominent Farmer Dead. Chas. Bell did the work. He is the LIME, LUMBER, CEMENT, The judge says further that the Hope, Ind., April 2.-John Luther, very successful this spring. John one that does all the first class shoe gravamen of the charge made by the prominent farmer and stockman and Mollhagen has 72 miles of nets set in and harness repairing and harness railway was that the defendants had AND ----president of the board of trade, was cleaning at low prices guaranteeing the lake. entered an unlawful and malicious killed here in a runaway accident. all work. Motto. First class work conspiracy to secure recognition of The Van Zoeren bill is before leg- at low prices.. Shop under RECORD their brotherhoods by falsely represent-Russia Closes a University. office. islature at Lansing and a fierce coning that the employes of the railroad St. Petersburg, April 2.-The author- $\diamond \diamond \diamond$ who were members of the brotherities have closed the St. Petersburg test is being waged over the St. Johoods were dissatisfied with their university, owing to student demon-John Milliard, South Bend says seph marriage industry. strations directed against the rector. wages and conditions of service, when Coonley's Tonic Ext. of Sarsaparilla All obstacles have finally been rethey were, in fact, entirely satisfied is the best medicine made, it cured Commercial Crisis Threatened. and contented with the same, and that moved and we will soon have the use | me of a terrible Eczma after all other of the water from the new wells sunk blood medicines had failed." Be Victoria, B. C., April 2.-Advices redefendants were about to exercise ceived from China yesterday state AND KEEP IN TOUCH WITH LOCAL EVENTS TAKE their powers as supreme and controlwise and take it first, only 50c a that a commercial crisis threatens | THE. last summer, which is much purer large bottle at E. S. Dodd & Son's. ling officers of the brotherhoods of fire-WE PRINT ALL THE NEWS ALL THE TIME, Tien-tsin. men and trainmen to force an unde-. i. h. in

Mrs Chas. Bates was a very wel-

come visitor at school last Friday afternoon.

Four more books were added to the school library this week.

A picture of McKinley, given to the school by Jessie Place, has been framed and adds to the aspect of the room.

Florene Hall presented the teacher a beautiful boquet of hypaticas on Monday morning and Lennie Bates of the chart class surprised her on April 1 with an oxalis plant in bloom.

Georgia Zerbe and Fred Stineback of the seventh grade quit school last week, the former moved to Buchanan and the latter stopped to begin spring work.

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NEGRO WINS THE PRIZE

ing First in an Oratorical Competition.

New Haven, Conn., April 2. - The Henry James Teneyck prize at Yale was awarded last night to William Pickens, a member of the junior academic class, whose home is in Little Rock, Ark. The prize is the income of \$2,600, given annually for excellence in the junior exhibition speaking. Pickens is a negro. He is said to be the first student of that race who has ever participated in the Teneyck speaking.

Pickens' subject was "Hayti." He treated the island historically and economically, and deducted from his review views of its future, predicting

destinies by Great Britain or the United States.

He Saved His Wad of Bills. Yale, Mich., March 26. - C. F. Mavis, a hay shipper, while loading a car left his coat in it after taking out of a pocket an envelope containing \$53. A sneak thief rifled the coat of some stamped letters shortly after-Würde

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The Mysterious Disappearance

Of that old look about your shoes or harness is surely surprising to your friends until you inform them

that they will be fearlessly and effectively exercised." President Ramsey, of the Wabash, is at present en route to Cairo, Egypt, to attend his daughter, who is ill. George J. Gould arrived early last night on his annual tour of inspection. While not authoritatively stated, it is believed, that in President Ramsey's absence Gould will endeavor to effect a settlement of the situation.

NUB OF THE JUDGE'S OPINION

Every Point in the Dispute Decided Against the Railway.

Among the findings of the court are the following:

"That, irrespective of the question whether the men or the committee of the brotherhoods representing them first suggested the increase of wages and change of rules, the employes themselves at and for a long time prior to the tiling of the bill of complaint were dissatisfied with their wages and conditions of service, and a real difference of opinion existed between the railroad and a large majority of its employes, members of the brotherhoods, with respect to their wages.

"That the defendants, as officers and committees of the brotherhoods, were fully authorized both by reason of their official relation to their members and also by direct written authority to represent them in the effort to secure higher wages and changed conditions

of service. "That the proposed strike, instead of being officiously ordered by defendants, was a result of the vote of the employes, acting without coercion and directly authorizing the same.

"That the charge of conspiracy to interfere with the interstate commerce of the United States of the mail service of the United States is not sustained."

"The gist of the conspiracy coming within the jurisdiction of the federal courts, as charged in the bill." said that its welfare lay in the control of its | Judge Adams, "was to precipitate a strike undesired by the men, and thereby, and by other means specifically charged in the bill, to interfere with interstate commerce and the mail service of the United States. Upon the showing made that the first step of the conspiracy — the ordering of such a strike — was contemplated by the defendants and that irreparable damage would befall the railroad unless a restraining order was 'issued forthwith, the same was done for the purpose of holding the proeprty and the parties in statu quo until both

at Abingdon. Grant was a labor organizer of the United Mine Workers, and was adjudged by the court guilty of contempt in disobeying an order of the court by endeavoring to interfere with and intimidate employes in one of the coal mines. The attorney general recommended a commutation on the ground that the punishment of eight months' imprisonment was excessive.

BRAKEMAN UNDER THE WRECK

Engineer Dead, and Six Other Persons Hurt Is the Story of a Big Four

Accident.

North Manchester, Ind., April 2.-Big Four passenger train No. 26 crashed head-on into a south-bound freight at full speed three miles north of here last night at 10 o'clock. Engineer Havy, of Wabash, Ind., was instantly killed, and Brakeman Willhagen is missing and believed to be under the engine.

Baggageman Seavy sustained probably fatal injuries; B. P. Crouch, baggageman, of Anderson, Ind., shoulder dislocated; J. P. Brady, of Wabash, back and hands; George Lyons, of Indianapolis, hurt about the legs; H. C. Hathaway, mail weigher, internally; Omar Lausey, of Indianapolis, cut about head.

Krupp Expends \$5,000,000.

Berlin, April 2.-The expenditure of \$5,000,000 by the Krupp company in extending the works is chiefly for erecting a great rail mill at Rheinhauson. on the Rhine, according to the American system. The ores will be unloaded from the boats to the furnaces, coming out finished rails without cooling.

Statement of the Public Debt.

Washington, April 2.- The monthly statement of the public debt shows that at the close of business March 31, 1903, the total debt, less cash in the treasury, amounted to \$939,603,-919, an increase for the month of \$1,-631,021.

Theodore Junior Catches Fish.

Norfolk, Va., April 2. - Theodore Roosevelt, Jr., accompanied by an officer from the Mayflower, yesterday went on a fishing excursion to Lake Smith. Young Roosevelt caught a big string of bass and perch.

Decrease in the Value of Silver. Washington, April 2.-The quarterly estimate of the value of foreign coins issued by the director of the mint shows a decrease in the value of silver for the last three months of .01206 cents per fine ounce.

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