

## Special Sale of BLANKETS for August

Geo. Wyman & Co., offer during August, Bed Blankets at special prices.

One line blankets, samples, in pairs and half pairs at 1/3 off from regular price, \$3.00 blankets for \$2.00, \$6.00 blankets for \$4.00, \$9.00 blankets for \$6.00 and so on.

We also have regular line of blankets in cotton, 45c up to \$1.25. We also have the cotton sample blankets way under price.

We make the blanket season in August. We offer every kind of blanket in wool and cotton for less money than anyone and have the goods to deliver.

### Underwear, Hosiery.

We offer one line gent's undershirts and drawers for 25c, worth 50c.

One line hosiery, 10c, worth 15c, for ladies, misses, children and men.

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

Closed evenings except Saturday

## LEMONS, LEMONS, LEMONS

Tea trade is always good with us. We have the kind that pleases our trade.

- Why be bothered with flies? Sticky and poison fly paper.
- We can sell you the largest box of good matches you ever had for 10c
- We have a choice Salmon for . . . . .13 and 20c per can
- Plum Pudding, a good article. . . . .10c
- Maple Syrup, per bottle. . . . .10c
- A few cans Sweet Corn, while they last. . . . .6c
- The largest bar Soap on the market . . . . .5c
- 2 bars good Soap. . . . .5c

### Fill your cup



Try a pound of our 20c Coffee

Special Sale Saturday, Aug. 20

## W. H. Keller

Phone 27 Buchanan

### Nearly Forfeits His Life.

A runaway almost ending fatally started a horrible ulcer on the leg of J. B. Orner, Franklin Grove, Ill. For four years it defied all doctors and all remedies. But Bucklin's Arnica Salve had no trouble to cure him. Equally good for Buns, Bruises, Skin Eruptions and Piles. 25c at W. N. Brodick's Drug Store.

First Insertion July 19, 1904

State of Michigan, In the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien. Sadio L. Jacobs, Complainant.

vs. William Jacobs, Defendant.

It is satisfactorily appearing to the court by affidavit on file that the defendant is not a resident of this State, but resides in South Bend, Ind. and State of Indiana, on motion of A. A. Worthington, solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that said defendant enter his appearance herein within four months from the date of this order, and in case of his appearance that he cause his publication to be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the above time prescribed for his appearance.

And it is further ordered, that within twenty days after the date hereof the said complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper published, printed and circulating in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the above time prescribed for his appearance.

Dated July 1st, 1904. ORVILLE W. COOPER, Circuit Judge. A. A. WORTHINGTON, Solicitor for Complainant. Last Insertion Aug. 30, 1904.

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

### Our Combination Offer.

We wish to call the special attention to our former readers to the wonderful combination offer as advertised in this issue. Don't fail to see it. Most of our readers are undoubtedly familiar with the Michigan Farmer, at least know of it as being Michigan's greatest farm paper. The other publications are popular in their line and at the price at which we offer the lot it is a bargain too good to lose. Read the advertisement.

### Better Than Gold.

"I was troubled for several years with chronic indigestion and nervous debility, writes F. J. Green, of Lancaster, N. H. "No remedy helped me until I began using Electric Bitters, which did me more good than all the medicines I ever used. They have also kept my wife in excellent health for years. She says Electric Bitters are just splendid for female troubles; that they are a grand tonic and invigorator for weak, run down women. No other medicine can take its place in our family." Try them Only 50c. Satisfaction guaranteed by W. N. Brodick.

FOR RENT—Store room recently occupied by W. S. Jones, the jeweler. One of the finest locations in town for jewelry store or other small business. Inquire of A. C. Roe. a36

## SINGS ITS PRAISES

Enthusiast Tells of the St. Joe's Beauty

### AS SEEN FROM THE BOAT

Every Curve in the Winding River is a Special Delight.

Harry E. Allen a man of observing and philosophical turn of mind who regularly writes out his thoughts for publication in the News Palladium has the following bouquet for the beauties of the St. Joseph river, which does not however, tell the whole story, for to see the picturesque river in all its beauty people who have taken the trip tell us that the only way to do it is to take a small boat at Buchanan or some point still further up and row and drift down to the mouth of the stream.

The trip from Elkhart, South Bend Niles or Buchanan is frequently taken by people who like to get next to

### SACRIFICE ALL FOR JOE.

All the Money and Work Will be Put on Tennant.

As the county campaign progresses it is becoming apparent that the main effort of the democrats is to be centered upon the election of Joseph Tennant for sheriff and that all the rest of the ticket will be sacrificed to help "Joe" in his ambition to succeed Sheriff Collins in the best office in the county, and one that it is safe to say is the most important from a political standpoint, because of the powerful organization, or "machine" that can be effected through the appointment of a deputy sheriff in every precinct of the county.

Tennant's former affiliation with the republicans was expected to help him out with voters of that faith, in fact, republican votes are absolutely essential to success, for with a nominal republican majority of 1200 to 1500 in the county, there would be no show at all for Tennant, if republicans were to vote their ticket straight or anywhere near it.

"While the democrats are to con-

### ROBBED ON THE BOAT

Chicago Man Wakes up Penniless Here.

Geo Wharton, who for several years has been an employee of the Sprague Warren grocery company of Chicago, started out Friday for his summer outing and Saturday morning awoke in St. Joseph in his stateroom on the City of Chicago, with a severe headache, an empty pocket and a watch chain minus his gold watch.

He says he is not a drinking man, but there is every evidence that he had imbibed more than he was able to carry and sufficient to make almost everything a matter of vague suspicion as to whether actual or real. He says that he was relieved of his gold watch and \$14 in cash. When he came ashore he told his troubles to officer Louis Hosbein who went with him, and at the Star restaurant found two men whom he identified as the fellows who had been with him and whom he charged with robbing him. The men were spending money freely and were in company with four women.

When they were arrested the watch

### The Prize Winners

We give a list below of those who captured the prizes at the Pioneer's picnic held at south Clear Lake last Wednesday:

The great feature of the day was the program of sports, as follows:

Oldest continuous resident farmer, John Redden, residing near Baker-town, 67 years.

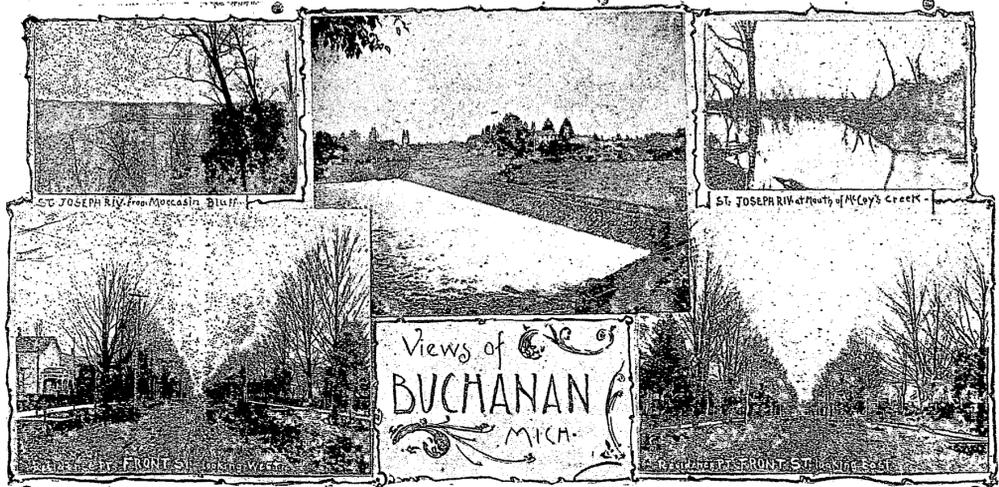
Longest whiskered man, William Rough, Portage Prairie. Length of whiskers 10 1/2 inches. Second prize, John R. Rough of Portage Prairie; length of whiskers 10 1/2 inches.

Ladies' potato peeling contest won by Minnie Milliken; second prize, Mrs. Frank Rhoades of Portage Prairie; third prize, Mrs. L. B. Rough Portage Prairie.

Men's potato peeling contest won by L. B. Rough; second Elmer Whitesell; third Jacob Hoffman of Portage Prairie.

Men's horseshoe pitching contest, straight game, won by Fred House northwest of South Bend; second, Leonard Lyddick of Walnut Grove; third, David Miller of South Bend.

Men's horseshoe pitching contest, mixed game, won by James B. Clem-



nature, and under favorable weather conditions it is said to be a most fascinating pleasure. Here is what Allen says of the trip up the river.

"We have lived in Michigan only three summers. But if we were to remain here a century one or more trips up the St. Joseph river with Captain Fikes each season would be the program that we would want to carry out.

"I find there are many who have resided here for a number of years, farmers and others, who have never taken a boat ride up this the most picturesque river in Michigan. No one has seen Michigan who has failed to take this trip. Every curve in the winding river ushers in a new world of beauty and when this magnificent panorama is illuminated by whole bundles of jokes by the inimitable Captain Fikes the sensation can only be enjoyed but never expressed owing to the poverty of our language.

### A UNIFORM COURSE

Will be Prepared for Graded and High Schools.

Lansing, Aug. 15.—Nine prominent educators of the state have been appointed by Superintendent of Public Instruction Fall as a commission to prepare a uniform course of study for the graded schools of the state, the course to cover the eight lower grades.

This commission will confer with the commission of seven already appointed to prepare a uniform course for Michigan high schools, the object being to have the two courses supplement each other. It is not intended to make the adoption of these courses compulsory upon either the graded or high schools.

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centrate their efforts on Tennant, it is also true that Tennant will be the shining mark at which republicans will aim their shafts in the effort to oust the representative of the other party from the best office in the county.

The republican leaders do not feel kindly towards Tennant and they have no reason to. Tennant was a candidate before the republican convention in 1900 for the nomination for sheriff when B. F. Earl won out. Tennant was sore over his defeat and immediately after the nomination of Collins by the democrats, he threw himself at the feet of the democrats and in exchange for his services in the campaign he was rewarded after Mr. Collins' election with an appointment as deputy sheriff.

It is not considered on account of Tennant's desertion of his party in the manner stated, that he has any show to get the votes of any portion of the stalwart element of the republican party. What he gets will be confined to the votes of personal friends here and there and that will be fully offset by the personal vote Roy Clark will get, for Clark is a mixer himself, and can cover as much ground as any man in Berrien county.

If Clark holds his own party vote level, and there is no present indication that he will not do so, Mr. Tennant is not apt to be a tenant of the sheriff's office after Jan. 1, next.—Niles Sun.

### Great Clubbing Offer For August.

The Michigan Farmer (weekly,) The American Poultry Advocate (monthly,) The Woman's Magazine (monthly,) from now until Jan. 1, 1905, and the Buchanan Record for one year, all for only \$1.50.

This offer is good only during the month of August. Come in quick or you will miss this great opportunity.

Wine Lo-Ti (Oonley's) beef, iron and wine with nerve is the perfect food tonic. There is no other like it or equal to it. Price 50c at Dr. E. S. Dodd & Son's.

was found on one of them, and they admitted having taken it, but denied having taken the money.

Wharton's story is that he met these men in Chicago, came on the boat with them and that he finally secured a stateroom, put his money and watch in his trousers pocket and laying his coat and vest on the upper berth, locked his door and lay down to sleep. He vaguely remembers having heard these men enter and leave his room in the night.

When the men were brought before Justice Bracelin they gave their names as Edward Andrew and Andrew Stone, but it is not believed these are their right names. They say Wharton bought liquor for them in Chicago before going on the boat. They demanded an examination, which will be held on the 17.

Justice Bracelin put their bonds at \$500 each which they could not furnish and they are now in jail.—St. Joseph Press.

### Treat the Editor Fairly.

Every man in every town during the course of a lifetime has to ask a favor of an editor—not an exception to this rule. A man may escape a doctor, keep clear of the courts, but once in a life time, at least, every man has to go to a newspaper to ask to have a certain piece put in—a death notice, a marriage notice, etc.; to have a certain piece kept out or to have his name printed in, or omitted from an item. It is therefore to your interest to treat the editor fairly. He desires to be fair; he would rather do the right than wrong thing; but if you give him a kick, the dent of it may be found in the top of your own hat some day and you will never know how it got there. Don't you think you are immune; don't think that providence has especially favored you. Your time will come, and when it does come, it will be a fine investment if you have a friend in the editor's office.—Hiawatha (Kan.) World.

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ens of Portage Prairie; second J. J. Clemens, southwest of South Bend; third, W. P. Cauffman of Portage Prairie.

Ladies' horseshoe pitching contest, won by Mrs. John B. Kizer Portage Prairie; second, Mrs. Frank Rhoades; third, Mrs. Henry Sellers Portage Prairie.

Baby show, under one year, won by daughter of William Gillis, north of South Bend; second, Janette Korn, of Percival Rough of Portage Prairie.

Foot race for boys under ten years, won by Earl Bestle, Portage Prairie; second, Robert Wells, Portage Prairie.

Foot race for girls ten years old and under, won by Zella Regenos of Portage Prairie; second, Mary Lindley, Warren township; third, Ethel Matthews, Warren township.

Foot race for boys 15 years old and under, won by Orville Badgor, southwest of Niles; second, Perry Korn, Portage Prairie.

Foot race for girls 15 years old and under, won by Sophia Zellers, Warren township; second, Janette Korn, South Bend; third, Agnes Phillips.

Human wheelbarrow race, won by Clarence Cauffman, Portage Prairie; second, John Wilson, Portage Prairie.

Walking contest for men over 70 years—William Keeler of Buchanan, aged 88 years, went 150 yards in one minute and 12 seconds.

Walking contest for ladies over 60 years, no entries.

Shot put contest, won by Ralph Rockhill, Warren township, 40 feet and 4 inches; second, Alonzo Matthews, Dayton, Mich., 36 feet and 9 inches.

Barrel contest, won by Edwin Rough; second, Elmer Whitesell of Warren township.

Foot race free for all, 100 yards, won by L. J. Grafton, New Carlisle, 19 seconds; second, Alonzo Matthews.

In the tug of war the Indiana team failed to materialize and the prize cup remains with Michigan. Officers were chosen as follows: J. E. Cauffman, re-elected president; L. B. Rough, re-elected secretary; David Hawblitzel, re-elected treasurer; vice-president from Indiana, Elmer Whitmer; from Michigan, Fred W. Howe.

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**\$1.00 PER YEAR.**

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**REPUBLICAN TICKET**  
NATIONAL

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 Eau Claire.



For Governor—  
**FRED M. WARNER,**  
Of Farmington  
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.

We wish to call the attention of the Street Commissioner to the foot bridge on north Portage street near the feed mill. Railings should be put up to guard the approach to the bridge at each end. This would be a small matter, but it would relieve what is now a dangerous place, especially at night.

The RECORD has been criticised for the position it has taken in regard to several questions of interest to the welfare of our citizens. Because we have given the people the fact, and especially with regard to the water works, some of the critics say that we should have kept some of the things we said out of print. The article contained nothing but facts and our citizens ought to know the true conditions. When a newspaper has not the courage to inform its citizens of facts that are of importance to the community, then it should cease to receive the support of the people. It is our purpose to bring out other needed reforms that will be of benefit to Buchanan people and that will be for the best interests of all our citizens. We do not intend to enter into personalities because they are always more detrimental than beneficial.

The Benton Harbor Review is making a great howl about the republican county campaign fund. In the course of his article he says:

"We do not blame the interested parties for denying that there is a \$9000 campaign fund. We'd do it too if the democrats were so flush as all that."

Its pretty hard lines when all you have got to conduct a campaign on

is wind. But then you know poverty makes some people so honest that it is hard to live with them. Brother Harkrider admits that if the democrats had so much money he would deny it, still he poses as a great reformer and an honest man. In another column of the same issue of his paper is this item:

"The Democratic County committee meets Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 in the Lake View parlors."

Will the Review be willing to proclaim how much the candidates on the democratic ticket will be assessed at this meeting?

The Muskegon News, nearly fifty years a democratic paper, changes to republican. In a two column editorial it arraigns the Hill-Gorman-Belmont combine and asserts that Roosevelt's election is for the country's best interests.

"Third notice." Every editor has received them. The postmaster is not to blame. For instance there is a man by the name of—well, say Tim Short—who sent us three notices to stop his paper. He did not want it any longer. We wondered what was the matter. Upon investigating our subscription book we found that Tim was short \$3.70. He had never paid a cent and yet he stopped his paper as a matter of economy to us. A few evenings ago we passed a church, and Tim's melodious voice rang out loud and clear in the old soul-stirring song, "Jesus paid it all." We might have been mistaken, but his earnestness impressed us. The next day we sent him a receipt in full begging his pardon for not knowing that he had made an assignment of his liabilities to the Lord.—Eau Claire Enterprise.

**At the Camp Ground.**

Last Friday was the thirtieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Dodd, and the Buchanan people at Crystal Springs arranged for a surprise on Mrs. Dodd, who was camping there.

Accordingly they spirited her away and proceeded to decorate the cottage with flowers of various hues, and a wedding bouquet with a profusion of white ribbon was presented to the bride. Ice cream and cake was served and a "toast" was given. Rev. Douglass gave a few words of advice to the unmarried guests and the gathering dispersed.

Those present were: Rev. and Mrs. W. J. Douglass, Mrs. Dana Phelps, Mrs. M. Redden, Mrs. Alice Rose, Mrs. E. Cunningham, Mrs. M. M. Knight, Mrs. M. E. Johnson, Mrs. C. A. Westgate, Miss Emma Samson and Miss Mattie Smith.

**On The Rocks**

The steamer Yantic, with four battalions of Michigan Naval Reserves aboard, ran on the rocks about a mile west of the lighthouse at Harbor Springs, Mich. at 4 o'clock Sunday morning.

The tugs Wheeler and Sailor, of Charlevoix, went to her assistance and succeeded in releasing her about 5 o'clock in the afternoon. The Yantic was not damaged. The wrecker Favorite, from Cheboygan, was dispatched to the stranding, but the Yantic was released before her arrival.

The Yantic is now on her annual cruise and has aboard about 200 members of the Reserves. The target at Mackinac has been completed and the boat is now on her way to Detroit. The Benton Harbor battalion was ordered home by rail and arrived in that city Sunday afternoon.

**Of Special Interest to Women.**

It is doubtful if any other newspaper in the United States caters so successfully to the varied interests of the home as does the Chicago Record-Herald. There is a fashion article in every issue; a department devoted to interesting items of unending variety concerning matters in which women have especial interest; Mme. Qui Vive's "Woman Beautiful" column, in which questions concerning the toilet, etc., are answered and useful hints are given, Meals for a Day, including menus and recipes for the three meals every day; an installment of a high grade serial story, and in addition the "Stories of the Day" column on the editorial page. S. E. Kiser's humorous Alternating Currents, the boys' and girls' page and Dr. Withrow's article on the Sunday school lesson in the Friday issues; also entertaining and valuable book reviews, and in the Sunday issues numerous special fashion, household and other articles, all very interesting to the sex, including the best full page of fashions appearing in any newspaper; How to be Healthy and Beautiful, by Mrs. Henry Symes, A Page for the Home Dressmaker, and two full pages, beautifully colored, reproducing the latest fashions.

**HAD A CLOSE CALL**

Geo. Graham, of Niles, Struck a Live Power Wire.

**GOT 2,300 VOLT SHOCK.**

Was Working For Michigan Telephone Company.

About 2:30 o'clock this afternoon the people on south Oak street were startled by several cries and investigation showed that Geo. Graham, of Niles, one of the employes of the Michigan Telephone Co. had received a shock of electricity and was hanging to a pole at the corner near S. J. Smith's house.

A large crowd gathered at once and the telephone men with the assistance of the bystanders took him down and into Frank Dickinson's house. Drs. Curtis and Garland were called and the injured man was restored in about twenty minutes.

Mr. Graham was working on a carriage securing the lead cable to what is known as the messenger wire, and when he got to the pole at the corner which holds the electric power wires, he found that he could not get past these power wires on his carriage, so he came down a telephone pole near by and climbed up the power wire pole to push his carriage past this power wire pole, in doing so the carriage became loosened at one end striking the power wires, this charged the messenger wire. It was from this messenger wire that he got the shock. When the crowd arrived they all thought that he was dead, as he hung from the pole in a limp condition, and but for his safety belt he would have fallen to the ground and perhaps sustained more serious injuries.

The only place where it can be seen that he was burned by the deadly current is a very small spot on his left hand.

Mr. Graham is a son-in-law of Chas. Simmons, a former Buchanan citizen, and his wife is a granddaughter of Sandford Smith. He is a fine young man and one well thought of by his friends and associates. We are extremely glad that he had so fortunate an escape.

**SUIT AGAINST CONN.**

Chas. A. Chapin Has Commenced Another Suit.

Chas. A. Chapin, the Michigan water power man who was in the local courts a great deal at one time, has entered the lists alone against C. G. Conn. Mr. Chapin is interested more deeply in the Hen Island dam proposition than in the Elkhart Power company from a financial standpoint, it urged, but it is to protect his interests in the Elkhart Power company that he states that he brings the suit against Col. Conn.

The suit was filed yesterday in the United States court at Indianapolis, and is an action in equity against the Elkhart Power company to restrain them from raising the dam in the St. Joseph river.—Goshen News-Times.

"In 1856 the Michigan Southern & Northern and Northern Indiana railroad company had three cars, each 45 feet long, for baggage, mail and express service," says an exchange. "One end was for baggage, the express was in the middle, room 12 foot long and the width of the car. At the other end was the postoffice, a room 14 feet in length by 7½ in width, a passageway on one side curtailing this room in width. One car of this kind was run each day, six days in the week. The Air Line was not then completed. This was the local service between Chicago and Toledo. Another man and another car of about the same type continued the service east of Toledo to Cleveland and again at Erie. The gauge of track east of Toledo was 1½ inches wider than the track west of Toledo, hence the change of cars on each division of the line. Railroads had not at that time learned the use of the broad tread wheels. At present the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern railroad and the New York Central have in this service 75 60-foot cars and 25 apartment cars. These cars are run in five trains westbound and seven trains eastbound, using daily 33 cars and requiring the service of 675 clerks.

**County Seat News**

**NEW SUITS**

Marie Birkholtz vs Carrie M. Daufen and John V. Philips, individually, and as administrator of the estate of Wm. A. Daufen and Jacob S. Heckman, deceased, foreclosure.

John Snorf vs Keystone Co. replevin.

Anna Dee vs Thomas Dee, divorce. They were married in Benton Harbor, May 7, 1885, and lived together until June 20, 1904. Charge, nonsupport, drunkenness and gambling from the proceeds of his farm in Benton township.

John Snorf vs Samuel E. Bolton, replevin.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Samuel R. Elliott, 20, Niles; Laura I. Hartley, 18, same.

Henry L. Casper, 30, Lansing; Mildred Mead, 24, Vandalia.

John H. Sutherland, 35, Pipestone, Vena Bakeman, 32, same.

Theodore Zick, 24, Watertown, Wis. Anna Nichol, 26, St. Joseph.

John S. Marton, 33, Ada K. Allsopp, Niles.

Harry O. Smith, 21, St. Joseph; Kattie E. Barrows, 18, Benton Harbor.

Walter E. Starr, 34; Blanche A. Starr, 28, Marion, Ind.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

John G. Luther to Eli Sands lot 7 Hobart add Buchanan \$200.

Edward E. Brant to Rachel L. Lazams lots 54 55 Buchanan \$110

Mary E. Matthews to Harry B. Howe part n e ½ s w ¼ sec 39 Buchanan \$200

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**EXCURSIONS**

VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

World's Fair St. Louis.

Round trip tickets at low rate. On sale at all ticket stations. Ask agents for rates, limit of tickets and full particulars.

**Northern Resort**

September 6th

Annual Low Rate Excursion

Good for ten days' trip to

The Resort Country.

Excursion tickets will be on sale at all of the principal offices of the Pere Marquette R. R. Co. on date above mentioned, for regular and special trains.

Tickets will be sold to following points, but may be used to intermediate stations north of and including Baldwin, where regular trains are scheduled to stop:

Ludington, Traverse City, Manistee, Elk Rapids, Charlevoix, Bay View, Petoskey, Frankfort, Mackinac Island.

For particulars as to rates, time of trains, etc., see large bills or make inquiry of Pere Marquette agent.

**Low rate excursion**

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Pere Marquette and

Wabash railroads and

D. & B. Boats

Thursday, August 18th

To Niaga Falls

" Toronto, Ont.

" Montreal, Que.

" Alexandria Bay.

Tickets are good to return for 12 days from date of sale. For rates and particulars see local agents.

South Haven, rate \$ .75  
Ottawa Beach, " 1.00  
Grand Rapids, " 1.00  
Sunday, August 21.

Train will leave Buchanan at 7:00 a. m.  
See posters or ask agents for particulars.

Susbanfest at Grand Rapids.  
H. F. MOELLER,  
G. P. A.

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Your OLD HARNESS and have it made good as new. I am prepared to do all kinds of HARNESS and SHOE REPAIRING.

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Thousands of spring suits and overcoats from the best manufacturers in the United States are here for you to choose from. All our suits from \$7.50 up are strictly wool, well made, trimmed with good, durable linings and fit well. All suits from \$12.50 up are hand made throughout by custom tailors, have hand shaped collars and lapels, and are equal in appearance and wear to the finest made-to-measure garments.

OUR CHILDREN'S DEPARTMENT is the largest in South Bend. We always show the very latest novelties in Boys' wear, and at very reasonable prices.

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.

OUR FURNISHING GOODS DEPARTMENT contains hundreds of different styles of new spring shirts, neckwear and underwear from 25c up in price, in all the latest colorings and designs.

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Buchanan, Michigan.

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**Entire Stock**

of Summer Horse Goods

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Have a large stock of new and second hand school books, for town and country besides

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## LOCAL NOTES

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The best Can Rubbers at W.H. Keller's.

FOR SALE—Forty acres of land. Inquire of Enos Holmes.

Fresh line of our ten cent candies just received. The Racket.

Best glass quart cans 50c per doz. Best can tops 20c per doz. Del Jordan

Leave laundry at Skeet's Cafe. All work guaranteed. Buchanan Steam Laundry.

Largest sale on flour last week we have had. Try Garbelle, it's a winner. W. H. Keller.

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

Persons desiring visiting cards in the latest styles and newest type faces will find them by inquiring of the Record.

Come to the United Brethren church, Sunday, Aug. 21, and spend the evening in Jerusalem with Mr. Zachariah Kinne.

Unclaimed letters remaining in P. O. at Buchanan, Mich., for week ending Aug. 16, 1904: Miss Jennie Shafer. G. W. NOBLE, P. M.

John Omher, the new manager of the Electric Light and Power Co. at Buchanan, is moving his family into the rooms over the post office, today.

**See Parkinson for fine shoe repairing.**

Elder J. H. Paton will preach in the Larger Hope church next Sunday both morning and evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all to be present.

"Running an auto must be exciting," said the friend. "It is," said the owner. "Every time you stop you wonder if the machine will start again when you are ready."

A Niles paper heads a hair raising train robbery story with "Tell a Graphic Tale." Most of the news stories originating in that section of the woods really are more "telegraphic tales."—Detroit Free Press.

**Handkerchief Sale all this week at Boardman's.**

"Si Plunkard" in all his glory, with the "Fairview Band," was in town last Friday. They made Rough's opera house their headquarters while here, and received a house jammed full of callers. Lewis is the same old farmer and delighted his audience as did also Michael Crow.

BUCHANAN MARKETS	
Week ending Aug. 14. Subject to change:	
Butter	14c
Lard	10c
Eggs	16c
Potatoes,	40c
The Pears-East Grain Co., report the following prices on grain to-day:	
Wheat No. 2 Red and White.	90c
Corn, Yellow	45c
Rye	56

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.	

Bread, Pies and Cakes at W. H. Keller's.

Try our crackers. They will please you. W. H. Keller.

Straw hats cleaned, 15c. at Buchanan Steam Laundry.

20c Coffee is a winner with our trade, try it. W. H. Keller.

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

Ten cent glassware and chinaware for five cents next Saturday at the Racket.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Portz moved yesterday into the Wes Smith house on Portage street

FARM TO RENT—About three miles west of town. Good for stock. Inquire of A. C. Roe. a36

LOST—A Lady Maccabee pin, either down town or on North Portage street. Please leave at RECORD office.

The ladies of the G. A. R. will hold an ice cream social on the lawn at Loren Sweet's home, on Saturday evening Aug. 20.

No broken collars, Linen as clean and white as snow. The Model Laundry is up to date, office Van's Bakery. Try us.

The Buchanan Cash Grocery have made quite an improvement in their store by the addition of a fine new wire railing around the desk.

Lo-tus Pellets you will find are the best family pills, curing indigestion and constipation and all diseases of the liver and stomach. Small and

**See Parkinson for fine shoe repairing.**

Fred Drier, night operator at the Michigan Central is taking day operator Guyberson's place during his vacation. A. R. Graham of Glenwood will fill Mr. Drier's place nights.

Campmeeting closed at Crystal Springs Sunday, and the Buchanan people who were in attendance returned home yesterday. They report a very enthusiastic meeting.

The Berrien Springs post of G. A. R. will be represented at the national encampment at Boston, by five of its members: R. Scriber, W. H. Miller, Henry Moyer, John Hollenbeck and C. Wicoff.

The guitar recital by Johnson Bane at the Christian Church last night, was greatly enjoyed by a fair sized audience. They all speak in the highest terms of Mr. Bane's execution upon his favorite instrument.

A Kalamazoo young couple were married Wednesday evening in the den of lions with the Ferrari Bros' company. They had been engaged for some time, with the wedding set for August 18.

Victor M. Carr, of Hartsville, Ind., while going through the county records in order to establish a clear title to 120 acres of land owned by him, was astonished to find that a mortgage calling for \$8500, executed 61 years ago, remained unsatisfied. Its existence was unknown to any person living, all of the principles being dead. Mr. Carr appealed to the courts and the title was cleared. This is another warning that people should be careful in all legal matters affecting property interests.

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For Infants and Children.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
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## PERSONAL.

Lee Mead of Chicago is visiting in Buchanan.

R. D. Dix, of Berrien Springs, was in town Sunday.

John Simmons, of South Bend, spent Sunday in Buchanan.

Miss Mabel Kissinger, of Niles, was a Buchanan visitor over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Reynolds of Three Oaks, were Buchanan callers Friday.

Chas. E. Clark and family, of Niles, spent Sunday with relatives in Buchanan.

J. P. Reistle returned Saturday from his trip to Vermont and Massachusetts.

Mrs. M. M. Church went so South Bend yesterday, to visit her daughter Mrs. C. W. Myler.

Ralph C. Gosline, of Sturgis, Mich., spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Stern of Allegan, were the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sig Desenberg, yesterday.

Mrs. Sarah E. Smith was the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. L. McKie, at Three Oaks, last week

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Baker of Chicago, are visiting relatives in Buchanan and vicinity this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac C. Chamberlin went to Chicago Saturday. Mrs. Chamberlin will stay for a short visit.

Misses Hazel Schram and Anna Detling, of South Bend, spent Sunday at the home of Valentine Schram.

Ward Smith went to Niles Sunday afternoon, and returned in the evening accompanied by Minnie McCoy.

Mrs. P. Zubrigg and little daughter Ruth are making an extended visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Halmhuber.

Mr. and Mrs. Sig Desenberg returned home Sunday evening from Lawton, where they were visiting relatives.

Mesdames Ward and Howard Shaw, of South Bend, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Poyser over Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Watson, of Three Oaks, came to this place Friday and went with the Happy-Go-Lucky Club to South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fleisher and their daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. Modest are visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Harner.

Mrs. F. C. Hathaway of Sandusky, O. came to Buchanan Saturday for an extended visit with her parents and other relatives.

W. H. Keller returned this morning from his vacation, which he spent in Canada. He was accompanied home by his nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Nichols, of Scribner, Neb., and Mrs. Wm. H. Donley, of Michigan City, spent Sunday at Wm. H. Ingalls.

Mr and Mrs. W. N. Keeler went to Marshall, yesterday to attend the "Home Coming" celebration. They will be gone all the week.

John Redden and daughter Miss Daisy and Miss Emma Richter, of Dayton, started today for St. Louis, Mo. to attend the world's fair.

Mr. A. H. Erbe, of the Whiting Paper Co., Chicago, was a caller at this office Monday. He is spending two weeks at Clear Lake Farm.

Geo. Guyberson started last night for Divide, Mont., for a two weeks' vacation. He was accompanied as far as Chicago by Mrs. Guyberson.

Rev. Chas. Shook returned home Friday evening from Jeffersonville, Ind., where he had been conducting a series of meetings for the past ten days.

Mrs. Levi Lister and son Frank started for their home in Bay St. Louis, Miss. last Friday, after an extended visit with relatives in this place.

The Misses Ida Flieshmann, Kittie Hoffman, Dora Hartlieb and Mildreth J. Dougherty, returned to Chicago Saturday, after a week's stay in Buchanan.

Mrs. L. Fulkerson and daughter, Mrs. R. McCombs and daughter and Mrs. Milton Helmick and children of South Bend, were guests at the home of Eli Helmick Saturday.

O. W. Remington and daughter Hazel, of Marcellus spent Sunday in this place. Mr. Remington returned home yesterday but Miss Hazel will remain for a visit with Mrs. J. R. Bishop.

Mrs. Abner Robinson accompanied by her daughter Mrs. May Seavy, of Wabash, Ind. started Saturday for Summerside, Prince Edwards Isle, where they will stay for a month's visit with Mrs. Robinson's father.

John Hershonow started for New York city Sunday evening. He will be gone about a week.

T. W. Thomas and C. E. Phelps started Sunday for Boston to attend the national encampment of the G. A. R. From there Mr. Thomas will visit in Portland, Maine, and in Vermont, while Mr. Phelps will visit his old home in Massachusetts. They expect to be gone about a month.

**Boardman's Midsummer Hdkf. Sale ends Saturday.**

A North Branch editor has a streak of bad luck that is following him in his dreams. He was just about to step into his new \$10,000 automobile the other night when three bed slats gave way.

Sweet young thing (in bathingsuit)—Surely, Aunt Margaret, you're not going to wear your spectacles the water?

Aunt M.—Indeed, I am. Nothing shall induce me to take off another thing.

As a result of the increased payment of taxes by railroads in the state, the amount of money to be apportioned among the primary schools is considerably increased. The per capita amount at the next distribution in November will be \$2.60.

"A Berrien county farmer in commenting upon the scarcity of farm labor says he is offering \$6 per day and board to hay makers. He asks only four hours' work a day, will agree to do all the mending and if the hand stays till fall, he can have the farm.

During the storm Saturday afternoon, a limb on a maple tree near the Pere Marquette depot was blown down and across the cable that holds the arc light. When the linemen cut the limb down it brought the light with it, breaking the globe and jamming it up in general.

The Gillette roller bearing company of Grand Rapids, formerly of Benton Harbor started suit against the Garden City Fan Company of Niles, claiming an infringement on a patent and asking the court to grant an injunction against the company, also for an accounting and damages.

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.

Mrs. Jennie Russell has been engaged by the board of education to teach the first grade in the Buchanan schools, made vacant by the resignation of Mrs. W. L. Mercer. Mrs. Russell had been re-engaged by the Bridgeman schools for the primary department, but she has resigned that position to accept the position in the schools here.

A Buchanan young man who made arrangements to take his girl out riding, does not stand well with her any more. The girl has auburn hair. When he drove to her home for her, he found her standing in the door waiting, whereupon he called out; "Hello! Ready?" The door slammed and he has not seen her since.—Niles Star. The funny part of it all is, that the aforesaid girl was a Niles girl and the instance only shows the quick tempers of our neighbors.

The Youth's Companion of August 18th shows no sign of midsummer dulness. Prof. W. Homes, chief of the Bureau of American Ethnology, contributes an article packed with interesting information on "The Earliest Americans," and there are four first-rate short stories, several character sketches, and half a dozen of those brief humorous paragraphs for which The Companion is famous, and are so well worth remembering and telling "over the teacups."

Deputy Sheriff Pierce received word yesterday afternoon from John Trimble guard at the Jackson penitentiary, that two members of Slater's gang who escaped from the prison Monday are thought to be hiding in this neighborhood, and in company with Officer Francis scoured the country north of here from Pokagon to Buchanan. No trace was found of the runaways however. Two men supposed to have been the prisoners are said to have attempted to force an entrance to the home of Chas. Davis on the Berrien road but according to meager reports received they

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were frightened away by Mr. Davis who fired a revolver. The county officers are on the qui vive to capture the men both in order to get the reward and to prevent if possible any further crime.—Niles Sun.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the many friends who so kindly gave their assistance during the recent illness and death of our father.

MRS. JOSEPH KORN  
MRS. ALBERT BAUGHMAN  
MRS. O. C. HOWE  
MISS KATE LONG  
IRA LONG  
GEO. LONG  
EDWARD LONG.

Bids

Notice is hereby given that C. B. Treat will receive sealed bids, for the furnishing of material and painting the interior of the Buchanan High School Building, Buchanan, Mich., according to plans and specifications now on file at the store of C. B. Treat. Bids to be received not later than August 17, 1904, at ten o'clock a.m. The right to reject any or all bids is hereby reserved.  
W. H. KELLER,  
Director of school district No. 1 fractional.

Saved From Terrible Death

The family of Mrs. M. L. Bobbitt of Bargerton, Tenn., saw her dying and were powerless to save her. The most skillful physicians and every remedy used, failed, while consumption was slowly but surely taking her life. In this terrible hour Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption turned despair into joy. The first bottle brought immediate relief and its continued use completely cured her. It's the most certain cure in the world for all throat and lung troubles Guaranteed. Bottles 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at W. N. Brodrick's drug store.

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# A COOL HAND MICHIGAN AT THE FAIR

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I was employed in a wholesale house in a city that shall be nameless, and rooming at a hotel, and one evening I had purchased the current magazine and sat down for a long read. I had read for two hours or more without rising from my chair when the door of the clothes closet suddenly opened and a man who had been in hiding there walked out. He was not a tough-looking man, though he had a pistol in his hand, and his appearance was so sudden that I was simply surprised.

"Well, who are you?" I asked as he advanced and took a seat.

"Perhaps you read in the evening papers of a bank being swindled?" he queried in reply.

"Yes, but what has that got to do with you?"

"Well, to tell you the truth, I am the man who got the money."

"But how did you come to be hiding here in my room? The papers said that the man got away."

"I had other plans, but they miscarried—in fact, a pal of mine lost his nerve at a critical moment and left me in the lurch. I dodged into this hotel in search of a temporary asylum and was lucky enough to find your door unlocked—carelessness of the chambermaid probably. Did you ever see \$3,000 in one pile? Good for some eyes! See here."

He fumbled in his breast pocket for a moment and then brought out the money. There were three separate packages—\$5,000, \$2,000 and \$1,000—but he had tied them all together and made one large package. Most of the bills were new, and the bundle was worth a second look.

"This means clothes, quail on toast, a trip to London, Paris and Berlin," he said as he fondly patted the money.

"Look here, old chappie," he continued as he coolly stretched at full length on the bed. "I'm willing to divvy with you. Hand in your resignation and take a European tour with me. It'll help your health and broaden your mind. This bundle will enable us to travel first class for a year."

His impudence aggravated me. I had not recovered from my surprise, and as he looked at me for an answer I said:

"I'll see you hanged first. I'm not making European tours with bank snags and forgers. Your trip will end at the front door of the state prison!"

"Too peppery—altogether too peppery," he quietly observed. "And do you think I'll be arrested?"

"Certainly. I'm going to take you downstairs and turn you over to the police."

"That's all wool and a yard wide, but it will shrink when you come to try it on," he said as he flung his feet off the bed and stood up. "I don't know that I blame you for refusing the trip to Europe, but please don't be an idiot in other directions. You shave yourself, don't you?" he finally asked as he turned to me.

"Yes; my razor is in the right hand top drawer."

"Ah, thanks! Good razor, good brush, good soap. That makes shaving a luxury."

He handled the razor with the deftness of a barber, and in seven or eight minutes he was clean shaved. He had sandy hair, while his eyebrows were almost red. There was a bottle of black ink on the dresser. He used his handkerchief for a sponge and colored his eyebrows. With the same fluid he made up as neat a black eye as one rowdy ever gave another, and he was chuckling as he turned to me to say:

"Just one thing more, old man—a suit of clothes—your oldest suit. I'll pay cash for it."

I had a much worn suit in the wardrobe, which I handed out.

"Rather a tight fit, but I'll make it do," he said as he began to peel off. "My object is not to pass myself off for you, but to get rid of the Scotch tweed. You can sell that suit for at least \$10, and here's \$25 for yours."

"I don't want your money."

"Don't be finicky. That's no part of this bundle, but was honestly earned. I'll leave it on the dresser. Now, then, to wrap the money in this newspaper and take my departure. Look here, my boy; take this thousand and put it where it will give you a start."

"I'd starve first!"

"Too good to ever get ahead of the game! What course are you going to pursue when I leave the room?"

"Kick myself for a fool and then go to bed!"

"Go to bed without doing the kicking act. You are the most sensible young man I've met in a year. If I'm arrested, I shall say nothing about what's happened here; if I get away, I shall always feel hurt that you wouldn't take some of the money. Tra-la, old man!"

When he had closed the door I locked it and sat down. After a quarter of an hour had slipped away I tumbled into bed. I fell asleep after a bit, and it was 7 o'clock before I opened my eyes. While I was dressing I had to go to the dresser for a hand collar button, and the ink stained handkerchief caught my eye. As I picked it up—lo, there was the \$1,000 package of greenbacks in plain view! Did the man get away? Yes, he walked downstairs and out of doors unquestioned, and the detectives never got a clew on him after that night. He probably went to one of the depots and took a train. About the money, I returned it to the bank by mail, and my action is still a puzzle to the bank officials and detectives. I could enlighten them, but I shall not.

## A Brief Description of Some of the Displays.

St. Louis, August 11.—It is no little gratification to Michigan people to find the Wolverine state ably represented at the world's fair, and is no less a pleasure to enjoy the pleasing hospitality which prevades the beautiful state structure bearing the title "Michigan."

It is no light task to forcibly display the wealth of resources of which Michigan can boast, yet every exhibit of the state is comprehensive and emphasizes the fact that Michigan is one of the foremost states in the union.

Situated on the main avenue leading to the plateau of states and facing the United States Government and Fisheries buildings, the Michigan building claims the distinction of occupying the most advantageous and the most commanding position to be accorded a state building. The structure in itself is appropriate to this honor and presents a most pleasing appearance. There are more splendid state edifices and more splendidly furnished, yet none possesses to a greater degree the home like qualities and conveniences for rest and comfort, which is so essential to a state building. It is this characteristic which has made the Michigan building a favorite at the exposition.

The Grecian style prevails in the architecture. Broad porticos surround the sides and front, and furnished with a multitude of willow chairs, rockers and porch seats, the building is inviting indeed. The interior with its parlors, writing-rooms, offices and reception rooms is decidedly attractive. The furniture and appointments are productions of Michigan and are in harmony with the building, emphasizing comfort and ease, and yet not making an attempt at elaborateness. Surrounding the building is a rose hedge whose wealth of flowers and foliage forms a pleasing contrast to the ivory white of the building.

With the established record of Michigan as a mineral state, it is but fitting that the exhibit in the Palace of Mines and Metallurgy should be one of the finest presented by the state. This display is one of the most interesting to be found in the building and most convincing in its detail and scope. The leading and most prominent feature is copper. Models of the No. 2 shaft-house of the Tamarack mine, and a shaft-house stamp mill of the Calumet & Hecla mine never fail to interest. Pyramids of cast copper cakes, wire bars, ingots, ingot bars, together with samples of stamp rock, mineral, photographs of mines, copper tubing, sheet and wire complete the display of this metal. A mass of copper weighing 6375 pounds and assaying 95% copper is evidence of the richness of Michigan's mines.

With a hundred samples of ore, including hard, soft and magnetic, and an extensive collection of photographs of mines showing both the surface and underground workings, iron industry of the state is well displayed, while another of Michigan's leaders, salt, also receives conspicuous attention. Enclosing the entire exhibit is a handsome wall of cement, which forms only a part of an interesting display of this product. Over 1500 rare and valuable specimens characteristic of the minerals found in Michigan are shown in glass cases. No state is able to make as comprehensive an exhibit as the wolverine, the great variety of minerals found in large quantities giving it prestige over the other states.

Through the efforts of a special commission, Michigan is able to claim a very creditable exhibit in the Palace of Forestry, Fish and Game. Enclosing the exhibit space is a rustic fence and arch of Norway pine, from which the birch bark baskets filled with northern ferns are hung. The foreground is occupied by a long table on which trade products manufactured from wood are shown. Most interesting of these is paper produced by the Fletcher Paper company of Alpena. The wood is shown in the log, chips, cooked, pulp and paper, these being the various stages of the wood from log to the finished product.

The exhibit table is of interest in itself, as its front is of various ornamental woods to be found in the

state. The variety is surprising, more than seventeen woods being shown. Woods for flooring also receiving attention. The sides of the booth are formed of slabs both in rough and dressed condition. The rustic background supporting large mounted photographs is supplanted by planks of sundry varieties of wood, both in a rough and finished state.

A number of interesting facts are brought out in the exhibit. Salt finds its place for the reason that 4,387,982 barrels of salt are evaporated with refuse fuel from the saw mills. From 223 pounds of refuse fuel, 280 pounds of salt can be made, and were it not for this cheap fuel the cost of securing the salt would be far too great. A huge piece of hemlock bark bears the inscription that 125,000 cords of this bark is peeled in Michigan every year. As evidence that wolverine timber is not without knots, abirch knot measuring four feet in diameter is shown, while "the pine that made Michigan famous" is represented by an immense cross-section of a tree.

The special commission which had in charge the securing of the exhibits is composed of W. W. Mitchell Cadillac; Edward Buckley, Manistee; Justus S. Stearns, Ludington; Spencer O. Fisher, Bay City; F. W. Gilchrist, Alpena; Thornton A. Gree, Ontonagon; John O'Callaghan, Sagola; W. A. Whitman, Marquette; George M. Mashek, Escanaba; C. H. Worchester Chassell; Austin Farrell, Marquette.

The fact that Michigan is not a one-product state is brought to attention by the agricultural display. But few states are able to exhibit as great a variety of agricultural products as Michigan. A triumphal arch forms the entrance, while "Michigan" in grain adorns the arch, and the same word in seeds ornaments the bases. The decorations are clusters of grains and these prevail also to a great extent in other portions of the exhibit. Occupying the center is a small office with straw thatched roof. Above a frame of potatoes spelling "Michigan" is a wolverine making a pretty conceit.

A novel feature is the arrangement of small display cases in tiers, which are constructed from the corners of the office. One side is devoted to wool, the other to grains. The distinctive feature of the exhibit is the extensive display of wool, which far excels any other similar display made in the building. Various kinds of grains, ornamental grasses and seeds show the products in the natural state, while displays by the Malto-Grape Co. Ltd., Paw Paw, Dunkley Co., Kalamazoo; Heinz Co., J.B. Ford Company, Wyandotte; Sears & Nichols, Pentwater, and the many pure food companies of Battle Creek, Grand Rapids and Owosso illustrate a few of the uses of these products. Interesting features of the display are peppermint and beet sugar exhibits. The A. M. Todd Co., of Kalamazoo, show a complete model of a peppermint distillery, plants and oils, while every phase of beet sugar manufacture from the seed to the finished product is explained.

That Michigan's reputation as the finest apple-producing state in the union is not in danger is exemplified in the horticultural exhibit. Nearly eight hundred plates of as superb fruit as has ever been grown, and embracing 140 winter varieties, are shown on the tables. Crimson, green and yellow of the apples find a pleasing contrast in the pure white of the tables. Some splendid keeping qualities of Michigan's apples is evidenced by the fact that although placed in cold storage last October, they rival even the apples of this season, and some have been on the tables since May, yet show no signs of decay. Besides all the commercial varieties, many new ones from the experimental stations of So. Haven and the Michigan Agricultural College are to be seen. The former includes especially choice desert apples in prime condition, the northern spys measuring 14 inches in circumference attract considerable attention. The display will be supplemented by prize fruit displays from the state fairs.

Yet not alone in apples does the exhibit excel, as the largest gooseberries in the building are seen on Michigan tables, while only the fancy cherries from Oregon can rival those sent by Paul Rose of Frankfort, yellow Spanish and Schmidt's Bigear-reau being the varieties.

Pears, plums and kindred fruits will be shown in season and a special effort for prize-winners in peaches and grapes will be made.

The booth in the Palace of Education erected by the University of

Michigan is a credit not only to the educational institution but to the state as well. Both in design and execution, the booth shows originality and artistic taste. Besides a fine collection of photographs, a collection of books used in the various courses is of interest.

The prevailing idea through the exhibits made by the commission is quality rather than quantity, and the creditable showing is due to the fact that little attempt was made at elaborate decorations, but all efforts were devoted to securing the finest products of the state. One should not come to the fair and expect the displays of Michigan, with the meager appropriation of \$50,000 to equal or even make a favorable comparison with such states as Missouri, Indiana, Virginia, Pennsylvania and California, whose appropriations range from \$250,000 to \$1,000,000. Considering the difference in the appropriations, Michigan makes the best display on the exposition grounds, and while it is to be regretted that not a larger amount was voted by the Michigan legislature, Michigan visitors should feel a pride in the showing made.

Michigan Day, to be celebrated October 12, will be followed by Detroit Day October 13 and the Michigan state commission will not only make an effort to have these days observed in fitting style, but the Exposition Company will lend its aid in making these special days memorable ones in the fair's history.

### SHOWS THE QUININE.

But Oh My, What an Awful Fish Story Teller This Man at Union City is.

Howard Spring, one of the expert pioneer fishermen of Union City, Mich., made a peculiar catch at Turtle lake, two miles north of that Friday. He was using a jointed pole, with minnows for bait, when he felt a strong pull upon his line. Realizing that he had caught a monster fish, he played the reel carefully and soon found that the boat was being towed across the lake. Straight for the shore the fish swam, landing the boat after it, and it was not until shallow water was reached and the fish became entangled in the weeds that it was captured and hauled into the boat. It proved to be a dog fish, four feet in length.

Seeing the tail of another fish protruding from its mouth, Mr. Spring cut the dog fish open. And here is the strange part of the tale. A pickeral weighing 14 pounds had been swallowed by the dog fish. But this is not all—the pickeral was opened and found to contain one of the largest perch ever seen in the locality, while inside of the perch was a good sized frog. The story might stop here and still be a respectable yarn, but the truth demands the statement that when the frog was opened there was found a two-dram vial filled with quinine tablets which had evidently been dropped into the lake by some fisherman who had swallowed the liquid portion of his malaria remedy.

As proof of the veracity of this remarkable tale, Mr. Spring exhibits the vial and the quinine tablets.

### INTEREST REVIVED.

Proposed Ship Canal Across State Again Bobs Up.

A recent report by government engineers has aroused interest again in this vicinity over the proposed ship canal across the southern part of the state. The route surveyed starts at a point in the vicinity of Benton Harbor, and follows closely the St. Joseph river, to a point a few miles east of Union City. The bed of the Maumee will also be utilized in the southeastern part of the state, entering Lake Erie in the vicinity of Toledo. But little excavation will be necessary in constructing by this route, and in maintaining a uniform depth of water therein.

If the canal is built the lake-distance between Chicago and Toledo will be shortened 900 miles. The estimated expense will be \$40,000,000 and congress will be asked at the next session to make an appropriation.

### Escaped an Awful Fate.

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