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\$8.50 Niagara Falls \$6.75

The Niagara Falls Excursion, to be run by the I. L. & I. R. R., on Wednesday, August 9th, 1905, will be a most delightful and inexpensive trip.

Good to return on, or before August 20th, 1905.

Low rates of fare from Niagara Falls by river, and Lake, or all rail to, Niagara on the lake, Toronto, Alexandria Bay, Thousand Islands, Montreal via St. Lawrence river, and the highlands of Ontario.

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The excursion will be first class in every particular, personally conducted. It will run through solid, without stop, from South Bend, via the L. S. & M. S. and N. Y. C. & H. R.

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Ask your ticket agent, or for sleeping car reservations, or other information, write to:

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Aug. 9.

Church Notes

PRESBYTERIAN

Preaching next Sunday morning and evening, Sunday school at 11:45 a. m. C. E. meeting at 6:30 p. m.

Miss Stewart will render a solo Sunday morning. All are cordially invited.

H. N. WAGNER, Pastor.

CHRISTIAN

There will be preaching next Lord's day morning and evening by the pastor, C. B. Black. Christian Endeavor services at 6:30 p. m., subject, First Fruits.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN

Services Sunday, Aug. 6, 1905. Preaching and communion service at 10:30 a. m., S. S. 11:45. Loyal Worker's meeting 6:30 p. m., preaching 7:30, subject "Hell." All are invited.

REWARD—Will be paid for the return of an umbrella with silver plated ornament with initials M. C. engraved on it. Umbrella was taken from the voting place on Main street at the last spring's election. Return to Record office and receive reward.

BIG CROWD AT PICNIC

Berrien Springs Was the Largest Town in the County for One Day

WHITE IS NEW PRESIDENT

Buchanan Sent Large Delegation—Good Time Enjoyed by all—New Officers Elected

It is estimated that ten thousand people attended the Young People's picnic at Berrien Springs, Wednesday. The crowd was the largest in the history of the association.

Special trains were run on the Pere Marquette, from Benton Harbor and Buchanan, besides the people these trains carried to the picnic, hundreds drove into Berrien Springs.

One hundred and fifty-one tickets were sold from Buchanan, and as many more went from here by team.

The weather was perfect for a picnic, and although several times during the day it looked like rain, the weather-man decided to be good and no rain fell.

Band concerts, horse races, ball games and speeches were the order of the program for the day, while in the evening fireworks and three dances kept the crowds in the one-time county capital until a late hour.

The business meeting was held in the morning, at which time the following officers were elected for the coming year:

President, Chas. E. White, Niles; Secy. and Treas., C. A. Wilkinson, Berrien Springs.

Vice Presidents; Benton Harbor, Bert C. Spaulding; St. Joseph, John E. Wurz; Buchanan, O. P. Woodworth; Niles township, George Hinkler; Niles city, Warren Griffin; Sodus, Fred Handy; Eau Claire, W. H. Van Doran; Berrien Center, William Rutter; Baroda, Jacob Ross; Bridgman, Frank Whipple; Stevensville, John Corrigan; Berrien Springs, Jake Dille; Royalton, Walter Hazzard; Sawyer, William Baker; New Troy, William Pierce, Jr.; Watervliet, Leon D. Case; Coloma, J. O. Stevic; Three Oaks, J. Hovey; South Bend, Ind., Fred Hamlin; Elkhart, J. O. Shafter; Dowagiac, H. E. Agnew; Goshen, Wolkin; Bainbridge, E. N. Matrau; Benton Harbor, J. J. Jakway; Bertrand, Steven Scott, Jr.

It was planned to form a new organization which will embrace southwestern Michigan and northern Indiana.

A committee to form such new organization was appointed as follows: Willard J. Banyon, Benton Harbor; Fred A. Hamlin, South Bend; Roy Clark, Pipestone; Guy C. Mars, Berrien Springs; H. E. Agnew, Dowagiac.

The only thing in common with the old association will be that the annual picnic grounds will be the historic Indian fields at Berrien Springs.

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Public is Aroused

The public is aroused to a knowledge of the curative merits of that great medicinal tonic, Electric Bitters, for sick stomach, liver and kidneys. Mary H. Walters, of 546 St. Clair Ave., Columbus, O., writes: "For several months, I was given up to die. I had fever and ague, my nerves were wrecked; I could not sleep, and my stomach was so weak, from useless doctors' drugs, that I could not eat. Soon after beginning to take Electric Bitters, I obtained relief, and in a short time I was entirely cured." Guaranteed at any drug store, price 50c.

LANSING LETTER

Michigan's Provisions for Bettering the Condition of Wage Earners

FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

Governor Warner is Giving Personal Attention to the Jackson Prison Investigation

Lansing, Aug 3, 1905.

Among Michigan's beneficent institutions created and fostered under the liberal policy of the state, is the department of labor. It is one that possibly does not attract such large public attention as some, but it is one of pervading and increasing usefulness, especially to those classes that often need the protecting oversight of the state. The course of legislation for bettering the condition of workers for wages has been steadily progressive and cumulative. In 1893 a law was passed requiring employers of female help in stores, shops, offices or factories to provide seats for such employes when not actively occupied in their work, and providing penalties for disregard of that humane and appropriate requirement. An act of 1895, amended in 1901, provided for compulsory school attendance of children and the appointment of truancy officers. In 1897 a law was enacted forbidding the employment of women or girls as barkeepers, or for dancing or furnishing music in any place where liquors are sold.

The compiled laws of 1897 contained the provisions for organizing the bureau of labor and industrial statistics as it has since been constituted, the appointment by the governor with the approval of the senate, of a commissioner of labor, and the appointment by him of a deputy, and they with the secretary of state to constitute the bureau of statistics, for the collection and publication of statistical details relating to all departments of labor in all its phases, financial, physical, mental and moral, sanitary, social, racial and commercial.

An act of 1899 directed the commissioner to appoint an inspector of coal mines, and made detailed requirements for appliances and provisions in the coal mines of this state "for protection of the health, lives and interests of the coal miners of Michigan." Another act of the same session required operators of factories where emery wheels or belts are used, to provide fans or blowers, when so directed by the labor commissioner, to effectively carry away from the workmen the injurious dust that such wheels and belts produce; and another act of the same session required the attachment of low water alarms to stationary boilers in this state when so directed by the commissioner. An effort to repeal this law was made at the recent session, but it was not successful. This was based upon the representation that the alarms cause more explosions than they prevent, by lulling the vigilance of the engineers; but the statistics of the bureau do not support that.

A very important and comprehensive law enacted in 1901, provided for the inspection of factories, workshops and stores, requiring provision of fire escapes, elevator and stairway and machinery guards, ventilation, and other appliances necessary for the safety, comfort and convenience of employes; prohibited employment of children under fourteen years of age, and limited to sixty hours per week the employment of others, under eighteen years for males and under twenty-one years for females. Deputy factory inspectors were authorized, at least one of which must be a woman; and tenement house work, known as "sweatshop," was forbidden except under special permit and supervision of inspectors. By an act of 1905 the provisions of this law as to child labor were extended to theaters, places of amusement where liquors are sold, or any mercantile

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institution; office, hotel, laundry, bowling ally, elevator, telegraph or messenger service, and forbade the employment of any child under sixteen years, between the hours of six in the evening and seven in the morning.

An act of 1903 fixes responsibility for making improvements required by factory inspectors, and provides that in case of owners non-resident in Michigan the tenant shall make the improvement and charge the costs against his rent. The reports of inspectors show a steady improvement under the operation of these laws and a growing recognition of their wisdom and justice on the part of the interests affected. Two of the deputy-inspectors now employed are women, one for Detroit and the other for the rest of the state, who look more especially after the interests of the women and children. Among some classes of the population the idea that the children should not be employed seems strange and unreasonable, but by tact and patience the inspectors are able to lead them into an appreciation of the important considerations involved. Even among the children themselves, the prevailing passion for money getting seems to have taken root, and some of them are eager on their own account to secure earnings. A boy of fifteen was remonstrated with by one of the women inspectors not long since. He belonged to a family comfortably circumstanced and had no need to crowd his vacation with shop work as he was doing. She asked him why he would not have a vacation of rest and recreation, after the confinement of the school year. "Why," he said, "then I couldn't earn any money!" Alas, that the children should so early imbibe the spirit of ceaseless strain and stress for money as the goal of effort.

Added to all the other features of the state's labor supervision, there has this year been engrafted a new feature, in a law of the recent session providing for free employment bureaus in cities of over fifty thousand people, under which a bureau is now in operation in Detroit, and one in Grand Rapids, the only cities at pres-

ent coming within the definition of the law. Applications of persons seeking employment, and of persons seeking to employ, are received, and their desires assisted by putting them in communication with each other, without fee or compensation, and without distinction of class or locality. This is an institution that has proven of great value in Illinois, and here it has already achieved such a surprising success that "Doc" Smith of Adrian, in charge of the Detroit bureau, finds himself overwhelmed with business and at his wits' end how to keep up with its demands: while the neighboring business offices are in rebellion at the interference which its thronging patrons cause. The commissioner is authorized to advertise in newspapers or otherwise for such situations as he has applicants to fill, and in trade journals for the cooperation of large employers, to an expense not to exceed five hundred dollars per year, to be paid out of any appropriation for the department; and the board of auditors provide office and necessary furniture and supplies. The appropriations for the department are twenty thousand dollars for factory inspection, two thousand dollars for coal mine inspection, and eight thousand dollars for the statistical work, per year.

If increasing exposure of graft and boodle in the public service are no indication of increasing corruption in human society, but rather the reverse, then we are finding large occasion for congratulation nowadays. In whichever light that may be viewed, however we in Michigan will be glad that our state has not become conspicuous in that particular. The investigation into prison affairs at Jackson seems so far to bring indictment against a custom, rather than a showing of corruption on the part of a particular officer. It has often happened that practices have grown up little by little, attracting no attention and not challenged as reprehensible, accepted by one officer because inherited as the usage from his predecessor, until something calls (Continued on last page.)

Before Inventory Sale of Boys' Clothing.

At saving prices to interest all who have clothing to buy for boys. This sale is a money saving occasion of the greatest importance, as we have decided to materially reduce our stock of boy's clothing before our semi-annual inventory.

Boys' wash suits in Russian and sailors, all made with bloomer trousers, ages 2½ to 10 years, \$1.00 grades for 75c, \$1.50 for \$1.00, \$2.00 grades for \$1.50. \$3.00 grade for \$2.00.

Double and Single breasted suits, three piece suits and some two-piece suits with extra leather belt, in fancy chevrons and cassimere, sizes 9 to 16 years, values from \$5.00 to \$7.50 all at \$3.50 and \$4.00. Single and double breasted Norfolk suits in fancy mixtures, ages from 7 to 16 years, \$5.00 and \$6.00 values at \$3.50.

Boy's Russian, Buster Browns, sailors, Norfolk and double breasted suits in staple blues and fancy mixtures, the very finest makes and the very best values obtainable, at the original prices, \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50, at \$3.50, \$4.00, and \$5.00.

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Japan is cutting out enough work to keep Russia busy for another century.

Besides conducting a peace bureau Uncle Sam is recruiting his army and navy to their full strength.

No increase of population this year. Mr. Edison has just discovered more power and speed for the automobiles.

Kaiser Wilhelm should not overlook the fact that there is no genuine Monroe doctrine unless it bears the letters U. S. A.

The sharks are swimming around in sight of the President's summer home at Oyster Bay, but he is driving them out of nearly every department of the government.

Another case of not being able to stand prosperity, is plainly shown by the village of Berrien Springs, when it wanted the Young People's Picnic Association extended to take in Michigan and Indiana. It will only be a case of biting off more than they can chew. With the crowd that was there Wednesday, the little town had its hands full, what would it do with a larger one? Another thing that time will show is, that this enlargement will prove to be the death of the organization. Better keep it a Berrien County Association.

A Few Words About The Columbia River.

The Columbia river is the state line between Oregon and Washington from the Pacific Ocean to the Dalles nearly or quite 200 miles and at the mouth where it empties into the Ocean is 5 miles wide. The city of Astoria is on the Oregon side of the river and is about 12 miles from the Ocean it is the only city of any size until you come to Vancouver, Washington, which I think is perhaps the larger of the two. Here I might say that the Willomet river empties into the Columbia about 6 miles below Vancouver and that it is about 7 miles up the Willomet from the Columbia to Portland, the largest city in Oregon and is about four times as large as both Astoria and Vancouver added together. The United States Government keeps the two rivers navigable for the largest vessels plying on the Pacific Ocean clear up to Portland 100 miles, and the Ocean tide is just perceptible in low water at both Portland and Vancouver.

Then the next city is the Dalles at the upper end of steamboat navigation on the Columbia and I think it is nearly as large as both Astoria and Vancouver added together. The river is full ¾ of a mile wide here and very deep and soon goes into a mountain gorge so narrow, and the water so rapid that the only way it

can be passed over is to come down in row boats made purposely and handled by a strong man used to the river on the rapids. Now as we go down the river there are some nice little towns, but as I did not note their names in passing can only name a few and may not name them in the order they occur as you pass them for I am writing all this from memory without any notes taken on the spot.

Hood River is quite a town on the Oregon side at the mouth of Hood river and 22 miles from Mount Hood and is the only place where the tourist leaves the river to visit Mount Hood, here are conveyances of almost any kind from a saddle horse or horse and cart to a six seat automobile and are said to be had at reasonable prices. I was satisfied with the view I got from the river and was not off the boat at this place at all. Then the next place is Stevenson on the Washington side a nice little place at the foot of the mountains and the county seat. I left the boat here and walked four miles, and in doing so climb up hill 900 feet which was more than I wanted, or the thermometer at the river was at 90 but that night I slept under two blankets and a light quilt and saw no flies about the house the next day; this was June 26, 1904. One mile below Stevenson is the Lock at the Cascades on the Oregon side which raises and lowers boats from 15 to 20 feet in common stage of water, but in very high water there are times that the boats do not pass the lock on account of the rapids around and below on the Washington side, for two to three weeks. Then the next place I will mention is the McGowens Cannery on the Oregon side, here they use about 80 hands, taking the fish as they come from the water, and the sheet tin as it is shipped in boxes (and the boat left 5 tons of tin and was ¾ of an hour unloading the day I was there) and prepare the tin in boxes to receive the fish, and dress and pack the fish in the tin boxes first and then into wooden boxes and ship them away. They put on as much bulk of boxes that day, as they took off, but being dinner time there was no work going on only unloading and loading the boat.

The next place I mention is Washougal, Washington, a nice little country town where the boat picks up about fifteen to twenty cans of cream for Portland. Then a few miles below is Commus where there is a large paper mill. They make pulp and nearly all kinds of paper, and use over 500 hands, that is the total business of the place. I am down now to about 15 miles of Vancouver and there are other places worthy of mention on the Washington side, one canning factory one a stone quarry where they load flat boats with stone to be towed to the mouth of the Columbia and filled in between piling to make the jetty, which is to extend into the Ocean fifteen to twenty miles. There is some eight to ten miles finished now, and one year ago now, fifteen miles of piling drove but last November there came a gale and destroyed over three miles of piling that was not packed with stone, and now they are fixing up what broke, and are not going to drive so far ahead of the stone work again.

Now for the rise and fall in the river about Vancouver. The government has a standard gauge fast to

a pile at the pier here, which has a black mark at the bottom which is low water mark and then it is marked up with inches and feet to thirty-six feet, and that is the standard by which the people talk of high or low water. Last February the water felt six to eight inches below the black mark which only occurs once in from six to ten years and on the 6th. of June 1864 there are marks in town that shows that the water was up 34 feet on the gauge which is the only time it was ever known to be so high and as it killed large yellow fur trees that were believed to be 1000 years old and to have never been touched with water before, as that kind of timber does not grow in low or wet land and cannot stand any soaking of the roots, it is believed it never was so high before. I staid quite awhile in a farm house, while out there, in which there was a mark six inches above the door from one room to another on the lower floor, that represented where the water was at that time. They carried all the furniture up on the second floor and men come with a boat and slept in the chamber for six weeks, and then the water went down and they cleaned up down below and carried down the goods and commenced to live there again as though nothing had happened. There was no extra sickness in the house or about the country on account of the high water.

Now when renting this river bottom land, as it is called between the river and hills, they say in the lease when for a cash rent, generally \$5 to \$7 50 per acre, if the water does not get more than 22 feet high, but if it goes to 23 feet, they throw off \$1.00 per acre and if it goes up to 24 feet then they reduce the rent \$2 25 to \$2.50 per acre and if it gets up to 25 feet the renter has all he can get off the place and that does not occur oftener than 12 to 15 years. These farmers obtain all the wood they want from the river if the water comes up 19 to 21 feet, by the flood wood in old logs and trees and all kinds of stuff, while 18 feet is poor picking and that was what they were looking for this year. When I left June 12 the water was only 16 feet high.

H. N. HATHAWAY.

CORRESPONDENCE

DAYTON

Miss Maude Sweet spent Wednesday in town, the guest of Mr. Bromley and family.

The Ladies Aid society of the M. E. church, of Galien, had a picnic in the school house grove Wednesday. Mr. Cass DeArmond, of Baroda, spent Sunday in Dayton.

Misses Pearl Redding and Maude Moyer came home from Niles Saturday.

Miss and Rev. Stansell spent Sunday in New Troy.

Mr. Frank Wilson and family and Mrs. Clarence Wilson, of Three River spent Sunday with Wm. Redding and family.

The ice cream social Saturday night was well attended.

WEST BERTRAND.

The farmers are busy taking their early potatoes to the South Bend markets.

Mrs. Ida Wilson, of Three Rivers, visited in this vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Smith and son of Battie Creek, spent Sunday at John Redden's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. English, of New Troy, took dinner at John Redden's Sunday.

Mr. Elmer Laurer and family of South Bend, visited at John Best's Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Best, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Davidson and daughter, Elmer Laurer and family, Mrs. Allie Blodgett and daughter and Miss Ruby Cauffman spent Sunday at Hudson lake.

Chas. Foster and Dorothy Currier, went to Crystal Springs Tuesday, to prepare the Currier cottage for camp meeting.

BENTON HARBOR

It will be remembered that Albert Griswold was killed by John Cook, (both of this city) in a saloon quarrel a year ago and that Cook was later acquitted of the charge. Now Mrs. Griswold has brought suit for \$6000 against the saloon men who sold Cook the liquor and made him capable of committing the deed.

Lotta Osborne Schneider only 17 years old and married a year ago had become rather wild and quarreled with and separated from her husband. Last Monday night there was a fresh quarrel, on the bluff at St. Joseph, after which the poor girl crying bitterly went down to the boat dock and threw herself into the river. The life saving crew recovered the body.

Walter Blodgett, of Detroit, is taking subscriptions for a new telephone company to be started here and called the Standard Co.

Ex-mayor Row a few days ago, ran across an old comrade, Jack Palmer whom he had not seen since they parted on the battle field 40 years ago. Mr. Palmer stopped in this city on his way to Coloma.

The Baker-Vawter baseball team played a game with the Berrien Spring boys last Sunday, and on the return trip, their launch was hung up on a sandbar and there they spent the night trying to get away. They reached home at 7 a. m. Monday morning, just in time to go to work.

The first shipment of musk melons was made last night.

Mrs. Eunice Garrison was successfully operated upon at the Mercy hospital yesterday for a cancer of the breast.

The Twin City Blade has given up, as the ghost starved to death. The News-Palladium purchased its subscription list.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Robinson are expecting a visit next week from their son, the reverend Daniel stationed at Ligonier, Ind.

The body of an unknown man about 45 years old was washed ashore at St. Joseph last Sunday morning. It has not yet been identified.

J. S. Morton of the G. & M. line has been ill.

Over 10,000 excursionists were in the Twin Cities last Sunday.

Hester Dalrymple, formerly of Buchanan is visiting in Grand Rapids. About 400 people attended the Presbyterian-Methodist S. S. picnic at Paw Paw lake yesterday.

There will be no Sunday evening service at the Baptist church during August.

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"The Niagara Falls Route."

In effect June 18, 1905.

West		East	
No. 15	7:40 a. m.	No. 4	12:12 a. m.
No. 43	10:28 a. m.	No. 10	5:11 a. m.
No. 45	2:38 p. m.	No. 2	10:10 a. m.
No. 5	3:05 p. m.	No. 14	5:39 p. m.
No. 47	5:27 p. m.	No. 22	5:39 p. m.

* Daily except Sunday.
St. Joe, Benton Harbor Division.

STATIONS		P. M. P. M.	
9:00	7:30 1:40 1:40	South Bend	7:35 2:21 11:55
9:50	7:57 1:27	Warwick	7:05 1:21 11:28
10:30	8:00 1:24	Gallion	6:57 12:50 11:19
11:00	8:15 1:48	Glendora	6:45 12:39 11:30
11:30	8:30 1:58	Baroda	6:36 12:30 10:59
12:00	8:35 2:05	Derby	6:28 11:35 10:51
12:30	8:42 2:12	Vineland	6:22 11:30 10:45
1:00	8:53 2:25	Benton Harbor	6:12 11:03 10:37
1:30	9:03 2:35	St. Joseph	6:00 11:00 10:35

All trains will be run daily except Sunday.
At Gallion the trains will be run via the main line station.

M. L. JENKS,
Agent.

BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending Aug. 4 Subject to change:

Butter	14c
Lard	8 1/2c
Eggs	15c
Honey	14c
Beef	3 1/2c
Veal	4 1/2c
Pork	5c
Mutton	4c
Chicken	9c

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M. L. JENKS.

Closing of Mails.

GOING EAST

9:35 a. m., 12:00 and 4:40 p. m.

GOING WEST

7:20 a. m., 12:00 p. m., 2:35 p. m. 5:00 p. m.

GOING NORTH

7:40 a. m., 4:20 p. m.

LOCAL NOTES

H. R. Adams is having a new coal shed built at the Michigan Central railroad.

Mrs. B. T. Morley has been quite ill the past few days, but is much better now.

Skeet's Ice Cream

Morning, Noon And Night.

A new cement crosswalk is being built on Clark street, across the end of Roe street.

Skeet's Chocolate Ice Cream.

Crystal Springs campmeeting opened last night. A good sized attendance is reported, among the number being a good sized Buchanan delegation.

We have a number of the premium lists of the West Michigan State Fair which we will be pleased to give to any who is interested. Call at the Record office and get one.

Herbert Roe purchased the Henry Marble place, on North Oak street Tuesday from Mrs. Maria Sarle, of South Bend, consideration \$1300. He expects to move into his new home the first of the week.

The firm of Adams, Walker & Poyser dissolved partnership Tuesday, Mr. Adams purchasing the interest of Messrs Walker and Poyser. He will conduct the business alone in the future. Mr Poyser will probably be employed in the store, and Mr. Walker will devote his time to music.

The M. C. R. R. Co. will sell round trip tickets to Denver, Colo. Aug 29 to Sept. 3 inclusive, good returning not later than Sept. 12th. Fare from Buchanan to Denver, Colo. and return \$22 25 for further particulars enquire at ticket office. Account G. A. R. Encampment.

M. L. JENKS.

S. Hay, of Chicago, is in town this week in the interest of a patent wagon gear company who desire to locate in Buchanan. Mr. Hay has a good proposition and if it be possible to locate this factory here it will be one of the best additions made to the town in sometime. The company is now in operation but wishes to get out of the city and wishes to enlarge its plant. A number of our citizens are very much interested in this proposition and it is hoped that arrangements can be made to induce the company to locate in Buchanan.

Fire damaged the Big Four railroad bridge across Pipestone creek, three miles north of Eau Claire, Wednesday. The stringers at the east end of the bridge were weakened and many of the cross ties were burned so that they had to be removed. The section gang made temporary repairs, preventing serious hindrance to traffic. The structure caught fire from burning grass ignited by sparks from the engine.

Skeet's Strawberry Ice Cream.

A new sewer is being put in on Main street near the City Restaurant. The boardwalk on day's avenue, has been receiving some needed repairs this week.

George Wyman & Co. have their annual blanket sale during August. See advertisement.

Regular meeting of Sylvia Chapter O. E. S. will be held Wednesday evening August 9.

The Michigan Central Carpenters were at the freight house in this place Wednesday, making some small repairs.

Skeet's Ice Cream The Best.

Moles removed without injuring the skin. Guaranteed or money refunded, A. G. Morley, opposite the creamery.

J. L. Richards has a rose bed at his home, that attracts considerable attention. Roses at this time of the year are seldom found outside of the greenhouses, but Mr. Richards has them in a large variety of kinds and colors: He takes great pride in his roses, and well he may, for they are beauties.

Andrew Huss, who resides across the river, has some fine early, yellow freestone peaches that he would like to have some one tell him the name of. The trees are three years old and are as full of fruit as they can be but Mr. Huss does not know what variety they are.

Skeet's Ice Cream Morning, Noon And Night.

"Niagara on the Lake"

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Low rates of fare, through trains running solid from I. I. & I. stations after dinner on that date, and reaching Niagara Falls for breakfast Thursday morning.

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PERSONAL.

Ben Jones, of Galien, was in town yesterday.

W. N. Brodrick went to Chicago yesterday.

Otis Bigelow, of Dowagiac, was in town yesterday.

Mrs. Carrie Crotser, was in South Bend yesterday.

Miss Vera Fritz went to Niles, yesterday, to visit friends.

Louis Runner was a New Carlisle visitor several days this week.

Mrs. Chas. Babcock and Mrs. C. E. Sabin, spent Thursday in South Bend.

Wm. Rynearson, of Dowagiac, came to Buchanan Tuesday, for a few days visit.

Mrs. Maryette Mansfield returned home Monday after an extended visit in Cherry Valley, Ill.

Mrs. J. F. Peck, Mrs. H. D. Rough and Mrs. G. E. Smith were South Bend visitors Thursday.

Mrs. A. A. Worthington and Miss Ruby Phelps went to Crystal Springs campmeeting yesterday.

Wm. P. Miller went to Mishawaka Ind., yesterday on account of the illness of Mrs. J. E. Miller.

W. S. Woods and wife, of Benton are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Woods.

Mrs. Wm. Conrad returned home yesterday from Elkhart, Ind., where she has been visiting her daughter.

Mrs. Bert Adams and Mrs. Dick Hill of Benton Harbor are visiting with Miss Julia Murphy, this week.

Mrs. H. F. Kingery and Miss Nell Hickman, returned Wednesday from Elkhart, where they had been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Armbrster, of Bloomington, Ill. and Geo. Roe, of Pullman, Ill. are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. B. Richards, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Roe.

Mrs. M. R. McLean, of Fargo, N. D. came to Buchanan yesterday for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Eben Gage.

Miss Julian Donnelly of Dowagiac, returned home Wednesday, after a two weeks visit with relatives in this place.

Mrs. Walter Miller and daughter Dora, of South Bend were guests at the home of Valentine Schram, yesterday.

Miss Edna Stanislaus, of South Bend, returned home yesterday after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Mm. Yoder.

Miss Ruby Helmick returned home Wednesday from Wakarusa, Ind., where she has been visiting the past four weeks.

Frank Glidden came home Wednesday, from South Haven, for a few days visit with his parents and sister Mrs. Fraser, of Ellis, Kas., who is visiting here.

Miss Olive Reynolds and Lillian Shaw went to South Bend, Thursday, where they will spend a few days visiting friends and relatives.

Miss Cathryn Ray who has been visiting Beatrice Mansfield for the past month returned to her home in St. Joseph Thursday afternoon.

John Graham was in St. Joseph, Wednesday, on business connected with Soldiers reunion that will be held in Buchanan the last of this month.

Mrs. Chas. Haslett and daughter Miss Hazel, of Chesterton, Ind. returned to their home yesterday, after a short visit with relatives in Buchanan.

Miss Edith Irwin, went to Seneca, Ill., Thursday morning, from there she will go to Mendota, Ill., where she will attend the Advent campmeeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. John Rehm and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Denno drove to Niles Sunday to attend the grove meeting. They drove home by way of Barron lake.

A Touching Story

is the saving from death, of the baby girl of Geo. A. Eyer, Cumberland, Md., he writes: "At the age of 11 months, our little girl was in declining health, with serious Throat Trouble and two physicians gave her up. We were almost in despair, when we resolved to try Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds. The first bottle gave relief; after taking four bottles she was cured, and is now in perfect health." Never fails to relieve and cure a cough or cold. At any drug store; 50c and \$1.00 guaranteed. Trial bottle free.

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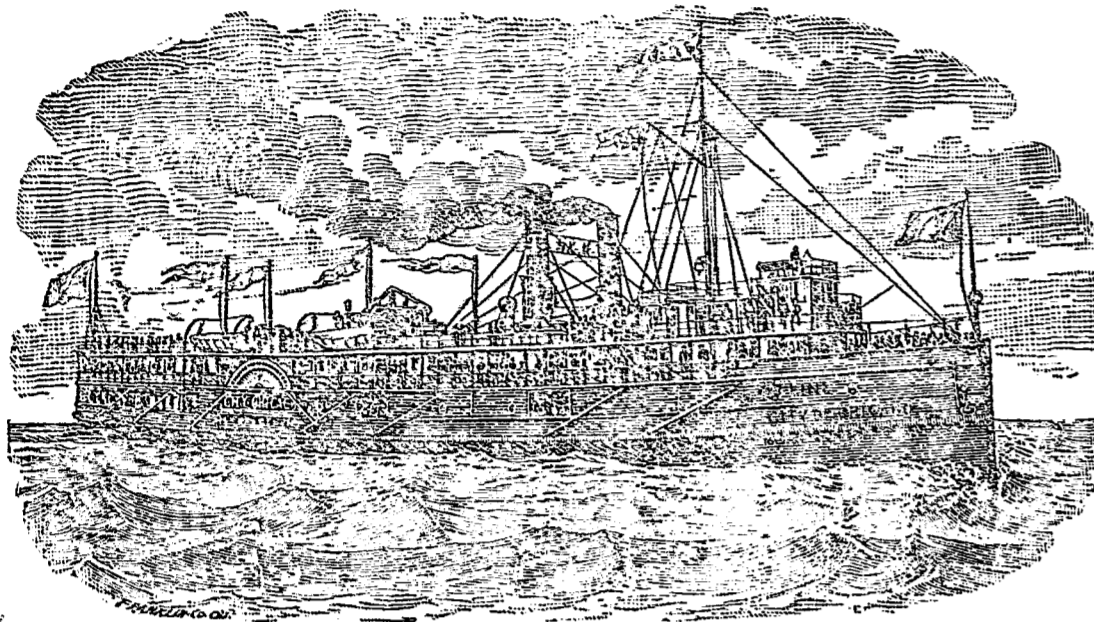
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The... **By PERCIE W. HART**

Crimsoning of the High Seas

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"Git out d' way, Patsy!"

"To — wid de foires!"

"The ship's a-sinkin'!"

"We're not going to stay here and be drowned like rats in a hole!"

These and many another like comment the mutinous firemen were shouting. But they could not seem to out-argue the swinging bar of steel which defended the only available means of exit.

"Stoke up!" continued the red neck clothed giant, whom one of the others had addressed as Patsy. "It's sthame and not cowards this ship nades. Stoke up," he repeated in furious tones, "or I'll brain ye one by one. Fais, ye'll drown anyway, above or below, if the ship goes down, so ye might as well run your chance here and save me usin' up my strength in puttin' the bit of stale on ye. Stoke up, byes! It's better to die workin' than— Whist! Who's callin' me?"

"Patsy!" once again feebly ejaculated the sadly battered Mortimer.

"Howly mither! 'Tis one of the officers makin' a social call on the lokes of us!" cried the big stoker.

"Hould yer hush, byes, while I converse wid him."

So saying and still keeping a watchful eye upon the little knot of badly stamped coal heavers, Patsy came and stooped down alongside of the prostrate lieutenant.

"Roight ye are, sir," he replied to the hurried whispering of Mortimer. "It's yerself that!"

The rest of his sentence was lost in another lurch of the badly mauled ship, accompanied by the reverberations of the heavy cannonading, increased a thousandfold by the conductivity of the steel decks overhead.

"Niver mind the coal, byes!" shouted the giant exuberantly, yet making no move toward relinquishing his formidable weapon. "In-vid the margety sthuff! And may the saints in hev'n help the man that gets to worruk lasht of all!" he added piously.

Partly from habit, a little by reason of shame, but mostly through the desire of evading the certainty of Patsy's terrible blows, the stokers now stuffed their furnaces with that mys-



The firemen rushed for the ladder.

terious compound of cotton waste, oil, resin, and what not, known as "emergency fuel." Its effect was at once apparent. The steam gauges fairly leaped, while the intensely hot flames belched outward in spite of latched doors and licked the metal ceilings for half their breadth.

Once again the ship staggered beneath the shock of the enemy's cannonade.

"What's the matter wid our gunners?" suddenly demanded one of the most unruly workers. "They've scarcely fired at all, and we've been takin' rounds by the hundred!"

"It's disabled 'all our poppers be, darlint," cried Patsy joyously, "so we are goin' to ram the bloody oild!"

With a howl like a pack of hungry wolves, the firemen rushed in a body for the ladder of exit.

"Hount'er an' yer worth, byes!" commented Patsy, half under his breath, as he leaned upon his weapon and made no further effort toward restraining them. "It's little I care now that the sthame be up, fur if she don't sink us—had cess to her!—we'll do the trick fur her, and it'll be more by the same token if we don't both of us go to the botham anyhow. Howly murther—that iver I should!"

With the sound of rending plates and crashing superstructures, the ship heeled far over to port, then righted and commenced to roll regularly from side to side. Stokers, Patsy, the injured lieutenant and all the debris of the furnace room were thrown in a single heap with small regard for their personal convenience.

Up in his conning tower Lieutenant Beresford looked mournfully out through the eye slits.

"It seems cold blooded work, but then they would play ducks and drakes with my rifles," he murmured as he noted the huge rent in the opposing battleship's side, with the water pouring into it like a mill sluice. Then he dashed hastily back through the overlapping passageway that led out of his safe nook and gave the order, "All hands to save life!"

But without boats, life buoys or even ropes this matter was not capable of being conducted very satisfactorily.

"Enemy's flagship has hauled down ensign, and the others are following her lead, sir," reported one of the petty officers.

Not till that instant did Beresford notice the complete cessation of the cannonading. The battle was over, and the American fleet had won the day!

Far different from the trimly painted and polished, spick and span craft which had sailed away from port so proudly and defiantly some few short weeks ago were the cluster of battered and shattered steel hulks tossing and wallowing about in the heavy sea. But the saddest scenes of all were within their ruined casemates and—had best not be described.

"Hello!" remarked Hughes as he picked his way among the dead and wounded. "What on earth has this man got around him?"

"It's Obadiah Todds, sir," replied the orderly, bringing his hand to the salute. "It was his own invention. A bullet proof coat, sir."

"Eh?" sniffed the surgeon grimly. "And a spent piece of shot has ricocheted from the deck and driven some of the body armor into his vitals. If he had only been stripped like the rest it would have been a simple contusion. As it is, the man is practically as dead as a doornail."

Upon the return to port of the victorious American fleet a number of the seamen and marines were made blind drunk by well meaning but rather too enthusiastic civilians. Incidentally this resulted in the dishonorable discharge from the United States service of a red neckerchiefed stoker named Patsy.

Warming the Meeting House.

Clarence King, the geologist, on a visit to Georgia during very cold weather attended a religious meeting of a colored congregation in a large and frigid meeting house without any heating facilities. Mr. King took an active part in the proceedings, writes Mr. Hague in "Clarence King Memoirs," and promised the shivering congregation the biggest stove he could find in Dahlonega.

He kept his word, and a large four foot stove, with ample lengths of circumflecting stovepipe, sufficient to carry warmth to every part of the room, was soon installed in the meeting house.

Two or three years later Mr. King again had occasion to visit the neighborhood. As he journeyed from the railway station he talked with the driver of the conveyance, a white man, concerning matters of local interest and inquired especially about the colored church and whether the stove he had sent was still doing well.

"Are you the man that sent that stove down here?" inquired the driver somewhat reproachfully. "Doing well!" he continued. "I should say so! There ain't a fence rail left in this neighborhood within two miles of that meetin' house!"

How Sea Urchins Swim.

Sea urchins, or "sea eggs," have a queer method of locomotion. They are protected by sharp spines, but these spines do not cover all the surface. This is divided up into segments, like a rough rind melon. The narrow segments are pierced with holes. Through these small holes the "sea eggs" protrude little tubes, which act as feet in the following curious way: The animal inflates the tubes in the back, and in this way it pushes itself forward. The tubular feet are fitted to every side of the creature, which is thus enabled to move in any direction it pleases.

Knew His Business.

A merchant whose daughter had married a man with whom it proved she could not get on very well was much surprised some weeks later to see the young lady return home again with all her belongings.

The old man listened very attentively to her story and then went to his desk and wrote a note to his son-in-law, which he gave to his daughter, assuring her that her husband would receive her kindly after this.

The pair on reading the letter found in it the following notice:

Dear Sir—Goods that have been selected of one's own free will at my establishment are not taken back again.

The young couple laughed heartily and were reconciled.

Lansing Letter

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it into notice and puts it upon trial, and then we are surprised and shocked to see what questionable practices we have permitted, and reprobation that may be quite unmerited falls upon the luckless officer whose fate it was to be in control at that time.

Jay Hubbell, it may be remembered, was a fine illustration of this. It was his fortune to be chairman of the republican congressional committee when the people woke up to the idea that the time honored custom of levying political assessments upon government employes was pernicious and even iniquitous, and he had to suffer vicariously for a sin that was no more his than that of all politicians and all parties. It may be somewhat so with Warden Vincent; but however that may be, whether he may be entitled to condemnation or to condemnation, it is evident enough that the system that has prevailed there stands in need of reform in many respects. Governor Warner, however, is giving the matter his direct personal attention and there need be no fear but that when all the facts are made known whatever action on his part seems best for the interests of the state will be promptly and effectively taken.

The Niagara Excursion

The excursion over the Michigan Central to Niagara Falls, yesterday was well patronized by Buchanan people. The train was about a half an hour late when it pulled in at this place and all the coaches were fairly well filled. One car was made up of students from the Benton Harbor college and on the side was a large banner bearing the college name.

Thirty-five tickets were sold from Buchanan, among those going were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Jarvis, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. House, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Rough, Mrs. Tamerson Merrill, Mrs. Geo. Howard, Mrs. E. W. Sanders, Misses Ella Hahn, Theodora Treat, Mabel Carrier, Blanche Spaulding, Daisy, Dimple and Inez Redden, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haslett and J. R. White.

EXCURSIONS VIA THE PERE MARQUETTE

Summer Assembly, Frankfort.

Account the Congregational Summer Assembly at Frankfort, Mich., August 2nd to 23rd., round trip tickets will be sold at the rate of one fare for the round trip. Tickets on sale July 31st. August 1, 2, 7 & 8, good for return until Sept. 3rd.

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