

## Grand April Sales

**Silks! Silks!**

Geo. Wyman & Co., offer the crowning sale for the season in silks for April.

**Lot No. 1**  
Fancy Taffetas,  
Fancy Louisines,  
Embroidered Pongees for shirt waists, all at one price, 59c per yard. These silks were made to sell for a great deal more money.

**Lot No. 2**  
This lot of silks was made to sell at \$1.25 and \$1.50. We offer them for April at 85c per yard. A great variety.

**Carpets, Draperies, and Curtains**  
Our carpet trade for March was way ahead of our expectations. We continue our March sale of carpets during April.

**Domestics! Domestics!**

500 pieces fine-cotton volles, great variety. These goods were made to sell at 15c—our price is 10c per yard.  
Standard prints, 3/8c, 4c and 5c.  
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mill in 15c goods, all for 7 1/2c.  
100 pieces 36 inch best quality silkollines 8c.  
Cotton crash 2 1/2c to 5c per yard.  
All linen 72 inch double damask 75c, napkins to match \$2.50 per dozen.  
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**Ribbons For April**

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One line embroidered laces, all overs for waists, 25c to \$1.50 per yard.

**Cloaks and Millinery**

We invite you to visit these departments—they are filled with new goods for Easter and spring wear.  
You can depend on getting good goods at the lowest prices always.

## GEO. WYMAN & CO.

South Bend, Indiana.

### PERE MARQUETTE

TIME TABLE—Dec. 4, 1904.

Trains leave Buchanan as follows:  
For Hartford, Holland, Muskegon, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Bay City, and the north; also New Buffalo, Michigan City, Porter, Chicago and the south and west, at 8:35 A. M. and 5:00 P. M.

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North Bound		South Bound	
No. 9	No. 7	No. 6	No. 5
p. m.	a. m.	a. m.	p. m.
2:35	9:05	10:25	6:00
2:25	8:55	10:15	5:50
1:35	8:05	11:19	6:57
1:40	7:30	11:55	7:35

All daily except Sunday.  
Trains leave for the west and arrive from the west at South Bend as follows:—

Arrive	Leave
No. 2	No. 4
p. m.	p. m.
12:05	7:00
7:00	3:00

All daily except Sunday.  
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Division Passenger Agent,  
South Bend, Ind.

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**TRAINS EAST.**  
LEAVE BUCHANAN.

Detroit Night Express, No. 8.....12:42 A. M.  
Express, No. 46.....5:11 A. M.  
Mail, No. 2.....9:40 A. M.  
Grand Rapids Special, No. 42.....3:13 P. M.  
Train No. 14.....7:51 P. M.  
Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 22 7:50 P. M.

**TRAINS WEST.**  
LEAVE BUCHANAN.

No. 37 Pacific Express 4:17 a. m. stop only to let off passengers.  
Fast Mail No. 3.....5:45 A. M.  
Chicago & Kalamazoo Accom., No. 15 8:18 A. M.  
Grand Rapids Special, No. 41.....3:13 P. M.  
Mail No. 5.....9:40 P. M.  
No. 45, Grand Rapids & Chicago Special 2:31 P. M.  
No. 47, Chicago & Kalamazoo Express 7:42 P. M.  
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## NEW LIVERY.

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### NO WORN OUT EQUIPMENT

Will be Dumped on Three I Branch of the M. C.

The first Michigan Central engine ever in Benton Harbor pulled into the Three I station just before noon Friday. It was attached to a special train of one car and a diner, and carried a party of eighteen officials headed by the general manager, R. H. L'Hommedieu.

It was a tour of inspection of the Three I property from South Bend to this city, which will become a part of the Michigan Central system April 15.

The schedule for running trains has not yet been prepared, but it will be made to accommodate the two cities. "We realize," said one of the officials "that the best way to secure our share of the business here is to give better service in both freight and passenger than is being given by the other roads." In other words, the Michigan Central people realize that they cannot make the South Bend-Benton Harbor line pay by using it as a sort of dumping ground for worn out equipment. Especial attention will be paid to the fruit shipping and the company will have in operation refrigerator cars of its own.—News-Palladium.

### State Items

A Munising young man had some assistance when he was proposing to his girl. Her father helped him out.

The Southern Michigan Trust Co., has authorized the contract for 1,000,000 baskets to be used in harvesting this year's crop of grapes by the members of the association.

Pathmaster Peck, of Lodi township, Washtenaw county, has had to pay \$75 for using bad language to Mrs. Mary Schmidt, who protested against his cutting down an embankment in front of her residence.

A Belding man did his own cooking while his wife was away on a week's visit. When she returned she found that there was plenty of salt left in the house, but a large package of washing powder had been exhausted. A Belding paper remarks that the husband's sins are probably all washed away by this time.

The Congregational church aid society of Traverse City, has placed an order for a \$2,500 pipe organ for the new stone church. In order to get it in a part of the church will be torn down and the roof raised three feet.

Charles Davidson, of Rockland, who received a charge of shot in his side while taking a gun from a boat a year ago last fall, has just undergone a critical operation in the hope of saving his life. An examination with the X-ray showed that the ribs had been splintered by the shot and were decaying, the flesh tissues adjacent being in a putrid condition. One rib was removed entirely and part of another taken out.

For the seventh time within three years the grocery store of John Schaberg, in Saugatuck, was burglarized last week. The thieves do not want money as they only take cigars and open cans of sardines, with which they smear the showcases, which looks as though they have a grudge against the proprietor. The store has been burglarized nine times since it was purchased by Schaberg.

The name of ex-Gov. A. T. Bliss has been replaced on the pension rolls. The action was taken at his own request, made through Congressman Joseph W. Fordney. While Col. Bliss was governor he made formal request at Washington that his name be removed from the rolls, and this was done, but since he retired from the office of chief executive he has evidently changed his mind about drawing a pension.

Surveys have been made for an electric road between Lawton and

Paw Paw, the county seat. Although those at work do not tell who are the promoters there is reason to believe that the Michigan Central is back of the project. The Central has recently built a new line between Lawton and Kalamazoo, and its old track will be used for an electric line between the two places. Both lines will be in operation before many weeks.

Clarkston village is very proud of the fact that it has as one of its most respected citizens the oldest voter in the township, Edwin G. Clark. Mr. Clark will be 90 years old Saturday and has voted at every township election since its incorporation in 1841, for which he was largely responsible, except one and then the death of his brother kept him away from the polls. In the state election, Mr. Clark has voted ever since this state was admitted to the union.

### LOVE AGAIN FINDS A WAY

Love, they say, always finds a way. At least, in this case it did, and for that reason Niles is all agog over the sensational elopement of Miss Cora Hans, niece and charge of Montgomery Ward, one of the Chicago's merchant princes, and her marriage to Ivo A. Faurote, either in Detroit or in Windsor, Canada.

Young Faurote is the 20-year-old son of Vice President Faurote of the Niles City bank, and at present is third auditor in the office of the Edison illuminating company in Detroit.

The bride, but 19 years old, is a senior in the high school and was to have graduated next June.

The marriage is but the culmination of a romance of school days. Years ago when Cora wore pinafores and Ivo was still in knickerbockers, the children were constant companions. Later when young Faurote was driver of the grocery delivery wagon of his father, the girl at every opportunity was beside him on the wagon seat and the wise old women of the town picked the two as "naturally mated."

Saturday morning Miss Cora gained permission of her widowed mother to visit a friend in South Bend.

Her plans had been differently arranged.

When the east bound Michigan Central train left Niles she was a passenger, and at the depot in Detroit you might see an expectant face, happy, but its possessor was nervous and ill at ease.

Saturday night a telegram came that Ivo and Cora had been married and today all of the gossips of Niles "just knew it was going to turn out that way."

The mother of the bride is grieved over the unexpected marriage, for she objected to the match on account of the youth of the two.

A few years ago the girl fell heir to a large estate and was a favorite with her uncle, Montgomery Ward.

### Pearl Belongs to Man Who Pays For Oyster

Hamburg, April 10.—The supreme court here today rendered a decision in the case of the pearl valued at over \$750 found in her mouth by a woman who accompanied by a male escort, was eating oysters in a restaurant. The woman claimed the pearl and her escort supported her claim, but the proprietor of the restaurant sued to recover the pearl on the ground that shells, like chicken bones, were, by a tradition left by the custom and were a source of profit to the proprietor.

The court decided that the pearl did not belong to the woman who found it nor to the proprietor of the restaurant but to the man who paid for the oysters. In rendering its decision the court pointed out that the ownership might as well be carried back to the oyster dealer who supplied the restaurant proprietor with the oysters and thence to the fisherman who took the pearl oyster from its bed.

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### FEARS LAWYERS WILL GET IT ALL

Elkhart Church to Fight for Property Left It

The board of trustees of the Congregational church, an aristocratic congregation in Elkhart, last week employed attorneys to represent it in the matter of the estate of Mrs. Orrilla Kellogg wife of the late, millionaire strawberry king, of Three Rivers, Mich., alleging that the lawyers for the estate charged such exorbitant fees that it will be materially reduced in value.

Mrs. Kellogg died at Indianapolis a short time after her husband. Her will, made just prior to her demise, gave Elkhart business property valued at \$35,000 to the Congregational church. It has not been turned over by the executor. Other beneficiaries interested in the proceedings are Elvira T. Stewart, of New Baltimore, Mich., Martha E. Kellogg and Belle M. Hamilton, of Bay City, Mich., and Lysander J. Richards, of Macomb county, Mich.

The executor was instructed, under the will, to sell the Michigan property, holding the proceeds in trust for manual training schools in Michigan towns under 4,000 population, where like sums were raised by subscription.

### SCHOOL NOTES

**HIGH SCHOOL**  
The quarterly examinations were completed last Friday.

The juniors have finished the rhetorical work for the semester and the members of the 10th grade are delivering their orations in chapel Monday mornings.

The high school boys expect to play their first game of base ball in Berrien Springs next Saturday.

**EIGHTH GRADE**  
Civics classes are drawing maps of Berrien county and the different townships in connection with the study of the government of counties.

Miss Seymour called Friday and Mr. Jennings last Thursday. Come again.

The zig-zag journey furnished material for some splendid compositions last week. The trip covered many points in South and North America, leaving us at St. Johns, New Foundland.

**SEVENTH GRADE**  
Miss Seymour called on seventh grade last week.

The B division learned the poem "Gradation" by Holland. The second line gained the most points by learning it first.

Some very good birds' nests were painted by the pupils this week.

**SIXTH GRADE**  
Mrs. Chas. Bainton visited us last Thursday. "Go ye and do likewise." Seven scholars reentered school last Monday. We also enrolled Alosia Richardson in our A class. She has been attending school in Cassopolis.

**FIFTH GRADE**  
We have had a larger number in attendance during the past week than we have had in some time before. We are glad to have so many at work again.

The earthworm has been the topic for nature study the past week.

The following stood 100 in the spelling contest Friday afternoon: Frances Whitney, Beatrice Gage, Nada Woodworth and Newell Royer.

**FOURTH GRADE**  
Mrs. Bainton visited our room Thursday afternoon.

Among the best drawings of robins' and orioles' nests, are those made by Winifred Andrews, Richard Pears and Beatrice Bainton.

We have a can of minnows brought by Ward Samson.

We have many kinds of seeds planted and taking note of the growth. Norah Barr made the best record in spelling of any in the room during the past month.

The B class have drawn some good maps of North America.

Those who have been neither absent nor tardy during the past month are: Lottie Ravin, Fern Cuthbert, Esther

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THIRD GRADE

Howard Lambert and Martin Payne

were enrolled as new pupils this week.

The girls won in the spelling contest Friday. Lena Leiter spelled the most words correctly.

Mrs. Bainton visited the grade

Thursday.

WARD SCHOOL

Pupils in second grade are using

"Stepping Stones to Literature" for

supplementary reading.

The music teacher gave a new

spring song Monday.

No sickness in second grade all

children on duty.

Floyd Lampert, from Elgin Ill.,

enrolled in first year.

Mamie Conrad has returned after a

long siege of pneumonia.

GRANGE HALL

The aid society will meet all day

Thursday, the 13th, with Mrs. Thos.

Crandall.

Mrs. Edna Pennell was very sick

last week, from some poisonous sub-

stance in her food.

Gus Harner has purchased Edgar

Upham's team.

The Sunday school will open at

2 p. m. through the summer.

Easter services will be held by the

Sunday school at 10:30 a. m., Easter

Sunday. The school will meet Wed-

nesday and Friday nights to practice.

Ruby Helmick is out again after

her severe illness.

Mrs. Wm. McCracken and children

spent last week with her mother, Mrs.

S. M. Taber. Mr. McCracken came

up from St. Joe Saturday, and took

them home.

A surprise welcome home was given

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. VanPatten by

their friends last Tuesday. They

spent a pleasant winter with their son

in Colorado.

D. A. Crain is suffering from the

fracture of two bones in his right

hand.

Edgar Upham visited his mother,

at Mishawaka, Ind., last week. He

has taken a position in the Rubber

factory in that place.

FARM FOR RENT—140 acres three

miles west of Buchanan.

John C. Dixon.



# Boy's Spring Suits

The new styles for the Spring season are ready this week

We call particular attention to our new single breasted Norfolk "Sunny Jim" Suits with bloomer trousers. Also the double breasted Jacket Suits with straight or bloomer trousers.

For the coming season we have brought together the handsomest assortment of boy's suits, in chevrons, grey and brown mixtures—checked and striped effects—that we have ever shown. The color combinations are the newest—very striking—just right for spring wear.

The New Single Breasted Yoke Norfolk Suits with bloomer trousers—jackets tailored with shoulders so as to give the broad manly effect. Very smart suits; sizes from 6 to 16 years—All wool suits at \$3.00, 3.50, 5.00, 6.50 and 7.50.

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Also Spring Reefers and Spring Top Coats for boys as well as girls.

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## BROKEN ENGAGEMENT

WHAT CAUSES GIRLS AND MEN TO BREAK TROTH.

**The Long Engagement: Some Girls Tire of Lovers' Delay—A Visit at the Home of the "Intended" Often Brings Trouble—Some Girls Short-Sighted and Selfish—The "Ocean-Steamer" Engagement.**

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The reason why engagements are broken, judging from those which have come under the writer's observation, can be mostly classified under a few heads. To illustrate by a few examples:

An attachment sprang up between two young people who seemed well adapted to each other, and presently their formal engagement was announced. Congratulations poured in. The young persons received them smilingly, and said: "It will be some time before we are married. It is going to be a long engagement."

In the first instance which was mentioned the engagement lasted for four years. Then the girl, who was living at home with her parents in modest circumstances, became tired of her lover's delay and married another man. He was not the equal of the first one, and she was never really happy. This case represents a large class. The only remedy we can suggest is that the matter should remain an absolute secret until a few months before a wedding can be announced.

In another case, which looked bright at first, the girl was away from home and her lover had never seen her parents. They were plain people, and lived in a plain way, and when he paid his first visit to her home his love waned.

It has been said that if you really wish to break up an engagement you can do it more surely than in any other way by arranging a visit of either one at the home of the other. It is truly a hard test. The self-consciousness—the certainty with which little things will go wrong, and the disadvantage at which everything is likely to show—these form an almost fatal combination.

Some variation of this sort of trouble represents another large class of "breakers" on which the embryo ship of matrimony comes to wreck and ruin. In this case the only remedy would seem to be to know pretty well the family of the beloved one, if possible, before the final word has been said.

A third class of troubles arise from a lack of imagination. Thus a delicately reared girl, the heiress to a great fortune, became engaged to a charming young fellow, who had pledged his life to the cause of foreign missions.

Her parents were consecrated people, who consented that their daughter should give her life to the heathen. But as the wedding day drew near, and the girl began to realize what she was about to do, she faltered. She heard weird tales of the terrors of her future career; of the loneliness; of the difficulty of mastering a barbarous dialect. Her love was not quite strong enough to support her under the prospect—and, with the wedding day all but set, she broke the engagement.

The young man ought to have been delighted to have been freed from such a weakling, but he was not. He was heartbroken. It is said that any man can recover in six months from a "disappointment in love" but there are many exceptions.

Thus, a third class of cases may be said to be those in which the circumstances of the young man are not appreciated by the girl until she has come more fully face to face with them than was possible in the very dawn of their love. Poverty and other stringencies of a similar sort belong under this head. As for a remedy, what can be suggested, unless that every effort should be made to picture to each of the interested parties the conditions which will follow under the plans already made?

Perhaps another class may be called the "ocean-steamer" engagement. The writer has personally known several of this kind which melted into thin air as soon as the prosaic shore was reached.

There seems to be something about the environment of the ocean and the appointments of a steamship, and the negligence in which most of the passengers appear, which alters the values of men and women.

Thus, one young woman who was going to Paris on purpose to purchase her marriage trousseau, fell in love with one of the officers of the steamer on which she went over, wrote home to her distracted lover that her heart was now given to another, bought her trousseau, with the intention of wedding the officer, came home and brought him with her, did not like his appearance in plain clothes and away from his ship, told him that she had made a mistake and finally married her first love and put her trousseau to its original use!

One is driven to the irresistible conclusion that until it is nearly time for the wedding, and until all these various reefs, and the many others, which must be crossed before an engagement can be reckoned as secure, until then as little should be said about it as possible. "Least said, soonest mended," perhaps applies to this sort of thing as properly as to those to which it is more generally applied.

## TO BUILD AN OCEAN HOTEL

Ship Like Spanish Galleon Will Be the Home of a California Hostelry.

An ocean hotel, built in the style of the Spanish galleons of the fifteenth century, says the New York Press, is one of the latest additions planned for the city of Venice, a new resort that has been opened on the California coast, and both in appearance and intention it will be unique. The high, square stern and bulging bow, the tapering masts with their quaint and clumsy sails, the decks and outward appointments, all will be faithful reproductions of the ships that first crossed the Atlantic and discovered America. Inside the vessel will be fitted up with all the luxurious appointments of a modern Atlantic liner.

She is to be called the Cabrillo, in honor of the discoverer of the Pacific, and it will be a strange case of the old world come back to revisit the new when she lies out in the bay under full sail. She is 182 feet long, with a beam of 50 feet, and on her construction alone \$50,000 is being spent. The furnishing and interior equipments will bring the total cost up to three times that sum. She will not be called upon to make any venturesome voyages, however, for she is to rest on piles 300 feet from the shore.

To board her visitors will walk along the wide pleasure pier that already has been built and from it a wide gangway with handrails on both sides will lead to her main deck. This will be given up to a large and handsomely furnished saloon, a spacious dining-room and suites of apartments provided with every convenience that can be found in a hotel on shore.

There also will be the kitchen—a chef's home far different from the galley that any old Spanish ship knew. A grand staircase will lead down to the lower deck, where a large number of bedrooms, arranged like cabins, will be provided. There will be more cabins on the upper deck and an attractive drawing-room for ladies, while promenades will be laid out on the fore-castle, the deckhouse and the poop deck. Provision will be made for dancing and pleasure parties and for concerts and theatrical entertainments.

To keep up the illusion of old Spain among it all the manager of the Cabrillo, with all his assistants, cabin boys and waiters, will be dressed in full Spanish uniform glittering with gilt and epaulets.

## GOLD FROM THE TRANSVAAL

Yield Rapidly Approaching Figures That Held Forth Before the War.

The full returns of the gold output of the Transvaal for the calendar year 1904 show a production of 3,779,621 ounces, valued at about \$78,150,000. The output for 1903 was 2,963,759 ounces. Mining operations were resumed on a limited scale in May, 1901, and since then the output shows steady increase—from 1,704,410 ounces in 1902 to more than double that amount in 1904, although the yield is not yet up to that of the two years immediately preceding the war. The returns for 1898 were 4,555,015 ounces, and for the nine months of operation in 1899 they were 4,101,441 ounces.

A feature of special interest is the experiment now being made with Chinese labor in the mines. Those interested assert that it is already a demonstrated success, but really no accurate statement on the subject can yet be made. It is true that there is an increase in the total of monthly output, but this is due, in part at least, to the increase in the total number of workers. The real test is the comparative efficiency of Kafir and cooly. It is asserted that, so far as determination is possible, the cooly appears to be the better workman.

The statistics of employment in the Transvaal mines show 15,000 white men engaged, an increase of 2,000 during the year. The number of Kafirs fluctuates from month to month; the general average being a little more than 75,000. In June last, 1,000 coolies were put to work, and 13,000 were at work in October. Reports for later months are not yet received.

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Uncle Sam's business with foreign countries has reached such a point that there seems to be no way to increase it without resorting to trading stamps.

The new bayonet of the United States army is 16 inches long, but the peacefully inclined should remember that the enemy is under no compulsion to wait for it.

Never before have the yards and lawns of Buchanan presented such a clean and attractive appearance, in the spring, as they do this year. Buchanan can boast of many pretty lawns and the people take just pride in their appearance.

By the new parcels post arrangement with Great Britain the rate has been reduced from \$1.60 a pound to 12 cents, but the domestic rate remains at 1 cent an ounce. To send a pound package through the mails from Buchanan to Niles costs 4 cents more than to send the same package to London. Citizens should keep on mentioning this fact to their representative in Congress.

Two fires broke out in New York public schools last week, and in both cases the pupils, trained by the fire drill, marched out in perfect order. This is one of the modern branches that have met all expectations, and one that, we are glad to note, is given proper consideration by the Buchanan schools. All the pupils in the Buchanan school building, have been marched out in just three minutes on a practice drill. This one fact alone proves the efficiency of the system.

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## ARE WELCOMED IN CANADA

Americans and American Methods Are Well Received in King Edward's Dominion.

According to Vice Consul General Hill, at Halifax, in a report to the state department, the business and social relations between Canada and the United States are growing closer than ever before. The American "invasion" of the dominion, he says, is an established fact, and the provinces are rapidly becoming Americanized.

"A large number of the leading American corporations," says Mr. Hill, "have established plants in the dominion, near the border, to supply their Canadian trade, and there is scarcely a week that some American firm is not granted a license to build a factory and engage in business in Canada. American capital is welcome, as are Americans, in every part of the dominion, and the thousands of tourists who spend their summer vacations in Canada, practically all from the United States, are everywhere greeted by the American flag, that is almost as familiar throughout the dominion as the union jack."

"The intercourse between the citizens of the United States and of Canada is almost as free as between the people of the several states, especially that between residents of the maritime provinces and the New England states. The last census showed that 1,200,000 Canadian citizens were residents of the United States. These naturally encouraged friends and relatives to follow their example, and they have married and intermarried until there is scarcely a family in Canada which has not one or more of its members residing in the states. In every town and city here familiar signs, such as Western Union Telegraph company, American Express company, American life and fire insurance companies, and other leading American corporations, greet one at every step, while the counters news-stands display the leading American dailies.

"Nova Scotia has more trade with Boston than with Montreal, and the people resemble Americans more than they do the English—their dress, manners, customs, pronunciation are decidedly American. Their money is dollars and cents, and American money passes freely at par in all parts of the dominion. One never hears pounds, shillings or pence mentioned outside of the custom house. Canadian postage is interchangeable with ours, and weights, measures, business methods and educational systems are similar to those of the United States."

### Her Opportunity.

"Most actors," remarked the talkative boarder, "seem to think they can't get too far front on the bill board."  
"Yes," interrupted Mrs. Starven. "Quite unlike some other people who believe they can't get too far back on the board bill."—Philadelphia Press.

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### LOCAL NOTES

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Mack T. Walker was able to be out again yesterday, after being laid up a week with measles.

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The office effects of the supervisor's office were moved this morning and A. F. Howe is now in full charge of the office.

Dr. R. W. Baker, optician, of Benton Harbor, will be at Mrs. Croster's hotel on Wednesday the 19th inst. Glass fitting is his specialty. a 14

The residence of Chas. Scofield, in Royaltown township, together with its contents was burned last night. Insurance was carried in the Farmers' Mutual, of Berrien county.

J. H. Twell wishes to inform the party who so kindly put salt on his lilac bushes, that it will be unnecessary for them to do so again, as he expects to grub them out soon, and build a shop there.

Thirty-five more locomotives will be ordered by the Pere Marquette system in a few days. They will cost about \$16,000 apiece. The new engines will be divided into five of the Atlantic type for freight purposes, 20 of the big 10 wheeled combination variety, which can be changed from passenger to freight work at short notice, and 10 switch engines.

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Potatoes going like hot cakes at 15c per bushel. Buchanan's Cash Grocery. Only few more left.

A University professor predicts that in 3,000,000 years this world will be controlled by fish. The "sharks" are getting their hands in now, professor.

The household goods of Henry Dickenson have been shipped to Jackson, Mich., where he will make his future home. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson success in their new home.

All graduates of the Buchanan High school are urged to be present at a meeting of the Alumni Association to be held Monday, April 17, at 7:30 p. m. in the room over Dodd's drug store.

The demonstration given at C. D. Kent's grocery by the National Biscuit Co., Saturday, was well attended, and was a good advertisement for the line of baked goods made by this company.

Another gross Hawk's Burdock coming. Sale positively closes Saturday night, but medicine sold before that date may be delivered on Monday and Tuesday next week by

RUNNER.

From South Bend comes the report that a dam is to be built across the St. Joseph river at Bertrand. It is said the same people that built the Hen Island dam, are behind the project.

The Penn correspondent to the Marcellus News says: Mrs. Runner, the deputy supreme oracle, was here Monday and visited the Willard camp. It was enjoyed by all and we hope the deputy will come again.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Dye, who live about two miles east of Buchanan, celebrated their silver wedding anniversary last Thursday. Thirty of their friends were entertained at dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Dye received many beautiful presents.

The revival meetings are being continued this week and are still attracting large congregations. During the course of the meetings there has been about seventy conversions. Those in charge are highly pleased with the result of their efforts.

Word has been received here from the Evangelical conference, just held at Elkton, announcing the return of Rev. J. A. Halmhuber to the Buchanan church for another year. Rev. J. A. Frye has been appointed presiding elder for the St. Joseph district.

About two weeks ago, Chas. Black disappeared from Coloma, and no trace of him could be found, but it was supposed that he fell from a bridge into the Paw Paw river. Saturday morning his body was found in the river, a fish line set by Simon Hosbein held the body after the hook had fastened itself into the clothing. The body was found a half mile from the trestle from which Black was supposed to have fallen while on his way home in an intoxicated condition. His mother, who is quite wealthy, purchased a farm near Paw Paw lake last fall and moved there from Chicago to take her son from temptation of drink.

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Mr. L. D. Jones, of Kenosha, Wis., is moving his family into his new home on Chicago street. Mr. Jones is a commercial traveler for the firm of A. Ortineyer & Son, of Chicago. The Record extends a hearty welcome to Mr. and Mrs. Jones.

Within the past few weeks, a number of boys have been causing the owners of boats, on the river, no end of trouble, by stealing and breaking oars, locks, etc. Some of the boys are known and if they continue in this practice something will be done to put a stop to it.

A profitable and pleasant meeting of East Hive was held Saturday p. m. Mrs. Butts as chairman of entertainment committee, presented an interesting literary program. It was a source of pleasure to all that Mrs. Knight, our commander was able to be with us again and take up the management of affairs. Next regular meeting will be held Tues. April 11.

### Startling Mortality

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### Comparative Measurements.

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### PERSONAL

Mrs. B. Miles spent Sunday in Elk-hart.

Ned Fuller started for California, Saturday.

Claude Glover was home from Galien, over Sunday.

Mrs. Eban Gage is visiting in South Bend this week.

Mr. John Hershonow is spending a few days in Chicago.

John B. Alexander, of Toledo, spent Sunday in this place.

J. C. Rehm went to Chicago this morning to buy new goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Hathaway, spent Sunday in South Bend.

Mrs. Hattie Miller, of Three Oaks, was a Buchanan visitor over Sunday.

Millard Truitt and Hayes Breece, of Edwardsburg, were in town Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Goodenough were Three Oaks visitors the last of the week.

Mrs. Clara Love and Mrs. Lillian Lyon of Galien were Buchanan visitors last week.

Fronia Worthington is spending the week with relatives at Buchanan.—Three Oaks Acorn.

Mrs. A. J. Glover and Mrs. Ellis Goodenough, of Galien, were Buchanan visitors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Pitcher, of Dowagiac, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Babcock.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Spencer, of Benton Harbor, visited at the home of E. E. Glidden over Sunday.

Helgie Heidman, of Chicago, came to Buchanan Saturday night, and is visiting his father, Chas. Heidman.

Wm. Rynearson went to Dowagiac today. He expects to spend the summer with his daughter, Mrs. John Jarvis.

Dr. J. Filmar went to Kalamazoo today, to attend the Southwestern Michigan Dental Association, which is in session today and tomorrow.

### TABLE MANNERS.

Never, should you be so unfortunate as to meet with an accident, make known your regret at the time other than by your expression, but take the earliest opportunity of apologizing to your host and hostess in private.

Always, as host or hostess, serve all the ladies present, including those of your own family, before helping the gentlemen.

Always, gentlemen, serve any lady at your side, whether you have been presented to her or not.

Never make a noise in sipping your soup.

Never cool your soup by blowing upon your spoon.

Always take soup from the nearest edge of the plate by moving your spoon from you.

Never take soup from the point of a spoon.

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A cup means the common size of white cup generally used in hotels and restaurants, that holds one-half pint of liquid. (Tin and enameled pint and half-pint measuring cups marked in quarters and thirds can be bought at house furnishing stores and it is desirable to have several for use.)

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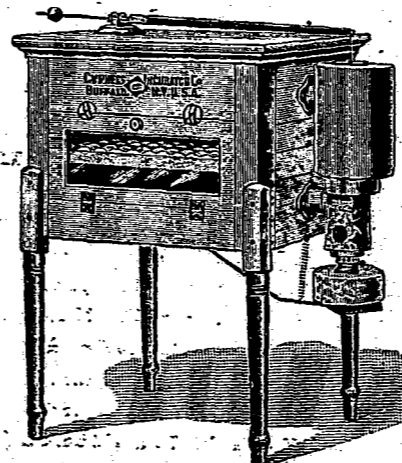
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### A Visit To a Near-by Kingdom

#### CHAPTER XI.

Up to this point we have been considering solely the physical characteristics of the soil. We have noted something as to the size of the particles, the waterholding capacity, the way water is held, the movements of water and the temperature and aeration of soils. Let us note next, other functions of the soil in reference to the plant life and its supports.

Besides giving attachment to roots and holding the plant upright where its leaves may be bathed in air and sunlight, the soil furnishes to the growing plants all the water, mineral matter and nitrogen they contain when ripe, or use in their growth. Water is being constantly evaporated from the surfaces of the leaves but none can be taken in by them. The quantity of water evaporated from leaves may be increased by exceeding dryness of the atmosphere or may be reduced on a very wet day, but in no case is water absorbed from the air by the leaves.

Nor is nitrogen taken in by the leaves. Of the total weight of the air over our fields fully four-fifths is nitrogen gas. Plants need nitrogen at every step of their growth but they cannot absorb it through the leaves nor can they use it while in a gaseous condition. It must be combined with oxygen and some mineral base before plants can absorb it or utilize it. Remember, then that nitrogen must be supplied from the soil, and that, to be absorbed, nitrogen must be in combination, in the form of a nitrate.

None of the mineral matters that go to make up the ashes of plants can enter them except through roots. The roots cannot take them either except when they are in solution in the soil water. The soil water dissolves these minerals from the soil grains or from mineral matters added to the soil as fertilizers or from the decay of roots and stubbles of crops or the decay of entire plants plowed under as green manures.

There are many of these minerals that are absolutely essential to plant growth. Among them are lime, phosphoric acid in the form of phosphate of some metal, iron, magnesium, potash and sulphur. Sand, quartz or even soil of any kind is not needed as far as the mere growth of the crop is concerned as plants may be made to grow to maturity and produce a harvest with no soil whatever about the roots if the latter are kept in an abundant but dilute solution of the essential matters just named. It is, then, the plant food in solution which helps the growing crops. On the other hand, the plant food would soon be exhausted if the mineral matters were dissolved too easily and too rapidly. A wise farmer aids nature in setting free just the amounts of plant food that his crops need and no more.

Let us consider the quantities and something of the characteristics and the means of controlling the elements of the soil essential to plant growth, omitting water, already fully treated and beginning with nitrogen, the most evanescent, most costly and least abundant in proportion to amount required, of them all.

- 1. Nitrogen exists, in the soil,
- 1. In the free, gaseous, condition in the air between soil particles.
- 2. As a constituent of humus.
- 3. In decaying roots, stubble, barnyard manure or other vegetable matter not yet decayed into humus.
- 4. As ammonia.
- 5. As nitrates of lime, magnesium, potash and soda.

Free nitrogen cannot act directly as plant food and until 1888 or thereabouts chemists did not suppose that the nitrogen floating over our fields could ever be used as plant food except in the limited amounts brought down in rain as ammonia due to the effects of lightning. In that year some European scientists, among them Hellriegel, published the results of experiments showing that one great class of plants, including beans, peas, clover, alfalfa, vetches and all similar ones, bearing their seeds in pods and classed by botanists under the name of legumes, could feed directly upon this free nitrogen. Nature's method was this: Certain minute plants, made up of a single cell and so small as to require the highest powers of the microscope to discern them, could inhabit nodules or warts on the roots of these legumes. In these bunches or nodules or warts or tubercles, these minute plants, called rhizobia, could live and so act upon the nitrogen of the air in the soil as to unite it with oxygen forming nitric acid. This nitric acid, thus formed, would

unite with lime or magnesia or soda or potash, forming nitrates that the legumes could use.

The legumes and the rhizobia are therefore mutually helpful. The legumes furnish a house and the rhizobia pay rent in the shape of nitrates. It is in this way that nature is returning to the soil its supply of nitrogen in forms that crops need. Note that the legumes are powerless to do this without the presence of the rhizobia and the latter cannot do it without the legumes.

Each kind of legume, moreover, has its own kind of minute plant to which alone it will readily furnish a home. Clover will not entertain, on its roots, the rhizobia of alfalfa, nor will the cowpea accept the cooperation of the rhizobia of the soy bean; in fact some recent experiments at the Michigan Experiment Station seem to show that there is an evident hostility between a certain legume and the rhizobia working on another species. The Department of Agriculture at Washington, causes these rhizobia to grow in immense numbers in certain solutions and has discovered a way of drying, without killing them, so that now the Department can send through the mail to the farmer whose clover or other legume has no nodules on its roots, a small package containing these living rhizobia. The farmer has but to follow the directions accompanying the package to inoculate his seed and thereby secure for his clover roots the power to feed, indirectly, upon the nitrogen of the air, thus saving and indeed increasing the fertility of his farm.

Recent experiments at the Michigan experiment station show that the crops produced legumes with these nodules on the roots are richer in feeding and manurial value than where they are absent. For instance, soy beans, contain, in the entire plant, or in the seed alone, not much more than two-thirds as much nitrogen where the nodules are absent as when inoculated. Nitrogen is the element most likely to be lacking in our soils and this matter of having the nodules on the roots of all leguminous crops cannot easily be exaggerated, since in this way, with no cost, the farmer can have added to his store of this expensive material, a continuously increasing supply.

#### Mrs. Fiske in Chicago

One of the largest advance sales in the history of Chicago theatres is in progress at the Grand Opera House for the engagement of Mrs. Fiske and the Manhattan company in C. M. S. McLellan's drama, "Leah Kleschna," that begins on Monday, April 17, and continues for three weeks. The Grand has received more mail orders for Mrs. Fiske than for any star or attraction that has played there. The seat sale which began on Tuesday, is for the entire twenty-one performances. Mrs. Fiske and the company come to the Grand direct from their New York theatre, the Manhattan where they have had a continuous season of thirty-one weeks and created the sensation of the year. "Leah Kleschna" is one of the most successful plays the American stage has known and has played to crowded houses at every performance in New York. The play is modern, full of action and incident and absorbing in story. It gives Mrs. Fiske a novel role, that of a girl thief, trained by her father, a famous criminal, to be his assistant in crimes of uncommon magnitude and daring. The second act shows Leah, in the act of robbing the safe, confronted by the man she is robbing, a man who unknown to himself and his identity unknown to her, has been exerting an influence over her. In a shipwreck, months before, he had saved her life. This man, a member of the French Chamber of Deputies, believes that moral suasion and not punishment, should be meted out to criminals and even when he himself is the victim of crime, he is true to his convictions. He does not detain the girl and send her to the police. He tells her she may go free. But first he questions her, learns how she has been taught to steal, talks to her sympathetically and penetrates through the callousness and defiance of the thief to the heart and the moral sense of the real woman. Her better nature roused, Leah renounces her father and his associates and goes back to the lettuce fields to labor as her mother had. There she finds peace and there happiness comes to her when the man seeks her out to make her his wife. The play is a succession of strong scenes and gives Mrs. Fiske opportunity for one of her greatest triumphs as the girl thief. There are an un-

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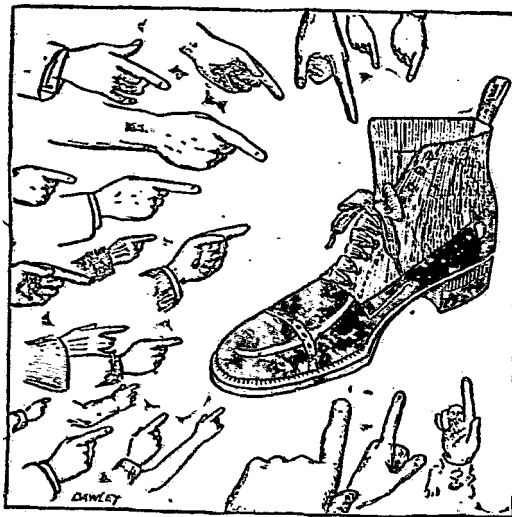
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#### Estate of Charles A. Butler, Deceased.

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 3rd day of April, A. D. 1905.  
Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles A. Butler deceased.  
John O. Butler having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Anna J. Butler, or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 1st day of May A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and adjusting 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, 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.  
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#### State of Michigan, Second Judicial Circuit

Martin Susan Complainant vs. Joseph Cook Defendant

In this cause it appearing by affidavit that the defendant, Joseph Cook, is not a resident of this State, but is a resident of the City of Denver, State of Colorado: On motion of Allison C. Roe, complainant's solicitor, it is ordered that the defendant enter his appearance in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper, printed, published and circulating in said county, and that said publication be continued therein, once in each week for six weeks in succession.

ALLISON C. ROE, Solicitor for said Complainant. OSWELL W. COOLIDGE, Solicitor for said Defendant. Circuit Judge. Business address: Buchanan, Mich.  
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#### Estate of David E. Hinman, Deceased.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.

In the matter of the estate of David E. Hinman deceased.  
Having been appointed commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against said deceased, we do hereby give notice that four months from the 4th day of April A. D. 1905 were allowed of this order, for creditors to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment, and we will meet at the office of William A. Palmer, village of Buchanan, in said county, on the 2nd day of June A. D. 1905, and on the 5th day of August A. D. 1905, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated April 4th A. D. 1905.  
JOHN GRAHAM, WILLIAM A. PALMER, Commissioners

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