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The gathering was a complete surprise to the delighted hostess, who had no intimation of what her friends had planned.

The friends enjoyed games during the evening, refreshments were served, and after presenting Mrs. Stanton with a pretty piece of china, the guests departed, wishing their hostess many happy returns.

SCHOOL NOTES.

The high school enrolls 59 pupils, 22 of them being non residents.

All pupils of the high school are required at present to study current events, spelling and music. Important events of recent occurrence are the subjects for a general discussion each Monday morning. The spelling lesson is given each Wednesday morning and the chorus class meets each Friday p. m. at 8 o'clock.

The following pupils have entered our school for the first time, and have enrolled in the high school department: Eugene Hallock, Bernice Haslett, Edith Harding, Charlie French, Clem Conrad, Maude Mitchell, Fred Miller, John Tarrant, Gertrude Paul and Edna Coleman.

Eugene Hallock has organized an orchestra in the high school, which promises some fine music in the near future.

The enrollment in the different grades is as follows: 3rd, 37; 4th, 30; 5th, 23; 6th, 30; 7th, 23; 8th, 30.

The A class of the 6th grade has made a good beginning in composition work. Their new composition books look fine with their first composition on "Coal" in them.

Pupils of the 5th grade enjoyed reading "Hoosier School Boy," last week.

The 8th grade had an interesting lesson in Civics on Friday, which they put in to practice by holding a class election.

Last week the 3rd grade wrote compositions about Clytie and the sun-flower.

The B. division of the 4th grade has written some very good stories about the Indians.

3rd grade pupils are learning a poem entitled "Golden Rod."

5th grade geography classes are finding some difficulty with Asiatic names, but enjoy the map drills on Europe.

The last fifteen minutes in the 6th grade each Friday p. m. will be spent with exercises prepared by four pupils in their turn. These exercises will consist of readings, recitations, anecdotes, etc.

7th grade had some very interesting compositions on "How Arthur Became King."

Mrs. Andrews visited the 3rd grade last week.

An imaginary trip to Boston was taken by the pupils of the geography classes of the 6th grade. This was made more interesting by a book of views lent them by Miss Rutledge, the science teacher.

WARD SCHOOL.

First grade enrolls 39, second grade enrolls 32.

A clean, pleasant school room awaited us on our return to school.

First and second grades are studying the models of the sphere and cube in drawing.

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WORK ARRANGED

30 Club Program Complete and Members are Ready for Year's Meetings.

The clubs of the village are about to commence their regular weekly meetings for the year, and the various members are looking forward to the season's work with much pleasure.

The 30 club study English Literature, for the first half of the year, and American Literature for the latter part.

The officers of this club are: President, Mrs. S. C. Cook; vice president, Mrs. H. F. Kingery; recording secretary, Miss Artie Logan; corresponding secretary; Miss Beatrice Mansfield; treasurer, Mrs. Daisy Rough.

The meetings occur Wednesdays, commencing Sept. 23, and running to April 20. There are but two strictly social events, one Jan. 20, a "Geo. Eliot" evening, and one April 27, a "Washington Irving" evening; the most of the time is to be spent in literary work rather than in social pleasures.

The program committee for the ensuing year are: Misses Artie Logan, Beatrice Mansfield, Mesdames East, Blowers, and Garland.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

Eastern Star Ladies Inducted Into Office Last Wednesday Night.

The following officers were installed at the Masonic hall last Wednesday night.

Patron—E. W. Sanders.
Matron—Miss Carrie Williams.
Assoc't. Matron—Mrs. Jennie Wood.
Conductress—Mrs. Juliet Baird.
Assoc't. Conductress—Mrs. I. L. H. Dodd.

Secretary—Mrs. Millie East.
Treasurer—Mrs. E. W. Sanders.
Chaplain—Mrs. G. R. Scott.
Warden—Mrs. E. I. Bird.
Sentinel—Chas. Snyder.
Ada—Mrs. A. F. Ames.

Ruth—Miss Clara Harper.
Martha—Mrs. Dr. Knight.
Esther—Mrs. Libbie Haslett.
Organist—Mrs. A. J. Garland.
Marshall—Mrs. C. Crotser.
Electa—Adaline Ray.

Mrs. Frank Stryker acted as installing officers, and Mrs. Emma Knight acted as Marshall. Altogether it was a very pleasant occasion.

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Last Night.

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TO RECORD SUBSCRIBERS.

For over one year we have been giving our subscribers from 12 to 16 pages, published in two parts; one Tuesdays, the other Fridays and have charged no increase over the once a week edition of 8 pages. Our subscribers have appreciated the superior service rendered, except an occasionally moss back who would prefer the once to twice a week edition, but where we have had one of that kind we have found a dozen others to take their place.

To continue our twice a week at \$1 per year we must have prompt payment, or it can not be done. We wish to state that after Oct. 1, 1903 all subscriptions that are not paid in advance will be \$1.25 per year, 65 for 6 months, or 35 for three months; but if paid promptly in advance we will charge \$1 per year, 50 for 6 months, or 25 for 3 months.

We are anxious to do the best we can for our patrons. Will you not do the same for us?

Let It be Settled.

Strange how some people are interested in other people's business. But that is to be expected as long as we live in this present world. For a couple of months the papers have been flooded with the great turmoil at Buchanan, when the facts are, that those who live in Buchanan, except a few gossips, who have nothing else to do, hardly knew of the difficulty.

We doubt if any one has suffered by not getting paid for services done, and possibly the village has been the gainer by less expenditures being made.

There is some trouble, and it can not be denied, but the council is composed of intelligent men who manage their own affairs well, and who are willing, we think, to reason.

It seems perfectly natural that where there is a difference of opinion there will be two sides and that both sides will want their way, but each must submit to giving up, at least to some degree, his opinions.

One of the most important questions in the difference between our village trustees seems to be in appointing a successor to Dr. Henderson. The matter of sidewalks would soon adjust itself when once the trustee was elected.

There seems also to be a difference of opinion as to who shall appoint the trustee to fill the vacancy caused by Dr. Henderson's resignation.

Let us suggest a remedy. The trustees are creatures of the people, and as such ought to be willing to submit their small misunderstanding to the people. We believe every one of them will do this. Let the people hold an election to decide who shall be the trustee, the person having the highest number of votes to be elected by the council, or appointed by President Black, which ever way is the legal one, to fill the place vacated by Dr. Henderson. It seems to us that not one member of the council would object to this plan and if they do we think the village ought to hold them responsible for any evil consequence to the village. Let this reproach to our village be removed. Trustees will you do this? We can not think of hearing any other than a unanimous *Yes*.

Insurance Men Galore.

The Union Central Life Insurance Co., of Cincinnati, was well represented in Buchanan today. A. G. Gilbert, the general agent, and F. E. Starkweather, agent of the company at Kalamazoo, were in the village getting an office opened here, which will be in charge of E. G. Rudd, and W. F. Weaver, assistant.

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WHY MARY ANDERSON WILL NOT RETURN TO THE FOOTLIGHTS.

Once the Idol of the American Stage, She Has Been Many Years in Retirement—Reminiscences of Her Career.

Mary Anderson, for years America's most famous actress, who was recently guaranteed \$250,000 for a series of readings in this country, has, it is announced, declined this munificent offer and will remain in the seclusion of domestic life. Miss Anderson retired from the stage fourteen years ago and since that time has refused many flattering inducements to return to the Thespian world.

Mary Anderson was the idol of American theater goers from the time of her first appearance on the stage of sixteen years ago. She has been good to the footlights. Since her retirement she has lived a quiet life in England with her husband and family. She has been much interested in charitable schemes, and much of her spare time has been devoted to helpful work among the poor.

Miss Anderson is a native of California, but her girlhood days were passed in Louisville. Even as a child she gave evidence of the genius that was later to blossom forth. She received every encouragement from her stepfather, Dr. Hamilton Griffin, her own father, Charles Joseph Anderson, having died in 1863, when she was but four years old.

A schoolmate relates that Mary used to collect her friends around her after



MARY ANDERSON DE NAVARRO.

school, mount the steps and recite. Not content with recitations on the portico, she organized a company of her own composed of her companions. The performances were given in a cellar of the house occupied by a neighbor named Sulzer.

As she grew older it was decided by her mother and Dr. Griffin that she should be allowed to follow her inclinations for a stage career. Dr. Griffin prevailed on John McCullough, who was playing an engagement in Louisville, to give his stepdaughter a hearing.

McCullough hated stagestruck people and said as much. He went to the house, he afterward owned, only to rid himself of Dr. Griffin's importunities. "Arriving at our home," said Miss Anderson in relating the incident long afterward, "he seemed bored and was generally disagreeable. 'I have only a quarter of an hour,' he said, 'and as you will have my opinion of your daughter's abilities she had better begin at once.' In spite of his discouraging manner I went through the potted scene of 'Romeo and Juliet.' When I had finished, his manner had changed. He remained for several hours, acting with me scenes from all the plays I knew."

"Mr. McCullough introduced us to Barney Macauley, manager of the Macauley theater. 'Barney,' said he, 'when you can, put this girl on the stage. If I am a judge of such matters she will make a fortune for you.'"

On Nov. 27, 1875, at Macauley's theater, Louisville, Miss Anderson made her first professional appearance on the stage. The play was "Romeo and Juliet," and her success was instantaneous. Two years later she made her debut in New York at the Fifth Avenue theater and scored a brilliant triumph. Perhaps the most notable achievement in her career was her revival of "The Winter's Tale" in London and afterward in this country.

It was early in 1889 that the American public saw Mary Anderson for the last time on the stage. The effects of overwork had shown themselves during the latter part of the preceding year, but she persisted in filling the engagements made for her. In March, 1889, though ill, she played an engagement at Washington, but that was her last public appearance.

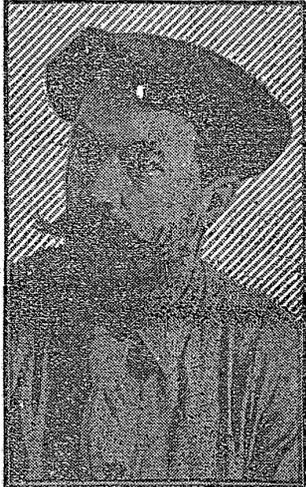
The following April she sailed from New York and for an entire year sought seclusion in England. Then on June 17, 1890, she was married to Mr. Antonio de Navarro, a friend of over ten years' standing.

The young people traveled over Europe for awhile and then returned to England and settled down at Tunbridge Wells, later removing to Broadway, Worcestershire. Several children have been born to them, but only one, Tony, a bright boy of about seven years, is living.

The Toiling Sculptors

IN the grandeur and originality of the sculpture which will adorn its grounds and decorate its buildings the Louisiana Purchase exposition at St. Louis will without question surpass all other events of its kind ever held in the world. Some of the work has been completed, but the greater part is still in the hands of the sculptors. Through the eyes of its artists merit and surpassing beauty.

In the production of the decorative sculpture for the exposition the duty of

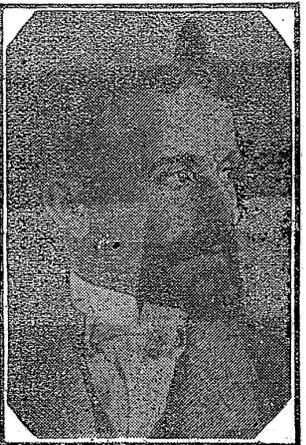


KARL BITTER. (Chief of sculpture for the Louisiana Purchase exposition.)

supervision falls upon Karl Bitter. As chief of the sculptural department he has prepared the sculptural scheme and awarded the commissions and is now engaged upon the monumental task of overseeing the designing of models and their enlargement into the figures of oftentimes heroic size which are to decorate the grounds of the fair.

Mr. Bitter has remarkable capacity for executive tasks such as the one now in hand as well as high artistic taste and excellent judgment. He is assisted by an advisory committee composed of such eminent sculptors as J. Q. A. Ward, Augustus St. Gaudens and Daniel C. French. His own experience with exposition sculpture dates back to the Columbian exposition of 1893, and he won general praise for the creditable performance of the task assigned him as director of sculpture at the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo. Mr. Bitter's sculptural productions include a long list of noted works. A faint idea of the task assigned him may be obtained from the statement that there will be some 250 groups of sculpture on the grounds of the world's fair and over 1,000 single figures. The prospect is that these decorations will be notable not only for their profusion, but for their beauty and high artistic merit.

Passing through the principal entrance to the grounds, the visitor will behold a great monumental feature which Mr. Bitter has named "The Apotheosis of St. Louis" and the execution of which has been intrusted to Charles H. Niehaus. In the center of a vast plaza, surmounted upon a massive architectural base, will rise an equestrian statue of Louis IX., for whom the city of St. Louis was named. The city itself will be symbolized by a female figure sitting with outstretched arms in front of this monument at the foot of the base. The winged figure of Fame is whispering in her ear the names of those who have made her great, while through her hands passes an endless scroll of the famous deeds of her children. The carving in relief about the base of the equestrian statue



ISIDORE KONTI.

and various other figures grouped about it tell the story of the city's birth and growth.

This wonderful monument and two notable equestrian statues of Joliet and De Soto will form the chief features of what will be known as Monument court. Looking up from this court, one will behold the waters of the three great cascades tumbling from an elevation into the grand basin. At the northern end of the basin, in the broad boulevard which bisects the main group of exposition buildings, will stand the

What They Are Doing For St. Louis' Big Fair # The "Pants" Problem

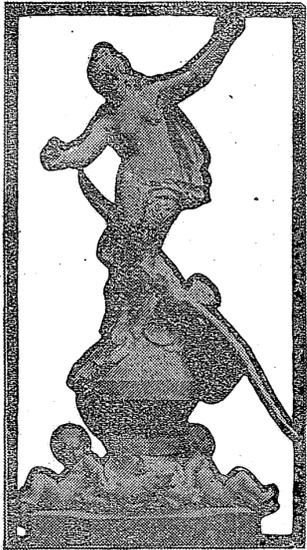
Louisiana purchase monument, designed by Emanuel L. Masqueray.

It is hard to conceive greater possibilities for magnificence and monumental effect than those which lie in the hands of the artists who have been intrusted with the designing of the three great cascades, which, extending for over two city blocks in length, pour their waters into the grand basin, from which they are distributed to all the lagoons throughout the park. The central cascade, surrounded by twelve massive groups, will be the work of H. A. MacNeil and is to be known as the "Fountain of Liberty." The two side cascades are being executed by Isidore Konti.

The side cascades represent the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, which were united by the Louisiana purchase, and Mr. Konti has modeled to portray "The Spirit of the Pacific," a flying female figure with an albatross. The bird floating in the air, calm and passive, typifies the peaceful character of the Pacific. The Atlantic is represented by a vigorous youth standing in the clouds with arm upraised and at his feet a soaring eagle. The three cascades, taken as a whole, give expression to the sway of liberty from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

Charles Albert Lopez, who is working on a figure of Blenville for the exposition, says the problem of "pants" is very annoying to the sculptor, especially to one who does much portrait work. "The modern male costume is anything but picturesque, and when it comes to reproducing it in sculpture we are up against it," said the artist. "This figure I am working on has no such difficulties, for the costume is that of the early part of the eighteenth century and is very picturesque. Blenville was the French officer who in the time of Louis XV. became governor of Louisiana and founded New Orleans.

"I had a rather amusing experience in connection with the clothes ques-



KONTI'S "SPIRIT OF THE PACIFIC."

tion," continued the sculptor. "At the Charleston exposition I did a group for the negro building representing the progress of the colored race. The man was portrayed with bared breast and back and the woman in a picturesque field costume. The group was better from the artist's standpoint than it could have been with the man wearing a Prince Albert coat and the woman a tailor made gown, and the art committee awarded the composition a medal. But the colored folks were indignant and wanted me to clothe the group so that it would show that the people of their race in this country today were not behind the fashions. On account of this controversy the group was removed from the negro building to another part of the grounds."

George Edwin Bissell has modeled two beautiful groups for the St. Louis fair that are to be placed on either side of the main entrance to the palace of liberal arts. The subjects are "Music" and "Science," and each is a very effective expression in sculpture of the ideas and sentiments connected with these subjects.

It is often interesting to learn the circumstances that have led sculptors to take an interest in particular objects. For instance, James A. Fraser, who has been commissioned to do an equestrian statue of a Cheyenne chief, to stand on one of the approaches to Art hill at the exposition, was given the work because of his knowledge of Indian life. Mr. Fraser having lived near an Indian reservation as a boy and mingled much among the red men.

About the fine arts palaces the most eminent sculptural efforts of the exposition will be gathered, for these palaces are to be permanent. D. C. French and Louis St. Gaudens will execute the two great groups representing "Sculpture" and "Painting" which will ornament the entrance.

In no previous exposition have so many noted artists been engaged upon the sculptural decorations, and in no other have the pieces been designed upon so magnificent a scale and in such great profusion. In its sculptural features alone the Louisiana Purchase exposition will be without parallel in the history of world's fairs.

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6:00	1:48 8:14	9:24	12:56
7:30	2:18 8:44	10:54	1:26
8:00	2:28 8:54	11:24	1:56
9:30	3:03 9:29	12:54	2:26
10:00	3:13 9:39	1:24	2:56
11:30	3:43 10:09	2:54	3:26
12:00	3:53 10:19	3:24	3:56
1:30	4:23 10:49	3:54	4:26
2:00	4:33 10:59	4:24	4:56
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8:30	8:35	8:10	8:30
9:45	9:50	9:25	9:45
10:30	10:35	10:10	10:30
11:15	11:20	10:55	11:15
12:00	12:05	11:40	12:00
1:15	1:20	12:55	1:15
2:30	2:35	2:10	2:30
3:45	3:50	3:25	3:45
4:30	4:35	4:10	4:30
5:15	5:20	4:55	5:15
6:00	6:05	5:40	6:00
7:15	7:20	6:55	7:15
8:30	8:35	8:10	8:30

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HENRY M. ALDEN.

cessful author. "God In His World," "A Study of Death" and "A Pictorial History of the Great Rebellion" are his best known works. The last was written in collaboration with A. H. Guernsey.

Mr. Alden is a native of Vermont and is eighth in descent from John Alden, who came over in the Mayflower. He is a graduate of Williams college of the class of '57 and of Andover Theological seminary three years later. His voice failing to meet the requirements of a ministerial career, which had been his ambition, he took up literary work, finally going to Harper's in 1863, becoming editor of the Weekly and remaining in that position until called to the editorial chair of the magazine six years later. Mr. Alden is very fond of helping beginners, and many a now famous author won his first success because of the veteran editor's perception and encouragement.

MOTHER OF THE POPE.

A Simple Peasant, From Whom Pius X. Inherited His Humility.
 The modest tastes and simple habits of Pope Pius X., which have always been distinguishing traits of his character, were an inheritance from his mother, whom her distinguished son greatly resembles in feature as well as in the sterling qualities that finally placed him at the head of the Roman Catholic church.
 Signora Sarto, the mother of Pope Pius X., was a peasant of the town of



MOTHER OF POPE PIUS X.

Riese, province of Treviso, near Venice, and her maiden name was Marguerite Sanson. Her husband held a small municipal office in the town, and she added to his slender income by plying her needle as a dressmaker. She died in 1894, having lived to see her son elevated to the cardinalate. After he became patriarch of Venice she still continued to occupy a small house in Riese, in her humility refusing to live with her son, as even his modest establishment was considered by her to be too luxurious in comparison with what she was accustomed to.

After Giuseppe Sarto was made patriarch he still allowed his family to continue in the modest line of life to which they were born. Three of his sisters are spinsters, and one of the others, Antonie, is married to a man so poor that she is compelled to assist in the support of the family by dressmaking. Lucia, another sister, is the wife of a church sexton, who is occasionally a peddler, and the husband of a third is the keeper of a small inn.

The elder brother of the pope, Angelo, lives in the village of Dellegrazie, province of Mantua, being the postman of the district and receiving about \$80 a year for his services.

When Pius X. was bishop of Mantua his brother often went there for reasons connected with the postal service. The other clerks would ask him jokingly why his brother did not find him a better place. Angelo, with the sturdy independence which is characteristic of the Sarto family, answered that he preferred to be what he could make himself.

THE WAR PORTFOLIO

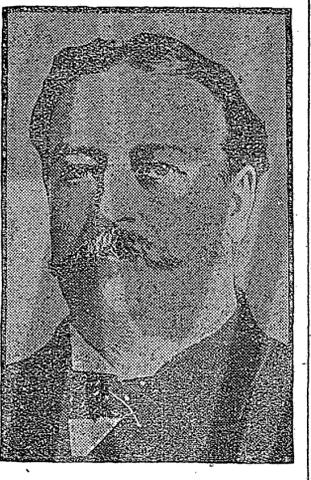
CHANGES INVOLVED BY RETIREMENT OF ELIHU ROOT.

Governor Taft as Secretary of War Will Occupy Position Once Held by His Father—The New Governor of the Philippines.

Judge William H. Taft, governor of the Philippines, who is to succeed Elihu Root as secretary of war when the latter retires from the cabinet about Jan. 1 next, was appointed civil governor of the islands in June, 1901, and was the first to hold that office after the American occupation. Governor Taft will be succeeded in the Philippines by General Luke E. Wright, the present vicé governor.

When Governor Taft enters the cabinet as head of the war department he will be the second member of his family who has held that position, his father, the late Alphonso Taft of Ohio, having been secretary of war under General Grant.

Governor Taft is a native of Cincinnati and a graduate of Yale in the class of '78. He studied law, was admitted to the bar of Cincinnati and in 1872 was assistant prosecuting attorney of Hamilton county. Two years later President Arthur appointed him collector of internal revenue for the First Ohio district, but after serving one year he resigned and resumed the practice of law. In 1887 he was appointed by Governor Foraker to the superior bench of Cincinnati and the following year was elected to the same position. Two years later he resigned



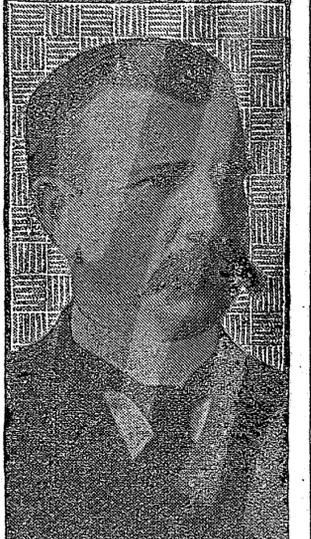
GOVERNOR WILLIAM H. TAFT.

to become solicitor general of the United States in the Harrison administration.

In 1892 President Harrison appointed Judge Taft United States circuit judge for the Sixth circuit, the duties of which office he performed until appointed in 1900 president of the commission to the Philippines to organize a civil government for the islands.

Governor Taft is a hard worker, a clear thinker and has a high standing in the legal profession. Physically he is an athlete and a man of fine presence. He knows when to enforce his words with acts, as the following incident shows:
 Some years ago a sensational Cincinnati newspaper printed what purported to be a Washington letter written by a woman. It was a letter which no decent woman would write. In some way the paper left the impression that Mrs. Taft, the judge's mother, was the author of the article. The wretched trick aroused the ire of Judge Taft, and he invaded the editorial sanctum and mopped up the floor with the editor. After the judge had made a clean job of the office floor the mop was taken to the hospital.

General Luke E. Wright, who is to succeed Governor Taft, has already had considerable executive experience in the Philippines. He has been a member of the Philippines commission for several years, having been appointed by President McKinley, and last year conducted the government of the is-



GENERAL LUKE E. WRIGHT.

lands for several months, while Governor Taft was absent in this country on account of ill health.
 General Wright is a native of Tennessee and is one of the best known lawyers in all the south. He is a veteran of the civil war, having entered the Confederate army at the age of fifteen, serving as a private throughout the war. General Wright has been a lifelong Democrat.

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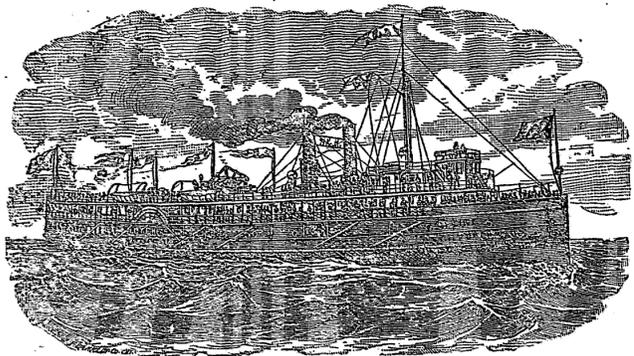
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LINES BY MRS. PEACOCK.

Occasioned by Dr and Mrs Cottingham's
Going to Housekeeping.

Dr. and Mrs. Cottingham, who were recently married in Buchanan, the bride being remembered as Miss Edna Morgan, have just gone to housekeeping in their western home, and this pleasant occasion called forth some humorous lines by Mrs. Peacock, a near relative of the bride.

Dear Wife, I wish you'd cook some beans
The good old fashioned way
With strips of pork across the top,
Please fix some up today.

My mother used to do them so
When we were growing boys;
I count them now as I look back
Among my youthful joys.

I don't know how the thing is done
And you look puzzled too,
You'd better get the cook book out,
That may enlighten you.

I think they boil them first awhile,
Then bake them nice and brown.
My mother's counted 'mong the best
Of all the cooks in town.

I like your cakes and angel foods,
They're sweet, and light, and nice,
But I'd "swap" these most any day
For one of mother's pies.

This baker's bread like cotton bats,
Is awful hard to chew,
My mother always baked her bread.
Say, why couldn't you?

But there I almost quite forgot
How young wives do despise
To hear their husbands brag about
Their mother's bread and pies.

There ought to be a few words more,
When marriage vows are said,
To make the husbands silence keep
About their mother's bread.

Your things are all quite good enough
For any man to eat,
And everything about the house
You keep so clean and neat.

And then your own sweet self I love
Far better than my fare,
You queen of hearts! does any man
Possess a wife so rare?

There's something else to think about
Than pies and cakes for food,
The world would be much better off
If these were all tabooed.

The fruits and grains and vegetables,
All doubtless do agree,
Are better far for all mankind.
They keep the system free.

And help to circulate the blood,
And keep it pure and clear,
Of these when simply cooked and served
Dyspeptics need not fear.

At any rate it seems today,
If I should banished be
With you to some fair island far
Out in the deep blue sea,

I there, wherever it might be,
In cold or torrid zone,
Could dwell with you most happily,
And live on fruits alone.

At the marriage of this young couple Mrs. Peacock wrote some lines in honor of the occasion, which were read at the wedding. These are also reproduced here as many friends have desired to hear them again, and to retain a copy of them for future reading.

Dear Edna, I thought that on this glad occasion,
A bit of advice to you and Vespasian
From one who has travelled long over the way,
Might help you to shun the sharp thorns
by the way,
And gather the roses and sweets of each day.

Now dairies, you've taken each other for life,
With never a thought of contention or strife.

You just can't imagine that each to the other,
Could say a cross word or give the least bother.

Says Edna to husband, "Do you know my dear
There's one thing that seems to me so very queer,
"Tis that lovers who've courted and wedded for life
Can say things so bitter and sharp as a knife,

Or pout and be sulky and look very mad,
Which surely must cause them to both fell quite sad."

"That's true" says Vespasian, "but we will agree,
I'll be kind to you and you'll be to me."

But here let me tell you a word at this point,
There may come a time when life seems out of joint;

The pancakes are heavy, the coffee not good,
And husband may say things that he never should.

But when he looks over the table you've spread,
And grumbles and scolds till his face grows quite red,

Just try to be patient, dear Edna, and smile,
Although your heart's breaking with grief all the while,

Or softly remind him how, when a fair bride
He promised to love you and cherish beside,

With never a hint as to how you'd make coffee,
And ask him if all he said then was daffy,
And you dear Vespasian, when she is unkind,
And refuses your home regulations to mind,
Or teases for bonnets and ribbons and things
Till you wish there never were autumns or springs,
Or if girls are such 'angels they'd take to their wings.

Just keep very calm and to Edna explain
You are passing through now a financial strain,
And when matters shall brighten if money she lacks
You will fill her purse full of the brightest greenbacks.

And be sure and don't let day into night turn,
With the least bit of hate in your hearts left to burn,
But let love and sweet peace your hearts kindly keep
When you settle to rest in sweet slumber and sleep.

And the little attentions you give each today,
Don't drop when the honey moon passes away.

Or what's better still keep the honey moon bright,
Let it shed o'er your pathway its warm mellow light.

Each morn as you leave for the office or farm
Give Edna a kiss, it will do her no harm,
And it surely will lighten the cares of the day
And give her sweet thoughts of you while you're away;

And she when you come will greet you in return,
And this will the love-light continue to burn,
And when the dark places in life you must meet,
It will sparkle and glow for a lamp to your feet.

But I know you are weary and wish me to cease,
So I close with best wishes of love, joy and peace.

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Mercerized Materials.

In view of the extensive popularity of mercerized goods a word of explanation in regard to their manufacture will be interesting. The term "mercerized" is derived from the name of Mercer, a dealer in small wares, who fifty years discovered a chemical process by which he could make cotton yarn silken in effect.

Then years after, another man, presumably in his employ, perfected the method which has become one of the greatest improvements and success throughout the cotton world, in consequence of linen being so high priced and cotton, up to the present perfection, having been so crude. There are several secret processes—cheap or more expensive—for getting the effects seen in mercerized materials.

In the stripe effects the mercerized yarn is woven in one stripe and the plain yarn used for another; again, the whole fabric is mercerized, giving the silken effect all over. In some cases a burning test is necessary to determine whether the material is silk or cotton; cotton and silk smoulder, and mercerized yarn, probably on account of the chemicals used, flames. The textures are now so now so beautiful that to the average person it is impossible to tell at a slight distance whether the material is a silk matelasse or a mercerized cotton—From Materials and Trimming for Autumn, in *The Delineator* for October.

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Climate and Crop Report.

The United States Department of Agriculture, climate and crop bulletin of the weather bureau, Michigan section, publish the following for the week ending September 10, 1903.

The temperature during August was considerably below the normal while the precipitation was above the normal. All damage to crops resulted from excessive rains rather than from dry weather. These conditions were favorable for pastures, sugar beets and some fields of corn and potatoes. This weather, however, was unfavorable for beans and for potatoes on low ground. Most all live stock was in a healthy and thriving condition.

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OATS.

The season has been fairly good for oats. In some localities the harvesting of crop was delayed by wet weather and as a result some oats will be damaged. In most places, however, the crop was secured before the continued rains of the month. The estimated averaged yield per acre in the northern counties and 31 in the southern and central counties and State.

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RYE.

The estimated average yield per acre in bushels is, 15 in the southern counties, 13 in the central counties,

15 in the northern and counties and 14 in the State.

CORN.
The weather during August was favorable for corn. Warm, dry weather is needed, however, to ripen the crop before time for frosts.

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BEANS.
It is difficult to determine at the present time what the outcome will be in regard to the bean crop. Many fields of beans have been damaged already by wet weather.

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POTATOES.
The potato crop at the present time promises to be a good one. Some damage has been done on low ground but conditions have been very favorable for potatoes on high land. If frost holds off so that they ripen naturally no doubt the crop will be a large one.

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CLOVER SEED.
Clover has made a large growth since haying time, but in some cases has not filled well.

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LIVESTOCK.
In most of the counties all kinds of live stock are in good condition. Pastures have been good, making it possible for everything to thrive. There are some reports of hog cholera but this disease does not seem to be as bad as in former years.

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Fanny Crosby's Autobiography.

The aged and world-renowned hymnwriter, Fanny Crosby, has just written, in a charming style, the story of her long and interesting career. As the history of the religious life of the last century cannot be written without extended notice of America's inspired singer, this work, which has just been published by the Every Where Publishing Company, Brooklyn, N. Y., is a permanent contribution to the literature of our time.

It was Fanny Crosby who wrote "Safe in the Arms of Jesus," "Blessed Assurance," and a thousand other hymns that have been sung by the countless Christian host all around the world for the last half century. She is now eighty-three years of age, and the book is being sold for her personal benefit. The price is one dollar, sent to the Every Where Publishing Company, Brooklyn, N. Y.

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Transfer of Property.

Mr. Frank Treat has sold his handsome residence on Front St to R. B. Jennings for \$1625. Mr. Jennings has rented it to Mr. John Hubbell who will move into it as soon as Mr. Treat can arrange to vacate.

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WANTED—20 men at \$1.50 per day, boys at \$1.00.

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There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and until the last few years was supposed to be incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it a local disease and prescribed local remedies, and by constantly failing to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Science has proven catarrh to be a constitutional disease, and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is the only constitutional cure on the market. It is taken internally in doses from 10 drops to a teaspoonful. It acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. The only effect is to cleanse the system. It is sold by druggists, or by mail order, for \$1.00 per bottle. Send for circular and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists \$2c. Hall's Family Pills are the best.

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First publication Aug. 23.
Foreclosure Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated the ninth day of May A. D. 1893, executed by Henry Lingo and Amy A. Lingo, his wife, of Oroonko Township, county of Berrien, state of Michigan, to George Smith of the same place, which mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of the said county of Berrien, on the 12th day of May A. D. 1892, in Liber 80 of Mortgages, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of nine hundred twenty dollars and nine cents, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Therefore by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and of the statute in such case made and provided.

Notice is hereby given that on the 23rd day of November A. D. 1903 at one o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage, the premises therein described, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage as above stated with interest to accrue from the date hereof to the date of the foreclosure, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of nine hundred twenty dollars and nine cents, and the legal costs of this foreclosure, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the city of St. Joseph, in said county of Berrien, said premises being situated in the township of Oroonko, county of Berrien, state of Michigan, and described as follows: All that part of the west half of the west half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-nine (29) in town six (6) south range eighteen (18) west lying south of the center of road containing eight acres of land, more or less.

Dated August 28, 1903.
ALISON C. ROY
Atty. for JUDITH A. SMITH.

JUDITH A. SMITH
Assignee of Mortgage.

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LOCAL NOTES

Our printing will please you.

Quart Mason fruit jars 39c a doz. W. H. Keller.

Buchanan Cash Grocery is paying 18c per doz for eggs.

Yours for good pocket cutlery. Binns' Magnet Store.

If you want Something Swell in the millinery line. Call on Mrs. H. O. Weaver at The Paris.

Solari Bros. South Bend, is the place for a nice lunch and cup of choice coffee. Call and see.

\$1.20 will pay for the RECORD one year and the Detroit semi-weekly to Jan. 1, 1904. Subscribe now.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will have an Advertiser's sale the first week in October.

Dr. E. S. Dodd, after a week of serious sickness is again able to be about. Looks a little the worse for tussle but is gaining rapidly.

John Chess Ellsworth invites the attention of the people of Buchanan and surrounding country, to his September sale. Read the bargains offered in today's RECORD.

The B. O. B's. and J. N. R's. spent Friday evening at the home of Guy Ravin. One of the pleasures of the evening was a mock wedding. Dainty refreshments were served and all spent a very pleasant evening.

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending Sept. 15. Subject to change:

Bainton Bros. report the following:
Butter 14c
Lard 10c
Eggs 18c
Potatoes " 30c
Apples 20c
Peaches 75c to \$1.25
Onions, new 30c
Bainton Bros. report the following
Best Patent Flour per bbl. \$4.00
Golden Wedding " 3.60
Lucky Hit " 3.40
Daisy " 3.20
Graham per 1/2 bbl. .20
Corn Meal per 1/2 bbl. .20
The Pears-East Grain Co., report the following prices on grain to-day:
Wheat No. 2 Red and White. 77c
Corn, yellow .48c
Oats No. 8 white. 32c
Rye. 48c
Clover Seed 5 00

Closing of Mails.

GOING EAST
9:15 a. m., 12:15 and 4:45 p. m.
GOING WEST
7:45 a. m., 12:15 p. m., 3:15 p. m., 6:00 p. m.
GOING NORTH
9:15 a. m., 4:45 p. m.
ARRIVING OF MAILS AT DEPOT FROM THE EAST
5:45 and 8:13 a. m., 12:33, 3:40 and 6:35 p. m.
FROM THE WEST
5:20 and 9:45 a. m., 12:40, 5:19 and 6:28 p. m.
FROM THE NORTH
7:45 a. m., 12 m.

Gasoline 15c a gal. W. H. Keller.
Pint Mason fruit jars 34c a doz. W. H. Keller.

Buchanan Cash Grocery is selling flour at wholesale prices.

Everything in wall paper, paint, etc. Binns' Magnet Store.

W. C. Porter has been confined to the house the past few days with sickness.

All sorts of Camera Supplies at the right price and fresh. At Binns' Magnet Store.

Elder Paden will preach in the Larger Hope church Sunday 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

You can not afford to miss the September sale at Ellsworth's South Bend during Sept.

A curiosity in an egg plant is displayed in the RECORD window by Frank A. Stryker.

The many friends of Mrs. Ed Smith of Beaumont station will be pleased to hear of her continued improvement.

Elder Shepard arrived home Friday evening from Lawton where he has been holding Evangelistic services.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet in the basement of the church for work Wednesday afternoon.

The Record one year and the daily Detroit Journal to Jan 1, 1904 for \$1.50 to county subscribers. Splendid offer, Detroit Journal alone worth that.

Laura Dodd, granddaughter of Dr. E. S. Dodd returns home today to Coloma where she will attend school till her return to Florida later in the season.

"U. S. Corn Cure for Ladies is the best I ever used; it took off my corns without burning a bit." M. P. Mears 789 Fairmont St., Cleveland, Ohio. Only 15c at E. S. Dodd and Son's.

Attorney Geo. Lambert of Niles was in Buchanan yesterday on legal business with Mrs. Lawson, of Hotel Lee. If reports are true there will be something doing soon.

Mr. Cornelius Smyser, South Bend, says: "Give me another bottle of your Wine Lo-ti-Coonley's Beef, Iron and Wine with Nervine. I took a bottle last Spring and it helped me just like you said, I slept better right away." It is sold by E. S. Dodd & Son's. Large bottles 50c. Take no other for there is no other equal to it.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell tickets to Chicago from Sept. 26 to Oct. 1 at one fare for the round trip limited to returning the day following date of sale, also on Sept. 26 and 28 tickets will be sold at one fare for the round trip limited to Oct. 2nd, these tickets before being good for returning must be executed by F. C. Donald, Chicago and a fee of 25c paid at time of execution. A. F. PEACOCK.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Max Edwards is visiting in town.

Mr. Bert Beardsley, of Kalamazoo, spent Sunday with relatives here.

H. A. Hathaway went to Cass City, Mich., the first of the week.

Mrs. Delia Sherwood, of Mishawaka, is spending a few days here.

Myrtle Mead, of Battle Creek, was a visitor Saturday with Lulu Moyer.

Miss Mattie Brown, who is employed in Berrien Springs, spent Sunday at home.

Chas. Tuttle had an outing last week and visited Aurora, Chicago, and Dowagiac.

Mrs. Bert Glover, of Benton Harbor, was the guest over Sunday, of Mrs. Fred Poyser.

Miss Clara Hubbell will go to South Bend this week for a couple of weeks' visit among friends.

Mrs. C. M. Hawley went to Chicago on business yesterday, to be gone for a month or more.

Miss Mae Fidell returned Thursday, after an extended visit in Grand Rapids and Big Rapids.

Mr. Berry, agent of the Ill. Central, was a visitor at the home of W. W. Waterman over Sunday.

Blennie Waterman returned to work at St. Joseph Monday, after enjoying her vacation at home.

Miss Nellie Cathart returned Friday from Chicago, where she spent the week enjoying her vacation.

Drs. Jno. Butler and Jesse Fimar attended the Southwestern Michigan Dental Association at Dowagiac, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kramer and daughter Mabel, of Glendora, were guests, Saturday and Sunday, of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moyer and family.

Mrs. Geo. Blowers and daughter Belle, of Albion, Mich., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Blowers, for some time, returned to their home on Saturday.

Mrs. J. W. Barnhurst has gone to Chicago to visit relatives for a week. While there she expects to attend the wedding of the pastor of the church she attended while living there.

Mrs. Chas. Burgoyne, of Chicago, who has been a guest of friends and relatives in Buchanan and vicinity for several weeks, returned to Chicago on Saturday with her husband; her father Mr. Joseph Fuller, who had returned to the old home to stay, also decided to go back to Chicago with them.

Bert Smith has vacated the Marble house and moved into the Beistle house recently occupied by John McFallon on Clark st.

Dame Rumor says that notices have been served on the saloon keepers and their bondsmen, that a case is being made against them for illegal selling of liquor.

Do you know that the Racket store is the leader in low prices of the choice and latest goods? Do not fail to see their new line of petticoats. See today's ad.

Rev. Veach announces that he will preach in the Christian church both Sunday morning and evening. The Sunday morning theme will be the harmony of Revelation and Nature.

J. J. Krenzberger, merchant tailor makes fine clothing at tempting prices at 211 So. Michigan St, South Bend. He has had a splendid trade even during the dull season. It will pay to call and see him.

Are you looking for an auctioneer? If so, write or telephone F. Starkweather, Niles, Mich. He is the man you want. Satisfaction guaranteed F. STARKWEATHER.

John Willard, South Bend, says: Coonley's Tonic Ext. of Sarsaparilla is the best medicine made, it cured me of a terrible Eczema after all other blood medicines had failed. Be wise and take it first, only 50c a large bottle at E. S. Dodd & Son's.

A bay gelding about 12 years old in good condition came to my place on last Sunday morning. Owner calling and paying costs of ad can have some. W. A. BURST.

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 *Dr. J. C. Watson*. In Use For Over 30 Years. The Kind You Have Always Bought.

The members of the United Brethren church of this village, and those from the Mt. Zion church, gave Rev. and Mrs. Tarrant a pound party, at the new parsonage, on Saturday evening. A large number were present and express warm regard for that pastor and his work among them.

Mrs. Clarence Spaulding was called to her old home at Lima, Ohio a week ago last Sunday on account of the illness of her sister Mrs. Nellie Poole who died last Thursday. She leaves a husband and ten months old son, a father, mother, two sisters and one brother to mourn her loss.

The Michigan Central R. R. Co. will run a special excursion train from South Bend to Michigan City on Sunday Sept. 20 passing Buchanan at 9:58 a. m. Returning will leave Michigan City at 6 p. m. fare for the round trip from Buchanan and return 50c.

A. F. PEACOCK.

Wine Lo-ti-Coonley's Beef, Iron and wine with Nervine—is a perfect tonic. It is made of the finest old Port and Sherry Wines with pure Ext. of Beef, Iron, Nervine and Cascara with Aromatics carefully selected and combined so as to be readily taken up by the most delicate stomachs and carried into the blood, giving renewed and permanent vigor. It does not interfere with other medicine of any kind but helps and improves their action. Large bottles, pints 50c. Take no other, there is no other like it nor as good. Sold by E. S. Dodd & Son.

Fine New House

J. W. Beistle is erecting on Clark St a beautiful new house of nine rooms and a bath room. It is very conveniently arranged and furnished with all modern improvements city water and electric light. It will soon be completed and occupied by H. H. Hosford.

D. V. BROWN REPORTS

Doing Well and Finding Good Roads.

D. V. Brown reports his arrival at Whiteland, Ind., on Thursday of last week and today he will be at Vienna He says: "We are progressing finely, going at the rate of 20 miles per day; so far have found the finest roads one could imagine. Once in a while we find a "crab," but on the whole we could not ask to be treated better than we have been along the road. We are up in the morning from 3 to 5 and are in bed by from 6 to 8."

One of Buchanan's Early Settlers dies at Topeka, Kan.

Through the kindness of Mr. Jay Glover we have been enabled to report the following taken from one of the Topeka papers.

Thomas L. Ross, one of the early settlers of Topeka and at one time known all over Kansas for his extensive real estate dealings, died last night at 9:30 o'clock at Christ hospital from kidney trouble, with which he had suffered for a long time. His home was at 1028 Polk street. His wife and three children survive him. The children are C. E. Ross of Pueblo, W. J. Ross of Water Valley, Mass., and Mrs. Frank Drummond of Chicago. C. E. Ross and Mrs. Drummond are now here.

T. L. Ross came to Topeka many years ago. He became prominently known as a real estate dealer and, in his prime, extended his operations all over the settled portion of Kansas. He built and owned the Ross block of flats between Fifth and Sixth on Van Buren street and owned at various times numerous other pieces of Topeka real estate.

The funeral will be held from the family home to morrow morning at 10 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Dr. Countermeine of the First Presbyterian church. Burial will be in Topeka cemetery.

Mr. Ross came to Buchanan about 1850 and was engaged in the Dry Goods business, he was also engaged with the firm Ross, Pease & Clark in the millinery business he removed from Buchanan about 1862 or 1863.

Working Overtime

Eight hour laws are ignored by those tireless little workers—Dr. King's New Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing indigestion, biliousness, constipation, sick headache and all Stomach, liver and bowel troubles. Easy, pleasant, safe, sure. Only 25c at W. N. Brodriek's drug store.

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20 lbs Best Cane Granulated Sugar.....\$1.00
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Gasoline, per gallon.....15c
Flour, per sack from.....43c to 70c
1 lb box Baking Powder.....10c
Salt Pork per pound.....10c
Picnic Hams per pound.....10c
12 Bars Laundry Soap.....25c
The above are only a very few of the bargains we can give you; to make a long story short we have the goods, you have the money. We solicit a trial order, if we don't please you then it's our fault.
G. E. Smith & Co.
'PHONE 22.

THE CASH System brings you nearer the cost of production than can possibly be done by a credit store. We are not obliged to have a certain per cent. to cover bad debts. No matter how much you usually pay you cannot find better goods than these.
21lbs New Orleans Granulated Sugar.....\$1.00
20lbs Standard Granulated Sugar.....\$1.00
12 Boxes Matches.....9c
Ginger Snaps per pound.....6c
Finest Line of Coffee in town, from.....9c up
30 cent Broom for.....25c
Mason's Best Fruit Jars, pints, per dozen.....35c
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1 dozen can tops with rubbers.....25c
15 Bars Olive Soap.....25c
10 Bars Etna Soap.....25c
8 Bars Jaxon Soap.....25c
Kerosene oil per gallon.....12c
Gasoline per gallon.....15c
Best Patent Flour per sack.....50c
Golden Wedding Patent Flour per sack.....45c
Lucky Hit Flour per sack.....43c
Daisy Flour per sack.....40c
Investigate, Compare. We seek your patronage only on the basis of mutual interest.
BUCHANAN CASH GROCERY.
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11th National Irrigation Congress. The meeting of the eleventh National Irrigation Congress at Ogden Utah on Sept. 15 to 18th will be a great event. Congress has appropriated \$16,000,000 for irrigation of arid lands in 16 western states. The congress will endeavor to aid the government in the best way of using this appropriation to reclaim 75,000,000 acres of land, now barren, by using water that now runs to waste. From 10,000,000 to 50,000 population could find homes on this now barren land. See the bargain prices G. E. Smith & Co., grocers offer.
EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE DENVER AND COLORADO POINTS. OCT. 3 and 4. One fare to Chicago, added to \$30 to destination. Tickets on sale Oct. 3 and 4, good to return to and include in October 30. MICHIGAN STATE FAIR AT PONTIAC. SEPT. 7 to 11. One fare plus 50 cents, (included admission to the Fair.) Tickets on sale from Sept. 7 to 11, inclusive. Good to return to Sept. 12. GRAND LODGE L. O. O. F. SAGINAW. OCT. 20 to 23. One fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale Oct. 19 and 20; good to Oct. 24th.

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F. W. Ravin, Agt. Buchanan, Mich.
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113-115 North Michigan St. South Bend, Indiana.

Umbrellas
At Very Low Prices
Ladies' All Silk Colored Green
Umbrella, blue, cardinal, green
and brown, worth \$3.00,
September sale
\$2.00 each.

GREAT SEPTEMBER SALES OF NEW FALL MERCHANDISE.

EVERY DEPARTMENT FILLED WITH BARGAINS

While in New York our buyers fortunately secured many high grade lots of merchandise at very close prices. We were there to pay cash for the goods and obtained close figures from the firms that captured our fall business. Every item on this page is priced so low that you can't afford to miss coming to this store when you need anything to wear or use in your home. You will be pleased with the goods and prices asked for them

Walking Suits

This year's fashions make the new walking suits popular. New ones are arriving at this store every day.

At the remarkable low price, \$10, you can buy a suit with the new 36 inch length Jacket made of fancy men's wear materials. This is the best suit value ten dollars ever purchased in South Bend.

Our suit prices are low and consistent. New suits are arriving every day and every approved model now shown in New York will be displayed at this store this fall.

New Fall Petticoats



If you remember the former sales in this department, you will be on the alert to take advantage of the following splendid values.

50 Black Mercerized Petticoats sent on as samples worth \$1.25 to \$1.75 each, Sept. sale..... **75c**

50 dozen Black Mercerized Petticoats made of fine imported Italian cloths, 3 ruffles worth \$1.50 for... **98c**
Silk Petticoats at \$4.95.

We have bought on for this season's selling two very handsome all Silk Taffeta Skirts, one with 2 ruffles and under dust ruffle; the other with 9 inch accordion pleat flounce. The skirts worth \$6. Made up in colors and black. **\$4.95**
September Sale.....

Other Silk Skirts at \$5.50, 7.50, 10.00 and 12.00.

Waists

An early showing of some of the new things for the coming season.

Marvelous effects in Vestings, Mohairs, Velvets, etc. The new mercerized cottons are more beautiful than silk \$1 to \$7 each.

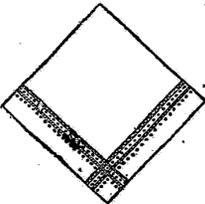
Mercerized Waist Cloths

Magnificent showing of new Cotton Vestings and Madras Cloths.

Embroidered basket weaves, embossed effects over 100 patterns to select from, prices 25c, 50c 75c and \$1.00 per yard.

Walking Skirts

An eight gored flare Walking Skirt in light gray, medium gray oxford, navy, and black. Correct fit and hang, trimmed with tailor stitching, cloth tabs, and cloth buttons,..... **\$3.98**



Handkerchiefs!

You can afford to loose them when you buy such handkerchiefs for so little money.

Women's all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, full laundered, doz. **55c**

Women's sheer, all-linen handkerchiefs 1/2 and 3/4 inch hemstitched, 10c each or 3 for..... **25c**

Women's fine embroidered handkerchiefs, all-linen, each..... **10c**

Men's all-linen hemstitched handkerchiefs, at 10c each, doz. **\$1.00**

Children's school handkerchiefs, at 2c, 3c and..... **5c**

Splendid lot of fancy pillow handkerchiefs, at each..... **10c**

New Fall Dress Goods

Prices at the beginning of the Season that you'll all appreciate.

38-inch all wool Granite Cloths in navy-royal, brown, tanrescedda, wine-cardinal, old rose, castor and black per yard during this sale at..... **39c**

38-inch all wool Zebelines in navy, brown, blue mixed brown mixed and black at..... **39c**

38-inch all wool Imperial Serges, in all the popular shades, brown, navy, royal-wine, cardinal, scarlet, black, 47-inch Storm Serge, all wool, navy, brown wine, cardinal and black, worth 85c September sale..... **59c**

46-inch Zebeline in brown, navy, green, tan and black, regular \$1.00 quality now..... **69c**

54-inch all wool Imported Zebelines, all the new shades for fall: browns, blues, myrtle, tan and black at \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 per yard.

Cloth Capes

We have received our new line of Black Cloth Capes. We have a number which we have marked to sell at \$8.50 that we have never seen equalled at the price.

We make a specialty of large sizes, carrying them up to 44.

Linens

66-inch heavy all linen homespun damask 10 patterns, worth 75c, now per yard..... **50c**

72-inch fine sath homespun damask, plain centers, with wide borders, worth 95c, now..... **75c**

Beautiful satin damasks in German and Irish make, 2 yds. wide handsome patterns, worth \$1.25 and \$1.50 per yard, now..... **98c**

Patterns cloths, 2 yards wide at..... **\$1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00**

Pattern cloths, 2 1/2 and 3 1/2 yards square for round tables.

100 dozen 19-inch German all-linen napkins, worth 1.69, during September sale..... **\$1.25**

1/2 bleached all-linen napkins, worth \$2.50, during September sale..... **\$1.75**

Special lot of odd napkins, worth \$2.50, 3.00 and 3.50 during September sale per dozen..... **\$2.00**

200 dozen 21 x 42 huck towels..... **10 each**

50 dozen 17 x 34 fine huck towels, damask borders..... **15 "**

50 dozen 22 x 44 hemstitched huck towels..... **25 "**

18 x 36 heavy homespun towels..... **18 "**

Bleached and half bleached turkish towels at..... **10, 12, 15, 20 and 25c "**

12 x 12 hemmed wash rags..... **5c**

Half bleached all-linen crashes, at..... **81-3, 10 and 121-2c yard**

Bleached linen crashes, at..... **81-3, 10, 121-2 and 15c "**

All-linen huck crashes, at..... **10, 121-2, 15 to 50c "**

Damask Crashes, 19-inch, worth 25c, now..... **15c "**

Cotton Crashes..... **3, 4 and 5c "**

Magnificent lot of new lunch cloths, at..... **98c, \$1.25, 1.50 and 2.00 each**

Dresser scarfs..... **49c, 75c, 98c; \$1.25 to 2.50 "**

Napkins to match all cloths and damask.

Special 1,000 yards 18-inch heavy homespun 121-2c yd. bleached all-linen crash with or with border

Domestic Department

Read over the following items carefully

5,000 yards 36-inch best quality Percales, always sold for 12 1/2 cents yard, September sale, 8 1/2 cents yard.

Fine White Cotton Bats, 5c, 6 1/2c, 8c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 18c and 25c.

Special lot of Fleece Back Waist Cloths, the designs are copies of the very finest all wool waistings, absolutely fast colors, at 10c, 15c, 19c and 25c yard.

Outing Flannels, the very best qualities, hundreds of beautiful patterns including plain colors, 6 1/2c, 8 1/2c and 10c yard.

Millinery Department

Special lots of new Street Hats and Children's School Hats are here.

For this sale we offer a fine lot of Women's Trimmed Hats, the very best styles, at \$2.25, 2.50 and 3.00.

Children's School Hats at \$1.25 to 2.00

Children's Caps at 25c and 50c

Comforters

We have brought on for this sale a splendid lot of good Comforters made in sanitary work shops, filled with nice fluffy cotton and covered with silkoline, on sale at 98c \$1.25, 1.50 to 2.50 each.

New Leather Goods.

Bargains in New Automobile and Carriage Bags, new Wrist Bags in Colors to match your suit.

Special lot of Automobile Bags with coin purse in each, actually worth \$1.50, now each..... **98c**

20 dozen Fine Leather Wrist Bags, regular 50 cent quality,..... **25c**

Special lot of Wrist Bags with inside pocket of seal, walrus, and morroco leathers, worth \$1 for..... **49c**

Other Bags and Purses at 98c, \$1.25, 1.75 1.98 and 2.50 each.

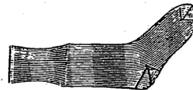
Hosiey Sale

For men, women and children. Special lot brought on especially for this sale. Children's fine ribbed, double knee, fast black Hosiey, all sizes, w.o.th 15 cents, pair now 3 pairs for..... **25c**

Children's fine two thread, fast black imported Hose. one and two ribbed, a dandy per pair..... **25c**

Woman's fast black shaped Hosiey, double heel and toe at..... **15c**

Woman's fine two thread imported fast black Hose. all black or split sole, 25c per pair, or \$2.90 per dozen.



Men's fast black Cotton Hose at 10c 15c and 25c per pair.

Special new wool Hose for Infants, in white, pink, blue and black, no seams 25c

The "Alice" \$5 Skirt



Brand new, strictly all wool, 7 styles, 6 colors blue, black, light grey medium grey oxford and fancy. Cut to hang correctly and perfectly made. This is our "Skirt Leader for the coming season. We challenge comparison.

Raincoats

We are the Sole Agents for the J. Mandelberg & Co. "Paddington" raincoat, made of the Priestly rainproof cravenette in Swagger Style. No rubber. New arrivals daily.

New Yarns

Columbia Yarns are what you need. They will not waste your time. Every shade correct, the qualities the very best. Columbia Shetland Floss, 2 oz.

Skeins at 12 1/2c skein

Columbia Saxony, 1 oz. skeins at 8 1/2c

" Germantown Zephyr, 1 oz. skein 8 1/2c skein

Columbia German Knitting, 4 oz. skeins, 25c skein

We have all the new shades for Jackets, Scarfs, Shawls and Hoods.

Cheaper Yarns Keystone Brand: Floss, 6c skein, Spanish, 12 1/2c skein, Saxony, 5c skein

Magnificent lot of Ladies' Fine Neckwear, Belts and Hair Ornaments on sale at 25, 50 and 75 cents

Blankets

We have everything that's desirable in good blankets. Blankets that are nice and warm. The prices for this sale make them the very best you can buy for the money.

Cotton Blankets, 10 x 4 size..... **39, 49 and 59c per Pair**

Cotton Blankets, 11 x 4 size..... **69, 75, 98c and \$1.50**

Cotton Wrapper Blankets at..... **95c and \$1.25 per Pair**

50 pairs 10 x 4 Wool Filled all white Blankets, worth \$5.75 September sale..... **\$2.50**

All Wool Blankets in Tan, Grey, Plaids and White, 10 x 4 size, worth \$3.50 for **\$2.95**

11 x 4 size, worth \$4.50 for **\$3.69**

Carpets and Curtains

Ingrain Carpets..... 25, 35, 50 and 65c yard

Tapestry Carpets..... 75, 85c and \$1.00 yard

Velvet Carpets..... 85c, 1.00, 1.25 and \$1.50 yard.

Best Tapestry Brussels Rugs, 6 x 9 worth \$ 10.00 now \$ 8.00

" " " 9 x 12 " 18.00 " 14.00

Velvet Rugs, 9 x 12 " 25.00 " 20.00

A fortunate purchase enables us to offer curtains at prices that please. Beautiful Nottingham Curtains at per pair 50, 75c, \$1.00 **\$5.00**

Cable Net Curtains, at per pair \$2.50, 3.00, 3.50 and..... **\$5.00**

Ruffled Mull Curtains, per pair 90c, \$1.00, 1.50, 2.00 and **\$2.50**

Irish Point Curtains at per \$4.00 to..... **\$12.50**

Trimmings and Laces

Special care has been given to the selection of new Trimmings, Braids and Laces for the coming season.

We are showing the very newest productions of venise appliques, black allover, black silk laces, wool and antique laces, chiffon appliques in black and white, colored embroidery and Persian trimming.

Kid Glove Sale

Advance showing of new Imported Kid gloves, all Colorings. We guarantee and Fit Every Pair.

Real Kid Gloves, Royal's all colorings per pair..... **\$1.00**

Centemeri Kid Gloves, positively the best, all hand finished in Suede or Glace..... **\$1.50**

Centemeri Black Undressed Kid..... **\$1.75**

Veilings

Every woman wears a veil, we have brought on a fine line of ready made veils and veilings by the yard.

Veils 54 inches long with borders, 50, 75c and \$1.00 each

Veilings by the yard at 15, 25, 50 and 75c yard

Tuxedo Veilings at 25, 35 and 50c yard

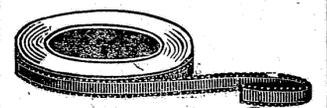
Don't Fail to
Attend
Our Big
September
Sales.

20 dozen 81x90 good Bleached Sheets worth 65 cents, September sale 49c each.
3,000 yards of Paisy Flannels, in blue, cream, pink, red and white, at 10c per yd.

Corsets!

Before buying your new fall dress get fitted to a good Corset. We have an expert fitter and the very best fitting corsets. That's the reason you should come here for your corset needs.

C. B. A. LaSprite Corsets, \$1.00 to 3.50
Warner Bros. " 1.00 to 2.50
LaVida " 3.50 to 10.00
Nemo " 2.50, 3.00 and 3.50
Redfern " 3.00, 4.00 and 5.00.



Ribbon Sale

Over 500 pieces Fancy Ribbons bought at 50 cents on the dollar as follows:

No. 5 Fancy Ribbons, regular 7c quality, per yard..... **3c**

No. 9 Fancy Ribbons, regular 10c quality per yard..... **5c**

No. 40 Fancy Ribbons, regular 15c quality per yard..... **7c**