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One lot lace stripe batiste 12 1/2c, worth 25c; one lot 10c, worth 20c; one line plain black, also colors India line remnants worth up to 35c, 5c yd. Full pieces 103, worth 25c.

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One lot fancy printed satin taffeta ribbons, 35c yard, worth up to 75c. One line laces 3c and 5c. One sample line Mexican drawn work, one-third off regular prices. New line of embroideries 1c, 2c, 3c, 5c and 10c—all way under price.

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We offer new lines of ladies' waists, skirts and suits, also jackets, Calico wrappers 75c, percale wrappers \$1.00.

We offer in our trunk stock, 24 in. affigator suit cases \$2.00; good line of bags 35c and up. Trunks \$1.75 and up. Our prices on trunks are much under regular price.

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We offer one line Cheviots and Gingham at 10c, about half price; one lot gingham 12 1/2c.

One line short length Batists, 10c, way under price; one line Percales, 12 1/2c quality, for 10c; Bleached Sheets, 81x90, 49c; 42 and 45 inch Pillow Cases, 12 1/2c; Standard Prints 4c and 5c—all the same quality; 5-4 Table Oilcloth, 12 1/2c and 15c.

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DISTRICT MEETING

School Board Ask Tax Payers to Meet and Consider.

THE HEATING QUESTION

In the High School Building—Early in May.

On Wednesday evening April 20th, at a regular meeting of the school board held in Attorney A. A. Worthington's office, it was decided to call a special meeting of school district No. 1 fractional in the township of Buchanan, to be held May 10, 1904, at 7:30 o'clock, at the High School building, for the purpose of considering a change in the heating plant, and for the ventilating of the school house, and to consider the kind wanted, also for the raising of money by taxes to pay for the same, and for all other business pertaining to the heating of the school building.

MILLINERY.

We have made a fine selection of pattern hats and street wear for our store, and invite the ladies to call and select a fine hat for \$3.00-\$3.50. We are going to make these hats a speciality during the entire season.
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"Our little daughter had an almost fatal attack of whooping cough and bronchitis," writes Mrs. W. K. Haviland, of Armonk, N. Y., "but when all other remedies failed, we saved her life with Dr. King's New Discovery. Our niece, who had consumption in an advanced stage, also used this wonderful medicine and today is perfectly well." Desperate throat and lung diseases yield to Dr. King's New Discovery as to no other medicine on earth. Infallible for coughs and colds. 50c and \$1.00 bottles, guaranteed by W. N. Brodriek. Trial bottles free.

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EVANGELIST SAYLES

Will Hold a Series of Meetings Here Commencing.

NEXT TUESDAY, APRIL 26

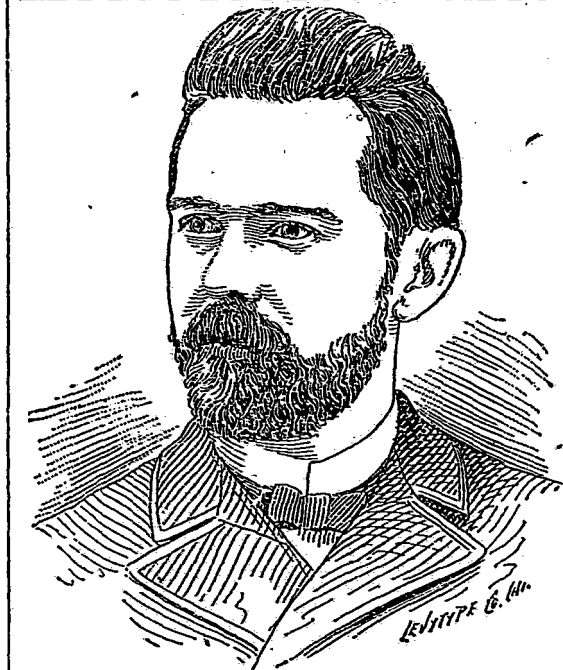
Mrs. Sayles Will Assist—Good Music to be a Feature.

Commencing next Tuesday evening the series of gospel meetings now in progress, at the Presbyterian church will be conducted for two weeks by Evangelist Sayles of Chicago.

There will be services every evening and Bible readings on each afternoon except Monday and Saturday. Mrs. Sayles will take the first half hour of the afternoon service.

A boys' and girls' service will be held Wednesday and Friday afternoons at the close of school.

A first class stereopticon will be used in connection with the service and each evening the opening half hour will be an illustrated song service.



EVANGELIST H. F. SAYLES.

The meetings this week have been preparatory to the work of the Evangelist and the preaching by Rev. Huffer of Paw Saw, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, was attended by a good sized audience who appreciated the excellent discourses.

Dr. Adamson, of the North Presbyterian church, of Kalamazoo, is here now and delivered a fine sermon last evening. He will also preach tonight.

FOR SALE.

I desire to sell my Brick and Tile Yard which is thoroughly equipped with nearly new machinery, has fine large kiln, and every thing complete for the business. The property will be sold at a bargain price.

Mrs. HENRY BLODGETT, SR.,
Buchanan, Mich.

30 CLUB.

The annual business meeting of the 30 Club was held Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. H. F. Kingery, a large attendance convening.

After a biographical sketch of Earnest Seton Thompson, prepared by Mrs. Barnhurst for a previous meeting, the election of delegates to the state federation, took place, Mesdames Peck and Rough were chosen with Mrs. Pears and Miss Wilcox alternates.

Officers for the ensuing year were elected. Mrs. Cook, who has so capably served the club for the past two years, received a large number of votes on the first ballot, but declined to serve. Mrs. L. E. Peck was then elected president, and Mrs. Daisy Rough vice-president; Mrs. Chas. Boyle was chosen recording secretary and Mrs. I. M. Wells treasurer.

Before leaving for their homes the ladies were served to grape juice and wafers by their hostess.

Gramophone Entertained.

On Wednesday evening L. S. Bronson entertained a large number of his friends at the home of Jacob Miller, with a gramophone concert.

There were about 24 numbers rendered, and were very much enjoyed by the audience present. Some of the pieces rendered were unusually fine and every one voted Mr. Bronson a royal entertainer.

IN MEMORIAM

ELIZABETH JANE GROVER
Was born in Butler Co., Ohio, Feb. 22, 1826, and died at Elkhart, Ind., April 17, 1904. She came with her parents, at the age of 9 years, to Michigan where she spent the most of her life except a few years, when she lived in Illinois. For the last thirty-one years she has been a resident of Buchanan and an honored member of Christian Church.

She leaves a son, Henry Grover, of Chicago, and three daughters, Mrs. Lillie Sawyer of La Porte, Indiana, Mrs. D. V. Brown, formerly from this place, and Mrs. Frank Bressler of Elkhart, Ind. One daughter, Minnie, passed before her, dying six years ago. One brother, Mr. Luther Hamilton also survives her.

Mrs. Grover was a patient sufferer for eight months from heart trouble. Thus ends the earthly life of a good woman, a loved mother and a faithful Christian.

Our Washington Letter.

Several republican senators from the west, have this week made a combined assault upon Secretary of the Interior Hitchcock, on the ground that he ignorant of the duties of his office and not fit to be in the cabinet. After a boy's inadequate schooling he became a clerk and merchant in St. Louis and Senator Hansborough says "The secretary of the interior should be a lawyer and have practical experience concerning public lands," and declares that Mr. Hitchcock is inefficient and absolutely without the knowledge that he needs. Senators Clark of Wyoming and McCumber of North Dakota approved the criticism; Senator Boar contrasted him with the able Secretary Chandler; and Senator Spooner eulogizes Secretary Bliss by contrast as "a man who had common sense."

Capitol Hill is to be immensely beautified by the addition of a great palace for the accommodation of members of the Senate for offices. It will occupy an entire square of land and will be located across B street opposite the northeast corner of the Senate to balance the similar building for the use of members of the House, the construction of which has been ordered and is now progressing on the other side of Capitol Square. The structure is to cost \$2,250,000. Meantime the extension of the East front of the Capitol will be suspended till next winter. The construction of a new home for the State Department opposite the White House is also postponed.

Committees of both houses of Congress having fixed their eyes on the old homestead, are now refusing further hearing and rounding up the odds and ends of business preparatory to adjournment. The last of the appropriation bills, the Deficiency, has been reported from committee and will not cause long debate.

Senator Morgan, now in his eighties, has occupied the floor for more than two days in a continuous speech on the bill for the government of the Panama canal zone. He takes the ground that, having been acquired despotically, it should be governed despotically; that it was not acquired for colonization, that it is purely a United States reservation, like any of our forts or military properties, and that to engraft upon it the functions of civil government is a transparent pretence and a gross sham. Senator Bacon of Georgia, succeeded yesterday in securing the adoption of an important amendment formally substituting the name of the Republic of Panama for the Republic of Colombia as the payee to whom is due the money that is to be paid. Until yesterday the administration has insisted that the ratification by Panama of our treaty with Colombia entitled Panama to the payment of the ten million dollars offered to Colombia. The bill passed.

The House has passed the Philippine bill. It provides for the construction of railroads, telegraphs and other internal improvements, and for the taxation of the Filipinos

Talking About Chairs

We will be glad to show you some nice new things in **Reed Rockers Saddle Wood Seat, and Cobbler Seat Rockers**. There's a lot of "good looks" in them; the low prices on them are attractive and better still, there's "solid comfort" in them. Solid comfort makes us think of those couches of ours, do you know our couches with guaranteed steel construction are not dust collectors?

Richards & Emerson
FURNITURE

FORTUNATE ESCAPE

Of Serious Accident or Death by Many Persons, Including

MRS. WILLIAM F. RUNNER

While on the Lake Shore Railroad Near Kalamazoo.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Runner was on a northbound Lake Shore train between Kalamazoo and Plainwell, enroute to Hopkins Station, when going at regular speed the tender, baggage, smoker, and day coach all left the rails, but fortunately kept on the ties, one wheel between the rails and one outside, for a space of perhaps 40 to 60 rods, when the train was brought to a stop. No one was hurt but all more or less shook up, and of course frightened as they realized their narrow escape. Help was soon brought from Kalamazoo and Plainwell, and after 3 or 4 hours the cars were all placed back on the track and proceeded toward their destination. This was Mrs. Runner's first experience of train wreck, and she is not particularly desirous of another such as this one was.

Dr. Chas. M. Steele Chosen.

Friends of Mr. Chas. M. Steele will be pleased to hear of his appointment as eye specialist to the Phelps' Sanatorium. During his brief residence in our city, of two years, Dr. Steele has won for himself a high standing among the local physicians and has an excellent practice. The Dr. graduated at Ann Arbor in '97, and in Philadelphia in '01, holding position on the Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat staff of several hospitals. The above appointment does not change the doctor's office or his hours.—Battle Creek Inquirer.

Wine Lo-Ti.

Made of beef, iron, wine, nerve, cascara and Aromatics, is the most perfect food tonic in existence. It agrees with all other medicines and never fails to give permanent strength and vigor. Pleasant to take, it increases the weight and improves the appetite. Large bottles, 50c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

Card of Thanks.

To all who so kindly contributed by letters of condolence expressions of sympathy, or in any way aided us in our time of bereavement in the loss of a kind, loving husband and father, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks.

MRS. R. WRAY
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We have the largest, best equipped and most conveniently arranged clothing store in Northern Indiana.

Every article we sell is backed by the Spiro guarantee and that means the quality is there, the style is right and that it must come up to your highest expectation.

Good clothes are always worth what they cost, but paying the price doesn't get them.

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We are now receiving new spring suits and overcoats from eastern markets, and we will be glad to see you and to show them to you.

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APRIL 22, 1904.

Owing to numerous changes for the bettering of work here we, have been somewhat hampered in the work of the paper, but keep your eyes open for the future.

O. P. Woodworth, forman at the Record office, has been suffering with a severe cold for a couple of days. Today at noon he was compelled to quit work, for the day at least, we hope not longer.

Seriously Burned.

Yesterday while Geo. Beebe was attempting to lift a boiler of hot water, the handle gave way and the scalding hot water poured over his right hand, burning it so badly that the flesh nearly all came off two of the fingers.

Dr. Emmons tended the unfortunate man, and fears amputation will be necessary.

The ladies of the village will be treated to a lecture on Tuesday afternoon of next week at the M. E. church when Miss Nina A. Pattee of Coldwater, will speak. Miss Pattee is the Viavi representative and hopes to greet at least 100 ladies. As 10c per catipa goes to the M. E. Ladies aid, liberal patronage is expected.

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AMOS C. HOUSE THINKS.

Everybody Would be Pleased to Have Another Factory.

When all others were willing to throw up the sponge and say quit, Amos House kept quietly and persistently at work to bring the wagon works here, and the chances are 10 to 1 that it will come.

This is one of the signs of the revival of better times in Buchanan.

Miss Dovie returned Wednesday from a protracted visit in Goshen.

Frank Devin returned to business the first of the week, after a brief visit home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baker from Plainwell, are home visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Kool.

W. Scott Jones is offering some surprises in the way of jewelry, watches and clocks. Read the ad. in today's RECORD.

Serofula, salt rheum, erysipelas and other distressing eruptive diseases yield quickly and permanently to the cleansing, purifying power of Burdock Blood Bitters.

Nothing like a good chair to rest in after a hard day's work at home or in the shop. Richards and Emerson can furnish it at rates that all may have. Call and see the beautiful new stock.

U. S. Corn Cure for ladies is clean and colorless, sure and safe, stopping the pain at once and curing in a few days. Price 15c, two for 25c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

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BAKED GOODS ALSO Fine line of fresh candies

Bertha Roe The Cottage Bakery

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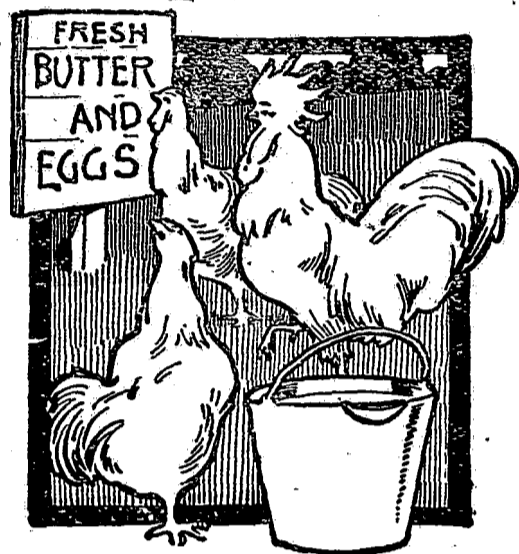
and the time for sowing Garden Seeds. We have the most complete line of bulk and package seeds ever brought to Buchanan.

Use Garbelle Flour, the demand is increasing every day. We have 5 brands of the best flour to choose from. We can please you.

House cleaning time is the time to use Ammonia. We have a good supply.

- 6 lbs Prunes.....25c
- 8 bars Javon soap.....25c
- String beans per can.....10c
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- Extra large can baked beans.....10c
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- Potato mashers.....05c
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- Stove blacking.....5 and 10c
- Shoe.....5 and 10c

Special sale Saturday

W. H. Keller

BUCHANAN. MICHIGAN.

CORNSTALKS AND PAPER.

A Step in the Stalk Problem—Machinery Handles Them.

The world "do move," as said the Rev. Jasper. The factory now goes to the farm. Everybody has heard of paper making from cornstalks, but Illinois has a new development of it, a development, by the way, which indicates a growing regard for the time and labor of the farmer. The cornfields of Illinois, it should be explained, furnish the stalks that a Maine factory turns into paper. At Kankakee is a gathering plant for the same. The usual proceeding would be for the farmers to haul their corn fodder to this collecting station and then haul the leaves and husks back home again to be used as feed. But, acting on the more modern plan of accomplishing any given end with the least expenditure of energy, the wideawake superintendent of the plant last year brought into good working order a steam machine which, like the traveling thrashing machine, can be sent from one farm to another and set up near the barn ready to convert the corn plant into paper stock.

First the machine snaps off the ears of corn and husks them as they are carried along and out of the machine into a wagon box. The clean, trim stalks meantime are being laid straight side by side, rolled into the neatest of bundles and bound with hemp. Then the machine drops them to one side for future reference. On an endless belt the corn leaves and husks travel to a blower, which sends them up into the barn in splendid shape for cattle feeding.

For these labors the manager of the machine collects a dollar for each acre of corn handled and receives the stalks, which is what he is after. The farmer has his husking done at a fixed price per acre, against so many cents per bushel, and gives away only that part of the fodder which is of least value to him and hardest to handle satisfactorily on the farm. Six acres is an estimated or average day's work for the machine.

The stalks are gathered up by their new owner and hauled or shipped, according to distance, to the local plant, where a machine devised for the purpose makes a clean separation of the pith and the hard outer coat of the stalk. These products are separately baled and shipped to the Maine factory. They are separated because it is found that they do not respond to the same treatment in paper making, but work up individually into products of different quality.

It is stated that 60,000 tons of cornstalks annually are required to feed a mill of the capacity of a hundred tons of paper daily.

THOS. S. SPRAGUE & SON, PATENTS, Wayne County Bldg. DETROIT

OFFICERS OF THE DAUGHTERS

Ballo's Cast for Vice President General—Regents and Vice Regents Chosen.

Washington, April 22.—The night session of the congress of Daughters of the American Revolution was taken up with the election of officers. Ten vice president generals were voted for and for these offices there were thirteen nominations, among them Mrs. Quarles, of Wisconsin, and Mrs. J. N. Carey, of Indiana. For the following named offices there was but one candidate each, and the recording secretary general was instructed to cast the ballot after the congress for them: Recording secretary general, Mrs. Clara E. Fuller, District of Columbia; treasurer general, Mrs. M. E. S. Davis, Washington; historian general, Mrs. J. P. Dolliver, Iowa; registrar general, Mrs. Augusta Geer, Washington.

The state delegations have chosen the following regents and vice regents, among others: Illinois, Mrs. Charles H. Deere and Mrs. Dorothy N. Law; Indiana, Mrs. James M. Fowler and Mrs. Robert S. Robertson; Michigan, Mrs. William J. Chittenden and Mrs. James P. Brayton; Wisconsin, Mrs. Thomas H. Brown and Mrs. Ogden H. Tether.

A reception was tendered the delegates at the residence of Mrs. Fairbanks. The reception was largely attended.

CANNON HAS SIX WIVES

Mormon Leader Testifies as to Polygamous Cohabitation Much the Same as President Smith.

Washington, April 22.—The feature of the day's hearing in the Smoot case was the testimony of Angus M. Cannon, for twenty-five years president of the largest Mormon "stake" in the world. The testimony was of a personal character, dealing with the conviction of the witness on charges of polygamous cohabitation. His defense for cohabiting with six wives, all of whom are living, was the same as that of President Smith and Roberts — that he could not in honor desert them.

He said he did not live with all his wives now — that he is "only as attentive as I fell common humanity requires me to be." He said: "For a long time I have lived within the law as far as it was possible to do so in the face of the obligations to my families. I have not paraded my families, but in honest pride I have nourished them." In effect Cannon's testimony did not differ from that of Smith and Roberts.

INSURANCE IS HEAVY

Only Lacks \$3,000,000 of Fully Covering the Loss at Toronto from the Great Fire.

Toronto, Ont., April 22.—The total sum of Toronto's losses in Tuesday night's fire increases rather decreases, as experts reduce the figures from rough estimates to something like accurate amounts. The loss is placed at \$13,000,000, with an insurance of \$10,000,000.

At a meeting of the Canadian Underwriters' association it was decided to advance rates in the congested districts of the city 75 per cent, and 40 per cent on business houses in the outlying sections of the city. The insurance companies' loss of \$10,000,000 is well divided.

Senate and House in Brief.

Washington, April 22.—The pension appropriation bill, carrying an appropriation of over \$137,000,000, and the emergency river and harbor appropriation bill, which carries \$3,000,000, were passed by the senate, leaving only the general deficiency and the military academy bills of the entire list of supply measures still to be considered by the senate. An executive session was held.

The house gave evidence of approaching adjournment by passing a large number of bills, among them being one to provide a temporary government for the Panama canal zone.

Robert Roosevelt Declines.

New York, April 22.—Robert B. Roosevelt, an uncle of President Roosevelt, who was nominated as an elector by the Democratic state convention at Albany last week, has declined to accept such nomination because of his relationship to the president.

Miss Gould on a Tour.

Norfolk, Va., April 22.—Miss Helen rapid fire guns and to send them to this section of the south, attended a meeting of the naval Y. M. C. A., woman's auxiliary, and a special service for sailors at the Cumberland Street Methodist Episcopal church here.

Took 664 Ballots to Nominate.

Findlay, O., April 22.—Ralph D. Cole, of Hancock county, has been nominated for congress by the Eighth district Republican congressional convention on the 664th ballot. A deadlock existed.

SCORES ON THE BALL FIELDS

Chicago, April 22. — Following are the base ball scores: League: At Pittsburgh — Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 5; at Boston — Brooklyn 2, Boston 3; at Chicago — St. Louis 1, Chicago 4; at New York — Philadelphia 12, New York 1. American: At Philadelphia — New York 2, Philadelphia 3; at St. Louis — Wet grounds. Association: At Toledo — Minneapolis 2, Toledo 6; at Indianapolis — Kansas City 5, Indianapolis 6; at Louisville — Milwaukee 6, Louisville 2; at Columbus — St. Paul 7, Columbus 2.

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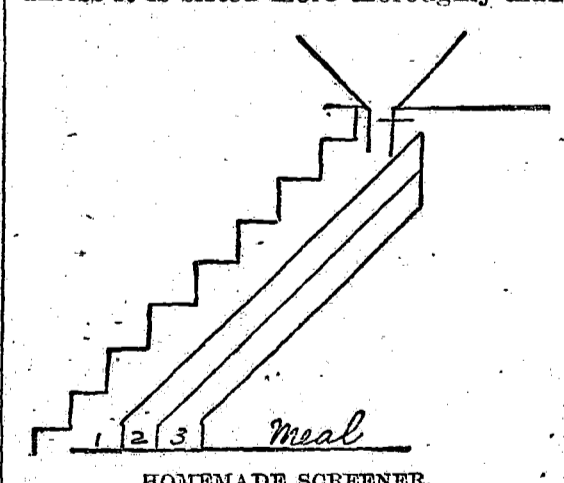
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Screening Cracked Corn. In feeding dry cracked corn to poultry much of the very fine is wasted unless it is sifted more thoroughly than



is usually the case when brought from the mill. This led a Rural New Yorker correspondent to arrange an ingenious grader, which he tells about as follows: "I made a hopper large enough to hold a hundredweight or so of cracked corn, with a shutoff in the bottom so as to regulate the flow of grain. Then with three sizes of galvanized wire netting I made screens about one foot wide by six feet long. The hopper was placed up at the head of the granary stairway, with the screens underneath in such a manner that when the cracked corn is allowed to run slowly from the hopper it grades it nicely into three sizes of cracked corn besides the fine meal, which would go to waste if scattered on the ground for the poultry, and any one would be surprised at the amount of this meal saved even from the best sifted cracked corn. I use No. 4 netting for the top or coarsest screen, as I want it as coarse as possible for pigeons; No. 6 for second, and No. 12 for finest."

MOYER CASE ARGUED

Colorado Supreme Court to Decide a Matter of Great Importance.

POWERS OF THE STATE MILITIA

Are at Stake—W. F. M. Secretary Haywood Attacks the Troops and Is Severely Hurt in the Melee.

Denver, Colo., April 22.—President Charles H. Moyer, of the Western Federation of Miners, who arrived in Denver in custody of state troops after several weeks incarceration at Telluride, where martial law is in force in consequence of labor troubles, was taken before the state supreme court under the writ of habeas corpus which had been issued in his case. At the Oxford hotel he entered a back with General Sherman M. Fell and Captain Bulkley Welles, the respondents to the writ, and the vehicle was driven rapidly to the state house, followed by thirty-two armed soldiers who guarded the entrances to the court room while the habeas corpus proceedings were in progress.

Bell's Answer to the Writ.

Attorney General N. C. Miller and Attorney John M. Waldron appeared in court for the governor and military authorities, and Attorney E. F. Richardson in behalf of Moyer. Chief Justice Gabbert and Justice Steele were on the bench, Justice Campbell being absent. General Bell's answer to the writ, in which he represented that all acts of the other respondent, Captain Welles, were performed under command of his superior officer (Bell), declared that Moyer was an active participant in fomenting and keeping alive the insurrection and rebellion in San Miguel county, and that it was necessary to restrain him for some time to come. Bell further represented that he has been ordered by the governor not to release Moyer either upon writ of habeas corpus or otherwise until so commanded by the governor.

Court Takes the Question.

The court heard arguments on a motion of the petitioner to be admitted to bail pending a decision on the question of the court's jurisdiction and took the matter under advisement. Moyer was then removed to the hotel in custody of the military.

HAYWOOD DEFIES THE MILITARY

He Is Severely Hurt in the Melee and Is Now in Jail.

Defying the detachment of cavalry which brought Moyer to appear before the supreme court, W. D. Haywood, secretary-treasurer of the W. F. M., attempted to hold a conversation with the prisoner while he was being taken from the train at the Union station. Ordered to stand back by Captain Bulkley Welles, commanding the guard, he struck the officer in the face. In a second he was surrounded by a cordon of angry troopers, who struck at him with the butts of their carbines and beat him with sixshooters. That he was not killed by the excited soldiers is due to the action of Bert Givens, the orderly of Captain Welles, who struck up the muzzle of a gun aimed at Haywood and rescued him from his position between two cars where the guardsmen had him cornered.

Placed under arrest he was put in the middle of a hollow square of militiamen and marched to the Oxford hotel, near the station. Here he again showed fight, and was beaten into submission. His injuries consist of a deep cut on the left side of the head and one on the right side of his head which almost severed the lower lobe of his right ear.

When a demand was made by Police Captain Frank Lee for the release of Haywood, on the ground that the military rule did not extend to Denver, General Bell replied that he intended to hold Haywood as a military prisoner, and would shoot any one who attempted to take him, but nevertheless, under orders from Governor Peabody, Haywood was surrendered to Sheriff Armstrong and placed in the county jail.

A telegram was sent to D. C. Copley, a member of the executive board of the Western Federation of Miners who is in Kansas, requesting him to come to Denver immediately and take charge at W. F. M. headquarters.

Kate Caxton Bereaved.

Cincinnati, April 22.—The news of the death of her son, who committed suicide at New York, was conveyed to Kate Caxton while she was making up for her part in "The Two Orphans" for the matinee at Robinson's Opera House. She was overcome with grief and had to give up the idea of playing.

Joe Gans Wins the Decision.

Baltimore, April 22.—Joe Gans, of this city, the lightweight champion, won the decision over Sam Bolen, of Philadelphia, before the Eureka Athletic club in a fifteen-round bout. Gans floored the Philadelphia four times during the bout.

Journal Clerk Smith's Remains.

Washington, April 22.—The remains of Harry H. Smith, former journal clerk of the house of representatives and an authority on parliamentary law, have been interred at the Oak Hill cemetery in this city.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

TRAINS EAST.

LEAVE BUCHANAN.
 Detroit Night Express, No. 8..... 12:42 A. M.
 News Express, No. 46..... 1:51 A. M.
 Mail, No. 3..... 3:40 A. M.
 Grand Rapids Special, No. 43..... 3:03 P. M.
 Train No. 14..... 5:29 P. M.
 Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 221 6:28 P. M.

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Mrs. Wm. Gibbons and daughter Agnes, of South Bend, visited with her sister Mrs. E. S. Arney, over Sunday.

A large crowd attended church Sunday morning to hear the farewell sermon; and it was with sad hearts and many tears that the people of this place bid Rev. Ostroth and family adieu.

Miss Myrtle Rough spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Isaac Lybrook, at Berrien Springs.

There will be a candy social at the Kansas school house where Miss Inez Redden is teaching, on Friday evening, April 22.

GLENDORA.

The wish of us all, is that the weather man would change the state of the atmosphere.

Very little plowing has been done.

Mrs. Pratt returned to her home here a few days ago. Since her return she has not been very well.

Mr. Granger is improving rapidly, so that his friends think he will be well again.

Miss Knee, who has been teaching the Hill-School, will close her year of work this week.

Misses Gracie and Katie Shirk have been attending school in New Troy this year. Now, that their school has closed, will attend the Glendora school.

Mrs. Haynes entertained the Ladies'

Aid Society of the Christian church last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Boyce, of Wyoming, arrived last Thursday to attend the graduating exercises of the New Troy school.

Miss Ollie McDaniels of Interlochen, Mich., formerly of this neighborhood, arrived today to visit among relatives.

School closes in a few days, and the teacher, Mr. Will DeVoe, and pupils are preparing for an entertainment to be given at its close.

Mr. DeVoe has the refusal of the school for another year.

The logs that have been accumulating in the orchard of Alvin Morley's are being sawed into timbers and lumber.

Mr. Clayton Smith is having a large new barn built. Mr. Tom Stearns and David Kramer are the carpenters.

WEST BERTRAND.

Harry Baker made a flying visit to his home in Bakertown Saturday, returning to Battle Creek on the midnight train.

Mrs. Mabel Smith has been spending the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Redden.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Richter entertained the West Bertrand and Dayton young people at a progressive pedro party Saturday evening.

Our telephone is in fine running order, in fact it is running all the time.

The farmers are plowing in spite of the frozen condition of the ground mornings.

The Bakertown school will close Friday.

Mrs. Effie Wilson invited in a goodly number of her friends to help her with her quilting, Wednesday of last week. A fine noon day dinner was served and a pleasant day was spent.

Mail carrier Rose, did not cover all his route last week on account of the bad condition of the road at the sink hole on the town line road.

A number of River suckers have been running in McCoy's Creek and Bertrand Drain Ditch. If it were not for so many dams on the creek we might be able to compete with New Troy in suckers and greens this spring.

Wm. Coleman, some time since, settled with Wm. Jayson thereby gaining possession of the Slater place. He moved his family there last week.

Some of the young people attended a party at Lawrence House's home on the Chicago road; Tuesday evening.

Frank Tenksbury, living with his wife's grandmother, Mrs. Rosalinda Redding, started to South Bend with a load of oats for her, last Tuesday, when within a few miles of the place he was stopped by a band of gypsies. They compelled him to get out of his wagon, relieved him of twelve bushels of oats and five dollars in money. Mr. Tenksbury hastened to the city, notified the Chief of Police, who went in pursuit of the robbers, captured them and took them to the police station. Mr. Tenksbury received his pay for the oats, his money and pay for the trouble.

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And the more indignant he was, the tighter he held on to the poker, and the more he cried out with pain.

In the same way people resist pain and hold on to it; when they are attacked with severe pain, they at once devote their entire attention to the sensation of pain, instead of devoting it to the best means of getting relief. They double themselves up tight, and hold on to the place that hurts. Then all the nervous force tends toward the sore place and the tension retards the circulation and makes it difficult for nature to cure the pain, as she would spontaneously if she were only allowed to have her own way.—Annie Payson Call, in *Leslie's Monthly* for May.

Michigan Patents.

Granted this week. Reported by C. A. Snow & Co., Patent Attorneys, Washington, D. C. B. F. Bailey, Ogdon, Fence-weaving machine; R. B. Coltrin, Jackson; Cement-mold; R. B. Coltrin, Jackson, Cement-molding apparatus; N. E. Hildreth, Lansing, Igniter mechanism for explosive engines; A. L. Homes, Grand Rapids, Adjustable joint for water and steam pipes; E. J. Langell and F. A. Langell, New Baltimore, Heat-radiating drum; A. G. Miller, Muskegon, Hook and eye; W. C. Miner, Traverse City, Railway-signal; W. R. Smith, Jackson, Wire-clip for cushion spring work; T. Swan, Flint, Mich., Foot rest for seats.

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Estate of Isaac M. Vincent, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
 At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 15th day of April, A. D. 1904.
 Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.
 In the matter of the estate of Isaac M. Vincent, deceased. David E. Hinman, having filed in said Court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said Court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to David E. Hinman, or to some other suitable person.
 It is ordered, that the 15th day of May, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.
 It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.
 (A true copy) FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, Judge of Probate.
 ROLLAND E. BARR, Register of Probate.
 Last publication May 6, 1904.

First publication April 8, 1904.

Estate of Mary Higgins, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.
 In the matter of the estate of Mary Higgins, deceased.
 Having been appointed commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, we do hereby give notice that four months from the 5th day of April, A. D. 1904 were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment, and that we will meet at the office of John C. Dick in the village of Buchanan, in said county, on the 10 day of June, A. D. 1904, and on the 5th day of August, A. D. 1904, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.
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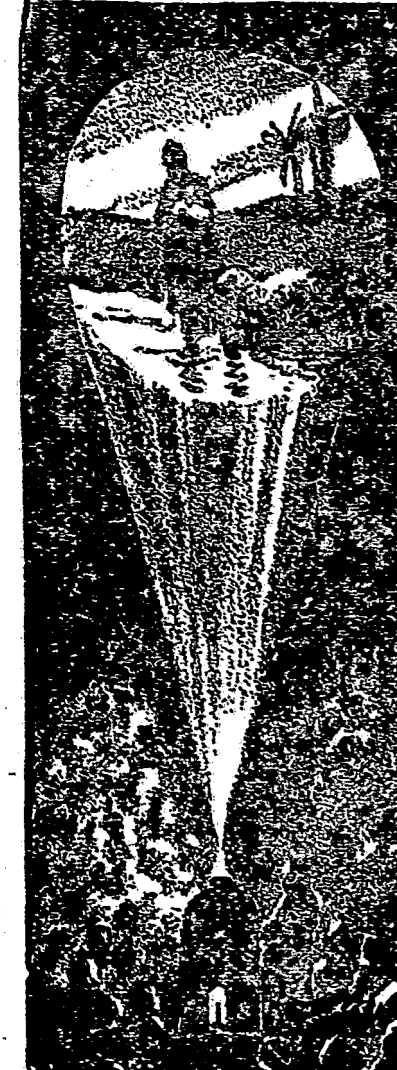
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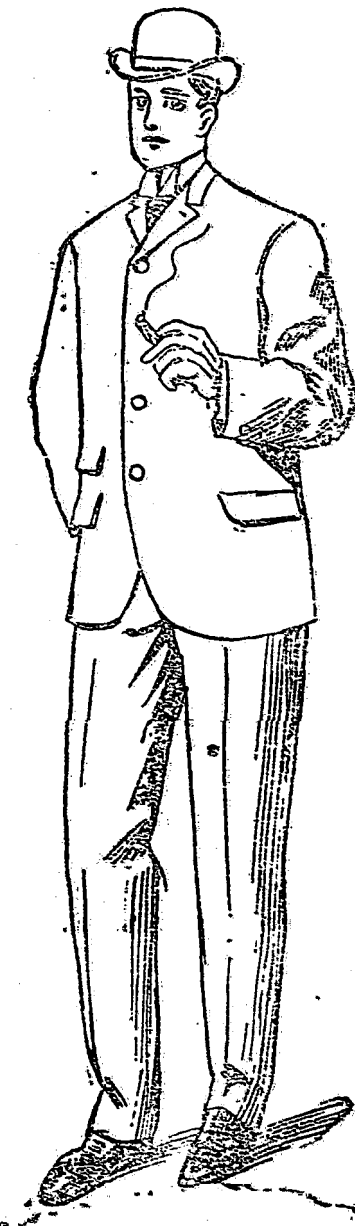
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The Blazed Trail

By STEWART EDWARD WHITE

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CHAPTER XXX.

WALLACE CARPENTER'S search expedition had proved a failure, as Thorpe had foreseen, but at the end of the week, when the water began to recede, they came upon a mass of flesh and bones. The man was unrecognizable. The remains were wrapped in canvas and sent for interment to the cemetery at Marquette. Three of the others were never found. The last did not come to light until after the drive had quite finished.

Down at the booms the jam crew received the drive as fast as it came down. From one crib to another across the broad extent of the river's mouth heavy booms were chained end to end effectually to close the exit to Lake Superior. Against these the logs caromed softly in the slackened current and stopped. The cribs were very heavy, with slanting instead of square tops, in order that the pressure might be downward instead of sidewise. In a short time the surface of the lagoon was covered by a brown carpet of logs running in strange patterns like windrows of fallen grain. The drive was all but over.

Up till now the weather had been clear, but oppressively hot for this time of year. The heat had come suddenly and maintained itself well. The men had worked for the most part in undershirts. They were as much in the water as out of it, for the icy bath had become almost grateful. Hamilton, the journalist, who had attached himself definitely to the drive, distributed bunches of papers, in which the men read that the unseasonable conditions prevailed all over the country.

At length, however, it gave signs of breaking. The sky, which had been of a steel blue, harbored great piled thunder heads. Toward evening the thunder heads shifted and finally dissipated, to be sure, but the portent was there.

Hamilton's papers began to tell of washouts and cloudbursts in the south and west. The men wished they had some of that water here.

So finally the drive approached its end and all concerned began in anticipation to taste the weariness that awaited them. The few remaining tasks still confronting them all at once seemed more formidable than what they had accomplished.

The first time became dogged, distasteful. Even Thorpe was infected. He, too, wanted more than anything else to drop on the bed in Mrs. Hathaway's boarding house. There remained but a few things to do. A mile of sacking would carry the drive beyond the influence of fresh water. After that there would be no hurry.

He looked round at the hard, fatigue worn faces of the men about him, and he suddenly felt a great rush of affection for these comrades who had so unreservedly spent themselves for his affair. Their features showed exhaustion, it is true, but their eyes gleamed still with the steady, half humorous purpose of the pioneer. When they caught his glance they grinned good humoredly.

All at once Thorpe turned and started for the bank.

"That'll do, boys," he said quietly to the nearest group. "She's down."

It was noon. The sackers looked up in surprise. Behind them, to their very feet, rushed the soft smooth slope of Hemlock rapids. Below them flowed a broad, peaceful river. The drive had passed its last obstruction. To all intents and purposes it was over.

Calmly, with matter of fact directness, as though they had not achieved the impossible, they shouldered their peaveys and struck into the broad wagon road. In the middle distance loomed the tall stacks of the mill, with the little board town about it. Across the eye



"I've changed, Junko," said he.

spun the thread of the railroad. Far away gleamed the broad expanses of Lake Superior.

The men paired off naturally and fell into a dragging, dogged walk. Thorpe found himself unexpectedly with Big Junko. For a time they plodded on without conversation. Then the big man ventured a remark.

"I'm glad she's over," said he. "I got a good stake comin'."

"Yes," replied Thorpe indifferently. "I got most \$600 comin'," persisted Junko.

"Might as well be 600 cents," commented Thorpe. "It'd make you just as drunk."

Big Junko laughed self consciously, but without the slightest resentment.

"That's all right," said he, "but you better live it don't blow this stake."

"I've heard that talk before," shrugged Thorpe.

"Yes, but this is different. I'm goin' to get married on this. How's that?"

Thorpe, his attention struck at last, stared at his companion.

"Who is she?" he asked abruptly.

"She used to wash at Camp Four," Thorpe dimly remembered the woman now—an overweighted creature with a certain attraction of elfishly blowing hair, with a certain pleasing, full cheeked, full bosomed health.

The two walked on in re-established silence. Finally the giant, unable to contain himself longer, broke out again.

"I do like that woman," said he with a quaintly deliberate seriousness. "That's the finest woman in this district."

Thorpe felt the quick moisture rush to his eyes. There was something inexpressibly touching in those simple words as Big Junko uttered them.

"And when you are married," he asked, "what are you going to do? Are you going to stay on the river?"

"No, I'm goin' to clear a farm. The woman says that's the thing to do. I like the river too. But you bet when Carrie says a thing that's plenty good enough for Big Junko."

Thorpe looked at his companion fixedly. He remembered Big Junko as a wild beast when his passions were aroused, as a man whose honesty had been doubted.

"You've changed, Junko," said he. "I know," said the big man. "I been a scallawag all right. I quit it. I don't know much, but Carrie she's smart, and I'm goin' to do what she says."

When you get stuck on a good woman like Carrie, Mr. Thorpe, you don't give much for anything else. Sure. That's right. It's the biggest thing top of earth."

Here it was again—the opposing creed. And from such a source! Thorpe's iron will contracted again.

"A woman is no excuse for a man's neglecting his work," he snapped.

"Shorely not," agreed Junko serenely. "I aim to finish out my time all right, Mr. Thorpe. Don't you worry none about that. I done my best for you. And," went on the river man in the expansion of this unwonted confidence with his employer, "I'd like to rise to remark that you're the best boss I ever had, and we boys wants to stay with her till there's skating in hades."

"All right," murmured Thorpe indifferently. Suddenly the remaining half mile to town seemed very long indeed.

CHAPTER XXXI.

WALLACE CARPENTER and Hamilton, the journalist, seated against the sun warmed bench of Mrs. Hathaway's boarding house, commented on the band as it stumbled into the washroom. Their conversation was interrupted by the approach of Thorpe and Big Junko. The former looked twenty years older after his winter. His eye was dull, his shoulders drooped, his gait was inelastic. The whole bearing of the man was that of one weary to the bone.

"I've got something here to show you, Harry!" cried Wallace Carpenter, waving a newspaper. "It was a great drive, and here's something to remember it by."

"All right, Wallace, by and by," replied Thorpe dully. "I'm dead. I'm going to turn in for awhile. I need sleep more than anything else."

He passed through the little passage into the "parlor bedroom," which Mrs. Hathaway always kept in readiness for members of the firm. There he fell heavily asleep almost before his body had met the bed.

In the long dining room the river men consumed a belated dinner. They had no comments to make. It was over.

The two on the veranda smoked. To the right, at the end of the sawdust street, the mill sang its varying and lulling keys. The odor of fresh sawed pine perfumed the air. Not a hundred yards away the river slipped silently to the distant blue Superior, escaping between the slanting stone filled cribs which held back the logs. Down the south and west the huge thunder heads gathered and flashed and grumbled, as they had done every afternoon for days.

"Queer thing," commented Hamilton, finally, "these cold streaks in the air. They are just as distinct as though they had partitions around them."

"Queer climate anyway," agreed Carpenter.

Excepting always for the mill, the little settlement appeared asleep. The main booms were quite deserted. After a while Hamilton noticed something.

"Look here, Carpenter," said he. "What's happening out there? Have some of your confounded logs sunk, or what? There don't seem to be near so many of them somehow."

"No; it isn't that," proffered Carpenter after a moment's scrutiny. "There are just as many logs, but they are getting separated a little so you can see the open water between them."

"Guess you're right. Say, look here, I believe that the river is rising."

"Nonsense! We haven't had any rain."

"She's rising just the same. You see that spile over there near the left hand crib? Well, I sat on the boom this morning watching the crew, and I whittled the spile with my knife. You can see the marks from here. I cut the thing about two feet above the water. Look at it now."

"She's pretty near the water line, that's right," admitted Carpenter.

About an hour later the younger man in his turn made a discovery.

"She's been rising right along," he submitted. "Your marks are nearer the water, and, do you know, I believe the logs are beginning to feel it. See, they've closed up the little openings between them, and they are beginning to crowd down to the lower end of the pond."

"I don't know anything about this business," hazarded the journalist, "but I should think there was a good deal of pressure on that same lower end. By Jove, look here! See those logs up-end. I believe you're going to have a jam right here in your own booms."

"I don't know," hesitated Wallace. "I never heard of its happening."

"You'd better let some one know."

"I hate to bother Harry or any of the river men. I'll just step down to the mill. Mason—he's our mill foreman—he'll know."

Mason came to the edge of the high trestle and took one look.

"Jumping fishhooks!" he cried. "Why, the river's up six inches and still a-comin'! Here you, Tom!" he called to one of the yard hands. "You tell Solly to get steam on that tug double quick and have Dave hustle together his driver crew!"

"What are you going to do?" asked Wallace.

"I got to strengthen the booms," explained the mill foreman. "We'll drive some piles across the cribs."

"Is there any danger?"

"Oh, no. The river would have to rise a good deal higher than she is now to make current enough to hurt. They've had a hard rain up above. This will go down in a few hours."

After a time the tug pulled up to the booms, escorting the pile driver. The latter towed a little raft of long, sharpened piles, which it at once began to drive in such positions as would most effectually strengthen the booms. In the meantime the thunder heads had slyly climbed the heavens, so that a sudden deluge of rain surprised the workmen. For an hour it poured down in torrents, then settled to a steady gray beat. Immediately the aspect had changed.

Solly, the tug captain, looked at his mooring bawlers and then at the nearest crib.

"She's ris two inches in th' last two hours," he announced, "and she's runnin' like a mill race." Solly was a typical north country tug captain, short and broad, with a brown, clear face and the steadiest and calmest of steel blue eyes. "When she begins to feth' pressure behind," he went on, "there's goin' to be trouble."

Toward dusk she began to feel that pressure. Through the rainy twilight the logs could be seen raising their ghostly arms of protest. Slowly, without tumult, the jam formed. In the rear they pressed in, were sucked under in the swift water and came to rest at the bottom of the river. The current of the river began to protest, pressing its hydraulics through the narrowing crevices. The situation demanded attention.

A breeze began to pull offshore in the body of rain. Little by little it increased, sending the water by in gusts, ruffling the already hurrying river into greater haste, raising far from the shore dimly perceived whitecaps. Between the roaring of the wind, the dash of rain and the rush of the stream men had to shout to make themselves heard.

"Guess you'd better rout out the boss," screamed Solly to Wallace Carpenter. "This water's comin' up an inch an hour right along. When she backs up once she'll push this jam out sure."

Wallace ran to the boarding house and roused his partner from a heavy sleep. The latter understood the situation at a word. While dressing, he explained to the younger man wherein lay the danger.

"If the jam breaks once," said he, "nothing top of earth can prevent it from going out into the lake, and there it'll scatter heaven knows where. Once scattered it is practically a total loss."

They felt blindly through the rain in the direction of the lights on the tug and pile driver. Shearer, the water dripping from his flaxen mustache, joined them like a shadow. At the river he announced his opinion. "We can hold her all right," he assured them. "It'll take a few more piles, but by morning the storm'll be over, and she'll begin to go down again."

The three picked their way over the creaking, swaying timber. But when they reached the pile driver they found trouble afoot. The crew had mutinied, and, refusing longer to drive piles under the face of the jam.

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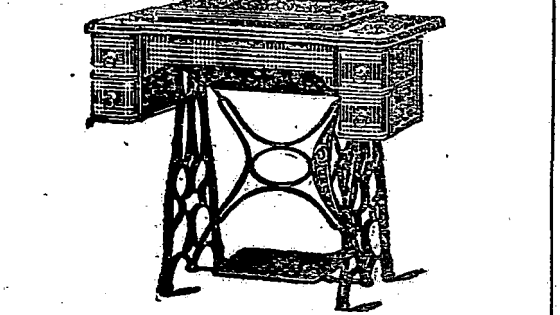
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BUCHANAN STEAM LAUNDRY

LOCAL NOTES

New Florida pine apples. W. H. Keller.

Mr. Chas. F. Pears has been quite sick for the past few days.

Star & Richmond Pianos on easy payments, at Elbel Bros', South Bend.

Frank Keen has taken a position with W. H. Keller, the grocer.

Memorandum books, pocket books, purses, etc.

FOR RENT—Good house to small family, nicely located, apply to Mrs. Cathcart.

Dr. E. S. Bell, oculist, will be at Dr. Emmons' office Buchanan, Thursday, April 28. Glasses fitted and all diseases of the eye treated.

A game of basket-ball will be played Friday evening in Rough's opera house, between the Buchanan high school boys and another local team, who call themselves the Maple Leaves.

The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors will occur Friday evening April 23. There will be a special program. Come and get your assessment paid.

Now is the time to paint and patch that rusty and leaky roof of yours with "Jordan's Roof Enamel," which will make it absolutely water proof, and preserve it for many years. Leave orders at Del Jordan's grocery, phone 16.

Elmer Hawblitzell, Lakeville, says "Wine Lo-ti" (Coonley's beef, iron and wine with nerve) brought my wife out and done her more good than any other medicine we gave her. Give me two more bottles for my father." Price 50c a bottle at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

The Pan American wheel barrows for sale, inquire of C. D. Kent.

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BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending Apr. 19. Subject to change:
Butter 20c
Lard 94c
Eggs 14c
Potatoes 75c
Apples 50c
Onions, 1.25
The Pears-East Grain Co., report the following prices on grain to-day:
Wheat No. 2 Red and White. 97c
Oats No. 3 white. 38c
Rye; 60c

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
7:45 a. m., 5:45 p. m.

Choice tomatoes and celery. W. H. Keller.

New line of fresh garden seeds at the Buchanan Cash Grocery.

Now is the time to play marbles; we have them. W. H. Keller.

Kerosine Oil 11c per gal., 5 gals. 58c. Buchanan Cash Grocery.

Stated Review of East Hive No 19, will be held Tuesday, April 26

The 30 club banquet will occur next Thursday evening at Clear Lake Farm.

The great Weber Pianos at the old reliable music store of Elbel Bros., South Bend, Ind.

FOR RENT—8 room house corner of Portage and River streets, Inquire of B. S. Crawford.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a buggy, harness, leather net and halter. Inquire at Record office. a 19.

Special sale on wash boards at the Buchanan Cash Grocery, Saturday April 23.

Shelf paper, crepe tissue paper, paper napkins, lunch cloths, doilies, etc. BINNS' MAGNET STORE

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Eisele have issued invitations for their fifth wedding anniversary Tuesday, May 24, at their home on Portage Prairie.

Bodily pain loses its terror if you've a bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Instant relief in cases of burns, cuts, sprains, accidents of any sort.

New stock of books. BINNS' MAGNET STORE.

FOR SALE—Pansy, astor and coxcomb plants, raffia in natural and colors for basket work, also early cottage and tomato plants at River St. Greenhouse.

Regular meeting of the Eastern Star next Wednesday night. A full attendance is necessary as this is an important meeting. All committees be present.

FOR SALE—Forty acres of land with a comfortable house and barn five acres of timber and a small orchard, situated one mile north of Dayton, Mich. For particulars inquire of Enos Holmes.

Miss Wilma Roe left yesterday for St. Louis, where she has accepted the position as official stenographer at the "Inside Inn," the only hotel situated within the World's Fair grounds, and one of the largest hotels in the world.

Special sale on all gingham at D. L. Boardman's, Saturday, April 23rd.

Mr. James Wray, who came from Edmund, Kansas, last week, to attend his father's funeral, returned home Wednesday. It seems a remarkable thing, that Mr. Wray, who died at the ripe age of 80, was the first one in the family to pass away, though there are four children, who have lived to the age of maturity.

The services at the M. E. Church will be of special interest next Sunday. The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society will have charge of the evening service. Beside the full chorus, quartette, etc., furnished by the choir, Mr. Charles A. Bowes of Los Angeles, a talented singer, now on his way to Europe to take a special course in music, will sing; also Mrs. Reed of St. Joseph.

MUSIC SCHOOL

A Failure Because of the School Furnishing Irregular Teachers.

FLEECE SOME SCHOLARS

By Taking Their Instruments After They had Fulfilled Their Agreements.

Several weeks ago a man named Hickery secured 42 scholars in Buchanan for 36 lessons on the mandolin, guitar and violin, at \$18 for the term; \$2 being paid down, the balance to be paid for at 50 cents a lesson. They were furnished an instrument which was to be retained at the end of the term. Not furnishing regular teachers a number of the scholars dropped out.

This week they closed up the school and took all the instruments they could, whether they had fulfilled their contract or not. Some persons refused to surrender their instruments and thus were no losers in the transaction, for the instruments would be poor indeed if not what was paid.

People ought to be careful. It often seems that many are over careful on a good thing, but on a false they display little caution.

Mrs. Genie Swartz, (nee Fisher) is visiting in town.

Mrs. G. B. VanGorden of Cortland, N. Y., is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. L. Knight.

Rev. W. J. Douglass is spending several days at Lawrence and Paw Paw this week.

Mr. Wm. Rough has been indisposed for several days with a severe cold and neuralgia.

Mrs. Lou Smith and her guest, Mrs. M. A. Wilson of Chicago, were South Bend visitors Wednesday.

Harry Schmidt, of Niles, was in town Thursday.

W. F. Runner announces in today's Record a new line of wall paper. He will show samples cheerfully. Call and see them.

Ladies Aid Society of the Larger Hope church will meet with Mrs. Henry Blodgett, Sr., Wednesday, April 27, 2 p. m.

The regular services on Sunday will be held in the Evangelical church to which all are cordially invited. Rev. Halmhuber, the pastor will preach.

W. H. Parsons, of New Buffalo, will lecture in the U. B. church on Friday evening, April 23, 1904. Tickets 10c. and 15c.

Parkinson and Coveney are doing a fine business for a beginning. Step in and see the cosy room and new stock.

Mrs. J. T. Dempsey and Mrs. E. H. Prince of Galien, visited Tuesday with Mrs. J. B. Stryker, at the Bartness place.

Great Scott, just think of it, Pierce and Sanders disposed of five buggies last Saturday. Before you lay the Record down read their advertisement in today's Record.

Yesterday Mr. C. F. Pears bought \$500 worth of groceries, that were exempt, in the G. E. Smith & Co's. bankrupt sale, and Mr. C. B. Treat bought the horse. The balance of the stock is still in the store for sale.

Coonley's Cough Balsam, made of wild cherry, horehound, spikenard and honey, is a perfect remedy for coughs and colds, particularly recommended for children. Pleasant to take and helps at once. 25c and 50c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

Tuesday evening while engaged in splitting a stick of wood Mr. Ben Watson had the misfortune to cut a severe gash in his foot, which was cared for by Dr. O. Curtis. He is able to be out on crutches, and the foot is doing well.

Broke Into His House

S. LeQuinn of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his customary health by invasion of chronic constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he's entirely cured. They are guaranteed to cure, 25c at W. N. Brodrick's drug store.

UPBRAIDED BY BURNS

Prosecutor at Grand Rapids in the Boodle Cases Hears the Defendant.

WHO SAYS HE WAS WRONGED

Juryman Explains the Verdict—Woman to Boss Street Cleaning at Kalamazoo.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 22.—When the jury in the Burns' case announced its verdict friends gathered around Burns and congratulated him on his escape from prison. Burns then made a spectacular verbal assault on Prosecutor Ward, shaking his clenched fist in Ward's face and shouting that Ward knew he had been persecuting an innocent man and had been a party to a malignant attempt to ruin his business and his reputation. Prosecutor Ward retorted sharply and told Burns that in prosecuting the case he had done his duty as he saw it and that he should continue in that course.

One of the Jurors Explains.

A juror said that the difficulty about finding a verdict of guilty was that the only direct testimony against Burns was that of Salisbury, and he had told of so many crimes of his own committing that the jury did not feel like believing him unless there was more corroborative evidence.

Conger To Be Tried Next.

E. D. Conger, editor of The Herald, will probably be the next person to be tried in connection with the water deal. Alderman Johnson's case was scheduled to follow the Burns trial, but it will not be ready. Assistant Prosecutor Ward says no more water deal cases will be taken up until the May term.

Fairbanks for Vice President.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 22.—Representative William Alden Smith was unanimously renominated by the Republican convention of the Fifth congressional district. Delegates to the national convention were elected as follows: William Judson, of Grand Rapids, and Herman F. Harbeck, of Grand Haven. The delegates were instructed for Roosevelt. Senator Fairbanks, of Indiana, was endorsed for vice president.

Teamsters Go on a Strike.

Grand Rapids, Mich., April 22.—What will prove to be one of the fiercest strikes this city has ever known began when the entire crew, 130 men, of the Columbian Transfer company went out. It completely tied up the biggest transfer company in the city. The strike occurred over the discharge of two men of the teamsters' union.

WOMEN TO DO THE CLEANING

Appointed Assistant Street Commissioner for Three Months by the City Council of Kalamazoo.

Kalamazoo, Mich., April 22.—A woman has been appointed assistant street commissioner by the city council, and for three months the cleaning of the streets of Kalamazoo will be done under women. The city council has signed a contract with the Woman's Civic Improvement League for the cleaning of the thoroughfares in the business section of the city for ninety days, beginning the first Monday in May.

The appointment of Mrs. Howard Murrup Jones, wife of the pastor of the First Congregational church, was decided on in order to protect the city from damage suits, which might result from a contract with a body not incorporated.

Took Care to Shield a Citizen.

Flint, Mich., April 22.—A few days ago Flossie Fosdick, aged 15, was sentenced by Justice Curry, of Clio, to the industrial school until 21. In the testimony taken considerable care had evidently been taken to shield a prominent citizen of Clio, one of the witnesses being told she need give no names. Judge Wisner refused to confirm it, stating that names and facts were withheld which should have been made public.

Company Alleged a Cinch.

Mount Clemens, Mich., April 22.—Without any warning eight of the oldest conductors in point of service were discharged from the Rapid railway recently. All were accused of not having correct accounts, as turned in at the end of the run. They tried to see Manager Frooks, but failed. They were told the company had ample evidence against them and that any attempts at reinstatement would be useless.

Stands for Personal Liberty.

Lansing, Mich., April 22.—"When was a law passed prohibiting onmy breaths at school?" writes an angry Beaverton parent to Superintendent of Public Instruction Full. The writer insists on the right of his children to eat onions, and says his town is almost in a riot because teachers have whipped pupils who have eaten onions.

State Fair to Detroit.

Detroit, April 22.—The state fair board's consideration of a location for the state fair has resulted at its meeting at Battle Creek in the location of the fair permanently at Detroit. This city offered the board \$50,000 and a suitable site.

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Testimony of a Minister

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wake, Ark., writes, "For 12 years I suffered from yellow jaundice, I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for twelve years." If you want a reliable medicine for liver and kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by W. N. Brodrick, druggist. Only 50c.

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LOOKS VERY LIKE A RUSSIAN DEFEAT

Czar's Troops Flee Across the Yalu in Boats and Hundreds Reported Drowned.

JAP ATTACK ON NEW CHWANG

Also Reported, and That Port Arthur Is Securely Blocked.

Kuropatkin Orders an Advance in Northern Korea—Alexieff Says Mines Sank the Petro-pavlovsk.

London, April 22.—A correspondent of The Times, cabling from New Chwang, says that a messenger has arrived there from the Yalu river with the information that the Russians are fleeing north across the river in overcrowded boats, and are losing hundreds by drowning.

St. Petersburg, April 22.—It is reported that the Japanese have bombarded New Chwang and that troops have been landed which probably will seek a junction with those disembarked on the Yalu river three days ago.

London, April 22.—The Tokio correspondent of The Daily Telegraph says that Port Arthur undoubtedly is effectually blocked and that events are culminating around the doomed fortress.

Kuropatkin Orders an Advance.
Paris, April 22.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Petit Parisien says he has learned that General Kuropatkin has ordered the advance of the Russian forces massed in northeastern Korea.

Japs Embarking from Korea.
London, April 22.—The correspondent of The Standard at Tien-Tsin says that Japanese troops are now embarking from Korea and possibly are being reinforced by the forces on the Yalu river, from which the Russians have withdrawn.

Japanese Spies Meet Their Fate.
London, April 22.—A St. Petersburg telegram says Kuropatkin reports the shooting of two Japanese officers—St. Cervo Yakoha and Giska Oki—who were caught inside the Russian lines provided with tools for destroying bridges and telegraph lines.

They Are Thick in Manchuria.
Apropos to the question of spies Major General Kondratsvitch reports that Manchuria is full of them; that the Japanese intended for this work have grown pigtailed so as to pass as Chinamen, showing that they have been preparing for the service for a long time. He says they swarm everywhere, and only a few have been caught.

MINES SANK THE BATTLESHIP
Russians Agree, and That They Were Japanese Mines Laid by Togo.

St. Petersburg, April 22.—All doubt as to the cause of the destruction of the battleship Petropavlovsk and the damage to the battleship Pobieda at Port Arthur is dissipated by the report submitted by telegraph to the emperor yesterday. In it Viceroy Alexieff stated in a way that leaves the matter no longer an open question that mines were responsible for the disaster.

The admission of the presence of Japanese ships off Port Arthur on the night preceding the going out of the Russian ships, which were watched by Admiral Makaroff, tends to establish Vice-Admiral Togo's claim that his ships laid mines on which the Russian battleships struck.

The viceroy's report was sent only after a thorough investigation ordered by the emperor had been made. It was published this morning through the war commission. It explicitly states that "under the starboard side of the Petropavlovsk there was an explosion," and specifically declares that a mine exploded under the Pobieda. That the Russian ships did not run on their own mines is shown by the failure of the viceroy to mention anything of the kind, and by the positive statement of the port admiral that Admiral Makaroff was familiar with the location of the torpedoes defending the port.

The Russian officials also fail to understand the surprising blunder caused by the mistake of the Russian torpedo boat destroyers in taking the Japanese torpedo boats for a Russian flotilla, which resulted in the loss of the Strashni.

Makaroff's Body Not Recovered.
St. Petersburg, April 22.—The report of the recovery of the body of Vice-Admiral Makaroff is a mistake. All hope is given up of the recovery of the body. It is believed to be beneath the overturned ship.

Wins at the End of the Bout.
St. Louis, April 22.—"Kid" Goodwin, of Boston, got the decision at the end of the twentieth round of his fight with Aurelia Herrera, of San Jose, Cal. The men fought cleverly, but there were no knock-downs.

WOULD CHEAT THE GALLOWES

Neidermeyer Eats Phosphorous and Tears a Vein and May Succeed in His Purpose.

Chicago, April 19.—For reasons written in a letter which he hoped to leave behind him Peter Neidermeyer, one of the car-barn bandits, has made a desperate attempt at suicide, and at the hospital the doctors say he is not unlikely to succeed. He managed to get hold of 100 or so of matches and ate the heads off them. This with a sharpened pencil he tried to open the radial artery on the wrist, making a jagged wound, but failing. Next he attacked the veins and succeeded, and was slowly dying when the death watch discovered the situation.

When the wounds were dressed he tore off the bandages under the bed clothing, but was quickly discovered in this attempt. He had written a letter in which he glorifies his courage and loyalty to his pals, and says his reasons for suicide were to show that he could do so despite his guards; to show that he could cheat the scaffold; to defeat the attempt to make him pay for his crime, and to save the "ignorant police" another mystery. He denies that he has embraced religion and says he is an atheist, but after the wounds were dressed a second time he consented to see a priest and repeated the prayers after him.

Later.—The condition of Neidermeyer is much improved and he will entirely recover.

NORTHERN SECURITIES WINS
First Round of the Fight Between Barriman and Hill Goes in Favor of the Latter.

New York, April 19.—Vice Chancellor Bergen has dismissed the application for an injunction against the Northern Securities stockholders' meeting and the distribution of stock, sustaining the Northern Securities' contention that the suit was unwarranted.

Will Be Good for the Creditors.
Milwaukee, April 19.—In a box in a safety deposit vault engaged a few weeks ago by a servant girl have been found over \$20,000 in cash and bonds and a number of warehouse receipts, certifying to the storage of thousands of dollars' worth of valuable goods. This property is believed to be a part of the assets of Marcus Kaatz, a Chicago bankrupt cap manufacturer, who disappeared suddenly last year when creditors commenced an investigation as to his financial standing.

French Special Must Have News.
Paris, April 19.—The Tokio correspondent of The Matin says that "The active participation of the United States minister [Lloyd C. Griscom] in the fetes given by Japanese associations being a flagrant contradiction of President Roosevelt's declarations gives a belief that the ulterior intervention of the United States is probable."

Death of a Negro Veteran.
Chicago, April 19.—Theodore C. Hubbard, official messenger of the United States circuit court of appeals since its organization, is dead of stomach trouble. Hubbard claimed the distinction of being the first colored man to enlist with the north in the civil war.

Catchers Tie Up the Plant.
Sharon, Pa., April 19.—Because of the refusal of the catchers to accept the 18 per cent. reduction recently agreed upon by the Amalgamated Association at Pittsburgh the entire plant of the American Sheet and Tin Plate company at South Sharon is tied up.

Turks and Bulgarians Fight.
Salonica, April 19.—Serious fighting has taken place between Turks and Bulgarians at Lipa, near Demir Kapu @ valley of the Vardar sixty-two miles from Salonica. Many were killed on both sides.

Chaplains To Be Majors.
Washington, April 19.—Under suspension of the rules in the house a bill was passed to recognize and promote the efficiency of army chaplains. It gives the grade of major to a number of chaplains of long service.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

During the St. Louis exposition Chicago will be billed as a summer resort point by all of the western railroads.

Vice Admiral Makaroff's widow has been granted an annual pension of \$10,000.

Benny Yanger and Tommy Mowatt, both of Chicago, fought six rounds at Chicago, the referee deciding the bout a draw.

Sir Henry Thompson, bart, the distinguished surgeon, is dead at London. He was born in August, 1820.

It is announced that the University of Chicago will in a short time inaugurate the Oxford idea of teaching and will abandon the "university" system.

Work in the yards of the Fore River Ship and Engine company at Quincy, Mass., has been tied up by a strike.

The Prince and Princess of Wales, with their suite, have started for Vienna on a visit to Francis Joseph.

Five hundred persons were thrown to the ground and thirty were hurt at Paterson, N. J., by the collapse of the bleacher seats at a base ball game.

From Feb. 6 to April 16 there was coined \$90,180,890 in \$20 gold pieces at the Philadelphia mint.

April 28 continues to be the adjournment goal toward which leaders in both the senate and house are striving.

HEARST MEN BEATEN

Bay State Democracy Will Have None of the Man from New York.

FOR OLNEY BY THREE TO ONE

Hot Time in the State Convention and a Platform with but a Single Plank.

Boston, April 22.—By an overwhelming vote the Massachusetts Democratic convention at Tremont temple instructed four delegates-at-large and twenty delegates from the various congressional districts of the state to support Richard Olney, of this city, for the presidential nomination at



ATTORNEY GENERAL OLNEY
the Democratic convention at St. Louis next July. Four delegates-at-large pledged to the support of Olney were elected, and the supporters of William R. Hearst, of New York, as the presidential nominee were defeated by a vote of about 600 to 200. A resolution offered by Representative John A. Coulhurst, of Boston, indorsing the candidacy of Hearst was voted down by a very large majority.

Geo. Fred Williams Protests in Vain.
George Fred Williams, the leader of that faction of the Massachusetts Democracy supporting the candidacy of William R. Hearst, made a vigorous protest against the adoption of the unit rule, but the convention by a vote of nearly 3 to 1 refused to strike from the platform the clause calling for unanimous action with reference to presidential nominees, and after adopting the majority resolutions voted that the unit rule govern, not only the support of Olney, but all matters pertaining to the convention.

One Plank in the Platform.
The platform adopted consisted of a single plank—an indorsement of Olney's candidacy and instructions to the delegates to vote as a unit for him. The proceedings of the convention were marked at times by scenes of the greatest turbulence.

CLIMAX OF THE TURBULENCE

Proposal of the Unit Rule Is the One Quelling the Hearst "Kick."

It was during the reading of the platform that the convention reached the climax of its turbulence. The first mention of the name of Olney evoked prolonged applause, but when the introduction of the adoption of the unit rule was made there was an uproar. Shouts of "No, No," from the Hearst delegates rang through the hall and cries of "It is an outrage" could be distinguished in the general noise and confusion. Suddenly the Hearst delegates stood up on their seats, and with great enthusiasm gave cheer after cheer for Hearst. The spirit seemed to infect the Olney men, for they, too, stood and cheered heartily for their choice.

When this demonstration, which lasted several minutes, had subsided John A. Coulhurst read the minority report indorsing Hearst as the Democratic nominee. The minority platform calls for the enforcement of the anti-trust law and the election of a president "who would not hesitate to run amuck" against the trusts; for national supervision of monopolies and for public ownership, and declares that Hearst is the man who exemplifies these principles.

The reading of this report was the signal for another uproar. The question then came upon the substitution of the minority report of the committee for the majority report, and a heated debate followed, ending in the overwhelming defeat of the Hearst men.

The following were elected delegates-at-large: William A. Gaston and Patrick A. Collins, of Boston; William L. Douglas, of Brockton, and John R. Thayer, of Worcester.

Van Dine's Plea Is Futile.

Springfield, Ill., April 22.—Governor Yates yesterday opened the envelope containing the recommendations in the case of Harvey Van Dine, the Chicago thug, and immediately afterward announced that the board of pardons had advised no interference with the death sentence. He approved the decision of the board and Van Dine will be hanged with Marx today.

Russia Buys Ships in Germany.

St. Petersburg, April 22.—The admiralty, it is announced, intends to fit out two ships purchased in Germany, which formerly were in the trans-Atlantic service, together with a number of ships of the volunteer fleet, with rapid fire guns to send them to the Pacific to prey upon Japanese commerce.

HAS HAD A GOOD EFFECT

"Quick" Work in the Car-Barn Bandits' Case Said to Have Saved Two Lives.

Chicago, April 22.—Four men—Frank Howard, Albert Schoeppe, William McFadden and John Mack—have been arrested on the charge of having committed numerous burglaries and hold-ups in the city. After they had been locked up the men confessed to numerous crimes of a similar character in the south, the principal one being in a gambling house in Memphis where, they said, they compelled twenty men to line up against the wall while they searched them. Less than \$400 was secured.

Later the men planned to rob the State bank of New Orleans, but gave up the undertaking when they found it would be necessary to kill two clerks. "We would have killed them," said Mack, "if it had not been for the quick work in the case of the car-barn bandits in Chicago. I would not stand for murder after that, and we gave up the job."

SCOTT SPEAKS OF PENSIONS
Does Not Matter What the Deficiency Is in the Opinion of the West Virginian.

Washington, April 22.—While the pension bill was under discussion in the senate McCumber reported an amendment for \$1,500,000 to pay increases under the "age-limit" order, and in doing so defended the order. Scott of West Virginia expressed regret that McCumber had felt called on to defend the pension system. The man who, like Senator Nelson or Senator Aldrich, had taken his knapsack on his back deserved the gratitude of his country.

"It makes no difference whether the deficiency is \$4,000,000 or \$400,000,000, I am for the soldier and his widow and children, and if I could do so by a vote of mine I would pay a pension of \$25 a month to every soldier, whatever his term of service and whether he was rich or poor."

Gaines Always Does It, He Says.

Washington, April 22.—While the Panama canal bill was before the house Gaines of Tennessee said the president had ridden rough shod over statutes affecting the canal zone. "I doubt if it is the idea of the best standards of citizenship," tartly replied Hepburn, "that a man shall stand as a brawler constantly against the chief executive of this nation." "I always do that," answered Gaines, "when they don't obey the law, no matter who or where it is."

Bacon Wants Additional Facts.

Washington, April 22.—Senator Bacon has offered an amendment to Doliver's trust inquiry resolution, directing the secretary of commerce to include in his reply information relative to the prices paid in foreign markets for American products as compared with the prices for the same articles in the United States.

Protection for Bull Run Monuments.

Washington, April 22.—Representative Rixey, of Virginia, has introduced a bill appropriating \$50,000 to protect the monuments that have been or may be erected on the battlefields of Bull Run, Va.

Warship at Evansville, Ind.

Evansville, Ind., April 22.—The torpedo boat destroyer Lawrence arrived here last night and will remain until tomorrow. Hundreds of people greeted her as she came into port.

Wilmot Makes a Straight Score.

Kansas City, April 22.—J. Wilmot, shooting from the thirty-yard line, won the fourth mid-winter interstate shoot at twenty-five live birds at Blue River park, making a straight score.

THE WEATHER

The following is the official weather forecast up to 3 o'clock to night:
Illinois—Probably fair in the north-east, sowers and warmer in south and west portions; east to southeast winds.
Indiana—Probably fair in north; showers and warmer in south portions; fresh easterly winds.
Lower Michigan—Fair; fresh easterly winds.
Wisconsin—Fair except possibly showers in southwest portion; fresh easterly winds.
Iowa—Showers; rising temperature; southeast winds.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain				
	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—	3.89 1/2	3.89 1/2	3.89 1/2	3.89 1/2
May	3.86 1/2	3.87	3.86 1/2	3.86 1/2
July (old)	3.85 1/2	3.86	3.85 1/2	3.85 1/2
July (new)	3.85 1/2	3.86	3.85 1/2	3.85 1/2
Sept. (old)	3.82 1/2	3.83	3.82 1/2	3.82 1/2
Sept. (new)	3.81 1/2	3.81 1/2	3.81 1/2	3.81 1/2
Corn—				
May	.48 3/4	.50 1/4	.48 3/4	.49 1/4
July	.49	.49 1/2	.48 3/4	.48 3/4
September	.48 3/4	.49 1/2	.48 3/4	.48 3/4
Cats—				
May	.37 1/2	.37 1/2	.36 3/4	.37
July	.36 3/4	.37 1/2	.36 3/4	.36 3/4
September	.31 1/2	.31 1/2	.30 3/4	.30 3/4
Pork—				
May	11.90	12.10	11.85	12.10
July	12.15	12.32 1/2	12.12 1/2	12.32 1/2
Lard—				
May	6.50	6.60	6.47 1/2	6.57 1/2
July	6.65	6.75	6.65	6.75
Short Ribs—				
May	6.30	6.40	6.27 1/2	6.37 1/2
July	6.47 1/2	6.55	6.45	6.55
Chicago Live Stock				

Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 25,000; sales ranged at \$4.15@4.60 for pigs; \$4.60@5.10 for light; \$4.70@4.95 for rough packing; \$4.70@5.15 for mixed; and \$5.00@5.20 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the sales at \$4.90@5.05 for fair to good averages.

Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 7,000; quotations ranged at \$5.15@5.70 for choice to extra steers; \$4.50@5.25 good to choice do.; \$4.15@4.70 fair to good do.; \$3.40@4.20 common to medium do.

Sheep and Lambs—Estimated receipts for the day, 12,000; quotations ranged at \$2.65@5.40 westerns; \$2.55@5.55 natives; \$4.35@5.75 yearlings; and \$3.25@6.75 western lambs, and \$3.25@6.60 native lambs.

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