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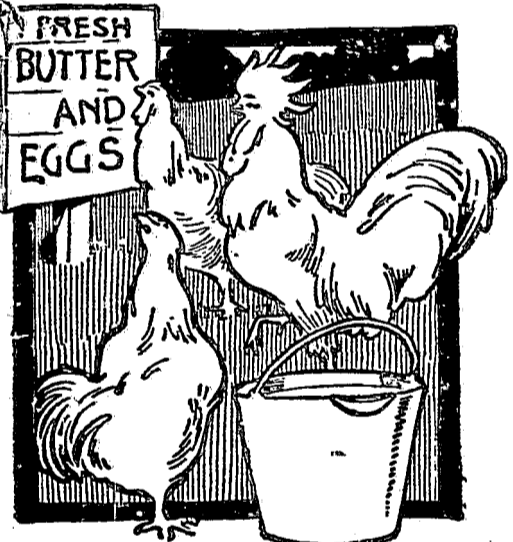
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NEW STEAMER A BEAUTY

City of Benton Harbor Arrived Tuesday Night at St. Joseph.

A FLOATING PALACE

Will be Placed on the St. Joseph-Benton Harbor and Chicago Run.

The new steamer City of Benton Harbor arrived in St. Joseph from Toledo, Tuesday evening and has been visited by hundreds of people.

The City of Benton Harbor was built by the Craig Ship Building Co. of Toledo, Ohio. Its construction was commenced last December but the inclemency of the weather delayed work greatly. Last Sunday morning the steamer left Toledo for St. Joseph in command of Capt. Stewart. On board were about 30 passengers, some the guests of G. & M. company. Others were the workmen who had contributed to the building of the ship. Mr. Craig and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Merrifield and also the man who had installed the electric lights, the one who had placed the machinery, decorations, etc., all made the trip to see personally that the portion of work allotted to him was complete.

The steamer is 265 feet long and 65 feet deep and is remarkably well proportioned. It was built at a cost of \$350,000 no expense being spared in its construction. Its carrying capacity for passengers is 3,500. It is guaranteed to make 18 miles an hour but those who made the trip claim that she will make between 20 and 23 miles easily.

The steamer left Toledo at 4 o'clock Sunday morning, arriving at St. Joseph at 9:30 Tuesday evening. A stop was made at Mackinac for coal, from noon until 1 o'clock and a two hour stop was made at Detroit also a short one at Port Huron.

Wednesday the florist sent an immense quantity of red peonies and also a floral anchor to the steamer and others have sent their fragrant messages also.

The steamer is painted white with a dark green hull. From this queen of the water floats the American flag and colors, the gift of the grateful citizens after whose city the boat is named, the City of Benton Harbor.

Capt. John Stewart, the skillful mariner in command of the new City of Benton Harbor, prepared this greeting to the people of Benton Harbor on the trip around the lakes:

With a close acquaintance with all the steamboats on the great lakes I can say that the City of Benton Harbor is the most beautiful and the best steamboat on these great inland seas. I am proud to command her. You are proud that she bears your name. She will be known to you and to me and to all the people who sail fresh water as 'The City of Benton Harbor, the White Pearl of the Great Lakes.'"

SUNDAY SCHOOL TOURING PARTY

Held an All Day Meeting at the Advent Church.

The Berrien County Sunday School touring party held an all day meeting in Buchanan yesterday and carried out the program very nearly as published in the last issue of the Record.

The numbers were all good and well presented, but the crowning number on the program was reserved for the evening, when Mr. E. C. Knapp gave an account of the Jerusalem cruise and the world's convention.

The party left this morning for Berrien Springs; Rev. W. D. Cole accompanied them.

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.

HONOR FOR SWEET

Republican National Committee Puts Him on Important Delegation.

Atty C. E. Sweet, of Dowagiac, one of the two delegates from the fourth congressional district of the republican national convention when in session at Chicago, was honored Monday by election as the Michigan member of the committee to notify the president of his nomination when that formality shall have taken place.

This election is one of considerable honor. There is only one member from each state on this committee, and numbered among the members are some of the leading politicians of the country. The nomination of the president occurred on Thursday and the duties of the committee will consist in journeying to Washington and formally notifying President Roosevelt that he is a candidate of the republican party for re-election.

The honor came to Atty Sweet largely through the efforts of Hon. John W. Blodgett, of Grand Rapids, the Michigan member of the republican national committee, who is a personal friend of Atty Sweet's. This honor once before came to Dowagiac, at the time of the nomination of President Harrison, when F. E. Lee was made the Michigan member of the committee.

CHURCH NOTES.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Services Sunday morning at 10:30, preaching by pastor.

Sabbath School and Bible Classes at 11:45, review lesson.

Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:30 p. m., topic, "Signs that India is becoming Christ."

7:30 A Song Service. An evening with the hymn writers, when the history of hymns and their writers shall be given as they are being sung.

Very interesting, very instructive, very enjoyable. All welcome. Seats free. No collection.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

10:30 a. m. Sermon, theme, "A Cheerful Church-goer."

11:45 a. m. Bible School.

6:30 p. m. Sermon by Pastor.

ADVENT CHURCH

Services at the Advent Christian Church Sunday, June 26. Morning sermon will be on parental responsibility, subject, "Feed My Lambs." The evening will be devoted to the interest of the Sunday School, for which an elaborate program has been prepared.

The Funniest Wedding.

All ministers have a fund of anecdotes gleaned from personal experiences. The subject of weddings is always a most fruitful theme.

"The funniest wedding at which I officiated," said a minister who has many out of town appointments, "was at Manistee. The father of the bride was a business man and was very anxious to have all the distinguished people of their acquaintance at the wedding. A number of telegrams of congratulation had been received and a friend slyly slipped several fake messages in the pile, among them telegrams from Governor Bliss and President Roosevelt.

The happy host read each message explaining his acquaintance with the absent friends. At Governor Bliss's message he was deeply affected. "Friends this certainly does me honor. Seven years ago I was on the reception committee to welcome him on his visit to Manistee; how thoughtful of him to remember me all these years.

At President Roosevelt's message he was speechless with amazement. "Friends this does me too much honor. Some drummer must have told him about me."

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.

Planned to See World in a Launch.

Jack the ten year old son of Mrs. John Jackson residing on Shipstreet, St. Joseph, has run away from home. The lad is determined to see the world and learn its ways. He planned to make the trip around the globe in a gasoline launch. He didn't own one of his own. That did not bother him. He knew John Aldrich did. Equipped with a blanket and some cooking utensils, the little shaver stole into the boat house of Aldrich near the Wayne street viaduct and was about to leave with the launch when the owner appeared upon the scene and put a stop to Jack's unhealthy ambitions. The lad was dismissed with a sound lecture and his mother strengthened the lecture with a little copyrighted chastisement.

Jack is a precocious child. He did not approve of reprimands in any form. So he packed his clothes and when he was not looking stole out of the house and has not been seen since. The case has been reported to Sheriff Collins.

The family have relatives in Marion, Ind., and it is thought that he might have gone there. The boy wore glasses, is small for his age and is garbed in a striped shirt with knee pants.—Benton Harbor News-Palladium.

AS GOOD AS THE FAIR.

If You Can't go to St. Louis, go to South Bend—Big Doings July Fourth Will be as Fine as an Exposition.

We can't all go to St. Louis for the World's Fair or take a day off just to go down the Pike at the Exposition, but most of us can get away for a few hours on July 4th and South Bend has promised to furnish about all the fun one can conveniently take care of in a single day. July 4th is not like some holidays when you would be content to stay at home and sit on your porch. When the sun comes up about 4 o'clock and the neighbor's small boy is out with a bunch of crackers or toy cannon, it sort of stirs up the patriotism that all of us have within our bosoms and we feel like kicking up a few high jinks ourselves. We want to be where there is noise and excitement and crowds. That's it. Follow the crowd to South Bend where the biggest celebration ever held in this part of the country will be given. There will be something doing every minute, plenty to entertain and amuse all and ample transportation home after the fireworks in the evening. Go, stay all day and enjoy yourself. Everything is free but the railroad ticket and that will be sold at a reduced rate.

Dosing a Sick Tiger.

In this particular Zoo is a very beautiful tiger, said to be the largest one in captivity. But if he would only move about as if he felt at home and not be so dignified, we should be better pleased with him; yet the poor creature is excusable, because he has dyspepsia, and his sufferings make him cross. One day the keeper decided to administer a dose of medicine, so with the bottle and a whip he climbed to the top of the cage. Was that tiger cross? You would have thought so if you had seen him throw back his great head and snap at the whip. The keeper, after enraging him, poured a little medicine down the lash, which he gradually withdrew, until in its place there was a tiny medicinal stream, at which the tiger kept biting and snapping. too much surprised it seemed, to distinguish between whip and liquid. When he turned away his head the medicine was poured over his paws, and when he had licked them clean that day's treatment was completed.

—From "Observation of the Washington Zoo" in July St. Nicholas.

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c. at W. N. Brodrick's Drug Store.

A GREAT INDUSTRIAL EXPOSITION.

West Michigan State Fair—Sept. 19-24.

The West Michigan Fair this year will be the greatest and grandest industrial exposition ever held in the middle west, excepting of course, the World's Fair at Chicago, and in some features it will surpass that.

Great industrial concerns like the H. J. Heinz Co. are engaging large space for a complete display of their goods. Other lines of manufacture are also engaging space so that the success of the next West Michigan State Fair is assured.

While the management of the Fair do not offer a circus free, yet they are engaging amusement features that excel many features given in a circus.

A great many people who went to the fair last year will recall that the grounds were soft and moist. A perfect system of drain pipes and sewers have been installed at an expense of many thousands of dollars. The result of it was that in spite of the great flood in Grand Rapids last spring, causing a loss of over \$1,000,000 in the city, the water on the fair grounds was carried off and left the grounds without any loss whatever.

All the streets have been graded, drained and graveled so that all kinds of heavy machinery can be run over the grounds, and walking over the grounds will be a pleasure. There have been planted many beautiful shrubs and flowering plants so that Comstock Park, where the Fair is held, is one of the ideal places in the state for holding a fair. There have also been planted many shade trees, and many foliage plants have also been set out.

Arrangements have been made with the steam railway and express company. There is going to be an express and freight office on the grounds and a special siding. There will be a car and switch service, so there will be no expense for the exhibitor in getting his exhibits to or from the grounds. There is also to be a special metal foundation to the roadways available to carriages, freight wagons and automobiles. There are no better fair grounds in the country than the West Michigan State Fair grounds.

The buildings have all been repaired and the interiors thoroughly repainted. Thousands of dollars have been spent in improving the ground for the coming fair, which promises to be the largest fair ever held in Michigan.

There are going to be a number of new features at the fair, and one of them will be an exhibit of the Grand Rapids Gentlemen's Driving Club. All of the fine equipages of Grand Rapids will be on display, driven by their owners one afternoon. Grand Rapids is a city of wealthy people, and it will certainly be a sight worth coming to Grand Rapids to see.

There will also be an immense exhibit of automobiles with the latest improvements and all of the various forms made, and automobile races will be planned for.

Among the new exhibits to be made this year will be a dog show and finely bred dogs from all parts of the world will be on exhibition, and the bench show will be one of the recognized features of the fair.

Exhibits are coming in rapidly for the West Michigan State Fair, and everything indicates an unusually good fair.

Change of Time.

Summer schedules of the Pere Marquette in effect Sunday, June 26th. Important changes in time of trains. Watch for the card and Don't Get Left.

Wine Lo-Ti.

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OUR HAT DEPARTMENT occupies the entire north side of the store, 165 feet in length. We carry every staple and novelty style which is in demand, and if you want a hat or cap at 25c or 50c, or a hat at \$1.00, \$2.00, \$3.00 to \$5.00 you will find the style you want here.

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Cheap ocean rates are bringing a very undesirable class of immigrants to the American shore. This is the season of year when the open door at New York ought to be heavily screened.

IDENTIFIED THE BODY

Remains of Wright D. Smith Brought to Ecrose.

The body found at the mouth of the Huron river Tuesday afternoon proved to be that of Capt. Wright D. Smith Ecrose. He disappeared one week ago, when his naphtha launch was found adrift. His son, E. W. Smith of New York, identified his father's body. Capt. Smith was 57 years old and is survived by one other son, Frank G. Smith of Franconia, N. H., and by the widow, Howard D. Smith of Detroit, Darwin B. Smith of Cedar Rapids Neb., and George O. Smith of Spokane Wash., the brothers of the unfortunate captain. He was a member of Detroit post No. 384 G. A. R., and formerly proprietor of the Kola Medicine Co.

"My brother was an inveterate fisherman," said Howard D. Smith to The Journal. "He went out from Ecrose unattended, in his naphtha launch, early Tuesday morning, and the family believe that, while standing in the boat, he was taken with a fainting spell due to a heart affection, and fell overboard. No one saw him after he left Ecrose, but that is the only explanation we can offer for his drowning."

The body was found about 20 miles from where Mr. Smith fell from his boat, on the beach of Lake Erie, seven miles south of Rockwood.—Detroit Journal.

Mr. Smith was formerly a Buchanan man, having lived just across the river. He was well known here and an intimate friend of John Hanover, having served with him in the same company in the army.

LACK OF TEACHERS.

In Berrien County Greatly Worries Commissioner Jennings.

One of the serious questions which must be met by the people of Berrien county is that of securing teachers for the county schools. This is now particularly apparent on account of the comparatively small number who are taking the examinations, and as a consequence the shortage is no longer a matter of doubt.

Much has been said on this subject but still the supply of available teachers continues to decrease, and the question now is, what shall be done?

School Commissioner Jennings is now holding his June examinations. There are 74 applicants and of these only 10 are men. At this time there should be at least 125 teachers to pass the examination.

Mr. Jennings says that there will be the greatest lack of teachers this year that Berrien county has ever had. This means a great deal, for last year's shortage was alarming.

What is the cause? There are just as many intelligent young men and women. There are just as many who each year enter some field of usefulness.

There must be a wrong influence somewhere. Either the wages are too low or the standard required by the state board is too high. It may be that both of these causes are responsible.

Mr. Jennings has the matter so much at heart that he feels very much the responsibility of the situation, but he is almost helpless unless teachers offer themselves.

In Favor of Uniform Grading.

Milwaukee, Wis., June 24.—The National Association of Grain Inspectors, an auxiliary of the Grain Dealers' National association, met in annual session and adopted resolutions in favor of uniform grading of grain in all markets of the United States; opposing government inspection of grain and favoring inspection in terminal markets under supervision of boards of trade.

Ohio Gets Illinois Land.

Columbus, O., June 24.—The trustees of the Ohio university have been notified that the supreme court of Illinois has sustained its claim to a large tract of land in Champaign county, Ill., a part of the estate of the late Henry Page, of Circleville, O., which was bequeathed to the university.

Strike Is To Be Continued.

Pueblo, Colo., June 24.—The delegates' convention of district No. 15, United Mine Workers, decided by a unanimous vote that the strike in the southern Colorado coal fields shall be prosecuted vigorously, and that the fight shall be to a finish.

RUSSIAN ATTACK MEETS A REPULSE

Kuroki Reports a Brush in Which the Muscovite Makes a Reconnoissance,

FIND WHAT THEY ARE HUNTING

Then Retreat with Loss—Russ Report of the Japanese Army Advance—Jap Surprise a Failure.

Tokio, June 24.—A dispatch dated General Kuroki's headquarters in the field, June 23, says: "Russians from Samimak attacked the Japanese outposts in force, apparently for the purpose of testing their strength. The Russian force consisted of two regiments of cavalry, one of infantry and one battery of artillery. The enemy was defeated and retired toward Shintailing; they are supposed to have sustained considerable loss. On the Japanese side Major Kubota was killed and nine men were wounded.

Cossacks Fall Into an Ambush.

London, June 24.—A dispatch from Liao Yang, dated June 22, says: "According to reports received at the Russian headquarters the Japanese intend to attack either Kaichou or Ta-Tche-Kiao from two sides. Their armies continue to advance and hot weather has set in which has dried the roads. Another Cossack detachment has fallen into an ambush of Japanese infantry, losing a number of men wounded."

Report of the Japanese Advance.

St. Petersburg, June 24.—The general staff has received the following dispatch from Lieutenant General Sakharoff under date of June 22: "At 8 o'clock on the morning of June 21 the Japanese vanguard resumed its advance against our outposts four miles south of Senuchen. The outposts retired slowly towards Senuchen, and further on in the direction of Kai Chau. At noon a Japanese column, consisting of nine squadrons of cavalry, a battery of artillery and a considerable number of infantry, was observed advancing in the direction of Senuchen.

Attempt to Surprise the Russians.

"Other strong columns of the enemy appeared, and the Japanese occupied Senuchen towards evening with over a division of infantry, a brigade of cavalry and thirty-two guns. Our scouts report that a large detachment of all arms advanced from Siuyen to Khranza on the morning of June 22. A battalion of the enemy, taking advantage of a thick fog, tried to surprise our vanguard near Vaniapudze, on the Siu Yeu-Hai Cheng road.

Had to Retire with Loss.

"The movement was discovered in time and the Japanese received volleys from five companies of Russians. The enemy retired with some losses toward Siu Yen. One Russian sharpshooter was wounded. The Japanese occupied Vafangtien on the main road to Liao Yang on the evening of June 19 with a battalion of infantry and a squadron of cavalry. A detachment of the same strength occupied Chandinju, in the valley of the Tsuo river, seven miles north of Feng Wang Cheng."

INCIDENT IN ALABAMA

One Negro Attacks Another and Gets Killed, His Slayer Later Being Murdered by a Mob.

Selma, Ala., June 24.—Incited by jealousy Samuel Houston, a negro, attacked and was killed by Joe Scott, also a negro, who afterwards was killed by a mob near Randolph, Bibb county. Houston fired and the load, missing Scott, struck Joe Smitherman, a white man, in the hand.

Scott then drew his pistol and shot Houston to death. To avenge Houston's death his friends and relatives, it is reported, lynched Scott, riddling him with bullets.

One Deported Man Suicides.

Denver, June 24.—Emil L. Johnson, a man who was deported from Cripple Creek by the military, committed suicide here. He was despondent because his wife and two small children were left destitute in Cripple Creek.

Wages of Sin Once More.

St. Louis, June 24.—At the Illinois House, a lodging house at 510 Lucens avenue, N. P. Benson, of Kansas City, shot and killed Mary Devoe, residence unknown, and then ended his life in the same manner.

SCORES ON THE BALL FIELDS

Chicago, June 24.—Following are the base ball scores: League: At Cincinnati—Chicago 6, Cincinnati 4; at Pittsburgh—St. Louis 8, Pittsburgh 1; at Boston—New York 6, Boston 2; at Brooklyn—Philadelphia 4, Brooklyn 5.

American: At Washington—New York 7, Washington 4; at St. Louis—Detroit 2, St. Louis 0; at Chicago—Cleveland 1, Chicago 2; at Philadelphia—Boston 1, Philadelphia 5.

Association: At Toledo—Columbus 10, Toledo 3; at Indianapolis—Louisville 7, Indianapolis 2; at Minneapolis and St. Paul—Rain. Western: At Sioux City—Colorado Springs 6, Sioux City 4—Thirteen innings; at Des Moines—Denver 6, Des Moines 7; at Omaha—St. Joseph 0, Omaha 2.

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NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE

Most of the delegates to the Chicago convention can now be found at the St. Louis fair.

The degree of LL.D. has been conferred upon Professor Charles M. Galey, of California, by the University of Michigan.

At the commencement exercises of the University of Michigan diplomas were presented to 784 graduates.

Two Indian children of Eagle Valley, Nev., murdered their 3-year-old brother. The fratricides are a girl seven years old and a boy of four.

Subscriptions at New York for the relief of the victims of the General Slocum have reached a total of over \$90,000.

The steamer F. H. Prince bound for Chicago, struck a sunken crib while outside of Cleveland (O.) harbor and a large hole was stove in her bow. She was beached.

Orlo B. Rhodes, editor of the Water-town (N. Y.) Daily Standard, committed suicide by shooting. He had been in poor health.

The seventeenth annual session of the supreme council United Commercial Travelers, is proceeding at Columbus, O.

First Lieutenant William H. Plummer, Sixth infantry, regular army, has been missing for nearly a week.

Special sale on Trimmed goods next Friday and Saturday. Mrs. Parkinson.

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Estate of Mary Bartness, 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 14th day of June A. D., 1904.

Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Mary Bartness, deceased.

John C. Dick, administrator, having filed his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 11th day of July A. D., 1904, at 2 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and 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, ROLLAND E. BARR, Judge of Probate. Register of Probate. Last publication July 1, 1904.

Benton Harbor Abstract Co.—Abstracts of title. Real estate mortgage loans. Of fee 104 Water St., Benton Harbor, Mich.

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For President—THEODORE ROOSEVELT

For Vice President—CHARLES W. FAIRBANKS

CONGRESSIONAL NOMINATION.

For Representative in Congress—EDWARD L. HAMILTON.

REPRESENTATIVE

For Representative 1st District—NATHAN V. LOVELL,

of Elu Claire.

COUNTY TICKET.

For Judge of Probate—FRANK H. ELLSWORTH,

Benton Harbor.

For Sheriff—ROY CLARK, Pipestone.

For Clerk—SAMUEL B. MINERS,

Royalton.

For Register of Deeds—I. L. H. DODD,

Buchanan.

For Treasurer—ALVA SHERWOOD,

Three Oaks.

For Prosecuting Attorney—CHARLES E. WHITE, Niles.

For Circuit Court Commissioners—MILLARD A. SEITZ,

Benton Harbor.

WILBUR A. BURNS, Niles.

For Drain Commissioner—JOHN A. BURBANK, Lake.

For Surveyor—WILLIAM A. CLEARY,

St. Joseph.

For Coroners—CHARLES A. COLLIER,

Benton Harbor.

A. W. PLATT, Niles.

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Georgia reports a peach yield of twice the usual size, with plenty of melons on the side. On the whole, another year of good crops is in prospect.

Canada is ahead in one statistical item. In thirty-four years its di-

voices numbered sixty-nine, while those in the United States for the same period footed up 700,000.

Republican State Convention.

To the Republican Electors of the State of Michigan: The State Convention of the Republicans of Michigan is hereby called to meet at the Light Guard Armory in the city of Detroit, Thursday, June 30, 1904, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of nominating candidates for State offices, (not including however, candidates for Justice of the Supreme Court), and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention.

In accordance with the resolutions of 1876 and 1900, every county will be entitled to one delegate for each five hundred of the total vote cast therein for Governor at the last election in a Presidential year (November, 1900) and one additional delegate for every fraction amounting to three hundred, each organized county being entitled to at least two delegates.

Under the resolutions of 1858, no delegate will be entitled to a seat in the Convention who does not reside in the county he proposes to represent. The delegates from the several counties in each Congressional District are requested to meet in district caucus at 9:30 o'clock a. m., on the day of the State Convention, and select officers as follows, to be presented to the State Convention for confirmation:

- 1—One Vice-President;
- 2—One Assistant Secretary;
- 3—One member of the committee on "Credentials;"
- 4—One member of the committee on "Permanent Organization and Order of Business;"
- 5—One member of the committee on "Resolutions."

In compliance with the resolutions adopted in Detroit, June 23, 1890, the secretary of each county convention is urged to forward to the Secretary of the State Central Committee at Clare by the earliest mail after the delegates to the State Convention are chosen, a certified list of delegates to the State Convention from his county and the chairman of each county delegation is requested to deliver the credentials of his delegation to the members of the Committee on Credentials chosen at his district caucus.

By order of the Republican State Central Committee.

GERRIT J. DIEKEMA, Chairman.

DENNIS E. ALWARD, Secretary.

Grand Rapids, May 18, 1904.

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 News Express, No. 46..... 1:51 A. M.
 Mail, No. 3..... 9:36 A. M.
 Grand Rapids Special, No. 43..... 3:03 P. M.
 Train No. 14..... 5:19 P. M.
 Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 221 6:23 P. M.

TRAINS WEST.

LEAVE BUCHANAN.
 No. 37 Pacific Express 4:17 a. m. stop only to let off passengers.
 East Mail No. 3..... 7:45 A. M.
 Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 15 8:13 A. M.
 Train No. 43..... 1:10 A. M.
 Mail, No. 5..... 3:40 P. M.
 No. 29, 6:16 p. m. will stop to take Chicago passengers.
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DAYTON.

A large crowd attended the box social given by the Patricians Tuesday. Everybody seemed to have a fine time.

H. Spencer, who has been visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bertie Leiter, and family, the past four weeks, started for his home in New York Thursday morning. His daughter accompanied him as far as Niles.

Mr. A. Spencer, of New York, and his daughter, Bertie Leiter, and grand daughter Zelda, of this place, dined with Mrs. A. C. Weaver, Wednesday.

Mrs. E. Legget is visiting friends in Buchanan this week.

Miss Emma Arnold visited in Buchanan Friday.

Burton Martin started for northern Michigan Friday night.

Will Strunk has been quite sick.

Mrs. Nellie Barnes and children of New Carlisle, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Weaver Sunday.

A. C. Weaver was in Buchanan Monday on business.

GLENDORA.

Strawberries will be a crop of the past in a few days, and not a very profitable one this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boyce were called to South Bend on Saturday, on account of the serious illness of their daughter Mrs. Milton Parmeter. When a child she had the misfortune to be struck on the head with a hoe and that has been the seat of trouble for several years. She was taken to the hospital and reported doing well.

Mr. Aaron Gardner is slightly improved but not able to be up.

Miss Ethel Stryker spent Saturday and Sunday with her friend Etha Morley.

Miss Verna Weed, who has been visiting her aunt Mrs. Morley, returned to her home in New Buffalo, this week.

Not a great many visitors at the Old Settlers picnic from this section.

Mrs. Hartsell, Mrs. L. H. Kempton and Mrs. Anna Hess attended the S. S. convention at Galien on Wednesday.

The basement of the barn of Alvin Morley was raised on Tuesday. On Thursday the remainder will be raised.

Mrs. Ida Morley went to Ann Arbor on Tuesday to attend the graduation of her brother, W. S. Stevens, from the law department of the University. He will settle in Berrien county.

BENTON HARBOR.

The program is out for the 4th of July celebration at St. Joe.

Children's day was observed by the various Sabbath Schools last Sunday.

The Misses Hester and Lillian Dalrymple gave a marshmallow roast last evening, on the beach at St. Joe, to a party of their friends.

In spite of the fact that the cold weather is hurting the strawberries, 33,000 cases were shipped from this port last night.

Harry Bailey, formerly of Buchanan, now of Chicago, passed through this city yesterday, enroute to Flint where he will attend the 50th anniversary of the deaf and dumb institute, of which he is a graduate.

Mrs. L. M. Ward and Mrs. F. T. Hubbard attended the G. A. R. convention at Battle Creek. The former was elected president and the latter secretary of the Michigan division of the Ladies of the G. A. R.

There was no fake about the big circus. The events were given as advertised, and people's expectations were fully realized. Thousands came to the city to see and hear. The parade was a grand display, and was headed by a forty horse team, attached to the largest four wheeled vehicle in the world.

The new steamer, City of Benton Harbor, came here tonight from the Craig ship yards at Toledo. It was a triumphal trip all the way. Her captain, John Stewart, who knows all the steamboats on the lakes, says she is the handsomest and best of them

all, and he calls her the White Pearl of the Great Lakes. The cabins are finished in solid mahogany, not veneer, and the gold decorations are real gold leaf, not imitation; no two carpets are alike. Hundreds of sight seers went abroad tonight when she tied up at the dock.

BERRIEN SPRINGS.

DEATH OF H. J. HOWE

Died at Fairview, Berrien Springs, Mich., June 18, 1904, Mr. H. J. Howe, aged 82 years, 4 months, and 22 days.

Mr. Howe was an old resident having lived upon the Shaker farm for more than 26 years. The readers of the Record will recall a history of his life which was published in this paper about Feb. 1st. At that time his health was most excellent, but within a few weeks the evidences of his last illness, heart-trouble made themselves manifest.

Mr. Howe was born in the state of New York, January 27, 1822. He came to Michigan with his parents in 1835, settling at Bertrand. Later he moved into the village, where he lived as a merchant until 1878, when he removed to the Shaker farm, Berrien Springs.

In 1848 he married Miss Lucretia Fox, who died December 4, 1896. To them were born six children, two of whom died in infancy; one, Mrs. Frances Burnham, died at the Shaker farm June 30, 1898. The surviving children are, the sons, Dr. A. O. and Mr. E. E. Howe of Chicago, and one daughter, Mr. Milo Smith, of Berrien Springs, with whom Mr. Howe has made his home for several years. His brother, Chas. F. Howe, resides in Buchanan.

Mr. Howe bore the burden of his many years bravely and well. His illness of four months' duration reduced him greatly in strength and vitality, but previous to that time he was unusually well, exhibiting ability very surprising in one of his years. His life throughout was an example of great industry, honesty and kindness to all.

The funeral services were held at his late home Monday, the officiating clergyman being Rev. Chas. Shook, pastor of the Advent Christian church in Buchanan, of which Mr. Howe was a member for many years.

Mrs. G. O. McOmber, of Berrien Springs, died Sunday morning, June 19, at Mercy hospital, Benton Harbor.

The work on the bridge at Berrien Springs is progressing rapidly, meanwhile the ferry is kept busy.

The steamer, May Graham, made her first trip up to Berrien Springs, Monday, June 13, 1904.

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Oh, must it be that when I follow after—

Vagrant among the millions of the stars—

The scornful Worlds will mock with careless laughter

My lonely strife to reach Heaven's sundering bars?

Did Time and Space, stern foes, have power to sever

The hearts that used, we thought, to beat as one;

And thou and I say our good-bye forever,

When thou didst take that path beyond the sun?

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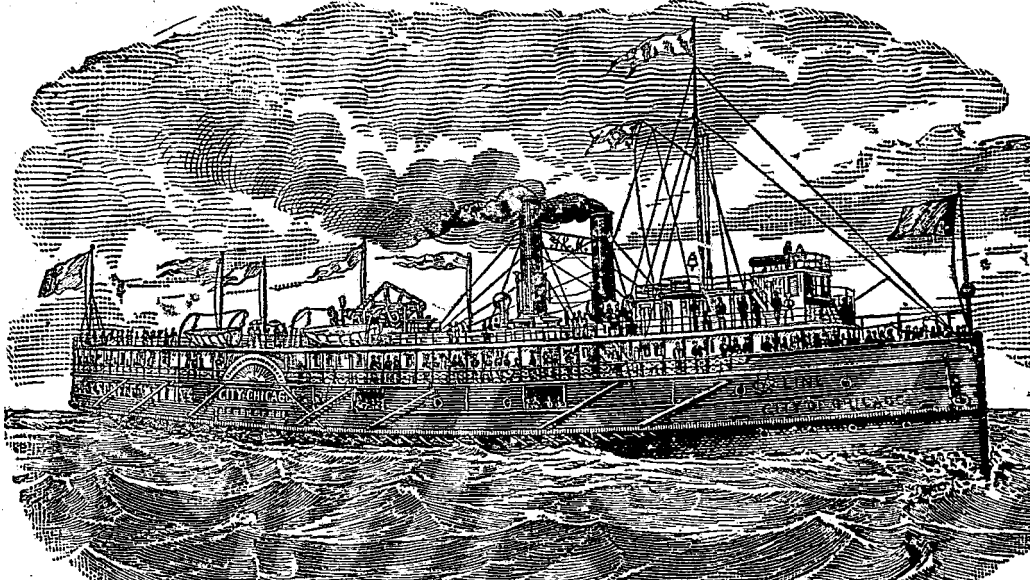
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"By the way, father, where is Philip?" asked Katharine.

"He went up the branch fishing, with Bentley, I believe."

"But isn't it time they returned? Do you know, I feel nervous about them. Suppose those raiders?"

"Fshaw, child! Still harping on the raiders—and nervous too! What ails you, daughter? I thought you never were nervous. We Wiltons are not accustomed to nervousness, you know, and what must our guest think?"

"Nothing but what is altogether agreeable," replied Seymour, a little too promptly, and then, to cover his confusion, he continued: "But I think Miss Wilton need feel under no apprehension. Master Philip is with Bentley, and I would trust the prudence and courage and skill of that man in any situation. You know my father, who was a shipmaster, when he died aboard his ship in the China seas, gave me, a little boy taking a cruise with him, into Bentley's charge, and told him to make a sailor and a man of me, and from that day he has never left me. At my house, in Philadelphia, he is a privileged character. There never was a truer, better, braver man; and as for patriotism, love of country is a passion with him, colonel. He might set an example to many in higher station in that particular."

"Yes, I have noticed that peculiarity about the man. I think Philip is safe enough with him, Katharine, even if those—Ha! what is that?" The colonel sprang to his feet as the sound of a musket shot rang out in the night air, followed by one or two pistol shots and then a muffled cry.

CHAPTER IV.

"H, father, it must be the raiders! That was Blodgett's voice!" cried Katharine, looking very pale and clasping her hands.

"Let me go and investigate, colonel," said Seymour, leaping to his feet and seizing his sword.

"Do so, Seymour!" cried the colonel as the sailor hastily left the room.

"Phoebe," to the butler, "go tell Cæsar to call the slaves to the house. You, Scipio," to one of the footmen, "go open the arm chest. Katharine, reach me my sword. See that the doors are closed, Billy," said the colonel to the other servant rapidly and with perfect coolness. "I think, Katharine, that perhaps you would better retire to your room." But even as he spoke the sound of hurried footsteps and excited voices outside was heard. After a few moments one of the field hands, followed by Seymour, burst panting into the room, his mouth working with excitement and his eyes almost starting from his head.

"Well, sir, what is it?" said the colonel.

"Foh de Lawd's sake, sah, dey'se a-comin', sah; dey'se a-comin'! Dey'se right behin' me! Dey'll be heah in a minute, sah!"

"Who is coming, you idiot?" exclaimed the colonel.

"De redcoats, de British sojuns, sah. Dey'se fohty boat loads ob 'em. Dey'se come ob fum de lil' sloop out in de ribah, and dey'se gwine kill we all an' burn de house down. Dey done shot Mars' Blodgett, and dey'se comin' heah special to get you, sah; Mars' Kunnel, kase I heahd dem say when I was lyn' down on de wha'f dat de man dey wanted was dat Kunnel Wilton."

"It is quite true, sir. They seem to be a party of raiders of some sort," said Seymour coolly. "I fear that Blodgett has been killed, as I heard nothing of him. I saw them from the brow of the hill. Perhaps you may escape by the back way, though there is little time for that. Do you take Miss Wilton and try it, sir. Leave me to hold these men in play."

"Yes, yes, father," urged Katharine. "I know it must be Lord Dunmore's men and Johnson. They know that you have come back from France, and now the man wants to take you prisoner. You remember what the governor told you at Williamsburg—that he would make you rue the day you cast your lot in with the colonists and refused to assist him in the prosecution of his measures. And you know we have been warned at least a dozen times about it. Oh, what shall we do? Do fly, and let me stay here and receive these men."

"What! My daughter, do you think a Wilton has ever left his house to be defended by his guest and by a woman! Seymour, I believe, however, as an officer in the service of our country, your best course is to leave while there is yet time."

"I will never leave you, sir. I will stay here with you and Mistress Katharine and share whatever fate may have in store for you."

But even as he spoke the crowding footsteps of many men were heard at both entrances to the wide hallway which ran through the house. At the same moment the door was violently thrown open and the dining room was filled with an irregular mass of motley, ragged, red coated men, whose reckless demeanor and hardened faces indicated that they had been recruited from the lowest and most depraved classes of the inhabitants of the col-

ony. They were led by a middle aged man of dissipated appearance, whose rough and brutal aspect was not concealed by the captain's uniform he wore, nor was the malicious triumph in his bearing and in his voice, veiled by the mock courtesy with which he advanced, pistol in hand.

"What means this intrusion, sir?" shouted Colonel Wilton in a voice of thunder.

"This is Colonel Wilton, I believe, is it not?" said the leader of the band, taking off his hat.

"Yes, sir, it is; you, Mr. Johnson, should be the last to forget it, and I desire to know at once the meaning of this outrageous descent upon a peaceful dwelling."

The man bowed low with mock courtesy. "I shall have to ask your pardon, my dear sir, for appearing before the great Colonel Wilton so unceremoniously. But my orders, I re-



The hilt of his blade crushed against the man's throat.

gret to say, allow me no discretion whatever; they are imperative. You are my prisoner. I have been sent here by Lord Dunmore, the governor of this colony of Virginia, to secure the persons of some of the principal rebellious subjects of his majesty King George, and your name, unfortunately, is the first and chiefest on the list. I shall have to request you to accompany me at once."

The master of the situation smiled mockingly, and the colonel, white with anger, looked about the room. Resistance was perfectly hopeless; all the windows even were now blocked up by the irregular soldiery.

"He has chosen a fit man to do his work," said the colonel, in haughty scorn; "failing gentlemen, he must needs take blackguards and bullies into his service as housebreakers and raiders."

Johnson flushed visibly, as he said with another bow, "Colonel Wilton would better remember that I am master now."

"Sir, I am not likely to forget it. There is the family plate. I presume, from what I know of your habits, that will not be overlooked by you."

"Quite so," he returned; "it will doubtless be a welcome contribution to the treasury of his majesty's colony. Mistress Wilton's diamonds also," he said meaningly, and then, turning to two of his men, "Williams, you and Jones bundle up the plate in the table cloth, get what's on the sideboard too." Then, laying his pistols down upon the table, he continued, "But before Colonel Wilton insults me again it might be well for him to remember that I am master not only of his person, but of the persons of all others who are in this room."

The colonel started, and Johnson laughed, looking with insolence from Katharine to her father.

"What, sir! I reach through your insolent pride now, do I? Curse you!" with sudden heat, throwing off even the mask of politeness he had hardly worn. "I swore I would have revenge for that insult at Williamsburg, and now it's my hour. You are to go with me, and go peaceably and quietly, or I'll have you kicked and dragged out of the building, or killed like that old fool who tried to stop us coming up on the landing."

"What! Blodgett, my old friend Blodgett? You villain, you haven't dared to kill him, have you? Oh, my faithful!"

"Silence, sir! We dare anything. What consideration has a rebel a right to expect at the hands of his majesty's faithful rangers? You, Bruce and Denton, seize the old man. If he makes any trouble knock him down, or kill him for aught I care. One of you take the girl there. As for you, sir," to Seymour, who had been quietly watching the scene, "I don't know who you are, but you are in bad company, and you will have to consider yourself a prisoner. I trust you have sense enough to come without force being

used. And so," clapping his hat on his head defiantly, "God save the king!"

Two of the soldiers seized the colonel in spite of the vigorous resistance he made and another approached Katharine, who had stood with clasped hands during the whole of the colloquy between Johnson and her father. The soldier rudely chucked her under the chin, saying: "Come on, my pretty one. You'll give us a kiss, won't you, before we start?" As she drew back, paling at the insult, Seymour, who had seen and heard it all, quick as a flash drew his sword and threw himself upon the soldier. One rapid thrust at the surprised man he made with all the force and skill begotten of long practice and a strong arm, and the hilt of his blade crushed against the man's throat, and he fell dead upon the floor.

At the same instant one of the other soldiers, who had observed the action, struck Seymour over the head with his clubbed musket, and he also fell heavily to the floor and lay there senseless and still, blood running from a fearful looking wound in his forehead. The room was filled with tumult in an instant, and with shouts of "Kill him!" "Shoot him!" "Kill him!" the men moved toward Seymour. Johnson looked on unconcernedly.

"Good heavens!" shrieked the colonel, writhing in the grasp of the men who held him. "Are you going to allow a senseless, wounded man to be murdered before your eyes? Oh, how could anybody ever mistake you for a gentleman for an instant?" he added, with withering contempt, and then, turning his head toward the fierce soldiery, "Stop, stop, you bloody assassins!" he cried.

"Silence, sir! He might as well die this way as on the gallows. Besides, he struck the first blow, and he has killed one of his majesty's loyal soldiers. The soldier only wanted to kiss the girl anyway, and she will find before she gets to camp that kisses are cheap."

"Oh, my God!" groaned the father. "And they call this war!"

At this moment one of the soldiers lifted his bayonet to plunge it into the prostrate form of the unconscious sailor. There was a blinding flash of light in the room and a quick, sharp report. The man's arm dropped to his side, and he shrieked and groaned with pain. Katharine, unnoticed in the confusion, had slipped to the side of the table and had quickly picked up one of the pistols which Johnson had laid upon it after the silver had been taken away. Her ready decision and unerring aim had saved her lover's life. She threw the smoking pistol she had used with such effect down at her feet, and, seizing the other, she stepped over to the side of her unconscious lover.

"I swear," she said, in a shrill, high pitched voice which just escaped a scream, and which trembled with the agitation of the moment, "by my hope of heaven, if a single man of you lay hands on him he shall have this bullet also, you cowards!"

After a moment's hesitation, amid shouts of "Kill the girl!" the men surged toward her. Chloe, her black maid, flung herself upon her mistress' breast.

"Oh, honey, I let dem kill me fust."

"Well done, Kate! It's the true Wilton blood. Oh, if I had a free arm, you villains!" cried the still struggling colonel.

"Seize the girl," Johnson commanded promptly, "and let us get out of this!"

The men made a rush toward the table where Katharine stood undaunted, her face flushed with excitement, her mouth tense with resolution. She cried:

"Have a care, men! Have a care!" One life she could still command with her loaded pistol. Her hands did not tremble. She waited to strike once more for love and country, but it would be all over in a moment.

The colonel groaned in agony, "Kate, Kate!" but they were almost upon her when a new voice rose above the uproar:

"Hold! Are you men? Do you war with old men and women? Back with you! Get back, you dogs! Back, I say!"

CHAPTER V.

A YOUNG man in the uniform of a British naval lieutenant leaped in front of the girl with drawn sword, with which he laid about him lustily, striking some of the men with the flat of it, threatening others with the point, and, backing his actions by the prompt commands of one not accustomed to be gainsaid, he soon cleared the space in front of her.

"How dare you interfere in this matter, my lord?" shouted Johnson passionately. "I command this party, and I intend!"

"I know you do," replied the officer, "and that I am only a volunteer who has chosen to accompany you, worse luck! But I am a gentleman and a lieutenant in his Britannic majesty's navy, and, by heaven, when I see old men mishandled, and wounded helpless men about to be assassinated, and young women insulted, I don't care who commands the party, I interfere! And I don't propose to bandy words with any runagate American partisan who uses his commission to further private vengeance. And I swear to you, on my honor, if you do not instantly modify your treatment of this gentleman and call off this ragamuffin crew, you shall be court martialled, if I have any influence with Dunmore or Parker or Lord Howe, or whoever is in authority, and I will have the rest of you hung as high as Haman. This is outrage and robbery and murder. It is not fighting or making prisoners," continued the young officer. "You are not fit to be an officer, and you, you curs, you disgrace the uniform you wear."

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A fine Mandolin for sale cheap, Mrs. Fred Poyser. j24
Star & Richmond Pianos on easy payments, at Elbel Bros', South Bend.
Don't miss the special bread sale next Saturday at the Buchanan Cash Grocery.
A large number of Niles people were in town Wednesday night to hear the band concert.
The regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors will be held tonight. A large attendance is desired.
FOR SALE—Good second hand buggy, harness and robes. j24p C. M. BIRD.
Raymond & Beck shipped a car of sheep and hogs to Chicago Wednesday night. Oscar Brown went through with the car.
Elder J. H. Paton will preach in the Larger Hope church next Sunday June 26, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. All are invited to attend.
Irving Jaquay left Tuesday for Atlanta, Georgia, to attend the meeting of the National Association of Nursery men. He expects to return Saturday.
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Lard 8c
Eggs 14c
Potatoes 80c
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Wheat No. 2 Red and White. 98c
Oats No. 3 white. 40c
Corn, Yellow 45c

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.

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Mrs. J. C. Royer is reported as being ill with rheumatism.

Miss Elsie Smith has accepted a position as stenographer in Elkhart.

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As announced exclusively in the RECORD that the electric lights would be turned on this week, last night saw the town lighted for the first time since the first of last October. It was indeed a fine sight.

Dr. and Mrs. O. Curtis were given an old fashioned charivari Wednesday evening, by their friends. 'Tis said that they had a merry time, but upon this question the doctor maintains a discrete silence.

A camping party from South Bend with "Bootsey" Johnson in command have been floating down the river from that city to St. Joseph. They arrived at the mouth of the river Wednesday, having enjoyed the fishing along the way and a fine outing.

We are in receipt of a letter from Herman Cadioux, a former Buchanan citizen, who is now located at Rockland in the upper peninsula. He says that the country is mountainous, with plenty of game including bear and deer.

New Carlisle made quite a business showing at the concert here Wednesday evening. In the crowd that came over the following occupations were represented: The town marshal, restaurant keeper, milliner, druggist, music dealer, drayman, barber and liverman.

A posse of armed men and boys pursued a mad dog through the streets of Niles and out into the country Wednesday morning but the canine was sane enough to escape to the woods. People in the neighborhood fear to step out of doors lest they meet the mad dog.

Word has been received of the death of Rufus King, who about three weeks ago was taken to the insane asylum at Kalamazoo. The immediate cause of Mr. King's death was apoplexy. He has been a resident of Pipestone for many years, and it was not until very lately that he began to show signs of insanity.

The Y. P. A. of the Evangelical church will hold a candy social at the home of John Housewerth next Tuesday night, June 28, 1904. All are invited. A pleasant literary and musical program will be rendered. Free conveyance from J. C. Rehm's Racket store, from 7:30 to 8:00 p. m.

PERSONAL.

I. D. Barnes, of Three Oaks, was in town today.

Otis Bigelow, of Dowagiac, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. J. A. Garland is visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Murphy, of Niles, was in town Wednesday evening.

Chas. McCracken and Clare Coveney were St. Joseph visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. E. L. Harper, of Michigan City, is visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Clara Wilson of Chicago, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Lou Smith.

Jasper Park, of Copenmish, Mich., is visiting his sister, Mrs. Fannie Miller.

Mrs. H. F. Kingery and son Richard went to Cassopolis yesterday, for a short stay.

Mrs. Levi Wilson and son Harold, of Niles, are visiting friends in Buchanan this week.

Mrs. J. B. Rynearson went to Dowagiac Wednesday to attend the commencement exercises at that place.

Mrs. Fannie Howe and daughter, Bessie, of Lansing, are visiting her father, Isaac Long and other relatives.

Frank W. Pangborn and Paul Kruggel of Chicago, are visiting at the home of D. D. Pangborn, for a few days.

Mrs. Ball and grandson, of Logansport, Ind., were guests at the home of her brother, Noah Canfield, the past week.

Miss Nina Lewis came home last Tuesday from Ishpeming, to spend her vacation. She is engaged as a teacher there.

Mr. N. C. Johnson, of Chicago will come to Buchanan tomorrow and stay over Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. S. E. Johnson.

Mrs. H. F. Kingery entertained Mrs. Lingerfelter, of Wala Wala, Wash., and Mrs. Anna Shank, of South Bend, last week.

Jesse East and Geo. French went to Detroit Wednesday night. Jesse will visit his brother George several days before returning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Valentine were over from South Bend Wednesday. Mrs. Valentine will make a short visit here, but Clyde returned in the evening.

Mrs. Wm. Wilson, of Schoolcraft, Mich., is a guest at the home of her brother, J. P. Anstiss. They all went to Barron Lake yesterday and spent the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Havener, and Miss Irene Havener, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Drown, Mr. and Mrs. L. Grafton, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stanton, Mrs. Moloy, Miss Zella Stanton, and Mr. Ed White, of New Carlisle, Ind., drove to Buchanan Wednesday evening to enjoy the band concert.

Hundreds of lives saved every year by having Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house just when it is needed. Cures croup, heals burns, cuts, wounds of every sort.

At Bay City an engine was switched onto the wrong track, and when the engineer saw the mistake he reversed the lever in an effort to avoid a collision and jumped from the cab. After crashing into several cars the engine started in the opposite direction and landed in the bottom of the Saginaw river, having left the track where a bridge was swung.

Thirty-three thousand cases of strawberries were shipped from Benton Harbor and St. Joseph Tuesday evening, the banner shipment of the year. The price ranged from 75 cents to \$1.25 per case, the low price being paid for the majority of the shipment on account of the poor quality of the berries. The poor quality of the fruit is owing to the cold weather.

No feature of the June St. Nicholas, the vacation number, will appeal so strongly to boys of all ages as Allan P. Ames's, How to Keep a Base Ball Score. Mr. Ames, who is a practical score-keeper, suggests that lovers of the national game will find it worth while to know the system he describes and illustrates with reproductions of two pages from a score-book.

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The Emancipation celebration which was to have been held on Tuesday, Aug. 2, will be held in Niles, on Monday, Aug. 1, for the reason that rates cannot be obtained on the railroads on the 2nd. The committee having in charge the matter of soliciting funds, reports that business men are donating very liberally and that the outlook is bright for a rousing celebration.

The Lady Maccabees went to the home of Lady Riley Scott, Wednesday, for their annual dinner with her. There were about sixty present and enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent. They went in all kinds of rigs from delivery wagons to automobiles (?) it made no difference just so they got there. For several years the ladies have gone to Mrs. Scott's for dinner during strawberry time.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will run a special excursion train from Battle Creek to Michigan City and Chicago Sunday, June 26th, passing Buchanan at 8:38 a. m., Michigan City at 9:35 a. m., arriving at Chicago at 11:30 a. m. Returning will leave Chicago at 7:30 p. m., Michigan City 9:20 p. m. Fare from Buchanan to Michigan City and return 50 cents, Chicago \$1.80.

M. L. JENKS.

A very peculiar accident occurred near Albion the other day. The four year old son of Alvah Campell was climbing on the wheel of a wagon when the team started and the little fellow fell with his head between the wagon box and the wheel. The horses were stopped immediately, but it was necessary to take the wheel off the wagon before the child's head could be freed. His head is very badly bruised, but the physicians gives hopes of his recovery.

Rev. N. Hansen, of Oregon, Wis., gave a lecture, Tuesday evening at the Evangelical church, on the "Crisis in the Far East." Rev. Hansen has traveled all through Japan, China and Corea, and gave a very fine description of the people and their customs. He had three boys dress in the native costumes of these countries, on the platform, thus giving some idea as to how they looked. Those who were fortunate enough to attend enjoyed a rare treat. Rev. Hansen's little daughter gave several delightful violin solos.


Following the plan which St. Nicholas has carried out for several months, the July issue will have an instructive article designed to present valuable facts in a way entertaining to both young and old. A Day with Hudson Maxim, is the title of Joseph H. Adam's sketch, which will tell many interesting details of the great inventor's life and work. Hudson Maxim's residence is in Brooklyn, where a visitor finds him as much at home among his high explosives as his cook is in her kitchen. Mr. Adams tells, among other things, of being invited to lunch on Welsh rabbit cooked in a chafing-dish over a lamp filled with—not alcohol but nitroglycerin.

The funny man on the Detroit Tribune gets off the following: A carrier out of Niles was not quite suited with his route and secured his transfer to another because his farm lay out that way. He supposed the salary would be the same but now finds that it has been fixed at \$500. The party with whom he traded looks upon it as a "consarned good joke," but the other passes his fingers through his hair, abstractedly, meditating on where his laugh comes in. Like Jake Pfeiffer of Oil City he is puzzled. Jake was getting an eighth of the oil from his farm as royalty. He kicked demanding one-twelfth and the company "reluctantly" acceded. On the first accounting afterward Jake kicked again, and after explanation he said thoughtfully: "Dot ish der first time as ever I knowed as eight vash more as twelve."

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Closing Scenes in the Convention—Incidents of the Enthusiasm at the Nomination of Candidates.

Chicago, June 23.—George B. Cortelyou was chosen chairman of the Republican national committee at a meeting held yesterday just after the adjournment of the convention. In thanking the committee for the honor he told the members that while he would be glad to have the benefit of their advice and counsel he intended



CHAIRMAN CORTELYOU.

to be chairman in fact, and would accept no dictation from any one, high or low. He told them that the friends of the late Chairman Hanna were his friends, and he asked for the same measure of confidence and support that had been given to the last chairman.

Resigns His Washington Post.

Cortelyou made no formal statement of his plans. He resigned as secretary of commerce and labor as soon as he was elected chairman, the resignation to take effect as soon as his successor qualifies, which will be about July 1. Secretary Cortelyou will not give any active time to political matters until he retires from the cabinet. No vice chairman will be appointed, and the new chairman will divide his time between the New York and Chicago headquarters, although some member of the committee will no doubt be designated to take charge of the headquarters in this city. Headquarters will not be opened in either city until the last part of July.

Other Officers of the Committee.

As soon as Cortelyou had been elected and had returned his thanks Elmer Dover, of Ohio, was named for and elected secretary; Cornelius N. Bliss, of New York, treasurer, and William F. Stone, of Maryland, for sergeant-at-arms. A resolution was passed authorizing the chairman to appoint an executive committee of nine, with such other officers as are necessary for the management of the campaign. The chairman, secretary, treasurer, and sergeant-at-arms are to be officers of the executive committee. Under this resolution the chairman is given absolute power in the conduct of the campaign.

CLOSING SCENES AT THE COLISEUM

Twenty Minutes of Enthusiasm—Historic Flag Is Waved.

Chicago, June 24.—There was twenty minutes of enthusiasm yesterday in the national Republican convention when the vote for Roosevelt for president was announced. It was proposed when roll call was ordered that the secretary cast the whole vote of the convention for Roosevelt. But this was strenuously objected to, as each state desired to record its vote, and the roll call proceeded. Sometimes the announcement of the state chairman was simply the vote; at other times a pithy statement would be added that brought applause.

When Cannon announced the total vote—994 for Roosevelt—was when pandemonium broke loose, and continued for twenty minutes. The band stationed high among the girders of the hall was drowned by the tumultuous demonstration. Hats were tossed in the air, state emblems were waved and flags—beautiful tri-colored shimmering silken flags fluttered from every hand as though stirred by a gale. While the demonstration was at its height Chairman Cannon stepped to the front of the stage. He held in his hand the banner which was waved in 1866 when Lincoln was nominated, and which has been used in every convention since. The flag showed the wear and tear of many similar contests. "Uncle Joe" waved it vigorously and kept time with his body.

Soon the whole convention was swaying in exact measure. The chairman tired, and his place was taken by a young man who grasped the

flag staff firmly in one hand and with a megaphone led the yelling. He started the call "Roosevelt, Roosevelt, Roosevelt," repeated over and over again with the system of a college yell. It was taken up by the throng and the cry of "Roosevelt" rolled over the hall in volume so great and so terrific that the screeching of a hundred steam whistles would have been dwarfed in comparison. A little colored boy from Georgia and later a pretty little girl, dressed in a dainty frock of white were lifted to the platform and they waved flags with as much vigor as their more lusty preceptor.

When Senator Fairbanks had been nominated for vice president there was no diminution in the demonstration. Voices were hoarse but the noise for the choice was just as unanimous as it was in filling the first place on the ticket. Among the seconds of Fairbanks were Senator Depew and Senator Foraker. As the roll was called, when Illinois, Nebraska, Missouri and Georgia were called announcement was made that the candidacy of favorite sons had been withdrawn. The entire vote therefore was cast for Senator Fairbanks.

The usual resolutions of thanks to officers of the convention and to committees on arrangement were adopted and the great body was adjourned.

"WORD BOUQUET" FOR CANNON

Veteran Blushes Like a Schoolboy When It Is Read.

Speaker Cannon came in for one of the resolutions, and he blushed like a school boy as the word bouquet for him was read. He made eleven speeches during the day, each a few crisp original sentences, introducing the eleven orators. His audience never tired of watching nor hearing him. He was a sauce to the proceedings. While Speaker Cannon spoke his whole body shook, his left arm made full circles, both legs vibrated and even his toes could be seen working up and down in his shoes. His control of the convention was complete.

The committee to notify President Roosevelt of his nomination, which was appointed just before adjournment of the convention, and of which Cannon is ex-officio chairman, consists of a member from each state, and includes the following: Illinois, Isaac Elwood; Indiana, W. R. McKeen; Iowa, George Curtis; Michigan, Chas. E. Sweet; Wisconsin, Ogden E. Fethers. The notification will be made at Oyster Bay, L. I., July 27. Elihu Root will be chairman ex-officio of the committee to notify Senator Fairbanks and will perform its duty at Indianapolis probably about Aug. 3.

After the convention was closed the Indiana delegation marched in a body to the senator's hotel from the Coliseum and gave him a rousing greeting. The Senator and Mrs. Fairbanks left here today for Indianapolis. Hundreds of telegrams of congratulation were received by the senator from all parts of the country. The Indiana delegation in the house of representatives sent a dispatch to President Roosevelt, congratulating him and promising him Indiana's electoral vote.

TOLD AT THE WHITE HOUSE

President Hears of His Formal Nomination and is Congratulated.

Washington, June 24.—When the news was given to the president that he had been formally nominated for president he was found sitting with his family. He was immediately affectionately congratulated by wife and children, chatted a few minutes and then went to the executive offices. After attending to executive business the president received numerous newspaper men and was cordially congratulated, and chatted freely with his visitors. Later Washington officials called and presented their congratulations, and all the time telegrams were pouring in of a congratulatory nature.

They brought congratulations from his Long Island neighbors, from New York delegates to the convention, from Governor Carter, of Hawaii; from the Union League, of Philadelphia; the Marquette club, of Chicago; Representative Foss, of Chicago; Workingmen's Protective Tariff League, in session at Philadelphia; Senator Alger and Reed Smoot, besides scores of other notable men and bodies.

The president sent the following to Senator Fairbanks: "Permit me to extend to you and the country my hearty congratulations on your nomination. I need hardly add how much pleased I am personally."

A reply was promptly received, as follows: "I thank you for your congratulations. To be named by the great campaign that is before us is a distinction which I greatly appreciate."

Looking Up Some Perjury Cases.

Marshall, Mich., June 24.—W. A. Powell, a member of the Good Government league, has been looking up the sworn statements made by the liquor dealers' bondsmen to the supervisors and comparing them with the liquor bonds. It is said that out of the thirty-two bondsmen perjury cases will be begun by the W. C. T. U. against twenty-eight.

DEMON OF JEALOUSY

Finds a Miscreant Who Seems to Have Been Equal to Anything.

REMIÉ-SMITH'S DEVILISH WORK

Murders His Wife and Infant—Old Soldier Gets Rid of a Rebel Bullet—State Items.

Ludington, Mich., June 24.—At Amber, three miles from this place, Remie Smith, aged 34 years, shot his young wife through the neck, killing her instantly. In her arms the woman carried her infant child and as the babe fell the inhuman father put a bullet through its brain. He then shot himself through the head, death resulting soon after. Smith and his wife had not been living together for a year. Of the entire family only a 3-year-old child survives.

Done with a Borrowed "Gun."

Just before he started to kill his wife he borrowed the revolver from Tom Welsh, foreman in the Cartier sawmill at Ludington, showing that he had premeditated the deed. Smith and his wife had been married six years, and had two children, a boy of five years, besides the babe which he killed. They lived at Ashland up to ten months ago, but Smith was jealous and his wife charged him with cruelty and left him. Since then she had been working out to support herself and the children. Smith gave up his job at Ashland and followed his wife here, begging her to return to him, but she was obdurate.

Time to Have Killed Smith.

Then Smith became desperate and threatened to shoot her unless she came back. She slammed the door in his face and neither she nor her friends paid any attention to these threats until very recently. The triple tragedy was completed before any assistance could arrive. Smith did not lose consciousness for some time and as he fell he still grasped the revolver in his hand, with his finger on the trigger, with the apparent intention of shooting Mrs. Orlando Karl, his mother-in-law, whom he had threatened more than once before. M. Bolton saw the danger of another murder and crept up to the prostrate man and wrested the revolver from his hand.

Brutal Assault with a Club.

Joseph Smith, a Pollock salt lifter, employed at Butterville, made a fierce and unexpected assault upon Jay Bacon, a fellow workman and a cripple. The latter was rendered unconscious by several terrific blows over the head with a heavy club. The two men had quarreled previously. Smith ran away after the assault, but was pursued. Fearing capture, he plunged into the lake and started to swim to Ludington, nearly a mile distant. Men followed in a boat, however, and captured him.

BULLET DROPS OUT OF HIM

Had Carried It in His Shoulder for Forty-Two Years—Got It Down South.

Battle Creek, Mich., June 24.—Jas. F. Meade, of Hastings, has lost a bullet which he had carried for the last forty-two years. Meade was a member of the Eighth Michigan infantry, and was shot at James Island, South Carolina, in June, 1862, the bullet passing in his mouth and lodging in his shoulder. It bothered him a good deal, forming abscesses, that at times threatened to end his life.

Meade has insisted for the last two years that the bullet was going down, but the doctors laughed at him. Another abscess formed a few weeks ago and Sunday while it was being cleaned the bullet came out with the pus. It looks like a buckshot and had been softened so that it could be crumbled in the hand.

Got Rich on a Dollar Watch.

Muskegon, Mich., June 24.—Miss Roberta Marcia Bannister, of this city, and Robert H. Ingersoll, of New York, were married here. The coming of the groom was impressive, he arriving on a special train from Lansing, on which were fifty of his friends from New York, Detroit and Chicago. Twenty-five years ago Ingersoll left Lansing with but \$10 in his pocket. He is now a millionaire, having invented the "dollar watch."

Oyster Bay, L. I., June 24.—When the news of the nomination of President Roosevelt reached this village a salute of twenty-one guns was fired and at night there was a display of fireworks and many of the residences in the village were illuminated.

Terrible Railway Accident.

Madrid, June 24.—Thirty persons were killed in a train wreck in the province of Teruel (one of the most mountainous in Spain, abounding in torrents). The train was derailed on a bridge over the Jiloca river and the coaches were burned.

Harmsworth Made a Baronet.

London, June 24.—Among the king's birthday honors gazetted yesterday is that of Alfred Harmsworth, proprietor of the Daily Mail and other publications, created a baronet.

Houghton, Mich., June 24.—The Atlantic mine is closed down and 700 men are idle because of the strike of 120 trammers, mostly Finns and Americans.

MULHALL'S BAIL INCREASED

Man Who Exemplified Texas Ways at the World's Fair—Read an Involuntary Prosecutor.

St. Louis, June 24.—Zach Mulhall, live stock agent of the St. Louis and San Francisco railroad, who shot and wounded three men Saturday night in front of Cummings' Wild West show on the Pike at the World's fair, appeared before Judge Moore in answer to two warrants charging assault to kill, and pleaded not guilty. Judge Moore increased his bond from \$20,000 to \$25,800, which was given, and his trial was set for July 18.

Frank Reed, the third victim of Mulhall's bullets, is the prosecuting witness, though an involuntary one. He refused to swear out a warrant, though he was compelled to swear informations in the cases of Murray and Morgan, who are too badly wounded to appear at the warrant office.

SECRETARY HAY WAS LATE

Virginia Decided in 1776 That "The People of This Country Shall Be Known as Americans."

St. Louis, June 24.—Major Humphrey Castleman, chief of the World's fair bureau of insurance, declares that he has just discovered that Secretary Hay's ruling that the people of the United States shall be known as "Americans" was ante-dated 123 years by the Virginia convention, which on April 20, 1776, passed a resolution declaring that "hereafter the people of this country shall be known as Americans."

The resolution was introduced by Carter Henry Harrison, great-great-grandfather of the present mayor, Carter H. Harrison, of Chicago, and great-great-grandfather of Major Castleman.

Too Fast with Their Auto.

Chicago, June 24.—Mrs. Warren Springer and Mrs. Kathleen Blake Coleman, the latter president of the Woman's Press club, of Canada, were arrested at the south entrance to Lincoln park for violation of the automobile speed ordinance. They were released a few minutes later on appeal to Captain Busch, of the park police.

Farragut's Ship To Be There.

Washington, June 24.—At the request of the local committee on arrangements of the encampment of the G. A. R. to be held at Boston, Aug. 15 to 20, the secretary of the navy has decided that the training ship Hartford, Farragut's old flagship, shall be in Boston harbor in time to participate in the encampment.

Paymaster Robbed.

Kingston, N. Y., June 24.—O. C. Longyear, paymaster of the Hudson River Bluestone company, was waylaid by three Italians near Stony Hollow and robbed of \$2,706. The Italians also stole his horse and wagon and the horse and wagon of another employe who was following to protect the paymaster.

Archbishop of Canterbury Coming.

London, June 24.—The archbishop of Canterbury, the Most Rev. Dr. Randall Thomas Davidson, has accepted an invitation to attend the general convention of the Protestant Episcopal church of the United States and Canada, which will be held in Boston next October.

Another New Counterfeit.

Washington, July 24.—The secret service announces the discovery of a new counterfeit \$10 United States "Buffalo" note, series of 1901, check letter C, plate No. 105, Lyons register, Roberts treasurer. It is a lithographic production.

Gathering at Winona Lake.

Warsaw, Ind., June 23.—The annual national convention of the Young People's Christian Union of the United Brethren church is in progress at Winona Lake.

THE WEATHER

The following is the official weather forecast up to 8 o'clock tonight: Illinois—Showers and thunderstorms; cooler; fresh southerly winds. Indiana—Showers; brisk southerly winds. Lower Michigan—Increasing cloudiness with showers; warmer; brisk southerly winds. Wisconsin and Iowa—Showers and thunderstorms; cooler; southerly winds.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Grain

Chicago, June 23.		Following were the quotations on the board of Trade today:		
Wheat—	Open.	Hg.	Low.	Close.
July (old)...	86 1/2	87	86	86 1/2
July (new)...	85	85 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
Sept. (old)...	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Sept. (new)...	79 1/2	80 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Corn—				
July	49 1/2	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
September	48 1/2	48	48 1/2	48 1/2
Oats—				
July	39	39 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
September	32	32 1/2	32	32
Pork—				
July	12.87 1/2	13.00	12.87 1/2	12.90
September	13.15	13.27	13.15	13.20
Lard—				
July	6.97 1/2	7.05	6.97 1/2	7.00
September	7.15	7.22 1/2	7.15	7.17 1/2
Short Ribs—				
July	7.40	7.52 1/2	7.40	7.50
September	7.62 1/2	7.72 1/2	7.60	7.70

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, June 23. Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day, 27,000; sales were made at \$4.55@5.05 for pigs, \$5.05@5.50 for hogs, \$4.05@4.90 for fair to good do., \$3.50@4.40 for mixed, and \$5.25@5.37 1/2 for heavy packing and shipping lots, with the bulk of the trading at \$5.20@5.35 for fair to good averages. Cattle—Estimated receipts for the day, 5,000; quotations ranged at \$5.70@6.50 for choice to extra steers, \$4.80@5.50 for good to choice do., \$4.35@4.90 for medium do., \$3.50@4.35 common to medium do., \$4.00@5.00 western steers, \$2.40@4.60 stockers and feeders, \$1.25@4.50 cows, \$2.60@4.75 heifers, \$2.25@4.25 bulls and oxen, \$3.00@4.40 stags, \$3.50@4.75 Texas steers, and \$3.00@5.75 veal calves. Sheep and Lambs—Estimated receipts for the day, 8,000; quotations ranged at \$3.00@5.55 westerns, \$2.75@3.65 natives, \$4.75@5.70 yearlings, \$4.65@7.20 western lambs, \$3.60@6.35 native lambs, and \$5.00@7.70 spring lambs.

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