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But if you find you're stuffy (Sometimes, of course, you will!) And cannot smile nor grin nor laugh Just-keep-still!

-Woman's Home Companion for June.

STRAIGHT AS

ARROW FLIGHT

Interurban Roard Will be in and Out of Berrien

Berrien Springs, May 22.—Daulton Wilson, time keeper for A. B. Hogue, the superintendent of construction on the electric railway, informs the Era there are now employed here at the bridge site and at the depot thirty-four men. Mr. Wilson also says 1 many more men will be needed and hear of the sudden death of Ed B. all can find employment. It is the

the immense amount of material be- | went from Buchanan to Elkhart and ing used here by the electric railroad attended the funeral.

steel rails, fifteen cars of ties, two cement is expected every day, and chanan, Mich. immediately upon its receipt the will be rushed to completion. Grad. ing and filling is going on rapidly stand in the middle of Main street and started to notify the police. on Ferry street and look south along for four or five miles coming in and going out of town the road will be as straight as the flight of an arrow. People will be able to see the cars coming from Niles ten or fifteen minntes before they are due here.

> Cleared For Action

When the body is cleared for action by Dr. King's New Life Pills, you can tell it by the bloom of health on tel, Woodward avenue and Larned matter by what board of officers the ageous Michigan girl is now known the cheeks; the brightness of the eyes; street, identified the body. They said assessment is made, and if the officers as the Girl Diver of the Great Lakes be pleased to have you call. the firmness of the flesh and muscles; Miller had worked at the hotel for the buoyancy of the mind. Try them some weeks, but left a few days ago equalization of assessment. The as the especial protege of the lake and was supposed to have been drink-At any drug store, 25c.

DEAD HEROS

Memorial Day Will be Proper-! ly Observed in Buchanan

EXERCISES IN AFTERNOON

Program as Arranged by Committees of The G. A. R.

Next Tuesday is Memorial Day and the day will be properly observed in Buchanan. The arrangements are in charge of Wm. Perrott Post G. A. R. A very appropriate program has been arranged and is printed below.

All soldiers and sailors are invited to meet at the Post room at 1 o'clock p. m. and organize. At 1:30 p. m. will march to the Engine house and receive flowers. The line will be formed by Comrads, John Perrott, officer of the day, in following order Twenty-eight railroads are the plainand march at 2 p. m.

2 Members of Post, soldiers and sailors.

| 8 Ladies of circle. School children.

Citizens on foot and in carriages. At the cemetery the column will divide and strew flowers on soldiers' graves and then assemble on the soldiers' monument ground for the exer-

EXERCISES AT CEMETERY

1 Music by Band.

2 Song.

3 Prayer by Chaplain.

4 Song. 5 Address by Rev. Darling.

6 Song.

7 Decorating graves of unknown dead, and close by audience singing "America" with band accompaniment; march back to the Post room and disband.

We know it will be quite difficult to procure flowers for decoration day and it will be necessary to make an extra effort to procure enough, but we hope our ladies will bear this in mind and bring all the flowers they can to the engine house on the morning of May 30th so they can be used in making wreaths and boquets before the exercises in the afternoon.

Committee.

* * * DIED VERY SUDDENLY

E. B. Miller, Son of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Miller Passed Away in Detroit

Buchanan people were shocked to Miller, which occurred in Detroit, intention of the contractors to have The remains were taken to Elkhart cars running to St. Joseph by Dec- Sunday and the funeral was held yesterday afternoon. Mrs. S. J. Smith The Pere Marquette is running and daughter Miss Maud, Mr. and extra freight trains in order to handle Mrs. Isaac Miller and Chas. Miller

Speaking of the death, the Detroit Up to the present seventeen cars of Tribune of Saturday morning said:

In a shed in the rear of the saloon cars of bridge plank, three cars of at 113 Bates street was found the frogs and switch iron and one car of body of a man, supposed to be E. B. wheelbarrows have been delivered | Miller, for many years a hotel emin this place. The bridge steel and ploye and believed to reside in Bu-

But a few minutes before the man 1600 ft. bridge at foot of Main street came to his death two young men who were passing through the ally noticed the man, apparently in a just across the river at the bridge stupor, and offered him car fare with site. Thousands of railroad ties are which to reach his home, but, seeing being distributed along the right of he was unable to care for himself, way, and it is an interesting sight to placed him on a chair in the shed

They were but a few feet from the the projected road. It is said that door of the shed when they heard Miller fall from the chair. He was dead when they reached him.

The police believe the fall was only an indirect cause of death, as it is supposed heart disease was the direct

Detective Sergeants Steinhebel and Dillon investigated the man's death and had the body conveyed to Blake's morgue, 15 Abbott street. There employes of the Waldorf ho-

'ing heavily since.

MICHIGAN WINS SUIT

Wanty Decides Against Railroads' Attempt To Invalidate Law

In Taxes Which They Had Refused to Pay-Roads Will Appeal The Case

Grand Rapids, Mich., May 20.-United States Circuit Court Judge George P. Wanty has handed down a decision sustaining the validity of the railroad tax law of 1901, which provides that all railroad property shall be taxed on its assessed valuation instead of by a percentage of their earnings as provided by the old law. tiffs in the suit, which they brought over three years ago to restrain by injunction the auditor-general from levying taxes under the new law. One company, the Grand Trunk, is exempted from the terms of the decision, Judge Wanty holding that the act of 1901 does not repeal or impair the territorial act of 1834 that limited taxes on the Detroit & Pontiac Railroad Co., whose rights the Grand Trunk holds, to 1 per cent of the capital

None of the companies have paid any taxes under the 1901 act, so unless the United States supreme court reverses Judge Wanty-and they will undoubtedly appeal to that tribunal the 28 must jointly pay into the state | treasury about \$4,000,000, which is the accumulated taxes, and interest at 1 per cent a month, of which \$2,-000,000 will go to the state primary

Fred W. Stevens, general counsel for the Pere Marquette, says that the decision means that the railroads lose in their contention that all other property in the state is underassessed about 18 per cent as compared with their property. The case was tried at the March term of the circuit court for the western district of Michigan, although for some two years commissioners had been taking testimony. The suit has cost the state about \$60. 000, mostly for special counsel. It is the ease in which Atty. Gen. Blair asked Gov. Bliss to remove Tax Commissioners Freeman and Sayre for making affidavits for railroad attorneys to help beat the state.

Judge Wanty, in overruling the point of the railroads that the act contravenes the fourteenth amendment of the federal constitution, held that this amendment is not designed to prevent any state from changing its system of taxation; and that any statute passed by a state of the levy and collection of taxes cannot be held void by a federal court unless it is so clearly an illegal encroachment upon private rights as to leave no doubt as to its invalidity.

To the claim that every tax law must state for what purpose the tax is to be applied. Judge Wanty replied that the state constitution provides for the application of all such taxes, collected in the state, and that they go through regular channels according to the fundamental laws of the state. The application of all taxes is unalterably fixed, and specifically designed. He dismisses the railroads' objections that they were not given a hearing before the tax was imposed by saying that, "if a definite rate of taxation is imposed by the constitution of the state there can be no possible reason for granting a hearing, because the result could not be changed in any way."

Continuing Judge Wanty decides that the state has the right to tax railroad property in a different class and at a different rate from other property. The constitution provides that all property bearing ad valorem taxes shall be taxed in cash value, no do their duty there is necessarily an and wherever she goes she is regarded statute cannot be declared invalid on seamen. Miss Baker's love for the



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the ground that the officers acting wild and dangerous life of the diver under them failed to properly perform relief in a court of equity."

than other property, the decision is Lakes, Capt. H. W. Baker, has had that all railway properties, including | more thrilling or romantic experiencredits, may be taxed under different ces than his daughter.—Woman's methods from that applied to other Home Companion for June. property. Concluding Judge Wanty holds: "The failure of the complainants to show a fraudulent systematic' undervaluation of property now as- | by dynamiting, a space that the fire sessed under the statutes under which the taxes are levied, makes a determination of the undervaluation of ing but dynamite would cure it. Z. railway properties unnecessary."

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The Girl Diver Of The Great Lakes Pretty, well educated and only twenty years of age, Miss Frances Baker, of Detroit, has won the reputation of being one of the most fearless and resourceful divers along the Great Lakes, and within the last three vears has accumulated almost twenty five thousand dollars in a profession that heretofore only the most courageous and physically perfect of men have dared to follow. The story of this girl's success, of her thrilling adventure and discovery of treasure reads almost like a chapter in an exciting book of fiction, and the element of romance was completed a few months ago, when Miss Baker discovered and raised fifty thousand dollars' worth of copper from the treas ure-ship W. H. Stevens, which sank in eighty feet of water in Lake Erie you satisfaction or refund your money. several years ago.

From Duluth to Buffalo this cour-

is inherent. For a father she has the their duties. If discriminated against greatest captain of divers that ever by a fraudulent or systematic failure worked in the big inland seas, a man on the part of the officers to perform | who was never known to fail, and to their duty, the railroads must seek whom the first alarm-calls usually come when ships need aid in Lake As to the claim that the railroads Erie and Lake Huron. But it is are assessed by a different method doubtful if even this great man of the

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The job of digging a canal on the isthmus has always been known to be a big one. Uncle Sam is ready to tackle the difficulties and to dispose of fresh ones if they arise.

A new oil district has been struck within twenty miles of Pittsburg, and prospectors are rushing there in large numbers. Uncle Sam's farm is a good producer, both on and under the sur-

A man of 70 has entered Missouri's state university to study engineering. The Missourian's motto, "Show Me," is proof that he proposes to understand his business and never considers himself too old to learn,

The 120 young women who drew homesteads of 160 acres each in the Rosebud agency, South Dakota, are offered numerous options on husbands but are careful not to commit themselves without applying the rule that there ought to be more in the man than in the land.

If the people of Buchanan are interested in base ball, we feel that we can safely say, that there will be a very interesting series of games played here this season, and we hope that the base ball public will give their support to the home team in the way of large attendance. (meaning large gate receipts.)

The "Gold Brick Club."

The sporting editor of the Niles Star, who holds the position of historian for the "Gold Brick Club" of Buchanan, will now have an opportunity to write another chapter of the club's history. The club members, or at least certain onesoi them. have become very enthusiastic of late over the pastime of launching. B. R. Desenberg, W. A. Palmer and at his residence, 2411 South Park C. F. Pears especially take great pride in their handsome crafts. Mr. Desemberg has not as yet attempted to launch his boat, but has it in dry of the Second ward, had held the dock in the old wagon shop building where he is experimenting with his been president of the board of educagasoline engine. In fact he has had all the local experts and some from a distance working in a vain endeavor to make the gasoline engine run with water, so far all attempts have proved unsuccessful and the experts give it as their opinion that gasoline must be used, to obtain the desired results. Now that this point is settled, the boat may be launched at any time.

With the Palmer-Pears boat it is different, this beautiful hull was launched yesterday, and 'tis said

that the ceremony was so impressive that the boat was unable to withstand the strain, but fainted and sank to the bottom, some say in ten, while others say twenty feet of water. We have not been informed what is to be the name of this vessel, but would suggest that it be called "the Brookly," not because it is a war ship, but because like the other Brooklyn, it is subject to "sinking spells." Latest advices say that a a deep sea diver and a Chicago wrecking crew have been telegraphed for, not only to raise the boat; but also to raise the spirits of the owners. The boat business has proven a bad thing for the "Gold Brick Club" as it has caused much dissatisfaction

among the members, who, we are informed are demanding a re-election of officers. Since the swamping of the "Brooklyn" C. F. Pears is mentioned with favor as the new president of the club, and will probably take the honor from "Bill" Hanover, the present presiding officer. Sporting historian of the Niles luminary

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IN MEMORIAM

DAVID WEATHERWAX

David Weatherwax was born in Schenectady county, New York, June 18, 1833. He died at his late home in Weesaw, May 18, 1905, at the age of 71 years and 11 months. He was married to Helena Vedder, Dec. 27, 1863. To this union, six children were born. He is survived by a wife, two children, one sister and five bro- holders, thers. His sister and one brother lives in New York, one brother lives in Illinois, one in Kansas, one in Colorado and one in Michigan. Mr. Weatherwax enlisted in the New York infantry and gave 3 years of faithful service in the war of the rebellion. He lived in Weesaw, Berrien County, about 27 years. Funeral services conducted by Elder William Roe, were held in the Baptist church at Glendora at 10 a. m. last Sunday. A large concourse of people were in attendance. Mrs. Lester Kempton, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Smith and Mrs. Fannie Weaver furnished the music. The funeral was in charge of Richards & Emerson. The interment was in the Glendora cemetery.

Judge Summerfield Dead.

Judge Summerfield, who will be remembered by many of our citizens, died in Chicago Sunday. The followsng item taken from the Chicago Evening Post of last night will be of interest to his friends here.

John Summerfield died yesterday avenue, aged 67 years. Mr. Summerfield was a police justice for fifteen years, served two terms as alderman office of South Town assessor, had tion, and once was preminently mentioned as a candidate for Mayor on the Republican ticket. He was a native of New York State and came to Chicago in the early '50s. He is survived by his widow. The funeral will be held tomorrow and will be

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Play Ball

At last the base ball fans have got together and the result is that Buchanan IS going to have a team, and when we say team, we do not mean a crowd of fancy suits with hair parted in the middle, we mean a team of ball players.

With Cap. Ashby on 3rd, Herb Roe short, Will Brodrick 2nd, big lengthy Brant 1st and old Hungry Hanover picking them off the bat, we have an infield that cannot be beat, and Richardson has some queer twisters that will bother the best sticks on any

The first game will be played with Berrien Springs and if the boys show up as well in actual play as they do in practice, Berrien should be easy picking, even though they have a team slightly above the average.

Below we give the line up: J. Hanover, C; Richardson, P.; Brant 1st B.; Brodrick, 2nd; Roe, S. S; Ashby, 3rd B.; Fuller, L. F.; Boynton, C. F.; Butler, R. F.; Morris, Sub.

The old park ball ground has been rented for the season and will be put in shape at once.

School Notes

HIGH SCHOOL

Some changes have been made in the commencement program for this year. There will be no speaker and the program will be furnished by the members of the class. The exercises will be held in Rough's Opera House on Tuesday June 12 8 p. m.

The pupils in the grades will march to the cemetery on Memorial Day with flags and boquets. SEVENTH GRADE

B class wrote some very interesting compositions Monday. The subject was a "Real or an Imaginary Excurssion." The best one was written and read by Fleda Mittan.

Harvey Bupp leaves school. We are sorry to lose one more of our members.

SIXTH GRADE

B class has started the general eview work in geography.

We are very glad to report that most of our number is back and we hope they will remain with us.

Mrs. Chas. Bainton visited us Monday. Come again Mrs. Bainton and bring another with you.

FIFTH GRADE

The regular members are enrolled again in school. We are glad to have them back.

The pupils are greatly interested in the stories read from the book entitled "Animals at Home."

A class have taken up review work in arithmetic.

FOURTH GRADE

Mrs. Chas. Bainton visited us Monday afternoon.

We have a wall picture of "Madonna of the Chair" bought with money earned by the children making

Among our pose and landscape drawings in the schoolroom are three very good ones by Winifred Andrews.

Winifred Andrews, Ine Burks, Anna Keller and Norah Barr have best standings in spelling for the past three weeks work.

THIRD GRADE

Mrs. Bainton visited the grade

The pupils of the B class are readng from "Leaves and Flowers." Last week the pupils were interested in reading of the children of Arabia.



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Terrible Threat. "And if I should break the engagement," said the Hyde Park Romeo, "tell me truly, what would you do?"

"I-I should take poison!" cried the beautiful girl. "You would really go to the nearest

pharmacy and get poison?" "No, no! Worse than that. I should allow a young man who smokes cigarettes to kiss me."—Chicago Daily News.

Its Disadvantages. "If we economize," said the husband, 'we will soon have a house of our own instead of having to live in rented prop-

erty." "But, I'm not sure I should like that," answered the wife. "I couldn't drive nails anywhere I please in the walls or woodwork of our own house, you know." -St. Louis Republic.

Motherly Precaution.

"George," said Mrs. Ferguson, hurrying out, "can't you put up those window screens without using the kind of language you have been using for the last ten minutes?"

"No!" snapped Mr. Ferguson. "Then duit working at them till I get the children off to school!"-Chicago

Troubles of the Rich. Lives of rich men still remind us-Even he may read who runs— That the wads we leave behind us May make asses of our sons. -Chicago Record-Herald.

THEN GUY GUYED.



The Maiden (introducing beloved one)—This is Guy, pa. Pa-He looks it.-Ally Sloper.

> Two Art Views. 'Tis an art to paint a picture. To hear the painter tell it; But from the dealer's point of view 'Tis more of an art to sell it. -Cincinnati Enquirer.

> > Unnecessary.

Visiting Relative—Fie, Kitty! You you know that "He who would thrive must rise at five?"

Miss Kitty-O, yes, I know that. Papa always rises at five, and he thrives so well that there's no need of my thriving.—Chicago Tribune.

Didn't Need It.

"I'd like to show you a patent safety device which will prevent your diamonds from being stolen," said the agent at the door.

"I don't need any such thing as that," said the woman who answered the bell; "I'm an actress."-Yonkers Statesman.

A Horrible Thought. "What's the matter, dear?" her mother asked.

"I was just thinking," the beautiful heiress answered, "how terrible it would be if the earl should decide not to take papa's money on the ground that it was tainted."-Chicago Record-Herald.

His Ambition.

"I do not recall your ever making speech in congress that attracted any attention," said the blunt person. "No," said Senator Sorghum. never try to attract attention. I am satisfied if I can distract attention."-

Her Mind Easy. "Do you expect Charley to catch

Washington Star.

anything on his fishing trip?" said young Mrs. Torkins' mother. "No," was the reply. "He's been

vaccinated and took ten grains of quinine before he started."-Washington Star.

Not to Be Bluffed. see," said Cholly, "that the United States government protects lob sters."

"Are you trying to frighten me so that I won't sue you for breach of promise?" asked Miss Perty.-Houston

Her Only Worry. "But," asked Mrs. Nervis, "don't you ever worry when you're having

"No, indeed," replied Mrs. Spenders, "I only worry when I'm not having one made."—Philadelphia Press.

A Good Haul. "Ella," said Clara, as they strolled

across the lawn of the country hotel, " went fishing with Charley this morning."

"Did you? What did you catch?" "Charley."—Ally Sloper.

In Doubt.

Seed-Some people are always wanting more, no matter how much they have. Don't you think you'd be satisfied with enough? Greed-I can't say. I've never had enough.—Cassell's.

Her Skepticism.

"Is there quartz in the mine in which your husband bought shares?" "Charley says there is," said young Mrs. Torkens, "but I don't believe there are even pints."

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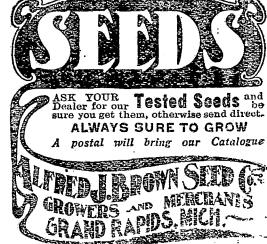
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PERE MARQUETTE

TIME TABLE—Dec. 4, 1904.

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

bor with Main Line trains north and

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WICHIGAN (ENTRAL

Buchanan the following service. East West No. 15-7:40 a. m. No. 6-12:42 a. m

No. 43-10:48 a m. No. 46-5:11 a. m No. 45-2:38 p. m. No. 2-10:10 a. m No. 5-3:05 p. m. No. 14-5:19 p. m No. 47-5:27 p. m. No. 22-5:39 p. m.

Effective April 15, and until further notice the trains of the Benton Harbor-St. Joe division will be operated on the following schedule:

.m. a.m. p.m. 5:20 8:06 1:26 6:00 8:18 1:48 6:36 8:26 1:56 7:00 8:35 2:05 7:20 8:42 2:12 Glendora 7:00 8:35 2:05 Derby 6:28 11:35 10:51 7:20 8:42 2:12 Vineland 6:22 11:20 10:45 8:53 2:25 Benton Harbor 6:12 0:37 7:40 9:05 2:35 ar. St. Joseph lv. 6:00 11:06 10:25

a. m. All trains will be run daily except Sunday. At Galien the trains will be run via, the ma

M. L JENKS,

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Lard \mathbf{Eggs} Honey Beef `.Veal

Above quotations are on live weigh,

Wheat Outs

LOCAL NOTES

Fresh Cows for Sale, S. C. Cook.

m. 19.

Buy home made bread at the Mod-

Eday May 23-7:30 sharp. Be sure to order beans and brown

Special Sale Saturday on Toilet Soap at the Buchanan Cash Grocery.

Examination Tablets and every-

thing in School supplies. BINNS' MAGNET STORE

See Wm. G. Evans for your painting, paper hanging and calcimining.

Geo. Hartung, a Bainbridge farmer, is reported as having brought the first home grown strawberries to market, in the county. The first were

at Buchanan Cash Grocery.

FOR RENT-Good pasture, with unning water, for six head of stock. Inquire of John. H. Miller.

t. f.

Unclaimed letters remaining P. O. at Buchanan for week ending May 23. Postals: Mr. Lester Fedore, G. C. Valy. G. W. Noble, P. M

The editor is indebted to W. J Hunter, who resides just across the river, for a box of fine strawberries of the Early Mitchell variety. They were delicious and exceptionally weet for so early. Thanks Brother

Governor Warner has just signed a bill authorizing townships, cities and villages to appropiate money to celebrate Memorial Day. This, it is believed, will tend a great deal to perpetuate the observance of a day, whose celebration has for many years devolved upon the old soldier still living. It has grown quite a burden for the few who remain to solicit funds but it is left to the state to prevent the custom from dying.

Newspaper men always know great deal more than they write, they they are always more merciful than cruel, truly remarks an exchange. The man who trusts a newspaper man | day. may rely on the fact that he will be treated fairly. It is the mean contemptible, suspicious hypocrite that the newspaper men are always after. No manly man was ever hurt by a newspaper. And no one is quicker to see the manner of a man who studies men and their actions day unto day.

Ex-Deputy Sheriff Harry O. Pierce Rapids. offers his household goods for sale and contemplates permanent removal from Niles to some point in the west. He is undecided where he will go. It may be that he will go back to the Missouri Pacific Railway company, Grand Lodge. for whom he worked several years ago Ypsilanti, Mich., for the past four in the claims department, resigning months has accepted a higher position | the position when he was transferred to Little Rock, Ark., as the climate did not agree with him. He also has in his mind locating in the far west where Wirt Stevens is established.-Niles Sun. Saturday evening and played with the

A small wreck occurred at the Michigan Central depot Sunday morning at 5:15. A fast freight west bound was coming down the grade at a rapid rate when the front trucks under one of the cars became loosened and jumped the track, they run this way for about twenty car lengths, when they caught on the ties, and raising the car until it became caught on the car ahead of it, jumped clear out from under the car and away from the track. A wrecking crew from Niles and the section men from Galien and Buchanan cleared the wreck up, it taking them until about 10:30 in the forenoon. No great amount of damage was done.

PLEASURES OF HOPE.



He-But why did you give me hope if you intended to refuse me? She-How could I give you this answer if I hadn't give you hope so you would propose?—N. Y. Sun.

To Her. You say, when I button your glove And take half an hour or so, I'm slow. Were I quicker, my love, I'd really be "frightfully slow."

-Philadelphia Press. Didn't Worry Him. Gyer-Short makes light of his trou-

Myer—How's that? Gyer-I saw a collector hand him a bill this morning and he lit a cigar with it.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Solomon explained how he got his reputation for wisdom.

'I always had business that called me away from town on moving day," he remarked.—N. Y. Sun.

Chance to Grow. Gerald-A man called me a little fool to-day.

Geraldine - Well, why don't you

grow?-Town Topics.

Oaks Sunday.

J. W. Charlwood, of Niles, was in town yesterday.

Bend over Sunday.

Buchanan this week. Miss Julia Murphy was a South

Bend visitor Monday. Mrs. Ed Howe, of Kalamazoo, is

Cleve Brant was home from New Buffalo, over Sunday.

Mrs. A. T. Bunker was a South Bend visitor, Monday.

Miss Alice Denno, of Three Oaks, was home over Sunday.

Mrs. I. L. H. Dodd came to Bu-

hanan Saturday for a short visit. Mrs. J. W. Charlwood, of West Point Miss., is visiting in Buchanan.

Mrs. W. P. Wood and Mrs. Robert C. Dodd, were Niles visitors, Mon-

Frank Andrews, of Chicago, was Buchanan visitor the last of the

Meyers, of Niles. were in town Saturday.

home yesterday, from a visit in Grand

Mrs. H. R. Adams and Mrs. Harry Rough were South Bend visitors

B. R. Desemberg went to Detroit last night to attend the Masonic

from an extended business trip to Mrs. Wm. Watson, of Three Oaks,

Mrs. F. W. Mead. Mrs. Kate W. Nobles and Suzan Simmons, of Niles, were Buchanan

her sister, Mrs. Sadie Morris, in South

Mrs. Wm. Koons returned to Dowagiac yesterday after visiting in Bu chanan for several days.

Miss Bessie Pennell, were Berrien Springs visitors over Sunday.

work for the Royal Neighbors. Misses Ada Broceus, Myrtle Hol-

Mrs. W. F. Runner left yesterday

liday and Saidee Haslett were home from Three Oaks over Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Boyd, of

Michigan City, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Howe, Sunday. D. L. Boardman returned Friday

from New York, where he was called by the sickness and death of his father. Ansalem Wray started to Chicago

for the Michigan Central, with the Miss Zoa Pangborn, of Ypsilanti

who has been spending a few days with her parents of this place, left for Battle Creek Sunday evening. Harry Smith and Bryan Treat went

to Three Oaks Monday where they are doing a plumbing job for E. S. Roe, at the house of Wm. H. Watson.

Mrs. F. E. Newberry, of St. Louis, is here for a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hantey. Mr. and winter in California.

daughter and Miss Retta Banyon, of Benton Harbor, came to Buchanan Sunday by automobile, and visited myself. at the homes of Fietcher Lewis and O. S. Chapman.

act of vandalism that is decidedly offensive to Buchanan citizen, and one that will bring the perpetrators trouble. Wednesday night a flower bed at A. F. Howe's was raided, mention of which was made in our Friday issue, and Friday Rev. night Tarrant's News. flower beds were raided and the plants pulled up by the roots. The act was committed, not for a desire to possess the pretty blossoms, as they | railways?" were torn to pieces and scattered along the sidewalk. The guilty parties better take warning and stop such actions or they will have to suffer the Star.

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Where fresh, clean goods is the watchword, not stale and cheap goods sold merely to make a price, but good clean, fresh goods sold cheap. If you are sensitive about what you eat buy your groceries of the

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alongside the student in the senior class who is also a halfback on the will meet at 6:30 followed by preachvarsity football team." — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Couldn't Interfere Then. Patience—And you say he kissed

Patrice—Yes, but I couldn't really help it. He did it when I couldn't help

"How is that?" "I was putting my hat on!"-Yonkers Statesman.

Gentle Hints. The Dog-My mistress was feeding thing going on?

The Parrot—Yes, she is making me practice 'This is so sudden!' so I can keep repeating the words when her beau calls to-night.—Chicago Daily

A Critical Transaction. "Don't you think it would be a good idea for this government to own the

"Perhaps," answered Mr. Dustin Stax. "But when it comes to buying them, the government must not expect

May 27th as follows:

Preaching at 10:30 followed by Sunday School. Memorial sermon for G. A. R. at 2:30. Y. P. C. U. ing at 7:30.

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First Strawberries.

Strawberries this year are coming into market earlier than usual, and in a few days there will be planty of home grown berries on the market. Saturday Geo. Weaver brought the first berries this season into Buchanan. Sunday F. G. Hall picked his first berries and Monday, W. J. you crackers all the morning. Any-Hunter and Wm. M. Roe picked

Notice of Meeting of Village Bord of

Having completed the Assessment Roll of the village of Buchanan. The Board of Review for said village will meet May 23 and 24, 1905, at the council room in said village for the purpose of reviewing same. They will hear the complaint of all persons

C. B. TREAT, Assessor,

SOUTH BEND

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Trains leave Buchanan as follows:

5:00 P. M. Close connections at Benton Har-

C. V. GLOVER. H. F. MOELLER.

"The Niagara Falls Route." The new time card that went into effect on the Michigan Central gives

Benton Harbor—St. Joseph Division

p.m. p.m. a.: *00 7:30|1:00 ly. South Bend ar. 7:35| 2:20|11:55
:50 7:57|1:27 Warwick 7:06| 1:27|11:28

Week anding May 23 Subject to Butter 13c 10-14c

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The Pears-East Grain Co,, report the following prices on grain to-day:

Corn

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Regular Review of East Hive Tues-

ibreed Tuesday's and Friday's at the Model Bakery

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brought to St. Joseph Friday.

Closing of Mails.

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7:20 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 2:35 p.m., 6:00 p. m.

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Bismarks 15c a dozen at Portz's. FOUND-A chain, enquire of WM.

Have you tried any of those walnut loaf cake's of Portz's.

Don't miss the special sale of Toilet Soap at the Buchanan Cash Grocery next Satutday. Only 7 cents for 4

Watches, Fountain Pens, Rings. School Souvenir Spoons, Books, Pictures etc. for Commencement gifts. BINNS' MAGNET STORE Miss Zoa Pangborn, daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Pangborn, who has

been holding the position as manager

of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Co. of with the same company at Battle Creek H. E. Shelton, leader of the Buchanan band, and W. W. Wood, euphonem player, came down with D. Dale Swem

Galien Military band. All enjoyed a pleasant evening.—Galien Advocate. Prayer Service on Thursday evening at 7:30 in the Presbyterian church. Rev. Darling will begin at the prayer service on Thursday evening a course of bible study. Any interested in such a systematic course of bible study are

invited. An item has been going the rounds of the papers stating that Rev. Darling had accepted the charge at Walkerton Ind. Mr. Darling informed a RECORD representative, that he had received 18c | a call from Walkerton, but as yet he had given them no answer either

> affirmative or negative. Mrs. Lon Bunker died Monday afternoon' the cause of her death being heart trouble. She has been in poor health for some little time. Mrs. Bunker was sixty seven years of age and was one of the old residents of this place. The funeral will be held from her late home at 10:30 o'clock tomor-

row morning. The members of the Bethany class of the M. E. Sunday School, to the number of fifty-five, enjoyed a May party at the home of D. L. Phelps, Friday evening. 'A May pole, music by the High School Orchestra, and ice cream and cake helped them to pass the evening away very pleasantly, the hour for departure arriving all

too quickly.

Niles has its characters and one is Mrs. Lydia Howard, colored, who resides in the third story of the Gallup building. Here Mrs. Howard has resided for the last 10 years, and during all this time, so she says, she has been out of doors but five times. Mrs Howard was born in Maryland. She has been a resident of Niles for 70 years. She does not know her exact age, but it is thought to be over 100 years. She is not able to work.

Invitations for the 61st annual commencement of the University of Notre Dame have been issued. The graduating exercises will be held Wed- The Cornerstone of a Great Reputation nesday evening, June 14 at 8 o'clock in Washington hall. Notre Dame. The commencement exercises will be held the following morning at 8 o' clock in the same place. Closing exercises, the awarding of medals and honors and the conferring of degrees will complete the day's program and the annual commencement.

PERSONAL.

Miss Eva Simpson was in Niles

Miss Elsie Anstiss went to Three

Walter East was home from South

John Lister is greeting friends in

visiting in Buchanan.

Little Jennie Dickinson spent Sunday with relatives in Pokagon. Geo. Shafer and Chas. Bachman,

of Niles, were in town Sunday.

Mr. G. Hummel, of Chicago is always shield more than they express; stopping at Clear Lake farm this week.

Mrs. Chas. Meyers and Miss Sophia

Miss Sadie Pangborn returned

J. G. Breen returned home Sunday,

is visiting her parents, Mr. and

visitors, Saturday. Mrs. W. S. Wells was the guest of Bend over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pennell and

morning for Otsego, where she will

Heights, yesterday morning to work

Mrs. Newbery have spent the past Dr. Chapin, Mrs. Kelley and

The raiding of flower beds is an consequences.

Church Notes

U. B. CHURCH Services will be held on Sunday

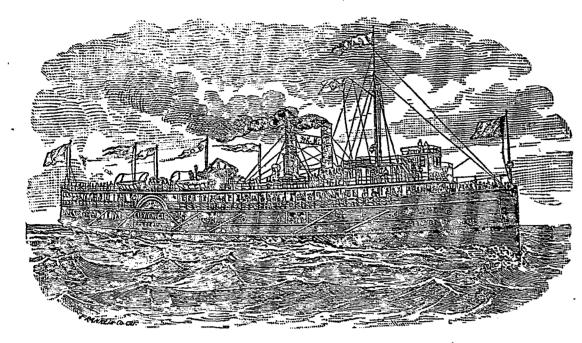
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Announcement.

For reasons made more emphatic by witting and unwitting misapprehension of the facts. The Detroit Free Press states formally that it has increased its capital. A number of men have been admitted to financial participation and have become interested in this newspaper property as they are interested in many other enterprises, that is, as stockholders.

Under the new conditions The Free Press is to be made as nearly a perfect newspaper as is humanly possible The betterment will be in the way of expansion, enlargement and the acquiring of new and diverse talent, without yielding a jot in adherence to the ideals of journalism which have guided the course of the paper in the past. The Free Press will continue to be what it has always been-a newspaper charged with obligations of faith to the reading public and fully aware of the responsibilities of truthful utterance and fearless and unbiased comment, as the mediums that inspire confidence in the integrity of its purpose and the honesty of its intentions. The editorial policy of the paper will continue to be shaped in all ways by Mr. William E. Quinby, under whose guidance the paper has made steady progess for more than forty years. The simple announcement that Mr. Quinby continues as editor-in-chief is sufficient guaranty that the policy to be pursued will be one of absolute independence in political no less than in other ways. It will be the aim of The Free Press to print the news of the world and to comment on such matters as seem of interest and importance with entire independence of the personal views and fortunes of any individuals what-

that has extended over three-quarters of a century, The Free Press has won for itself a reputation based on effec tive and satisfying compliance with the popular view of what a newspaper should be. To it a large and growing clientele looks for its daily food of news, information and guidance, and recognition of this condition alone is assurance of the correctness of the policy heretofore pursued. Any that would involve departure from well-denfied lines would be in viola-Wednesday, August 9, '05 tion of a contract that is not the less binding because it is implied. The pusiness and financial changes will therefore have no other effect on the course of the paper than to admit of improvement, confirmation of which

columns of The Free Press as it is printed every day in the year.

> GRANGE HALL

The day is cold and dark and drear .: It rains, and the wind is never weary; Be still, sad heart; and cease repiring: Behind the clouds is the sun still shining; Invitate is the common fate of all; Into each life some rain must fail, Some days must be dark and dreary.

HENRY W. LONGFELLOW Hurner and Leiter of Benton Haror have bought the Parrot farm at Lighton and wil set it to fruit.

Wallace Burgoyne has rented th Mike Van Patten farm one half mile north of the old Wilson mill. He has moved and begin operations for the season's crops.

Mr. Kenney has bought from Gus Harner sixty acres of the Aaron Van Patten farm.

W. W. McCracken has workmen from St. Joe who have moved the old Shemclia house a few feet to the south and west. It stood on the line between him and Julius Pelky. He is also fitting up the barn he moved last fall. Geo. Parketon has moved the old house on top of the hill, down behind his residence and the granary and

corncrib out near his barn 🧻 Sant. Carpenter has put a new roof on his porch.

Elmer D. Clark has enlarged his peach orchard by several acres. Miss Nellie Philipy of Three Oaks

closed her year's school at the Burke, Dist. No. 4 last Friday. Mrs. - Carrie Schriver run a nail in

her foot causing a painful wound. Pearl Schriver is one of the jurors this term of court.

I. Helmick, J. L. Perkins, W. W. McCracken and F. Kinney are patronizing The Buchanan Creamery. They hope to enlarge the company as it is a long haul.

Mr. Ben Diamond is able to get out of the house again. He has had a long painful siege.

Mrs. H. A. Beach entertained the Woman's Foreign Missionary of Berrien Springs at their May meeting.

Banquets:-Ancient, Modern and Prospective" at the Hall Wednesday

A number of Bessie Gray's friends gave her a pleasant surprise on the e vening of May eleventh. It was the day that marked off fourteen years of her life.

The Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Dean Clark next Thursday afternoon.

evening May 26th for the benefit of Elkhart, and placed by the authorithe pastor Rev. E. Tench.

The prospect is fair for a large crop of fruit. Every vine, shrub and tree has been filled with blossoms and the fruit is well set.

Look out now for the canker worm the little fellows are already appearing When once they are well located in an orchard they are hard to fight.

John Hollenbeck and daughter Mrs. Frank Ford who spent the winter in New Mexico start for home this week. They will stop a couple of weeks in Council Bluffs, Iowa and visit rela-

. . . . State Items

George W. Burns, assistant sergeantat-arms of the house, from Calumet, has received notice that he has been appointed by the Isthmian canal commission as a foreman miner at a salary of \$150 in gold per month. Burns was for many years a miner in the deep shaft of the Calumet & He clamine.

The case of Frank T. Pines against the city of Owosso for \$10,000 damages for alleged false imprisonment was begun in the United States court In the course of a newspaper career Friday morning. Pines is an old man who travels the country buying old precious metals. In June, 1904, he quarters were damp and exceedingly and whispered in his ear: filthy, and that within a couple of "In the Higgins case, sir, there apdays he developed severe rheumatism, from which he has suffered since.

> Representative Vankeuren, who has been securing franchises for an electric railway in Howell, Fowlerville, Brighton and other places in Livingstone county, says that he has behind him a company with unlimited capital which proposes to build a line from Detroit to Lansing parallel with the Pere Marquette railroad. He says the road will be rock ballast, and tem.

and of the other statements and pro- that the line will be equipped with mises here made, will be found in the the heavi at rails and first-class roll. ing stock. He declines to state for whom he is acting

> General Manage Clark, of the P. Y., A.1 &1. save, that one of the a xt moves along the line of improvement of the road will be the establishm at of stations along the line about solf a mile apart where patrons can take the car Time sill do away with the present plan of stopping at any point where a passenger may wish to board a car, and will materially shorten the time of the ru; between to minal.

> The jury in the rabadease of Glenn Horse, administrator of Owosso, vs. the Grand T unk R. R. Co., in which plaintiff sues for \$50 000 damages for the death of his child, brought in a verdict Friday afternoon for \$1500 damages. The court inst noted the jury not to consider the recent law enacted by the legislature affecting the causes for receiving damages by reason of railway accidents, as in the present case the accident occurred prior to the enactment of the law.

> A mysterious robbery occurred in Battle Creek, Thursday night during a fire at the residence of John S. Southworth. The fire was in a back room, and a large number of people entered the house. It was discovered later that a quantity of silverware had been taken from the house. Friday the things were found under the back steps of the house done up in brown paper. Bloodhounds were put on the trail, but as yet nothing has been learned of the thieves' identity.

The government's suit against the General Paper Co., which includes all paper companies in Michigan. Minnesota and Wisconsin, has so alarmed the defendant companies that they are beginning to get from under. The Petoskey Paper Co., of Petoskey, Mich., was the first to leave, having it developed at the anti-trust case hearing Friday, refused to renew its contract with the General Paper Co. for the exclusive agency of its Rev. E. Tench gave his lecture business. The publication of the contract by which the general company is allowed to fix a monopolistic price on print paper caused this action, it is understood.

Seven years ago a man giving his name as VanKnocker appeared at Elkhart with a woman who, it later developed bore the name of Pennock. They were elopers, he having abandoned a wife and Mrs. Pennock her The ladies of the church will give husband. The woman kidnaped her an ice cream social at the hall Friday infant child, which was abandoned at ties in a private family. Recently the authorities began an investigation with a view of finding the child's parents, and have found in William Pennock, of Temple, Mich., the father, who had mourned his child as dead. The child, now 9 years of age, will be restored to the father.

> Charles Peters, city councilman, of Deckerville, was burned to death in the destruction of a big hay barn by fire Friday afternoon. He was working with C. K Bedient, owner of the barn, inside the structure when a switch engine dumped some ashes a few feet away and the wind carried some of the coals into the building. The two men hurried out of the barn, but Mr. Peters reentered, probably for a book, and was immediately enveloped by a mass of roaring flames. He was never seen again. The property loss amounts to about \$4,000. Mr. Peters is survived by a widow and four children.

. Mistake of No Consequence.

"That is false logic", said Congress man Hepburn in the course of an ad dress. "Such logic as that reminds me of the reasoning of a certain sur geon.

"This surgeon, one Saturday afternoon, performed before a large class, some thirty swift operations,. At the claims, he was arrested in Owosso end, as he was washing his hands, a and thrown into jail. He claims the young assistant tiptoed over to him

pears to have been some mistake'. "A mistake in the Higgins case? I

think not, said the surgeon. "'Yes,' the other insisted. 'You cut off Higgins' wrong leg, sir., '

"Oh, well, that is of no consequence, 'said the surgeon. 'We can cure the other one, so it comes to the same thing in the end.'"

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"Death was fast approaching," writes Ralph F. Fernandez, of Tampa Fla., describing his fearful race with death, "as a result of liver trouble and heart disease, which had robbed me of sleep and of all interest in life. Rags, Rubbers, Scrap I had tried many different doctors and several medicines, but got no benefit, until I began to use Electric Bitters, So wonderful was their effect, that in three days I felt like a new man, and today I am cured of all my troubles." Guaranteed by all druggists; price 50c.

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