

New Dress Goods.

Geo Wyman & Co., offer entire new lines of black and colored dress goods for Fall.
A large and varied assortment of plain and fancy suitings for street wear, also the light weight fabrics for dress occasions.
A variety of materials for separate waists in white and colors, plain and fancy.
We cannot describe the beauty of these fabrics they are the prettiest we ever offered. We invite you to come and see them, no trouble to show goods.

Carpets and Rugs

We offer new lines of Carpets and Rugs at very low prices.
26 inch Smyrna Rugs \$1.35; 30 inch \$1.60, 36 inch \$2.50;
6x9 Smyrna \$9, 7-6x10-6 \$12.00, 9x12 \$15 and \$17.50.
9x12-6 Tapestry Rugs \$10, 9x12 \$12.50 and \$15.
9x12 Velvet Rugs \$25. 9x12 Boly Brussels Rugs \$22.
8-8x10-6 Wilton Rugs \$27.50, 9x12 \$30.
All wool Extra Super Ingrain Carpets, yard wide 50c yd.
Sultana Cottage Carpets, 25c yard
Velvet Carpets 90c yard and up.
Oil cloth 20c yd. Wild's Linoleums 45c yd and up.
We make Window Shades to order.
We are closing out odds and ends of hand made opaque shades at 25c while they last.
You will find prices in our Carpet Dept. below the market.

Special Sales in Hosiery Department

We offer: 50 dozen Men's Flannel outside shirts, 75c quality at 37½c.
25 dozen Men's Flannel outside shirts, \$1 quality at 50c.
25 dozen Men's Sweaters, 50c quality at 25c.
All of above while they last.

In Cloak Department

We offer: 200 Ladies' Walking Skirts, worth \$4 to \$2.50.
200 Ladies' Dress Skirts, mostly black, worth to \$6 at \$3.50.
50 dozen Children's Wash Suits for school, ages 6 to 14 yrs., \$1.50 quality for 95c, \$1 quality at 50c.
All of above while they last.

In Druggist's Sundries Department.

We offer: Violet Talcum Powder, 15c quality 7c, 4 for 25c.
Castile Toilet Soap, 1c cake.
2,000 sheet rolls, extra quality Toilet paper, 10c, 3 for 25c.

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

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PURE BOTTLED MILK!
5 CTS. PER QUART

ALLEN & BOYLE

BUCHANAN STEAM LAUNDRY

W. E. PENNELL, Prop.
A trial of our work will make a customer of you. Try us. t. f.

WAR!

In the Grocery Business,

But we are keeping up with the procession, and will sell as cheap as anybody, if not cheaper, and give you coupons with every cash purchase. With these coupons you can obtain all kinds of hand decorated China, floral and gold designs.

Just received a large invoice of 70c Uncolored Japan Tea, which is very fine and we will sell you 1 lb. of this 70c Uncolored Tea and give you 1 hand decorated China cup and saucer all for.....60c
1 lb. 35c M. and J. Coffee.....20c
1 lb. 30c Government Java Coffee.....20c
1 lb. 25c Special Blend Coffee, only.....15c
6 lbs. Good Rice.....35c
6 lbs. Rolled Oats.....25c
1 doz. can tops and 1 doz. rubbers.....25c
All 15c breakfast foods 2 packages.....25c
All other Grocery prices low as the lowest.

DEL JORDAN'S GROCERY

Phone 16 All Goods Delivered

Lo-tus Pellets are perfect Liver, Nerve and Kidney Pills. Small and pleasant to take, take them once and you will keep them always in the house. Large boxes, fifty Pellets for 25c at E. S. Dodd and Son's. Take no other.

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

Low Rates West and Northwest.
Via Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, every day until November 30, 1903.

\$38. Chicago to San Francisco, Los Angeles, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and many other Pacific Coast points.
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Through train service, Chicago to San Francisco. Only \$6 for a double berth, tourist sleeper, all the way.

To the Northwest via St. Paul or via Omaha. Write to-day folder R. C. Jones, 32 Campus Martius, Detroit. s. 15.

It Saved His Life.

P. A. Danforth of LaGrange, Ga., suffered for six months with a frightful running sore on his leg; but writes that Bucklen's Arnica Salve wholly cured it in five days. For Ulcers, Wounds, Piles, it's the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25c. Sold by W. N. Brodrick, druggist.

FOR SALE.

As I am moving away from Buchanan I will sell at a bargain my house on the corner of Moccasin Ave. and North Fourth St. Lot is 87 ft, front and 9 rods deep, house has 11 rooms, bath room, good cellar and furnace. This is a good bargain for some one.

For price and terms address

JOHN C. WENGER,
Care Prison. JACKSON, MICH.
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Tragedy Averted.

"Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved" writes Mrs. W. Watkins, of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had played sad havoc with him and a terrible cough set in besides. Doctors treated him, but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound, and well." Everybody ought to know, it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by W. N. Brodrick druggist. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle 25c.

STRANGERTOOKHIMIN FOREIGN TRADE FACTS

Boniface Who Responds Too Easily to the Wiles of the "Con" Man.

HE IS A BIG BUNCH OF CASH SHORT

Through Listening to the Palaver of a Very "Slick" Citizen—Michigan Matters.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 17.—The landlord of the Wellington hotel proved an easy mark for a flashily dressed young man who came to the hotel two months ago with a roll of bills and gave out that he was the son of a millionaire out for a time. He gave the name of Bertram Gilbert, and the landlord believed every word he told him. For a month Gilbert paid his bills promptly and spent money freely over the bar, and the landlord looked upon him as the star boarder. The remittance he pretended to be expecting from his father did not come, but he had a Pittsburg check for \$100 and the landlord cashed that.

Uses the 'Phone to Defraud.
The check came back protested, but Gilbert had a plausible reason for that, and when he tendered a check for \$150 on his own bank in Buffalo, the landlord cashed that too, and gave him the difference in cash. This check came back, too, but still the landlord could not see that he was being done, and he advanced \$75 more when Gilbert telegraphed to his father to send him \$500. Late in the afternoon the landlord got a telephone message purporting to be from the American Express company, that the \$500 had arrived but could not be delivered before next morning. He was so satisfied now that everything was right that he advanced \$25 more to Gilbert.

Money and Man Both Missing.
Next morning the money did not come and Gilbert had disappeared, bag and baggage. A warrant has been issued against him. He is believed to be the same man who victimized the landlord of the American hotel in a similar way.

COLUMBIA IRON WORKS CASE
Court Asked to Declare the Concern Bankrupt and a Restraining Order Secured.

Detroit, Sept. 17.—A hearing was had before Judge Swan in the United States circuit court in the suit of the National Lead company, of New Jersey; the Central Electric company and the Gregory Electric company, the latter two of Illinois, asking that the Columbia Iron works, with offices at Fort Huron, Mich., and a shipbuilding plant at St. Clair, Mich., be declared a bankrupt.

An injunction was asked for restraining the present assignee from selling, transferring or in any way disposing of the property. Pending the hearing which will come up Sept. 21, a restraining order was issued in accordance with the injunction asked for, and the Detroit Trust company was appointed a receiver in bankruptcy to take charge and hold the property until the petitions are dismissed.

Barry Company Out of Business.
Detroit, Sept. 17.—The steamer Badger State, owned by the Barry Transportation company, has been libeled for \$6,821.52 by the Gilchrist Transportation company. The authorities requested a \$10,000 bond and rather than accede to their demand Barry tied up the boat for the rest of the season. As the Empire State has been laid up for some time, the Barry Transportation company is out of business temporarily.

County Officer is Missing.
Grand Rapids, Mich., Sept. 17.—Deputy County Clerk Roy C. Lyle, a popular young official, is missing and friends fear that he is drowned. Lyle left North park in a canoe with the intention of going to Grand Island. That was the last seen of him. His disappearance was reported to the sheriff and officers are now searching for the missing man.

Criterion of Success at Eaton Rapids.
Eaton Rapids, Mich., Sept. 17.—The last day of the merchants' free street carnival was a thorough success. William Leach, of Leslie, owner of a merry-go-round, threatens to bring suit against Special Policeman Hatfield, who clubbed him over the head in trying to quiet a row.

Going to Work in the Mission Field.
Laporte, Ind., Sept. 17.—Miss Anna Frederickson, of Laporte, under the direction of the Baptist Foreign Missionary association, will sail on Tuesday next from Foston for Port Said, to resume work in the missionary field. She will be absent eight years.

Issued by the British Cabinet to Show the Position of Great Britain.

GREAT FALLING OFF IN EXPORTS

Loss Made Up by Receipts from Ocean Freight and Interest from Investments.

London, Sept. 17.—On the heels of Premier Balfour's academic exposition of his personal views of the fiscal problem, contained in the pamphlet on "Insular Free Trade," came the long promised and much demanded government statistics dealing with that subject. The references to foreign trade were chiefly confined to France, Germany and the United States. One of the most important phases dealt with in the blue book are imports and exports. The tables show that exports from the United Kingdom to the United States declined from \$145,000,000 in 1890 to \$97,500,000 in 1902, while the imports rose from \$485,000,000 to \$635,000,000.

Why England Continues to Thrive.
The total exports to all foreign countries declined in the same period \$90,000,000. A valuable explanation is given of the much quoted excess of imports over exports, which has so often been held to be a sign of British trade decline. The blue book says that while the excess yearly averages about \$600,000,000, the income receivable from foreign investments, calculated at \$312,500,000, added to the earnings of the British merchant fleet engaged in foreign trade, calculated at \$450,000,000, "is probably more than sufficient to account for the average excess of imports."

What She Has to Go Up Against.
In a table showing the ad valorem, equivalent to import duties, levied by foreign countries on the principal articles of British exports Russia comes first, with 181 per cent; the United States next, with 78 per cent, and Austria follows, with 35 per cent. though Germany comes sixth it is pointed out that her existing tariff is so effective as to be more highly protective against Great Britain than the percentage shows. The tables show that the United Kingdom is most dependent on imported wheat, the United States being wholly independent.

BAD MASH OF BANKS
Deposits Include the Proceeds of the Harvests of Many Farmers—Great Excitement.

Ligonier, Ind., Sept. 17.—The Ellison banks at Topeka and LaGrange have suspended payment. Much excitement was caused in the adjacent farming districts, as many had large deposits, the proceeds of their harvest. Farmers dropped their work on hearing of the failures and hurried to town, where crowds surrounded the doors.

The estimated deposits of the two institutions are \$300,000. No statement has been issued. Both institutions were controlled by Rollin Ellison, of LaGrange, who has been reputed to be worth a half million. Ellison was one of the promoters of the proposed LaGrange-Elkhart electric line, and of other electric roads in the county.

COTTON IN THE WEST INDIES

British Government Will Assist in the Development of a New Competitor for Us.

London, Sept. 17.—The Duke of Marlborough, under secretary for the colonies, presided at a conference of the colonial office on the development of cotton growing in the British West Indies. Several colonial governors were present. The Duke of Marlborough said the government would give the movement its utmost support, Chamberlain being extremely interested in the matter.

It was announced that Sir Daniel Morris, of the West Indies, and Mr. Bovell, of Barbados, were going to the United States to study the methods of cotton raising there.

WILLENSTAD REPORTS UNTRUE

Venezuela Is Not Sending Troops to the Colombian Frontier, and Is Not Warlike.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Dr. Hernandez, the Venezuelan minister here, has received a dispatch from Minister of State Urbaneja authorizing the legation to deny the reports emanating from Willemstad and published in this country that Venezuelan troops have been sent in the direction of the Colombian frontier, and suggesting that war between the two countries is inevitable. The dispatch says that Venezuela is at peace and desires to remain so.

ELLSWORTH'S STORE

Underwear

Wonderful values in Fall and Winter Underwear. Values offered during this sale that will surprise you. Don't fail to look over this immense stock.

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

200 dozen Men's Heavy cotton derby ribbed Fall Underwear in natural grey, worth 50c, September sale..... 25c
Men's fine Fleece Lined Underwear in natural and blue color, extra quality, per suit..... 98c

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 \$3.75 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 1.25 and..... \$5.00

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

Linens

66-inch heavy all linen homespun damask 10 patterns, worth 75c, now per yard..... 50c
72-inch fine satin homespun damask, plain centers, with wide borders, worth 95c, now..... 75c

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

¼ 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..... 70 each
50 dozen 17 x 34 fine huck towels, damask borders..... 15 "

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 "

Special 1,000 yards 18-inch heavy homespun bleached all-linen crash with or with border 12 1-2cyd.

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Musical Merchandise of every description.

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\$1.25 per year, 65c for 6 months and 35c for 3 months. If paid promptly in advance when due the following rates will be made: \$1.00 per year, 50c for 6 months and 25c for 3 months.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1903.

We are under obligations to W. P. Wood for information regarding the reunion of the 25th Mich Inf. Vol., which occurs next month.

Scandal

We believe that our village is perhaps as free from evil as most places of its size, and even much better than many others, but it is to be lamented that better things cannot be said of it. We are extremely thankful that our reportorial nose does not scent literary carion but sometimes it is forced upon us and we are compelled to notice it, even against our will.

Deluged

The past week has been one of unusual, rainstorms completely suspending all work on farms and gardens, and causing considerable damage to fruit. Until Tuesday evening the weather was very warm and sultry but Tuesday evening we began to feel some effect of the northwest snow storm. Wednesday and Thursday were cold enough to enjoy fire but the rain continued, the cloudy weather preventing frosts.

Charitable

One thing can be said of Buchanan that is greatly to its credit. If any one meets with an accident or has some special need which he cannot supply; there is always some one ready to go among the people soliciting funds for relief. A great many cases might be mentioned of help asked and given along all lines, but when it comes to soliciting funds to buy a grammar we would suggest that the school board be applied to.

Sowing and Reaping.

Evil too frequently indulged in will finally become master.

Mr. Edwin Bird, railway passenger transfer man and Uncle Sam's mail pouch carrier, and Mrs. Lawson, proprietress of Hotel Lee, a lady of gentle birth, are furnishing the neighboring press some sensational matter.

It seems that Mr. Bird acknowledges that he imbibed too freely of fire-water and became involved in an altercation with the above mentioned lady, which he might have endured, but when the now famous little dog took part in the melee that was too much, for the dog ought to have known better; and Mr. Bird proceeded to demolish the entire force, lady and dog.

The results are summed up in Mr. Bird's carrying around a rather mutilated face, claimed to have been caused by falling from a bicycle, and Mrs. Lawson's being laid up ever since, all of which has culminated in a law suit against the saloon keepers, their bondsmen and the aforesaid Mr. Bird.

MEAD SCHOOL.

School opened the eight of Sept. with twelve pupils enrolled. The grades, represented are, second, third, fifth, seventh and eighth.

The seventh and eighth grades are reading Rip VanWinkle. The third grade take up the book in arithmetic.

Maccabees meeting will be held next Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mr. Hubbell and Miss Clara are making their home temporarily with Mrs. Howard Smith. They expect to move into the house on Front st, recently vacated by Mr. Frank Treat and family, about Oct 1st.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Housewerth's baby boy died Wednesday morning.

The show window in G. C. Smith's grocery is attracting considerable attention. It is very pretty.

Herrold & Baird of South Bend invite the readers of the Record to call and inspect their stock of furniture. They will be pleased to show you a fine display and at figures that will be consistent with first class goods. Call and inspect them. See d in today's RECORD.

Annual Statement

School District No. 1 Fr. Buchanan Township for Year Ending September 1, 1903.

Fuel Account

Oct. 29	Account overdrawn	\$ 44 04	
29	M. B. H. & C. R. R. Co., freight	82 39	
31	Joseph Anstiss, drayage on coal	18 65	
Nov. 21	Village of Buchanan car of coal	50 70	
Dec. 17	E. S. Roe, coal	59 02	
Mar. 4	Arthur Ingleright, load of wood	2 25	
9	Wm. Roantree, coal	171 51	
20	H. D. Graham, unloading coal	3 15	
25	J. Anstiss, hauling coal	9 30	
28	M. C. R. R. Co., freight on coal	47 58	
April 27	Sunday Creek Coal Co., coal	97 15	
May -7	Wm. Roantree, coal	48 54	
Aug. 1	Amount voted	109 26	
	By balance overdrawn	\$500 00	
		239 74	
		\$739 74	\$739 74

Account overdrawn

\$239 74

Teachers' Wages

William L. Mercer	\$950 00
J. W. C. Brown	522 50
Mabel Currier	427 50
Clara A. Chese	427 50
Carolyne Pearson	332 50
Cora Friday	380 00
Nina Holiday	332 50
Mabel Lindsley	245 00
Alta Wright	285 00
Anna Simmons	332 50
Carrie Williams	380 00
Elizabeth Mercer	427 50
Cora E. Seymour	332 50
Carolyne E. Lewis	75 00
Balance on hand	\$2,037 87
Amount voted	3,000 00
One mill tax	-712 85
Primary	1,426 18
None resident pupils	245 85
Balance on hand	1,922 75
	\$7,422 75
	\$7,422 75

Janitor Fund

Sept. 1	Balance account overdrawn	\$ 41 36	
	F. Goodenough	63 00	
	Dolph McGown	396 00	
	Carrie Williams	22 50	
	Amount voted	\$450 00	
	Account overdrawn	72 86	
		\$522 86	\$522 86

Repair Fund

Sept. 2	Account overdrawn	\$125 18	
2	Ulyses Sherwood, work on drain	6 50	
2	Chas. Reynolds, " "	6 00	
2	F. G. Gates, mason work	3 00	
3	F. G. Lewis, painting	14 50	
3	F. G. Lewis, painting	1 00	
13	J. Anstiss, draying	1 50	
13	David Montgomery, painting	2 00	
13	Wm. Hurlbutt, mason work	1 75	
13	Donahue & Co., ink wells	5 00	
20	E. S. Roe, furnace in small school house	274 59	
31	I. C. Clevenger, carpenter work	2 00	
20	Blodgett & Blodgett, brick	1 00	
27	William Monro, lumber	4 18	
27	I. C. Clevenger, carpenter work	2 50	
Jan. 5	George Slater, papering and painting	31 90	
14	H. P. Binns, paper	8 28	
31	Wilson Leiter, carpenter work	13 88	
May 7	E. S. Roe, paint and hardware	19 87	
7	Hess Warming and Ventilating Co., repairs	64 88	
Dec. 27	A. Jones & Co., repairing clocks	5 75	
Aug. 26	E. S. Roe, paint and oil	54 74	
26	F. G. Lewis, labor painting	26 68	
26	Wm. VanEvery, labor painting	38 75	

PERSONAL.

Miss Bessie Haslett is visiting in Dowagiac.

Mrs. Belle Daw, of Chicago is visiting in Buchanan.

Mr. Harvey Rough is home for an indefinite stay.

Mr. Clyde Baker, of New Carlisle, was in town Tuesday.

Emory Schriber went to South Bend on business Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. C. Brown is entertaining Miss Cheney, of Kalamazoo, Mich.

Mrs. Webb Matthews, of South Bend, was in Buchanan Wednesday.

Mrs. S. E. Johnson returned from South Bend where she has been spending a week.

Mrs. Margaret Weaver, of Auburn, Ind., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. E. Sabin.

O. P. Woodworth, foreman of the RECORD office, and family are spending several days in Dowagiac.

H. M. Dickinson, leader of the Buchanan Cornet Band, took in the carnival at Dowagiac, Wednesday.

Chas. Babcock and wife went to Dowagiac Wednesday to visit relatives and possibly take a look at the carnival.

Mrs. H. Hunter, of Kansas, and Mrs. Noah Canfield visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Miles near Niles, Friday of last week.

Mrs. J. P. Beistle and her sister, Mrs. John Cherry, of Cedar Rapids, Iowa, were guests with relatives near Niles, Wednesday.

Mrs. Juliet Rhoades and son have returned to their home in Kingsbury, Ind., after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. U. Drago.

Mrs. Rouse and Mrs. John Barrett, of Middleville, Mich., arrived Wednesday to visit their sister, Mrs. Libbie Dempsey, who is very ill.

Attorney A. C. Roe was at Niles Wednesday in conference with M. L. Howell, attorney for C. A. Chapin, on the matter of the village litigation.

Mrs. Louise Marble returned Wednesday from Battle Creek, where she was paying a visit to her son, Charlie, who is attending a business college there.

Mrs. Hannah Hunter, of Cottonwood Falls, Kansas, who has been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. N. Canfield and other relatives and friends for the past three months, returned to her home Monday.

PORTAGE PRAIRIE.

Mrs. L. F. Cauffman and Mrs. Wm. P. Rough returned home after spending a week with their mother, Mrs. H. Grossman, at Plymouth, Ind.

On account of the rain farmers are detained from sowing wheat. Mrs. Dempsey is very sick at the home of her daughter Mrs. Thomas Houseworth.

Mr. Wm. Putnam, of Niles, preached at the Prairie church Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Lenager, of Iowa, is visiting her sister, Mrs. G. R. Scott.

Evangelical Church.

Morning—10:30 Sermon by pastor theme: "The Christian at Home," 11:45 Bible school.

Evening—6:30 Y. P. Devotional Service. Led by Anna Andrews Topic, Witnessing for Christ. Why and How. 7:30 Sermon, Theme The Straws in Bricks. We welcome you.

Notice.

No preaching at the Christian church Sept. 20, morning or evening. By order of the trustees.

Save your money! We guarantee Coonley's Tonic Ext. of Sarsaparilla at 50c a bottle equal to any of the \$1.00 Sarsaparillas made. It is a perfect blood purifier, curing Blood Poison, Syphilis, Pimples, Eczema, Dizziness, and Blood troubles of all kinds. Large bottles and small dose only 50c at E. S. Dodd & Son's.

Perry Munson has purchased the property of Mrs. Webb Matthews of Third st.

Dec. 26	I. C. Clevenger, carpenter work	\$700 00	5 78
27	Amount voted	20 71	
	Balance account overdrawn	\$720 71	\$720 217

Account overdrawn

\$ 20 71

Incidental Fund

Sept. 2	Western Union Telephone Co., messages	\$ 2 16	
Oct. 1	Michigan Telephone Co., services	6 00	
13	Buchanan Record, printing	15 15	
13	W. F. Runner, supplies	10 65	
13	H. P. Binns, supplies	4 12	
20	W. F. Runner, supplies	5 43	
31	C. E. Swann, timely topics	3 40	
31	F. Goodenough, services	10 00	
31	John Camp, truant officer	1 50	
Nov. 15	Argus Printing Co., printing	4 00	
29	C. E. McCollum, hauling goods to the poor	1 00	
Dec. 27	A. Flannagan & Co., books	6 00	
	American Book Co., books	1 35	
	The Public Book Publishing Co., Books	3 50	
	D. Appleton & Co., books	1 65	
	E. W. Rowles, books	5 42	
Jan. 1	Michigan Telephone Co., services	6 00	
Feb. 14	D. H. Heath & Co., classics	3 96	
	Hugh Muffin & Co.,	1 54	
	Ginn & Co.,	1 84	
	Silver Berdett	81	
	Alfred L. Robinson Martin Co., classics	7 65	
	Springport Book Binding Co., binding books	13 15	
	George L. East, music at commencement	6 00	
	M. C. R. R. Co., freight	3 26	
	O. Barnhart, labor	1 00	
March 17	Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son, supplies	13 33	
30	A. Jones & Co., two clocks	4 00	
30	J. L. Knight, incidentals	2 00	
April 1	Michigan Telephone Co. telephone services	7 50	
27	F. G. Lewis, papering	5 85	
May 7	Standard Oil Co., floor dressing	2 25	
	John C. Wenger, treasurer salary	13 55	
	John C. Wenger, int. on notes	15 02	
June 6	Village of Buchanan, water supply	100 00	
12	F. S. Goodrich, lecture	20 00	
12	J. Anstiss, drayage	3 25	
22	Perry Munson, repairing lawn mower	1 25	
July 1	Michigan Telephone Co., services	6 00	
Aug. 1	Buchanan Argus, printing	1 75	
	Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son, chemicals	7 44	
	Buchanan Record, printing	2 65	
	Argus Printing Co.	1 75	
	J. Anstiss, draying	3 25	
	W. F. Runner, school supplies	6 75	
	L. O. Runner, anchor	50	
	H. M. Brodrick, printing diplomas	6 50	
	Chas. A. Chapin, lights	7 75	
26	J. Galt & Co., cloth for decorating	2 10	
	Standard Oil Co., floor dressing	9 99	
	H. P. Binns, sundries	25	
	Charles B. Treat, treas. salary	12 50	
	W. H. Keller, freight, labor etc., for the entire school year	135 03	
	Delinquent tax	45 50	
	Deficiency in assessment roll	118 37	
	Interest on notes of Nov. 1900	12 81	
		87 19	

Balance on hand	\$ 85 99	
Amount voted	700 00	
Received from J. C. Wenger	7 76	
" " Delinquent taxes	173 40	
Voted for water supply	100 00	
" " library	50 00	
" " director salary	100 00	
" " treasurer "	25 00	
" " Niles township	66 06	539 14
Balance on hand	\$1,313 23	\$1,313 23

Recapitulations

Overdrawn, Janitor's Account	\$ 72 86
" Fuel	239 74
" Repair	20 71
Cash on hand in treasury	2178 58
Balance on hand in Teachers' Wages Account	\$1,972 75
Incidental account	539 14
	\$2,511 89
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Balance on hand in treasury \$2,178 68
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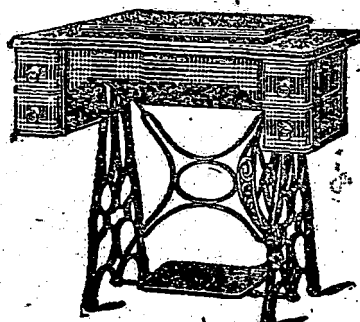
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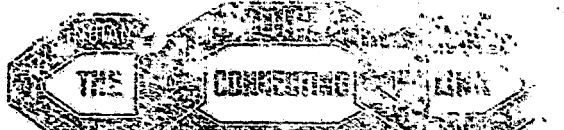
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5:00	5:05	iv	6:55	11:15	1:25	iv	11:15
6:00	6:05	iv	6:45	11:05	1:20	iv	11:05
6:10	6:15	iv	6:55	10:55	1:15	iv	10:55
7:00	7:05	iv	6:45	10:45	1:10	iv	10:45
7:10	7:15	iv	6:35	10:35	1:05	iv	10:35
7:20	7:25	iv	6:25	10:25	1:00	iv	10:25
7:30	7:35	iv	6:15	10:15	9:55	iv	10:15
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6:45	6:50	iv	8:25	5:45	6:45	iv	6:50
7:00	7:05	iv	8:40	6:00	7:00	iv	7:05
7:15	7:20	iv	8:55	6:15	7:15	iv	7:20
7:30	7:35	iv	9:10	6:30	7:30	iv	7:35
7:45	7:50	iv	9:25	6:45	7:45	iv	7:50
8:00	8:05	iv	9:40	7:00	8:00	iv	8:05
8:15	8:20	iv	9:55	7:15	8:15	iv	8:20
8:30	8:35	iv	10:10	7:30	8:30	iv	8:35

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CHURCH NOTES AND NOTICES.

UNITED BROTHERS CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Tarrant, pastor. Sunday services; preaching, 10:30 and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school, 11:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. W. D. COLE, Pastor. Sabbath services; preaching 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30. All are cordially invited.

METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. W. J. Douglass, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Epworth League 6:0 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. H. L. Veach, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a. m. 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 12 m. Senior Christian Endeavor 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30 p. m. Parsonage cor. 3rd and Detroit St.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH—Rev. Chas. Shook, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30; Cottage prayer meeting Tuesd y evening at 7:30. Strangers always welcome.

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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE—Society hold services at Grand Army Hall every Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Sunday School at 12, and Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

Lodges and Society Meetings and Events

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KNIGHTS OF THE MACABEES. Meetings 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Wilson Leiter, Record Keeper.

LADIES OF THE MACABEES. meetings 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. Mrs. Millie East R. K.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS. Meetings 2nd and 4th Friday evenings of each month at J. W. A. Hall. Recorder Mrs. W. F. Runner.

BUCHANAN LODGE No. 68 A. F. & A. M. holds its regular meetings on or before the first full moon of each month. Steven Scott S. W. E. S. Roe Sec'y.

BUCHANAN LODGE No. 98. A. O. U. V. meets the 3rd and 4th Saturday evening of each month.

DODGE LODGE No. 40 D. OF H. meets the 2nd and 4th Thursday afternoons of each month.

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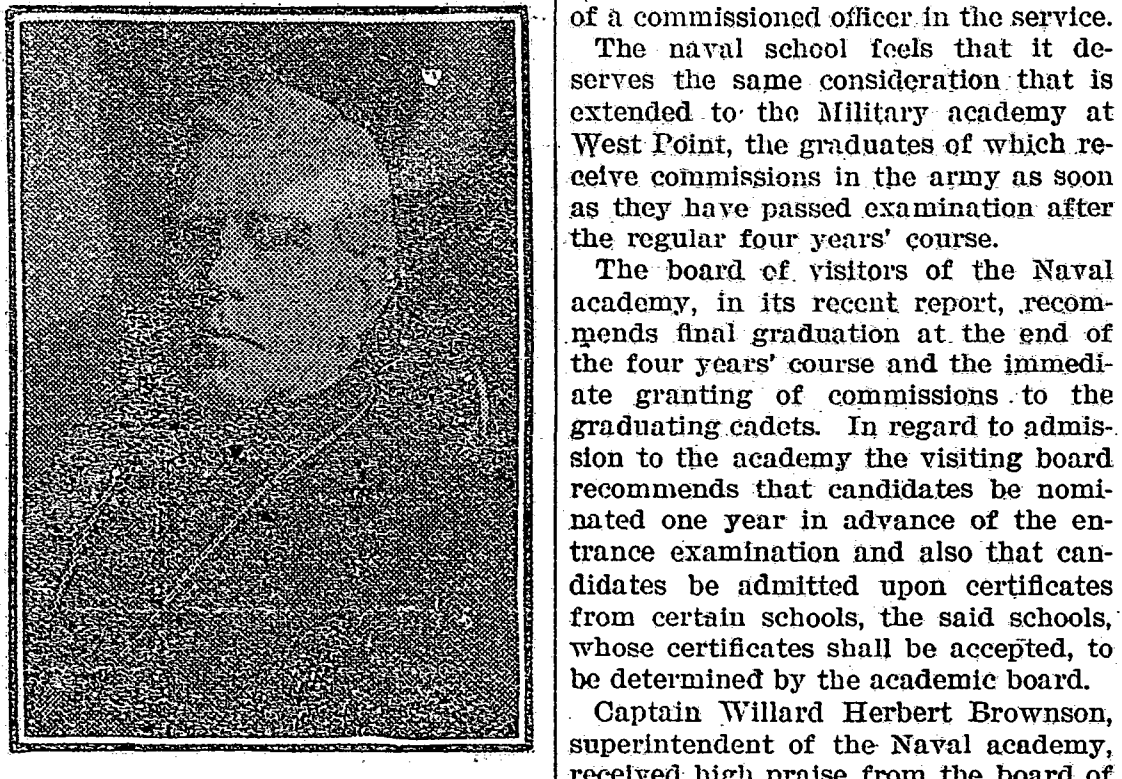
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A POPULAR PRELATE.

Mgr. Thomas J. Conaty, Bishop of Los Angeles.
 Mgr. James J. Conaty, bishop of Los Angeles, who since his elevation to the episcopal chair a few months ago has become immensely popular in his diocese, is a noted educator and scholar and one of the best known prelates of the Roman Catholic hierarchy of the United States.
 Bishop Conaty succeeded Rev. Dr. Keane as rector of the Catholic university at Washington in 1896, retaining that position until named for the see of Los Angeles. He was one of the organizing spirits of the Catholic Summer school at Plattsburg, N. Y., and was its president from 1893 to 1897. He was made a domestic prelate to the pope by the late Leo XIII. and has been otherwise honored by the church. Two years ago he was consecrated titular bishop of Samos by Cardinal Gibbons at Baltimore. This honor was in recognition of his labors in behalf of Cath-



BISHOP CONATY OF LOS ANGELES.

olic education. The title of bishop of Samos is entirely honorary, the see of Samos, from which the title is derived, having been extinct for many generations.

Bishop Conaty is a native of Ireland and is fifty-six years old. His parents were of good families and noted for their intellectual attainments. Shortly after his birth the family came to this country and established a home in Massachusetts. The future bishop was educated in Holy Cross college, Worcester, Mass., and St. Joseph's seminary, Troy, N. Y. After finishing his theological studies he returned to Worcester, finally becoming rector of the Church of the Sacred Heart, which was erected under his auspices.

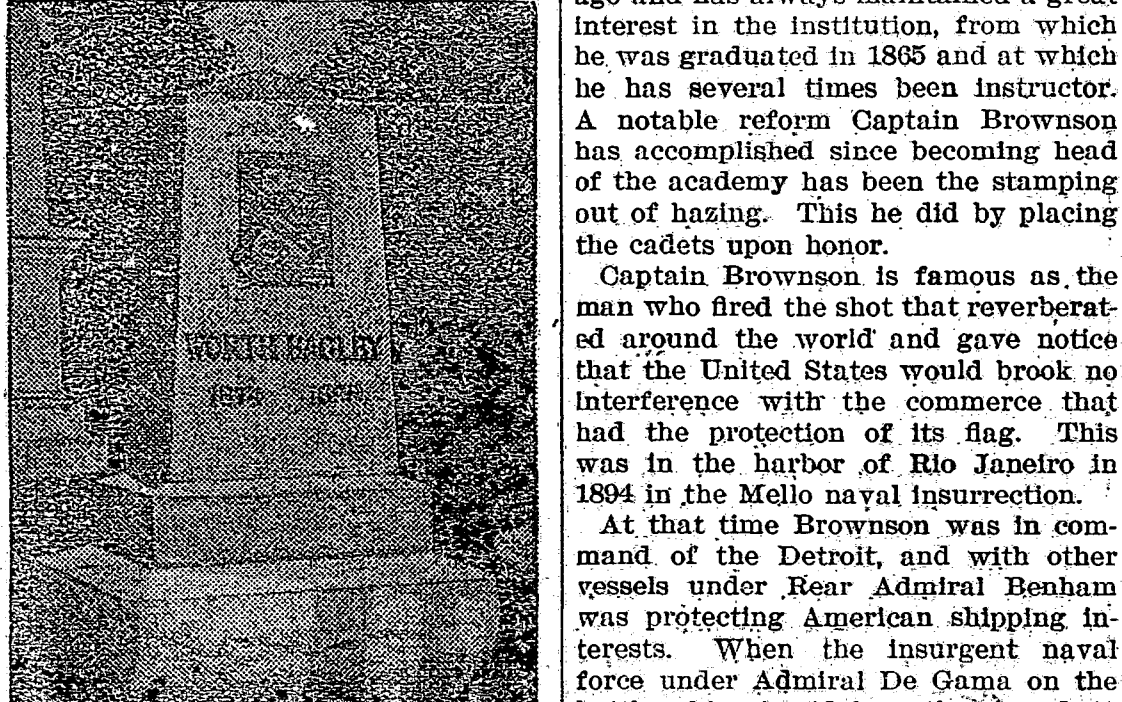
A lover of all things American, Bishop Conaty has always endeavored to cultivate among his people a liking for good, broad American citizenship. It is said that he has been a sympathizer with the liberal wing of the church if not an actual member of that body. On the educational question he is a champion of parochial schools and for many years edited a weekly magazine in their favor.

In Irish national affairs he has taken a deep interest and in every way has shown a warm feeling for the land of his birth. A strong temperance advocate, he was for two terms president of the Catholic Total Abstinence Union of America. Mgr. Conaty's success in the episcopal chair of Los Angeles is no more than was expected by his friends and associates.

MONUMENT TO NAVAL HERO

How the Memory of Ensign Worth Bagley is Perpetuated.

The monument to Ensign Worth Bagley, the only line officer of the United States navy to fall in the Spanish war, which was recently unveiled over his grave in Oakwood cemetery, Raleigh, N. C., is of the finest Quincy granite, very dark and rich. Upon the west face of the shaft is a bronze medallion bearing the portrait of Bagley in high relief in uniform and with



WORTH BAGLEY MONUMENT, RALEIGH, N. C.

cap on head. Below in bold letters of bronze is the inscription, "Worth Bagley, 1874-1898."
 Worth Bagley, who was an ensign in the United States navy, was the first American officer and the only line officer of the navy to be killed in the Spanish war. He fell on board the United States torpedo boat Winslow during the bombardment of Cardenas, Cuba, May 11, 1898. Ensign Bagley was a native of North Carolina and was appointed to the Naval academy in July, 1880. In July, 1897, he was commissioned ensign, and in less than a year met his death in the performance of his duty.

THE NAVAL ACADEMY

HOW PROPOSED CHANGES WILL AFFECT THE CADETS.

Under Present Law They Must Serve Six Years Before Receiving Commissions—How Superior Cadet Brownson Did Away With That.

Much interest is felt in navy circles especially among the naval cadets, in the report of the board of visitors to the United States Naval academy which has just reached the navy department. For some time past there has been much dissatisfaction among the cadets because commissions are withheld for two years after graduation from the academy. By the operation of the present law a graduate from Annapolis is compelled to serve two years after graduation and pass a second examination before he becomes an integral part of the navy. Although performing the duties of an officer, he has no commission, and in case of disability before final examination would be debarred from receiving the benefits of a commissioned officer in the service. The naval school feels that it deserves the same consideration that is extended to the Military academy at West Point, the graduates of which receive commissions in the army as soon as they have passed examination after the regular four years' course.

The board of visitors of the Naval academy, in its recent report, recommends final graduation at the end of the four years' course and the immediate granting of commissions to the graduating cadets. In regard to admission to the academy the visiting board recommends that candidates be nominated one year in advance of the entrance examination and also that candidates be admitted upon certificates from certain schools, the said schools, whose certificates shall be accepted, to be determined by the academic board.

Captain Willard Herbert Brownson, superintendent of the Naval academy, received high praise from the board of visitors, his management of the institution being unreservedly commended.

Captain Brownson has been superintendent of the Naval academy since October of last year, having been appointed by President Roosevelt. The selection at the time was regarded in the nature of a high compliment to Captain Brownson, as the whole naval personnel was closely scanned to find



CAPTAIN WILLARD H. BROWNSON.

the officer best suited to meet the unusual conditions with which the superintendent will have to contend during the next few years. The famous institution is to be entirely rehabilitated, buildings and improvements costing more than \$8,000,000 are to be completed, the corps of professors and midshipmen is to be largely increased, and the work could be entrusted to none but an officer of exceptional ability.

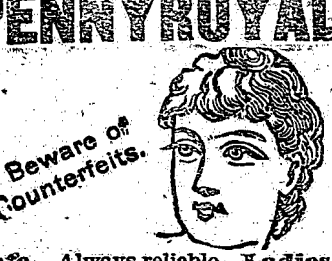
While at the head of the academy Captain Brownson will win his commission as rear admiral, which fits in with the determination of the navy department that hereafter only an officer of that grade shall command the academy station, which from every point of view is now becoming a more important post than any of the great navy yards.

Captain Brownson had a tour of duty as commandant of cadets nine years ago and has always maintained a great interest in the institution, from which he was graduated in 1865 and at which he has several times been instructor. A notable reform Captain Brownson has accomplished since becoming head of the academy has been the stamping out of hazing. This he did by placing the cadets upon honor.

Captain Brownson is famous as the man who fired the shot that reverberated around the world and gave notice that the United States would brook no interference with the commerce that had the protection of its flag. This was in the harbor of Rio Janeiro in 1894 in the Mello naval insurrection. At that time Brownson was in command of the Detroit, and with other vessels under Rear Admiral Benham was protecting American shipping interests. When the insurgent naval force under Admiral De Gama on the battle ship Aquidaban threatened to sink the American ships if they insisted on giving safe escort to the American coffee ships to their docks the Detroit, firing a 6 pounder across the bows of the leading Brazilian ship, started up the harbor cleared for action. The other ships of the American squadron were prepared for action, but their services were not needed. The single shot of the Detroit caused the collapse of the blockade. Before the breaking out of the Spanish war Captain Brownson was sent to Europe to buy war vessels. Then he was ordered home and placed in charge of the converted cruiser Yankee and performed splendid service. Captain Brownson has a charming wife, two handsome daughters and one son.

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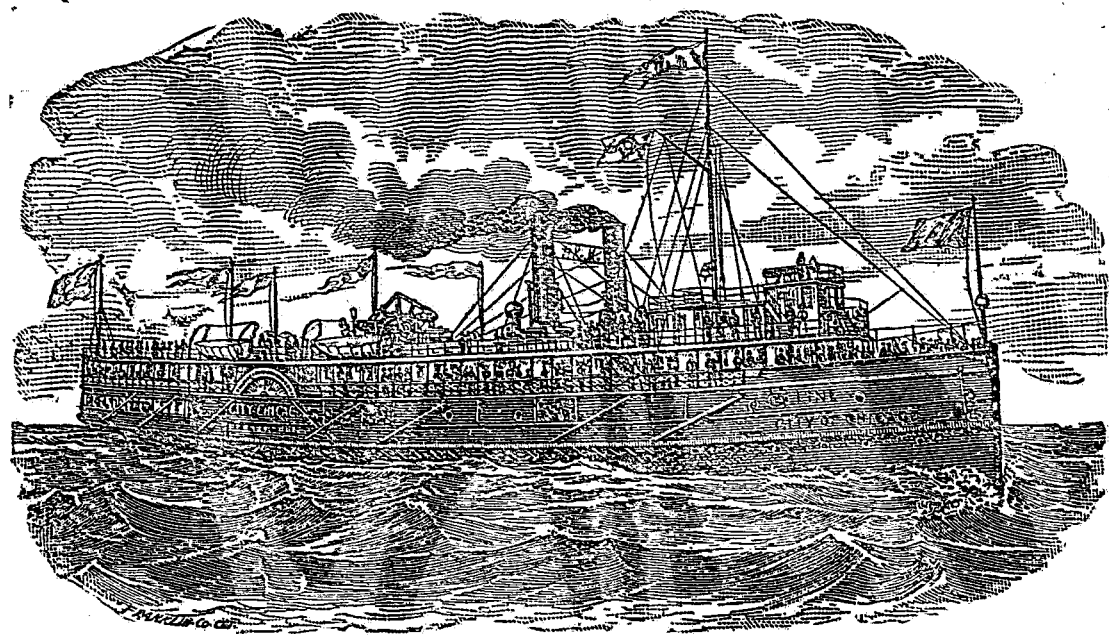
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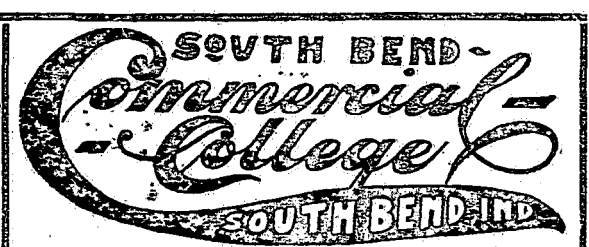
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The recent announcement by John B. McDonald, contractor for New York city's underground railway, that every foot of track will be laid by Jan. 1 directs public attention to the magnitude of this great work and to William Barclay Parsons, chief engineer of the rapid transit commission, to whom probably more than to any other one man is due the success of the stupendous undertaking.

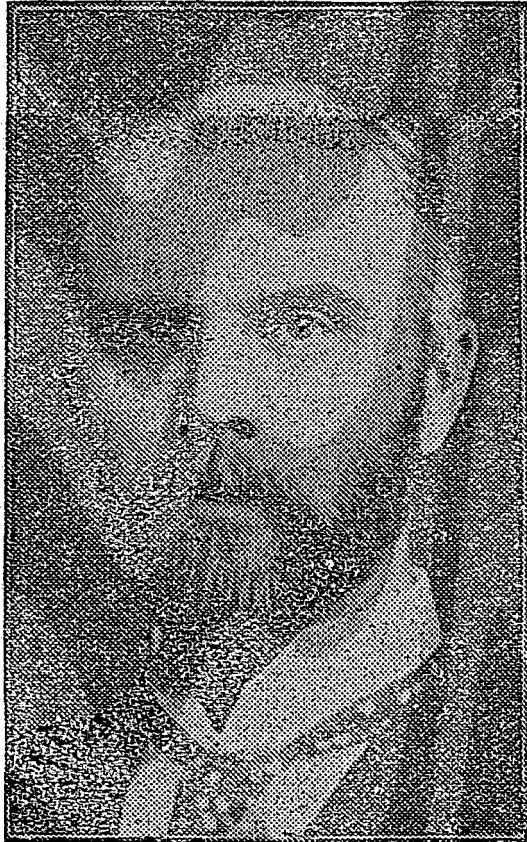
For years the rapid transit underground road was a dream in the brain of this man, and the miles of masonry and concrete and structural iron through which swift trains will roll unseen will constitute a monument to the strong intelligence and vigorous comprehension of William Barclay Parsons.

Others have borne the brunt of the battle of political interests and expediencies, of the legal and financial controversies, which were involved before the actual work of construction was begun, but the struggle with the opposing forces of nature, the grapple in the dark with the unknown difficulties of underground New York, the meeting of the responsibilities and dangers to life, health and property interests in a tunnel project, have been sustained alone by the chief engineer to the rapid transit commission of New York.

The connection of Mr. Parsons with projects for underground rapid transit communication in New York began when he was but twenty-seven. During the years 1880-88 Mr. Parsons was engineer for the New York District railway and the City railway, two proposed underground roads in New York. In 1891 he was appointed deputy chief engineer of the rapid transit commission and as such assisted in the preparation of plans for the road. In 1898 he resigned, but a year later was made engineer of the present rapid transit commission and has remained in control of the engineering part of the undertaking ever since.

On April 7, 1898, the present plan for the subway was definitely adopted. Many variations of Mr. Parsons' original plan for the road were made before the final plan was reached, but the basic idea is practically the same. Ground was broken for the subway by Mayor Van Wyck March 24, 1900.

An amusing story is related of Parsons' early experiences as an engineer. Shortly after he left college he was



WILLIAM BARCLAY PARSONS.

set rebuilding a piece of railroad track, and on one occasion his father accompanied him on a trip over the division. While on the train the young man told about the bad condition of the track. The father replied that he thought it remarkably smooth and solid.

"Oh, but this is the part that I have rebuilt. We'll soon come to the end of it, and then you'll notice the difference."

Before the old man had time to reply the train was thrown from the rails by the breaking of a driving wheel, and father and son found themselves seated opposite each other, unhurt, on the ceiling of the car.

"There, what did I tell you?" remarked young Parsons.

"Yes, son, it is rougher," admitted the father.

Mr. Parsons' experience as an engineer has been a wide one. He was consulting engineer to the railroad system of the island of Jamaica, West Indies, during its period of construction, and was chief engineer of the American-Chinese Development company in 1898. He made an exploring tour through eastern China, making a survey of the line of railway from Hankow to Canton, the longest railway yet proposed in China. At the outbreak of the Spanish war he was made chief engineer with rank of brigadier general, state of New York.

Mr. Parsons is of English descent on both sides. His grandfather was an officer of the English navy during the war of 1812. During the war his ship was wrecked off Long Island and he was taken prisoner, subsequently making his home in this country.

William Barclay Parsons is a native of New York city. He was graduated from Columbia college in the class of 1879 and from the school of mines three years later. Previous to graduation he was engaged as topographical engineer in connection with railroad construction. In 1888 he began practice as a consulting engineer. Mr. Parsons is forty-four years old.

A SCOTTISH PEER.

Duke of Roxburgh, Who is to Wed an American Heiress.

The Duke of Roxburgh, whose engagement to Miss May Goelet has just been announced, is a Scottish peer and the head of one of the most ancient and distinguished of the lowland clans. The present duke is the eighth holder of the title and succeeded his father



DUKE OF ROXBURGH.

eleven years ago, when but sixteen years of age. He is somewhat reserved and distinguished in manner, is tall, good looking and soldierly in bearing. His rent roll is estimated to be about \$250,000 a year, and his chief seat is Floors castle, on the Tweed. The Duke of Roxburgh, which is pronounced "borough," sits in the house of lords as the Earl of Innes.

Miss May Goelet is about twenty-five years of age and is a petite brunette. She is the only daughter and eldest child of the late Ogden Goelet, from whom she inherited a fortune of about \$20,000,000. The duke is now in this country, and it is expected that the marriage will take place in New York early in November.

Murder Will Out.



"Guess I'll try dad's cigar."



"Fritz, have you been smoking?"



"No, pa."

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There is more Catarrah 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 catarrah to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrah 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. They offer one hundred dollars for any case it fails to cure. Send for circulars and testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists \$20.

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BUYING THE LAND

South Bend Road Extending This Way.

First Right of Way for Extension Was Bought on Saturday and Work Will Be Pushed.

South Bend, Sept. 14.—The Indiana railway company under the organization of its Michigan division known as the South Bend and Southern Michigan railway company, has begun purchasing right-of-way for the extension of the South Bend-Niles line to St. Joseph, Mich. The first property was purchased Saturday.

It has always been the intention of the company to extend its line from Niles to St. Joseph and it had hoped to have the work completed by this time, but important matters arose interfering with the plans and the line has been constructed only to Niles. Officials of the company refuse to announce for publication when the work of construction on the extension will begin, but it is understood that it will be taken up next spring, if nothing arises to cause a further delay.

The officials are exceedingly anxious to continue the line to lake Michigan and residents in South Bend, Niles, Benton Harbor and St. Joseph are equally anxious for the completion of the line. It will give South Bend a fast electric railway service to lake Michigan. The line will be about 35 miles in length.—Benton Harbor Evening News.

Letter from James Batten.

Auburn, Ind.

Sept. 15, 1903

Editor Buchanan Record,

Dear Sir:—

Perhaps your readers will be interested in hearing from me while here, and my success, in working up the Patrician lodge.

At present I have a court of 56 members, which has been worked up from a small court of five members. We shall have initiation tonight, six young ladies, youngest 18, oldest 20; all belong to the Bible class at the Evangelical church, this I am very proud of. They will belong to our marching club.

This is carnival week, in Auburn, the Wright Carnival Co., is here in the interest of the K. O. T. M., last night was the first night. The county jail is located here and during the evening two prisoners sawed the bars from their windows and made their escape, they were Lewis Blaza, a resident of Auburn, in for larceny, and Charles Evans of Hicksville, Ohio, for stealing cattle, both were to be tried in the Nov. term of court, up to the present officer's have no trace of them.

Auburn as a city has many fine people; the churches are very well attended and have large memberships, Methodists have over 400, Evangelical about 400, and others in proportion. There are 12 denominations in all, and I never saw a larger proportion of church going people. There is about 4,000 population here.

With kind regards to the RECORD readers and all friends in Buchanan and vicinity. I am,

Very truly,

JAMES BATTEN.

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. 1892, executed by Henry Lingo and Amy A. Lingo, his wife, of Oronoko 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 55 of Mortgages on page 261; which mortgage was, on the 27th day of December, A. D. 1892, duly assigned by Joseph Feather as executor of the estate of said George Smith, deceased, to Judith A. Smith, then of the said township and county; which assignment was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of said county, on the 18th day of August, A. D. 1903, in Liber 89 of Mortgages, on page 169; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due on the date of this notice the sum of nine hundred twenty dollars and thirteen cents, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

The debtors 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 sale herein after mentioned, at seven per cent per annum 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 Oronoko, 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 23, 1903.

Attest: JUDITH A. SMITH,

Assignee of Mortgagee.

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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.

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

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

Miss Myrtle Holliday, after a four months' vacation has resumed her work at Three Oaks.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bachman on Front Wednesday evening and a fine son rejoices the hearts of the happy parents.

Services at the Presbyterian church next Sunday 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. preaching by the pastor Rev. W. D. Cole. Christian Endeavor Society meets at 6:30 p. m. All are cordially invited.

About 50 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Albert G. Hunter gave them a pleasant surprise last Saturday evening. The evening was spent in games and social times after which ice cream and cake were served. The guests departed leaving Mr. and Mrs. Hunter a number of gifts among which was a beautiful chair presented to them by their children.

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
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Bainton Bros. report the following:
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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. 3 white. 32c
Rye; 50c
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Gasoline 15c a gal. W. H. Keller.
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Buchanan Cash Grocery is selling flour at wholesale prices.

Mrs. Carr is lying critically ill at her home on River st.

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Miss Alice Slocum is assisting Mrs. Weaver in her millinery store.

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

Mrs. F. W. Gelow and son, Kenneth, who have been visiting at the home of A. J. Helmick, have returned to their home at Three Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Markley have moved to South Bend, where Mr. Markley has been employed for some time past.

Copying pencils, operators and editors and teachers' checking pencils, carpenter pencils, lumber crayons etc. Binns' Magnet store.

Mrs. Jerome Webster and Miss Carrie Webster, mother and cousin of Mrs. H. H. Hosford, who have been spending a few days at Mrs. Hosford's guests returned home to South Bend, yesterday.

J. P. Hamilton the well known piano tuner will be in town next week. Leave orders for tuning with Herbert Roe at Lee Bros. & Co's. bank. Mr. Hamilton has for sale two very fine upright pianos slightly used which can be had at a bargain. See him and get prices, s.22.

Mrs. J. W. Barnhurst who has been on a visit to her home town Clyde, Ill., a suburb of Chicago, will return on Monday evening. Rev. C. R. Eastman the pastor of the Baptist church of Clyde will take to himself a wife on Sunday and will spend some time of his wedding trip as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Barnhurst, Mr. L. H. Arnold of Clyde, Ill. will also be entertained by them for some time Mrs. Arnold being a sister of Mrs. Barnhurst.

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.

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"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.

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.

DISRUPTED AGAIN

Christian Church in an Unfortunate Tangle

"Behold how good and how pleasant it is for brethren to dwell together in unity."

A few months ago much was said of the difficulty between the factions of the Christian Church of this place which finally terminated in the resignation of the pastor, Elder Black, and securing the services of Elder Veach. The difficulty seemed to be healing and the prospects were that unity would again prevail. But unfortunately, all hopes of this harmonious condition are dispelled.

Elder Black, being a warm friend of L. S. Bronson and family, was invited to come and perform the wedding ceremony of Miss Hattie Bronson and Mr. Reed.

Elder Black's friends had extended an invitation to him to preach in the church while here, which he accepted, and last Thursday evening delivered a sermon there; this was done by mutual agreement with all concerned. After the sermon, the present pastor, Elder Veach took exceptions to it and challenged the speaker to prove his statements. Elder Black made no reply. When the service was dismissed it was plainly to be seen that Elder Veach had made a mistake, as far as himself was concerned. The trustees have asked him to surrender the key to the church and vacate the pulpit, which he refuses to do because he has a contract for a certain time and there is a principle at stake that he cannot surrender without doing all in his power to maintain. He therefore announces that he will preach Sunday morning and evening but the trustees say he shall not, and are accordingly making arrangements to carry out their decision in the matter.

NOTICE

To the members of the Christian church and all interested persons:

Notice has been given by the "trustees" of the church through our city papers that the doors of the Christian church will be locked against me next Lord's day, and that I will not be permitted to preach to the people. It is indeed unfortunate and sad, that, in order to accomplish their purpose, men who profess to follow our Lord will resort to force, which in this case violates the plain teachings of Christ, and also the law of the land. In this I am not passing judgement, for there is a higher power that judges all men.

Being unconscious of any wrong doing in is matter, I wish to announce that I shall preach in the church next Lord's day as usual unless the doors are locked.

If the church shall be closed against me the service will be conducted at the church, out side.

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CORRESPONDENCE

GLENDORA.

Fishing is the order of the day. On account of so much rain it is the most profitable occupation followed. Mrs. Hattie Ullery, of Berrien Springs, is spending a few days with her niece, Mrs. Chas. Smith, also other acquaintances.

Alva Pyle has gone to a place near Springfield, Ohio, where he is in hopes of securing employment in a creamery.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Kempton went to South Bend last Friday, and while there went to see "Ben Hur" played. They were highly pleased with the play.

Mr. and Mrs. Simon Boyce, of Missouri, are visiting their father, George Boyce. They will soon return to their home.

Last Sunday there was a family reunion of the Boyce family at the home-stead. Friends from South Bend, Three Oaks, Baroda, Galien and Missouri being present.

Mrs. Rose of Buchanan has been spending a few days with her friend Mrs. H. L. Kempton.

Mrs. Maria Jones and Ambrose Morley have returned from their trip to California. They enjoyed the trip but prefer to live in Michigan.

Many Odd Fellows and their families attended the Odd Fellow's picnic at Bridgeman, last Saturday.

A few only, went to the fair at Berrien.

The musical of last Friday evening was a great success, every one doing their parts excellently.

Miss Prince, the instructor, will spend a portion of the winter at the Conservatory of Music in Chicago, after which she will again take up her duties here.

BENTON HARBOR.

The excursion season is about over.

The Salvation Army in St. Joseph will have a rummage sale.

Our college intends to organize uniformed companies among its boys for military drill work.

The St. Joseph Evening Press has changed hands, from Editor Cochran to Charles L. Hayes, of Chicago.

During the hour, between 5 and 6 o'clock last Sunday night 80 fruit wagons came down Pipestone St. toward the dock.

Several cases of Fall staawberries have recently been brought into town, most of which were sent to Chicago, where they sold for 50 cents per qt.

Miss Florence Plimpton has gone to Kalamazoo to take a course in music at the Michigan Seminary. Attorney Gore's daughter, Miss Helen, whose childhood was also spent in Buchanan, goes tonight to Lake Forest to attend school at Fairy Hall Seminary.

Mrs. Maria Weed, of Chicago, gave a very interesting address tonight at the Methodist church on the Mormon Menace. She is assisting in the circulation of a petition to the national congress, which will ask that body to unseat polygamous member from Utah, Mr. Smoot.

Wireless telegraphy between the G. & M. boats and Chicago is an accomplished fact. On the return trip of the City of Milwaukee from Chicago last Saturday about 40 messages were sent back and forth from one of the big scrapers in Chicago. All of the G. & M. steamers will be fitted out with this great convenience next year.

Our high school foot ball team is making up in good shape. M. C. Egan, the new principal of the high school, is an enthusiastic athlete and has been instrumental in securing Coach Teitzel's services in drilling the boys. Teitzel is well known, having played for eight years at Evanston, Orchard Lake and the U. of M., and we are hoping he will help our boys to win the state championship, which they nearly secured last year.

WEST BERTRAND.

Friends of Libbie Dempsey are sorry to hear that she is so seriously ill, at her daughter's Mrs. Thomas Housewerth, on Portage Prairie.

Mrs. John Redden and Mrs. Mary Perry were in New Paris, Ind., last week. Mrs. Perry will return to Chicago Saturday to spend the winter with her daughter.

Word was received here Wednesday that Mrs. Allie Blodgett was quite ill and would have to be operated on for appendicitis soon.

Wednesday was the anniversary of Mrs. Allen Frame's birth. A number of the G. A. R., gentlemen and ladies of Buchanan and immediate neighbors succeeded in storming her house with out her knowledge. A bountiful dinner was served a little after noon. Mrs. Frame received a number of presents, some coming from Iowa, but the most valuable was a watch from the husband and a chain from relatives and near friends.

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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
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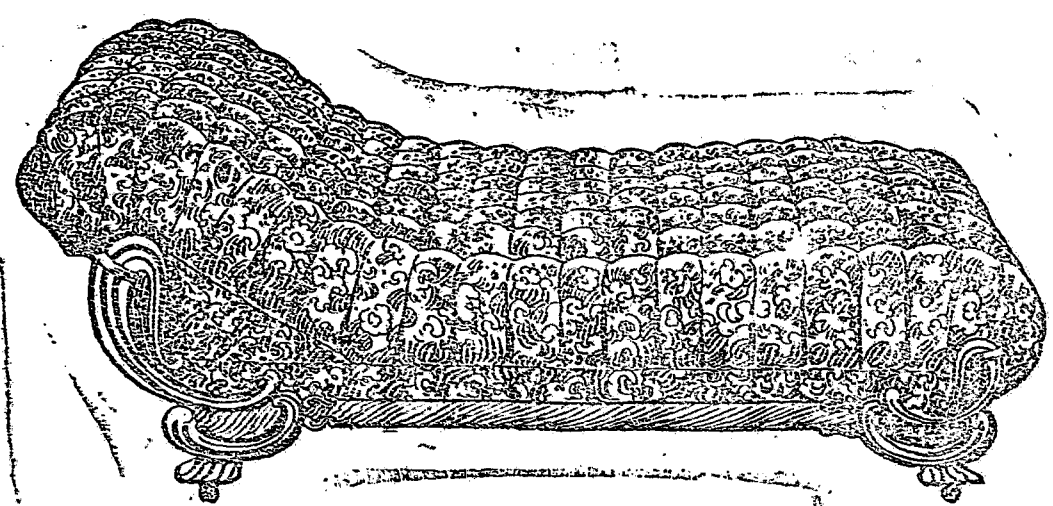
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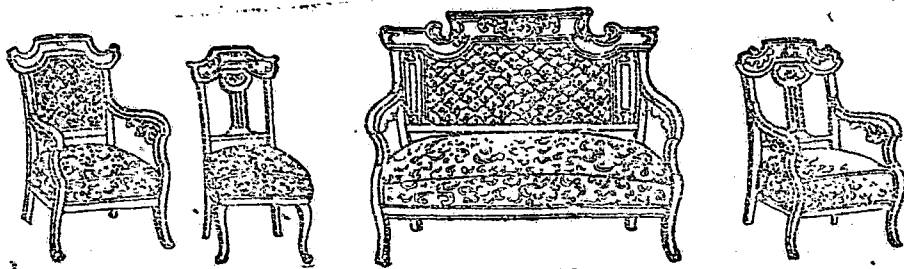
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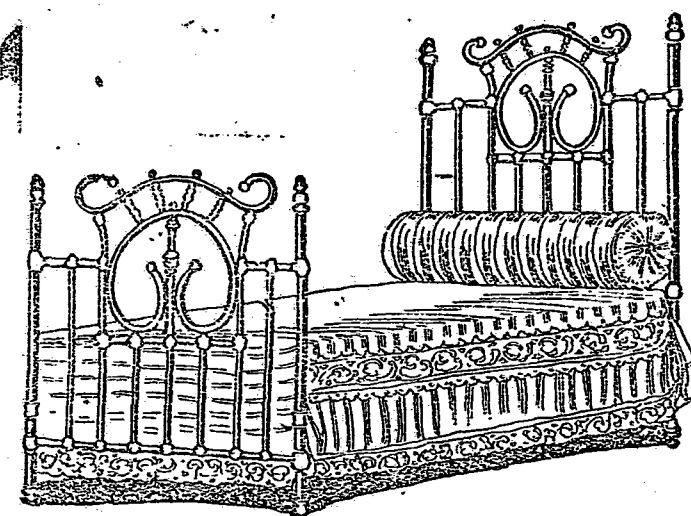
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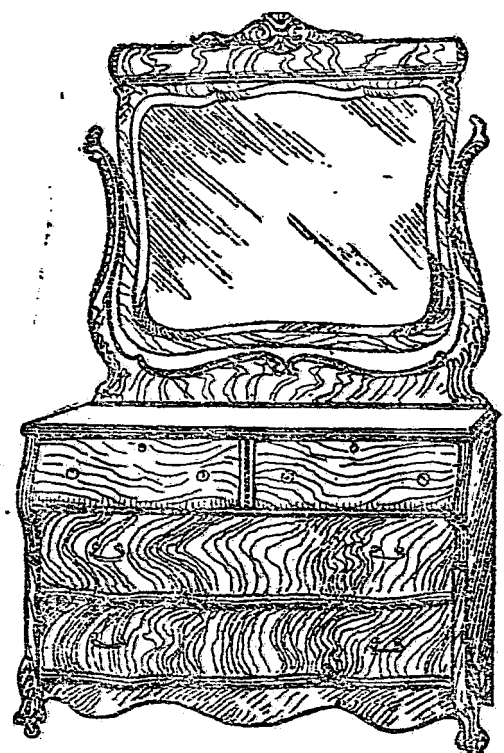
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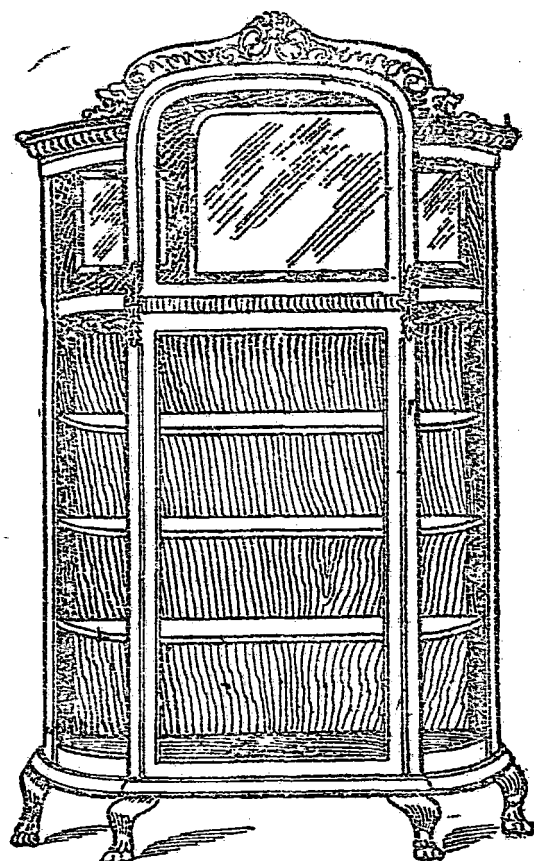
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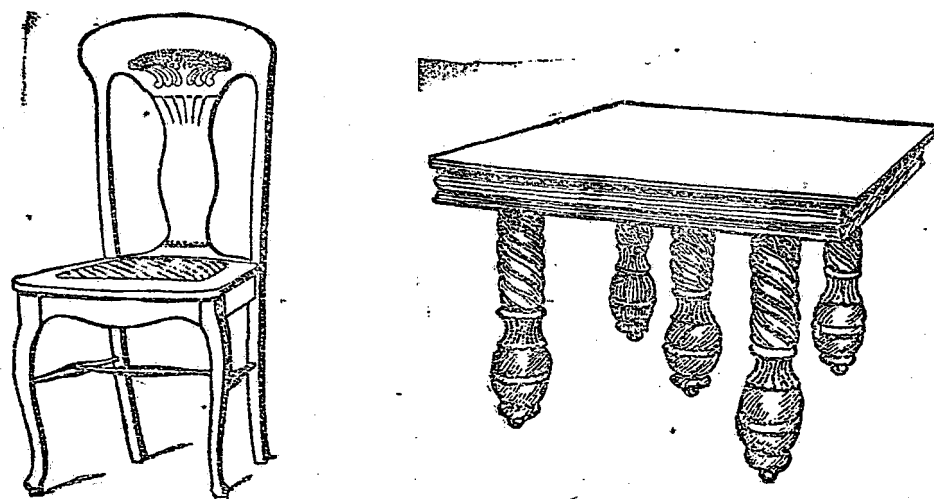
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A good china closet with mirror back at \$15.00

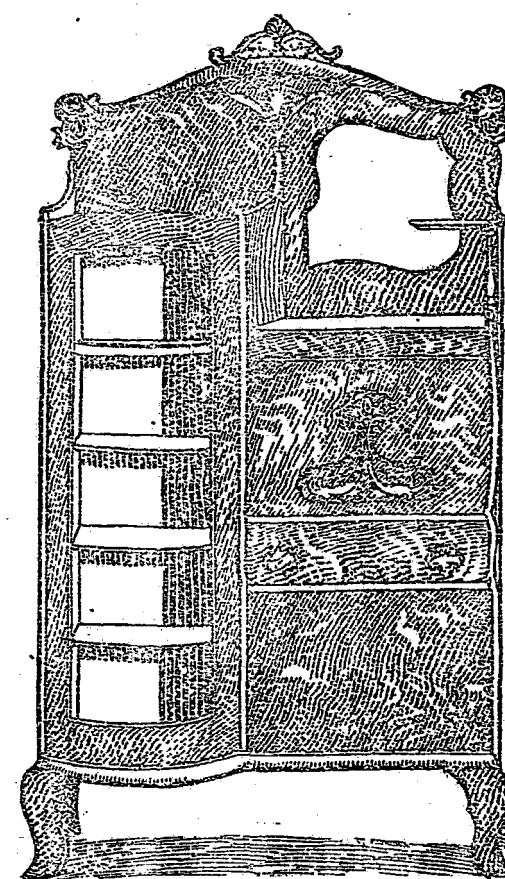


Good solid oak dining tables from \$5.50 up. Also the latest patterns in dining chairs—in fact a complete line of dining room furnishings of latest designs.

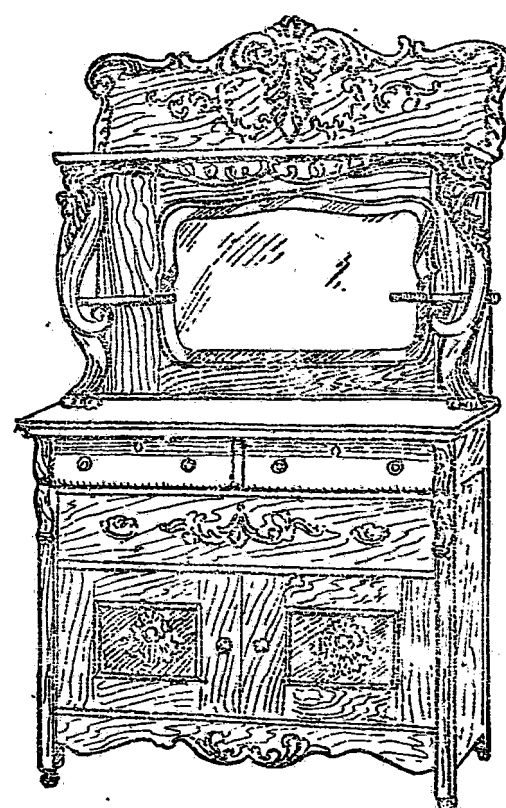
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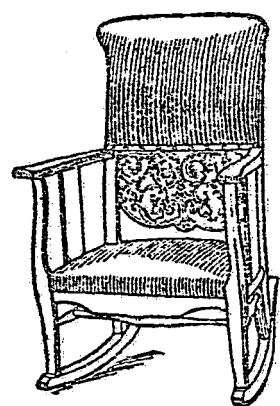
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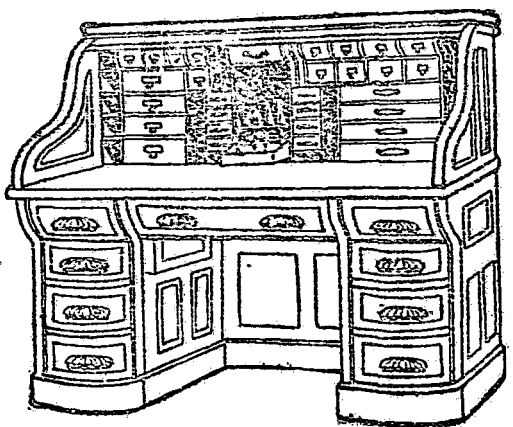
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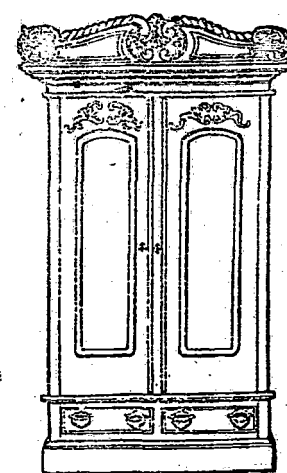
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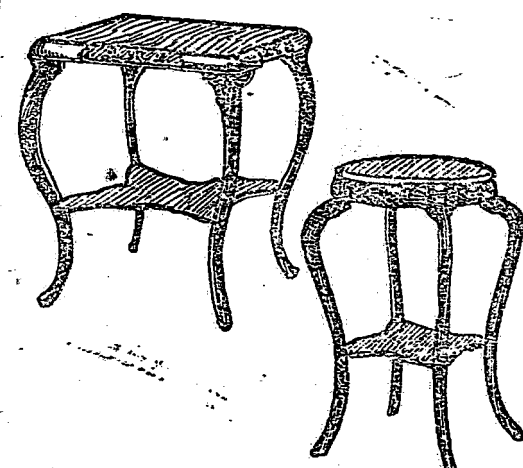
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