

## Special Sales For April

We offer a large amount of merchandise at prices below the market.

### April Sale of Laces

An unusual bargain in val. laces and insertions, worth up to 10c yds for 5c yd. 55c per doz.  
A large importation of embroideries at half price 10c, 15c, 25c.

### April Sale of Hosiery

Men and women's black cotton hose, double sole, 15c quality, 10c a pair.  
Women's 25c black gauze hose, 3 pairs for 50c.

### April Sale of Millinery

Ladies' trimmed hats, special at \$2, \$3, \$4 and \$5.  
Children's trimmed hats, special at \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

### April Sale of Cloaks

Ladies' covert jackets, \$5.00.  
Ladies' white waists, 50c and up.  
Black mercerized pellicans, a special bargain at 95c.

### April Sale of Domestics

One fine line challies, 4c and 5c.  
Lawn, 5c to 10c.  
Lonsdale cut lengths, 1 to 10 yards, 7c.  
For-get-me-not, cut lengths, 1 to 10 yards, 6c.

### April Sale of Crockery

Six piece decorated toilet set, several colors, \$1.15.  
Ten piece plain white toilet set, 98c.  
Platin glass trays for cigar bands, 5c, 10c and 15c each.  
100 piece set semi-porcelain dinnerware, blue floral decoration, new shape, \$5.00.  
100 piece set, gold decoration, \$6.50.  
Open stock german china, pink decoration, to close at about half-price; 100 piece set \$12.50.  
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## ONE ROAD HAS PAID

### Chicago and Northwestern Sends State \$640,750

### TAXES AND THE PENALTY

#### Indication That Other Companies Which Contested Law Will Step up and Divy

Lansing, April 7.—The fact that the Chicago & Northwestern railroad yesterday paid its back taxes to the auditor-general is taken as an indication that the other railroad companies which contested payment will soon follow suit, and that the state treasury will soon be overflowing with money.

The Northwestern was one of the twenty-seven contesting railroads and, like the others, continued to pay taxes for several years under the provisions of the old specific tax law. It recently paid its taxes for 1905 under that law and was one of the first roads to do so.

A few days ago it asked the auditor-general for a statement of its account, but before its arrival made a computation of its own and forwarded the taxes due, together with the penalty of 1 per cent a month.

The balance due the state was the tidy sum of \$640,758.87, and a draft for that sum was received by the auditor-general Friday. Of the above amount the company paid \$106,140.69 as a penalty for its failure to pay its taxes under the law which has recently been sustained by the United States supreme court.

While the auditor general interprets the receipt of the taxes of the Northwestern as an indication that the other contesting railroads will also pay, it is understood that there have been evidences that the company named has not at all times been in harmony with the Michigan Central and Lake Shore, during the long litigation which is now ended. It is possible that the Northwestern is acting independently of the other roads in making payment at this time.

However, the auditor general has received no intimation from the other roads of their intention to pay their taxes. The roads still have the remainder of April in which to pay their 1905 tax, but the penalty continues to run against them on the taxes of previous years, so that delay is expensive.

It develops that while the primary school fund will get a tremendous lift from the railroad taxes, the general fund of the state is also likely to profit to some extent. It is not likely that the May apportionment of primary school money will be very large, and the state will have the use of the railroad taxes until November at least.

If State Superintendent Kelley's plan is followed the entire amount to be collected will be apportioned over a period of five years, so that its distribution will not be productive of extravagance. The state treasurer will undoubtedly loan a large share of the money to be received, on which the general fund will receive interest at 2 per cent. This will amount, up to November, to about \$150,000.

A great deal of misunderstanding exists as to what may be done with the primary school money, and in some sections of the state there is talk of erecting school houses and doing other things with the money. Under the constitution, however, it may be used only in paying teachers wages.

### New Straws

Fine straws and braids are provided in many varieties for the spring headgear. They are in natural tones and in beautiful spring greens, rose shades, purples, and pale grays. The one color hat will not, it is likely, be the modish hat, the tendency being rather to combine old French colors, such as pale blue, pink and lavender. Flowers of all colors and sizes are to be seen at the milliners.

The Record has the largest circulation and is the best advertising medium in the county.

## N. Y. C. GETS 'THREE I'

### Deal Closed In Chicago By Which Vanderbilts Will Control Road.

### TAPS BIG COAL DISTRICT

#### Three I Line, United to Indiana Harbor Railroad, is Good Acquisition.

Michigan City, Ind., April 7.—Final arrangements for the consolidation of the Indiana Harbor and the Indiana Illinois and Iowa railroads have been completed in Chicago and henceforth they will operate under the name of the Chicago, Indiana and Southern. The general office will be in Chicago.

The terms of consolidation of the two companies, which have been members of the New York Central lines provides for the issuance of \$20,000,000 of stock. Of this \$5,000,000 is 4 per cent accumulative preferred and \$15,000,000 common. The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern has purchased \$17,000,000 of the new stock, the other \$3,000,000 going to the Michigan Central.

The consolidated lines are about 400 miles in length, and have great strategic force in the coal situation of Indiana and Illinois. The Indiana line, which recently constructed from Indiana Harbor on Lake Michigan to Dune's Park, a distance of 150 miles, taps a rich coal region. By its connection with the Indiana, Illinois and Iowa, the coal can be distributed to North and South lines, making a wide outlet for the district, or it can be delivered to the other Vanderbilt lines at Chicago.

Plans for the consolidation of the two lines have long been under way, and only the minute details had to be worked out by the New York Central officials, who have been in Chicago this week. It is declared that the consolidation of the companies will reduce operating expense and will increase the value of the properties.

## HE DENIES RETRIAL

### Judge Coolidge Finds That Albert Hinkley Was Fairly Convicted.

### COMMENDS THE JURY WORK

#### Prisoner's Own Testimony Was Enough to Convict Him—Hinkley Will Be Sentenced to Prison Term on Monday.

Judge Coolidge Saturday morning denied a new trial in the case of Albert Hinkley, convicted of the murder of William Tuttle.

Application for a new trial was made on the ground that the prisoner had an enemy on the jury and that in the jury room this enemy argued and brought out alleged facts not given in the testimony.

Judge Coolidge finds that the trial was a fair one, that the jury or any juror was guilty of no misconduct, and he compliments the February jury on their work. The Judge adds that on his own testimony Hinkley was guilty.

### LATER.

Albert Hinkley, who shot and killed William Tuttle at his home near Niles was sentenced by Judge Coolidge Monday afternoon to from six months to 15 years in the state prison, but recommended that three years be the limit.

Albert Hinkley was interviewed at his cell Monday morning, but had little to say regarding his sentence. "I was just informed by my attorney," said Hinkley, "that I have been refused a new trial. I had hoped that

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it would be granted me, but I was not very much disappointed, for a poor man without money or friends has a poor show of justice in this life. I will go to prison and behave myself, hoping to get liberty as soon as I can. Since I have been here I have tried to find employment to keep me busy and I am mending these bunks to keep from thinking of myself."

For several days Hinkley has been busy repairing the bunks of the prisoners at the jail. About a dozen of them show the result of his handiwork which means a saving to the county. The turnkey said this morning that Hinkley has been a model prisoner.

## WILL RETAIN REV. MARVIN

### Give a Unanimous Vote at Annual Meeting Last Evening.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian church society was held in the church parlors Friday evening. The meeting was well attended and the reports from the church officials and those of the auxiliary societies show that the church has had a prosperous year.

One of the most important items of business was the selection of a pastor for the ensuing year. The hearty and unanimous vote, which carried the motion that Rev. C. E. Marvin, the present incumbent, be chosen as the stated supply for the next year, shows the high esteem in which he is held by the congregation.—Niles Sun.

### AN ORDINANCE

#### Which is Relative to the Working of Prisoners.

The village of Buchanan ordains:

Sec. 1 That whenever any person shall be imprisoned in the village prison of said village it shall be lawful for the marshal of said village, and he is hereby authorized when so directed by the magistrate committing such person, to keep such person at labor on the streets or elsewhere within the limits of said village every day excepting Sunday, until such person is lawfully discharged from imprisonment; and for every days labor so performed by any prisoner, the said prisoner shall be allowed and credited with the sum of one dollar toward the payment of any fine or costs, the payment of which would entitle said prisoner to a discharge from imprisonment.

Sec. 2. That the marshal may use such means as he may deem proper to prevent the escape of any prisoner while so laboring, and to compel such prisoner to work.

This ordinance shall take effect on the 18th day of July, 1896.

Adopted by the Common Council of the village of Buchanan, June 26, 1896.

## GOODRICH CO. WANTS ARGO

### Former Boat of the Graham & Morton Suits Them Well.

Grand Haven, April 7.—It is rumored that there is a prospect of the Goodrich line securing the steamer Argo which is now in the hand of marine insurance company at Manitowoc. She was formerly owned by the Graham & Morton Transportation company of Benton Harbor, Mich., and was the property of that line until she went ashore at Holland last fall. She was finally abandoned to the insurance companies who had her released after being stranded for two months on the beach at Holland. She is a steel ship, however, and stood the ordeal well. The courts awarded the transportation company the full amount of the insurance and the steamer is now in the hands of insurance companies. Should this Goodrich line secure this steamer, a fine boat will be added; to the fleet. She is staunch and able to accommodate a large number of passengers.

### Notice.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:  
I, John Miller do hereby declare that the gray mare purchased by me from Dr. L. P. Conkey, was not weak in the back and was not entirely unfit for any kind of work as reported in the Niles Daily Star, and that said mare was not intentionally misrepresented by Conkey as reported by said paper and others.

Signed JOHN H. MILLER.  
WITNESSES W. C. HAGUE.  
FRANK NELSON.



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We have some ideas of our own that seem to contribute to the satisfaction of our customers.

We believe that everybody coming into our store is entitled to the treatment of a personal friend—almost a guest.

Our ONE PRICE policy makes it easy for any customer to buy at the lowest prices. As there is no necessity to dicker here, or make a second appeal to buy, our goods must be right and our prices fair at the start. And that means fairness to everybody and not merely to the hard bargain driver. That's why we give you Men's and Boy's clothing, furnishings and shoes with style and wear and good value in them, at the very lowest prices.

You are invited to inspect our fine display of new spring suits, top coats and rain coats. You will not be persistently urged to buy.

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South Bend, Indiana.

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APRIL 10, 1906.

The game between Presidents Mitchell and Baer has been made three-handed by the addition of President Roosevelt.

Probably the Chinese have observed that it takes a great deal of missionary work to save Niagara falls from heathen destruction.

It was a shrewd move to interest Senator Tillman in the railroad bill. While he is regulating rates he will have no time to stir up race prejudice.

Speaker Cannon was raised on a farm. He knows what it is to shuck corn, to break sod and to handle a balky team. His agricultural experience ought to be very helpful to him in the present political emergency.

In a coal strike are involved the operators, the strikers and the consumers, and the only ones sure to lose are the consumers, dragged in against their will. Some of the others make so much money out of strikes that they cultivate them.

It is stated that one night last week 573 words were flashed by wireless telegraphy from Coney island station to Ireland, a distance of 3200 miles. The previous best record was between Coney island and Panama, 2100 miles apart. The girdle around the earth with perhaps a relay or two, seems to be in sight.

Within the past month the increase in drunkenness has been very noticeable, and has been commented upon by a large number of our citizens. If a man is so degraded that he will fill up on "booze" and make himself not only a public nuisance, but a menace to the society at large it is time action was taken. If some other measures were taken, in the way of punishment instead of just simply arresting a man, and letting him pay his fine or go to jail at the expense of the town, we think some of these men would become less the habitual drunkards that there are now. As we mentioned once before, that if these men were put to work on the streets with a ball and chain, it would not only improve the condition of the streets, but might have a tendency to obviate drunkenness.

**A Prominent Figure.**  
"There is a man who figures prominently in our business," said the junior clerk when showing a friend who had called to see him through the establishment.  
"The man with the pen behind his ear?" asked the other.  
"Yes."  
"Is he one of the partners?"  
"No; he is the bookkeeper."—Tit-Bits.

### WOE IN A DROP OF WATER

Whole World Holds Forth in Single Particle—French Scientist Demonstrates Theory.

In a single drop of unfiltered water may be seen in miniature the tragedy that goes on perpetually in the world at large, for in the little drop there is a whole universe of life, with all its terrible and death-dealing competition, with all its mystery and woe.

It was a French biologist who invented the method by which this wonderful state of things is demonstrated. He called the method the "hanging drop slide," and it is beautifully simple. A drop of water from the edge of an ordinary pond is placed in a hollowed out space on a small strip of glass and sealed with a bit of thinner glass. And now day after day and night after night the hideous business going on in that one drop of perfectly clear, and apparently pure, water may be watched and studied at the leisure of the observer.

The drop of water is a world in itself. Multitudes of animals swim about in it with plenty of room. The giant worms, with tremendous swishing tails, of whose approach one is made aware by the confusion and panic of the smaller creatures scurrying out of the way in fear of their lives, and countless bacteria inhabit that drop as their permanent and proper home and their ranging place.

#### Feeds School Children.

In Paris the city government gives every school child one full meal a day. This does not tend to pauperize the children or to lessen the responsibility of the parents; for all those who can afford to pay for the meal are expected to do so. On the other hand, no jealousy or contempt can be felt by the richer children for their starved comrades; for all are supplied with the same metal token, which has to be given up in exchange for the meal. The "cantine scolaire," as this municipal soup kitchen is called, is not confined to Paris. In the provinces, the "soupe scolaire," its equivalent, has sent up the school attendance by leaps and bounds. Here, however, instead of paying for their midday meal, all those who can possibly do so are encouraged to bring to school their handful of vegetables and the like and the contributions are all put into the common soup.

**Underground Telegraphic Lines.**  
There is now underground telegraphic communications between London and Scotland. Germany's underground system dates from 1870. France followed suit in 1879, as the result of a great storm that isolated Paris in 1875. Up to date her system has cost \$36,000,000, but is believed to have more than paid for itself. Lines constructed in 1880 are still in excellent condition.

**Cinchona in Java.**  
Java has 25,000 acres of cinchona, and grows almost the whole supply of the world.

**Deep-Sea Sharks.**  
Five varieties of sharks go as deep as 300 fathoms, and one reaches 500 fathoms.

### INDIAN TERRITORY HUMOR.

Liquor Seller Got the Sixty Days, But the Hundred Dollars Was Still Due.

A good story is told on John R. Thomas, of Muskogee, a well known lawyer of that city, who was formerly judge of the western district, relates the Kansas City Journal. One night Thomas found himself in a shabby little town which had no hotel. Desiring to stay all night, he asked a lounge in front of a grocery store where he might find accommodation. The lounge went inside of the store, which was run by an Indian. When informed that there was a man outside who wanted a place to spend the night, the Indian asked:

"Who is the fellow?"  
"Judge Thomas," was the reply.

"Well, if that's the fellow, he had better pay me what he owes me before asking for any favors."

"How is that?" inquired the lounge. "Is he in debt to you?"

"Yes," replied the Indian. "When he was judge at Muskogee I was brought before him for selling liquor. I was convicted and in sentencing me he said: 'I will give you 60 days in jail and \$100.' I got the 60 days all right, but he never came across with the \$100."

#### Master Stroke.

The talk of jiu jitsu in this country recalls a story told by Walpole of "a great amateur, nay, practitioner of boxing and wrestling," who willingly imparted his knowledge to those who consulted him. A somewhat sedate peer visited the baronet one day, and, walking with him in his garden, made the polite remark that he would like to see a specimen of his host's reputed skill; upon which the "other seized him suddenly from behind and threw him over his head." This is surely the earliest recorded instance of jiu jitsu in England and merited the superb reply of the wrestler to the infuriated peer: "My lord, this is a proof of my great friendship for you. This master stroke I have shown to no other person living."

#### Fine New Light.

After electric lights, lusol. The Paris municipal authorities are extending their street lighting trials with lusol, which is a hydro carbon recovered as a by-product in making blast furnace coke. The light is said to be even softer than that of alcohol, and a 200-candle lamp of the type hitherto employed costs only a farthing per hour, while the domestic lusol lamp gives double the light at half the cost of a good paraffin lamp. One use of the new illuminant will be to form a reserve in case of unforeseen gas or electric light extinction.

#### No Opportunity.

Job Sturky—If a street car conductor should overlook you would you pay him your fare anyhow?

Adam Zawfox—I've been waiting 15 years for a chance to be tested that way, but no blamed conductor has ever overlooked me yet.—Chicago Tribune.

#### Jewel Combinations.

Rubies show off to best advantage with pearl color and delicate tints of green. Diamonds show best with black. In auburn hair white flowers do not look as well as blue ones, with a spray of green leaves.

#### Vehicle Trade.

Nine hundred and fifty thousand carriages and other vehicles for pleasure purposes are made and sold yearly in the United States.

#### Fetches Him.

If you want to see a man look foolish just hand him a few of the love letters he wrote about the time his mustache began sprouting.

#### Poorly Housed.

In New York, at the lowest possible average, 500,000 people live in rooms which are dark and without any windows or ventilation.

#### Looking Back.

How prone we all are to think that our happiness might have lain along the paths of life which we have never pursued.

#### Never Have It.

What a pity that the man who is always telling what a lot of good he would do if he had the money never has any.

# A BIG SNAP

This will be the biggest closing out snap sale in town. It's a genuine snap. Quick sales--small cash--makes this possible. We have bought the ENTIRE GROCERY AND CROCKERY STOCK OF MRS. H. L. KELLER. At this store a big snap is waiting for you, it won't last long. We are bound to close out everything. We are disregarding precedents Goods formerly sold at standard prices will close out at 1/2. We wish we could make this a stronger advertisement, we are in earnest, just step into the store, and note how fast the goods are going out. This sale will last just as long as there are goods left--no longer. It's up to you to remember "First come, first served" Read the list below--but better come and see them



### Crockery Ware

In this department there are numberless sets—all fancy. Many are prettily decorated and will make handsome gifts. Illustrations here shown give only a faint idea of their beauty. They must be seen to be appreciated. We have so many—its absolutely necessary to cut down to 1/2



### FANCY LAMPS

Is there any lady of the house who can get along without one of these fancy lamps? They are suitable for every purpose. They used to cost a great deal. As long as this closing out sale lasts, you get a snap. 1/2 Every one of them go at

### CHAMBER SETS

These are assorted. The big cut in prices makes it a snap for you. They are useful. You cannot pass this department without giving them a look. If you find something that suits your fancy—you will buy. And remember you get any of them at 1/2

### Flour at Wholesale Prices

Probably you will never again find a big snap like this. Flour at wholesale prices. Perhaps this looks impossible. We will guarantee this. Made from the best winter wheat—nothing else. They came direct from Bainton Bros.' famous flour mills, that's why we stand back of them. We have plenty on hand. Only your keen buying instinct will appreciate this. You can buy as much as you want. They will last a long time in your kitchen. Remember we sell them at strictly wholesale prices.

### 1000 PLANT JARS

Just think of it—1000 jars! You positively need some of them. They can be placed around your house—on window sills—on parlor plant stools. They are all good—but we can't keep so many.—You have them at 1/2 regular prices

### TINWARE

We have big pails—cups—dinner pails—of every description. This is certainly a snap for you—they are too numerous to get much talk in this space. Its no trouble to let you look at them.

### OIL AND GASOLINE CANS

We have more of these than we have room for. Its up to you to help us close out. We want to sell every one of them. You can have your choice at 1/2 all former prices.

### JARDINERES

They come in a good many sizes. A lot of them are fancy and very pleasing to anyone. Strong enough to stand long wear. Look at them in our display. If you like one of them, 1/2 just remember they go at

### GLASSWARE

If your table is short of some fine glassware you won't make a mistake to buy here. You may need them now or later. But this rare chance of getting them at half price won't come again.

### TUBS and WASHBOARDS

Throw away your leaky tubs. Your old washboards may be rusty. This is a grand snap. You can get a bargain out of every one. They go at 1/2

### VASES

Beautiful ones, too. Should go in every house. Very handy for the coming Easter. You will want to put in flowers to stand on your dining or parlor table.

### HOSIERY and NOTIONS

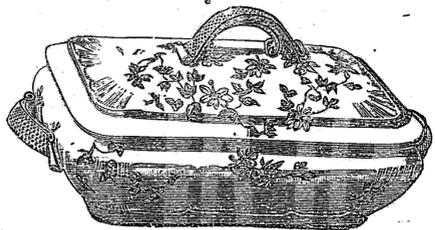
When we bought the entire stock we found a lot of hosiery and notions. We must get rid of them, the sooner the better for you.

### BASKETS

We have 1/2 and 1 bushel baskets all strongly made. Will hold anything. We also have clothes baskets. 1/2 These all go at

### TABLE ORNAMENTS

No housekeeper can resist the temptation to buy one of these, they are so dainty and so pretty. These will go at 1/2 regardless of former prices Will you come and help get them away? First come first served. Many are buying fast—there may be something you wish. Just take a look at them. 1/2 Go at



It is impossible to jot down the numerous snappy bargains for you. We believe we have given you a clear idea of what we are selling. If you will just watch the anxious buying crowds you will know they are getting more for their money. This sale is a big snap—and one long to be remembered.

## BUCHANAN CASH GROCERY.

## FIFTY CENTS

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## GENERAL DON.

I wish to announce to the people of Buchanan and vicinity that I have secured the services of General Don, Dauntless Trotting Stallion, for the coming season, and will stand at the following places: White's Barn, New Carlisle on Monday; Lyon's Barn, Gallen Tuesdays; Smith's Barn, Glendora Wednesday's; Thursday's, Friday's and Saturday's at Dr. L. P. Conkey's Barn Buchanan.

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Estate of Samuel Weaver, Deceased

STATE OF MICHIGAN, The Probate court for the County of Berrien.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the city of St. Joseph, in said County on the 3rd day of April A. D. 1906.

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

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Weaver deceased, John W. Weaver having filed in said court a petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to Liberty W. Weaver and Samuel F. Weaver, or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 30th day of April A. D. 1906, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, he and is hereby appointed for examiners and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three consecutive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

FRANK H. ELLSWORTH,  
Judge of Probate.

A true copy  
ROLLAND E. BARR,  
Register of Probate.

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# THE MAN ON THE BOX

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## CHAPTER I.

### INTRODUCES MY HERO.

Warburton was graduated from West Point, ticketed to a desolate frontier post, and would have worn out his existence there but for his guiding star, which was always making frantic efforts to bolt its established orbit. One day he was doing scout duty, perhaps half a mile in advance of the pay-train as they called the picturesque caravan which, consisting of a canopied wagon and a small troop of cavalry in dingy blue, made progress across the desert-like plain of Arizona. The troop was some ten miles from the post, and as there had been no sign of Red Eagle all that day, they concluded that the rumor of his being on a drunken rampage with half a dozen braves was only a rumor. Warburton had just passed over a roll of earth, and for a moment the pay-train had dropped out of sight. It was twilight; opalescent waves of heat rolled above the blistered sands. A pale yellow sky, like an inverted bowl rimmed with delicate blue and crimson hues, encompassed the world. The bliss of solitude fell on him, and, being something of a poet, he rose to the stars. The smoke of his corn-cob pipe trailed lazily behind him. The horse under him was loping along easily.



SUDDENLY THE ANIMAL LIFTED HIS HEAD.

Suddenly the animal lifted his head, and his brown ears went forward.

At Warburton's left, some hundred yards distant, was a clump of osage brush. Even as he looked, there came a puff of smoke, followed by the evil song of a bullet. My hero's hat was carried away. He wheeled, dug his heels into his horse, and cut back over the trail. There came a second flash, a shock, and then a terrible pain in the calf of his left leg. He fell over the neck of his horse to escape the third bullet. He could see the Apache as he stood out from behind the bush. Warburton yanked out his Colt and let fly. He heard a yell. It was very comforting. That was all he remembered of the skirmish.

For five weeks he languished in the hospital. During that time he came to the conclusion that he had had enough of military life in the west. He applied for his discharge, as the compulsory term of service was at an end. When his papers came he was able to get about with the aid of a crutch. One morning his colonel entered his subaltern's bachelor quarters.

"Wouldn't you rather have a year's leave of absence than quit altogether, Warburton?"

"A year's leave of absence?" cried the invalid. "I am likely to get that, I am."

"If you held a responsible position I dare say it would be difficult. As it is, I may say that I can obtain it for you. It will be months before you can ride a horse with that leg."

"I thank you, Col. Raleigh, but I think I'll resign. In fact, I have resigned."

"We can withdraw that, if you but say the word. I don't want to lose you, lad. You're the only man around here who likes a joke as well as I do. And you will have a company if you'll only stick to it a little longer."

"I have decided, Colonel. I'm sorry you feel like this about it. You see, I have something like \$25,000 laid away. I want to see at least \$5,000 worth of new scenery before I shuffle off this mortal coil. The scenery around here kills on me. My throat and eyes are always full of sand. I am off to Europe. Some day, perhaps, the bee will buzz again; and when it does, I'll have you go personally to the president."

"As you please, Warburton."

"Besides, Colonel, I have been reading Treasure Island again, and I've got the fever in my veins to hunt adventure, even a treasure. It's in my blood to wander and do strange things, and here I've been hampered all these years with routine. I shouldn't care if we had a good fight once in a while. My poor old dad traveled around the world three times, and I haven't seen any thing of it but the maps."

"Go ahead, then. Only, talking about Treasure Island, don't you and your \$25,000 run into some old Long John Silver."

"I'll take care."  
And Mr. Robert packed up his kit and sailed away. Not many months passed ere he met his colonel again, and under rather embarrassing circumstances.

## CHAPTER II.

### INTRODUCES MY HEROINE.

Let me begin at the beginning. The boat had been two days out of Southampton before the fog cleared away. On the afternoon of the third day Warburton curled up in his steamer-chair and lazily viewed the blue October seas as they met and merged with the blue October skies. I do not recollect the popular novel of that summer, but at any rate it lay flapping at the side of his chair, forgotten.

At this particular moment this hero of mine was going over the monotony of the old days in Arizona, the sand-deserts, the unlovely landscapes, the dull routine, the indifferent skirmishes with cattle-men and Indians; the pagan bullet which had plowed through his leg. And now it was all over; he had surrendered his straps; he was a private citizen, with an income sufficient for his needs: It will go a long way, \$4,500 a year, if one does not attempt to cover the distance in a \$5,000 motor-car; and he hated all locomotion that was not horse-flesh.

For nine months he had been wandering over Europe, if not happy, at least in a satisfied frame of mind. Four of these months had been delightfully passed in Paris; and as his nomad excursions had invariably terminated in that queen of cities, I make Paris the starting point of his somewhat remarkable adventures. Besides, it was in Paris that he first saw her. And now, here he was at last, homeward-bound. That phrase had a mighty pleasant sound; it was to the ear what honey is to the tongue. Still, he might yet have been in Paris but for one thing: She was on board this very boat.

Suddenly his eyes opened full wide, bright with eagerness.

"It is she!" he murmured. He closed his eyes again, the hypocrite!

Permit me to introduce you to my heroine. Mind you, she is not my creation; only Heaven may produce her like, and but once. She is well worth turning around to gaze at. Indeed I know more than one fine gentleman who forgot the time of day, the important engagement, or the trend of his thought, when she passed by.

She was coming forward, leaning against the wind and inclining to the uncertain roll of the ship. A gray raincoat fitted snugly the youthful, rounded figure. Her hands were plunged into the pockets. You may be sure that Mr. Robert noted through his half-closed eyelids these inconsequent details. A tourist hat sat jauntily on the fine light brown hair, that color which has no appropriate metaphor. (At least, I have never found one, and I am not in love with her and never was.) Warburton has described to me her eyes, so I am positive that they were as heavenly blue as a rajah's sapphire. Her height is of no moment. What man ever troubled himself about the height of a woman so long as he wasn't undersized himself? What pleased Warburton was the exquisite skin. He was always happy with his comparisons, and particularly when he likened her skin to the bloomy olive pallor of a young peach. The independent stride was distinguishingly American. Ah, the charm of these women who are my countrywomen! They come, they go, alone, unattended, courageous without being bold, self-reliant without being rude; imitable. In what an amiable frame of mind Nature must have been on the day she cast these molds! But I proceed. The young woman's chin was tilted, and Warburton could tell by the dilated nostrils that she was breathing in the gale with all the joy of living, filling her healthy lungs with it as that rare daughter of the Cyprian Isle might have done as she sprang that morn from the jeweled Mediterranean spray, that beggar's brooch of Neptune's.

Warburton's heart hadn't thrilled so since the day when he first donned cadet gray. There was scarce any room for her to pass between his chair and the rail; and this knowledge filled the rascal with exultation. Nearer and nearer she came. He drew in his breath as the corner of his foot-rest (aided by the sly wind) caught her rain-coat.

"I beg your pardon!" he said, sitting up.

She quickly released her coat, smiled faintly, and passed on.

Sometimes the most lasting impressions are those which are printed most lightly on the memory. Mr. Robert says that he never will forget that first smile. And he didn't even know her name then.

I was about to engage your attention with a description of the villain, but on second thought I have decided that it would be rather unfair. For at that moment he was at a disadvantage.

Nature was punishing him for a few shortcomings. The steward that night informed Warburton, in answer to his inquiries, that he, the villain, was dreadfully seasick, and was begging him, the steward, to scuttle the ship and have done with it. I have my doubts regarding this. Mr. Robert is inclined to flippancy at times. It wasn't seasickness; and after all is said and done, it is putting it harshly to call this man a villain. I recant. True villainy is always based upon selfishness. Remember this, my wise ones.

Warburton was somewhat subdued when he learned that the suffering gentleman was her father.

"What did you say the name was?" he asked innocently. Until now he hadn't had the courage to put the question to any one, or to prowl around the purser's books.

"Annesley; Col. Annesley and daughter," answered the unsuspecting steward.

Warburton knew nothing then of the mental tragedy going on behind the colonel's state-room door. How should he have known? On the contrary, he believed that the father of such a girl must be a most knightly and courtly gentleman. He was, in all outward appearances. There had been a time, not long since, when he had been knightly and courtly in all things.

## CHAPTER III.

### THE ADVENTURE BEGINS.

It was only when the ship was less than a day's journey off Sandy Hook that the colonel came on deck, once more to resume his interest in human affairs. How the girl hovered about him! She tucked the shawl more snugly around his feet; she arranged and rearranged the pillows back of his head; she fed him from a bowl of soup; she read from some favorite book; she smoothed the furrowed brow; she stilled the long, white, nervous fingers with her own small, firm, brown ones; she was mother and daughter in one. Wherever she moved, the parent eye followed her, and there lay in its deeps a strange mixture of joy. All the while he drummed ceaselessly on the arms of his chair.

And Mr. Robert, watching all these things from afar, Mr. Robert sighed dolorously. The residue air in his lungs was renewed more frequently than nature originally intended it should be. Love has its beneficences as well as its pangs, only they are not wholly appreciable by the recipient. For what is better than a good pair of lungs constantly filled and re-filled with pure air? Mr. Robert even felt a twinge of remorse besides. He was brother to a girl almost as beautiful as yonder one (to my mind far more beautiful!) and he recalled that in two years he had not seen her nor made strenuous efforts to keep up the correspondence. Another good point added to the score of love! And, alas! he might never see this charming girl again, this daughter so full of filial love and care. He had sought the captain, but that hale and hearty old sea-dog had politely rebuffed him.

"My dear young man," he said, "I do all I possibly can for the entertainment and comfort of my passengers, but in this case I must refuse your request."

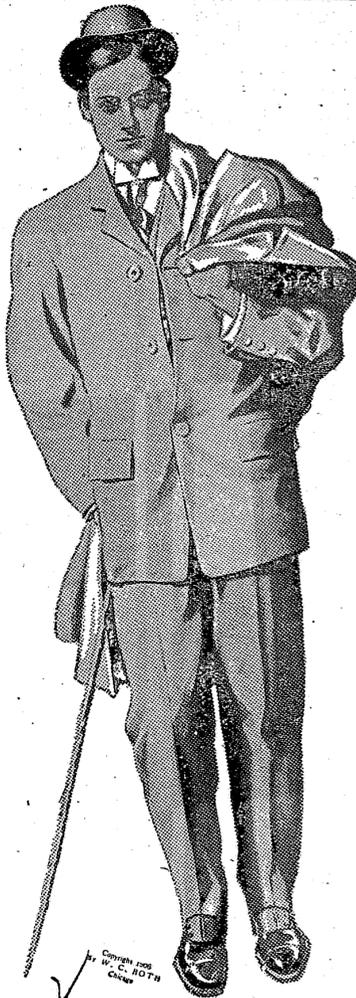
"And pray, why, sir?" demanded Mr. Robert, with dignity.

"For the one and simple reason that Col. Annesley expressed the desire to be the recipient of no ship introductions."

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All of which perfectly accounts for Mr. Robert's sighs in what musicians call the doloroso. If only he knew the colonel! How simple it would be! Certainly, a West Point graduate would find some consideration. But the colonel spoke to no one save his daughter, and his daughter to no one save her parent, her maid, and the stewardess. Would they remain in New York, or would they seek their far-off southern home? Oh, the thousands of questions which surged through his brain! From time to time he glanced sympathetically at the colonel, whose fingers drummed and drummed and drummed.

"Poor wretch! his stomach must be in bad shape. Or maybe he has the palsy." Warburton mused upon the curious incertitude of the human anatomy.

But Col. Annesley did not have the palsy. What he had is at once the greatest blessing and the greatest curse of God—remembrance, or conscience, if you will.

What a beautiful color her hair was, dappled with sunshine and shadow! . . . Pshaw! Mr. Robert threw aside his shawl and book (it is of no real importance, but I may as well add that he never completed the reading of that summer's most popular novel) and sought the smoking-room, where, with the aid of a fat perfecto and a liberal stack of blues, he proceeded to divert himself till the boat reached quarantine. I shall not say that he left any of his patrimony at the mahogany table with its green-baize covering and its little brass disks for cigar ashes, but I am certain that he did not make one of those stupendous winnings we often read about and never witness. This much, however: he made the acquaintance of a very important personage, who was presently to add no insignificant weight on the scales of Mr. Robert's destiny.

He was a Russian, young, handsome, suave, of what the newspapers insist on calling distinguished bearing. He spoke English pleasantly but imperfectly. He possessed a capital fund of anecdote, and Warburton, being an army man, loved a good droll story. It was a revelation to see the way he dipped the end of his cigar into his coffee, a stimulant which he drank with Balzacian frequency and relish. Besides these accomplishments, he played a very smooth hand at the great American game. While Mr. Robert's admiration was not aroused, it was surely awakened.

Mr. hero had no trouble with the customs officials. A brace of old French dueling pistols and a Turkish simitar were the only articles which might possibly have been dutiable. The inspector looked hard, but he was finally convinced that Mr. Robert was not a professional curio-collector.

Col. Annesley and his daughter were old hands; they had gone through all this before. Scarce an article in their trunks was disturbed.

Once outside, the colonel caught the eye of a cabby, and he and his daughter stepped in.

"Holland House, sir, did you say?" asked the cabby.

The colonel nodded. The cabby cracked his whip, and away they rolled over the pavement.

Warburton's heart gave a great bound. She had actually leaned out of the cab, and for one brief moment their glances had met. Scarce knowing what he did, he jumped into another cab and went pounding after. It was easily ten blocks from the pier when the cabby raised the lid and peered down at his fare.

"Do you want t' folly them ahead?" he cried.

"No, no!" Warburton was startled out of his wild dream. "Drive to the Holland House—no—to the Waldorf. Yes, the Waldorf; and keep your nag going!"

"Waldorf? It is, sir!" The lid above closed.

Burton neither saw the clouds nor felt the first few drops of rain. All the way up-town he planned and planned—as many plans as there were drops of rain; the rain wet him, but the plans drowned him—he became submerged. If he could find some one he knew at the Holland House, some one who would strike up a smoking-room acquaintance with the colonel, the rest would be simple enough. Annesley—Annesley; he couldn't place the name. Was he a regular, retired, or a veteran of the Civil War? And yet, the name was not totally unfamiliar. Certainly, he was a fine-looking old fellow, with his white hair and Alexandrian nose. And here he was, he, Robert Warburton, in New York, simply because he happened to be in the booking office of the Gare du Nord one morning and overheard a very beautiful girl say: "Then we shall sail from Southampton day after to-morrow." Of a truth, it is the infinitesimal things that count heaviest.

So deep was he in the maze of his tentative romance that when the cab finally stopped abruptly, he was totally unaware of the transition from activity to passivity.

"Hotel, sir!" "Ah, yes!" Warburton leaped out, fumbled in his pocket, and brought fourth a five-dollar note, which he gave to the cabby.

Warburton rushed into the noisy, gorgeous lobby, and wandered about till he espied the desk. Here he turned over his luggage checks to the clerk and said that these accessories of travel must be in his room before eight o'clock that night, or there would be trouble. It was now half after five. The clerk eagerly scanned the register. Warburton, Robert Warburton; it was not a name with which he was familiar. A thin film of icy hauteur spread over his face.

"Very well, sir. Do you wish a bath with your room?"

"Certainly." Warburton glanced at his watch again.

"The price—" "Hang the price! A room, a room with a bath—that's what I want. Have you got it?" This was said with a deal of real impatience and a hauteur that overtopped the clerk's.

The film of ice melted into a gracious smile. Some new millionaire from Pittsburg, thought the clerk. He swung the book around.

"You have forgotten your place of residence, sir," he said.

"Place of residence!"

Warburton looked at the clerk in blank astonishment. Place of residence? Why, heaven help him, he had none, none! For the first time since he left the army the knowledge came home to him, and it struck rather deep. He caught up the pen, poised it an indecisive moment, then hastily scribbled Paris: as well Paris as anywhere.

Our homeless young gentleman lighted a cigar and went out under the portico. An early darkness had settled over the city, and a heavy steady rain was falling. The asphalt pavements glistened and twinkled as far as the eye's range could reach. A thousand lights gleamed down on him, and he seemed to be standing in a canon dappled with fireflies. Place of residence! Neither the fig-tree nor the vine! Did he lose his money to-morrow, the source of his small income, he would be without a roof over his head. True, his brother's roof would always welcome him; but a roof-tree of his own! And he could lay claim to no city, either, having had the good fortune to be born in a healthy country town. Place of residence! Truly he had none; a melancholy fact which he had not appreciated till now. And all this had slipped his mind because of a pair of eyes as heavenly blue as a rajah's sapphire.

"But there's always a fatted calf waiting in Washington," he laughed aloud. "Once a soldier, always a soldier. I suppose I'll be begging the colonel to have a chat with the president. There doesn't seem to be any way of getting out of it. I'll have to don the old togs again. I ought to write a letter to Nancy, but it will be finer to drop in on 'em unexpectedly. Bless her heart! (So say I!) And Jack's, too, and his little wife! And I haven't written a line in eight weeks. But I'll make it up in ten minutes. And if I haven't a roof-tree, at least I've got the ready cash and can buy one any day." All of which proves that Mr. Robert possessed a buoyant spirit, and refused to be downcast for more than one minute at a time.

He threw away his cigar and re-entered the hotel, and threaded his way through the appalling labyrinths of corridors till he found some one to guide him to the barber shop, where he could have his hair cut and his beard trimmed in the good old American way, money no object. For a plan had at last come to him; and it wasn't at all bad. He determined to dine at the Holland House at eight-thirty. It was quite possible that he would see her.

He left the hotel, hailed a cab, and was driven down Fifth avenue. He stopped before the fortress of privileges. From the cab it looked very formidable. Worldly as he was, he was somewhat innocent. He did not know that New York hotels are formidable only when your money gives out. To get past all these brass-buttoned lackeys and to go on as though he really had business within took no small quantity of nerve. However, he slipped by the outpost without any challenge and boldly approached the desk. A quick glance at the register told him that they had indeed put up at this hotel. He could not explain why he felt so happy over his discovery. There are certain exultations which are inexplicable. As he

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turned away from the desk, he bumped into a gentleman almost as elegantly attired as himself.

"I beg your pardon!" he cried, stepping aside.

"What? Mr. Warburton?" Mr. Robert, greatly surprised and confused, found himself shaking hands with his ship acquaintance, the Russian.

"I am very glad to see you again, Count," said Warburton, recovering. "A great pleasure! It is wonderful how small a city is. I had never expected to see you again. Are you stopping here?" I had intended to try to reproduce the Russian's dialect, but one dialect in a book is enough; and we haven't reached the period of its activity.

"No, I am at the Waldorf."

"Oh, I have heard all about you millionaires."

"Oh, we are not all of us millionaires who stop there," laughed Warburton. "There are some of us who try to make others believe that we are." Then, dropping into passable French, he added: "I came here tonight with the purpose of dining. Will you do me the honor of sharing my table?"

"You speak French?"—delighted. "It is wonderful. This English has so many words that mean so many things, that of all languages I speak it with the least fluency. But it is my deep regret, Monsieur, to refuse your kind invitation. I am dining with friends."

"Well, then, breakfast to-morrow at 11," Warburton urged, for he had taken a fancy to this affable Russian.

"Alas! See how I am placed. I am forced to leave for Washington early in the morning. We poor diplomats, we earn our honors. But my business is purely personal in this case, neither political nor diplomatic." The count drew his gloves thoughtfully through his fingers. "I shall of course pay my respects to my ambassador. Do I recollect your saying that you belonged to the United States army?"

"I recently resigned. My post was in a wild country, with little or nothing to do; monotony and routine."

"You limp slightly?"

"A trifling mishap,"—modestly.

"Oh, you do wrong. You may soon be at war with England, and having resigned your commission, you would lose all you had waited these years for."

Warburton smiled. "We shall not go to war with England."

"This army of yours is small."

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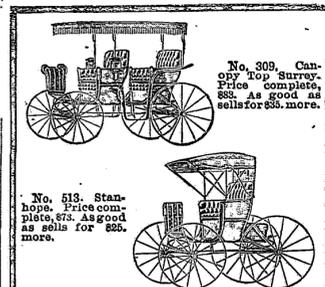
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In effect Jan 7, 1906.

West		East	
No. 15	7:40 a. m.	No. 6	11:42 a. m.
No. 48	10:28 a. m.	No. 46	5:11 a. m.
No. 45	2:38 p. m.	No. 2	10:10 a. m.
No. 5	2:05 p. m.	No. 14	5:19 p. m.
No. 47	5:37 p. m.	No. 32	5:39 p. m.
No. 41	8:45 a. m.	No. 10	12:42 a. m.
No. 37	8:17 a. m.	No. 42	8:18 a. m.
No. 49	7:33 p. m.	No. 44	7:38 p. m.

St. Joe, Benton Harbor Division.

## STATIONS

p. m. a. m. p. m.	a. m. p. m. p. m.
7:00 9:15 2:25 1v.	South Bend ar. 8:40 1:00 6:10
7:35 9:45 2:55	Warwick 8:13 12:33 5:42
7:55 10:10 3:10	Gallien 8:00 12:20 5:32
8:15 10:15 3:27	Glendora 7:38 11:58 5:17
8:45 10:25 3:34	Baroda 7:31 11:51 5:10
9:01 10:29 3:41	Derby 7:24 11:44 5:03
9:07 10:35 3:46	Vineand 7:19 11:39 4:58
9:25 10:43 3:53	Benton Harbor 7:12 11:32 4:53
9:35 10:55 4:05 ar.	St. Joseph 1v. 7:00 11:20 4:43

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## CHURCH NOTES AND NOTICES.

**ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**—Rev. Chas. Shook, Pastor. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Royal Workers' prayer meeting at 6:00 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting, Tuesday at 7:00 p. m. Mid Week prayer meeting and Teachers' meeting, Thursday at 7:00 p. m.; Monthly Covenant meeting Saturday afternoon before the first Sunday in each month at 2:30 p. m. Strangers always welcome.

**CHRISTIAN CHURCH.**—Lord's day services. Preaching at 10:30 a. m., Sunday school at 12:00, Prayer meeting, Thursday evening 7:00. A. C. Koe, minister.

**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.**—Society hold services at Grand Army Hall every Sunday at 10:45 a. m. Wednesday evening service at 7:00 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

**EVANGELICAL CHURCH,** corner Oak and Second Sts. Rev. J. A. Halmhuber Pastor. Residence 315 Main St. Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Young People's Alliance every Sunday at 6:00 p. m. Prayer service Wednesday at 7:00 p. m. All cordially welcome.

**METHODIST CHURCH.**—Rev. W. J. Douglass, Pastor. Sunday services; preaching 10:30 a. m. 7:00 p. m. Sunday School 11:45 a. m. Epworth League 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 7:00 p. m.

**PREBYTERIAN CHURCH.**—Rev. H. N. WAGNER, Pastor. Sabbath services; preaching 10:30 a. m., Bible school 11:45 a. m. 7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor meeting 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:00. All are cordially invited.

**UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH.**—Rev. L. A. Townsend pastor. Sunday services; preaching, 10:30 and 7:00 p. m.; Sunday school, 11:30 a. m. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30.

## Lodges and Society Meetings and Events

**BUCHANAN LODGE I. O. O. F.** No. 75 meets every Tuesday evening at 7:30 p. m.; Wm. McGee, N. G.; Ed. Mittan, V. G.; Thos. Taylor, Rec. Sec.

**PATRICIANS COURT** No. 5 meets each 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of every month.

**MODERN WOODMEN OF AMERICA.** Meetings 1st and 3rd Friday evenings of each month. W. F. Runner Clerk.

**KNIGHTS OF THE MACCABEES.** Meetings 1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings of each month. Wilson Leiter, Record Keeper.

**LADIES OF THE MACCABEES.** meetings 2nd and 4th Tuesday evenings of each month. Miss Carrie Williams, R. K.

**ROYAL NEIGHBORS.** Meetings 2nd and 4th Friday evenings of each month at M. W. A. Hall. Recorder Mrs. J. E. Arney.

**DODGE LODGE NO. 40 D. OF H.** meets the 2nd and 4th Saturday evenings of each month.

**BUCHANAN LODGE NO. 68 F. & A. M.** holds its regular meetings first Monday on or before the full moon of each month. W. J. Miller, W. M.; E. S. Roe Sec'y. Visiting members cordially invited.

**BUCHANAN LODGE NO. 98 A. O. U. W.** meets the 3rd and 4th Saturday evening of each month.

**WILLIAM PERROTT POST NO. 22 G. A. R.** meets 1st and 3rd Saturday of each month at 7:30 p. m. Post Com., I. N. Batchelor; Adjutant, O. F. Richmond.

**HOOK AND LADDER.**—Meets on 3rd Wednesday of each month at 7:30 at the Hose House.

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## BUCHANAN MARKETS

Week ending April. 10 Subject to change:

Butter	20c
Lard	09c
Eggs	15c
Honey	12c
Beef	83c
Veal	05c
Pork	06c
Mutton	4c
Chicken	10c

Above quotations are on live weight only.

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

No. 2 Red Wheat	80c
Rye	58c
Oats	30c
Yellow Corn 70lbs	40

## LOCAL NOTES

I want an On-est John. ✓  
Subscribe for the Record.

LOST—Wagon weight and strap, return to ✓ W. E. MUTCHLER.

Six choice rose bush plants free with The Weekly Inter Ocean and the Record, all for only \$1.50.

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Make home pleasant and life worth living by having roses. You can have them free. See offer in this issue.

White Wyandotte eggs, (Pure Duston Strain) 50 cents sitting, also W. W. and Plymouth Rock, newly hatched chicks. 54 4th St. ✓ ISABELL A13.

LOST, strayed or stolen, a fox terrier, all white with the exception of a brown head and a large brown spot on its back. Finder please return to Record office.

REWARD:—A sum of money wrapped in a bill of lading lost near Runner's store. A suitable reward will be given the finder upon return to this office. ✓ A10.

"Tommy," remarked a teacher in a Houghton school, "this composition of yours is the worst I ever saw, and I am going to tell your mother," "Go ahead and tell her," answered Tommy "She wrote it herself."

Students in the Lansing High school placed limburger cheese on the hot water pipes, and it was necessary to adjourn school for a half day. Evidently the teachers were not in favor of carrying the liberal education ideas to extremes.

The Eastern Star ladies will have a box social next Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Sanders. Ladies are requested to bring boxes of lunch, and the gentlemen to bring their pocket books. A cordial welcome is extended to everybody.

A husband at Niles, Mich., has caused the following ad to be inserted in the paper: "This is to certify that my wife Elizabeth, formerly the Widow Wild, is too wild to be steered by my compass, but one of her own making but as she has the devil for her pilot she has altered her course and steered away from me, so that I will pay no debts of her contracting after this date."

If you ever have an opportunity to read anything written by Joseph C. Lincoln. Prose or verse, don't miss it. The article, "Two Shoes" by him in the current number of McClure's magazine, is worth three times the admission price (ten cents). It is good, funny, boss. We recommend it. ✓

## BINNS' MAGNET STORE.

A convention of Southwestern Michigan Dental association will be held in Niles, today and tomorrow. The opening was at 9 o'clock this morning in the parlors of the Michigan Inn, when the invocation was given by Rev. C. E. Marvin, and the address of welcome by Mayor Stoll. Dr. E. A. Honey of Kalamazoo gave the response in behalf of the visitors. President Palin will address the convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tichenor pleasantly entertained the G. O. T. B. club at their rural home last Friday night. The time was passed in playing progressive pedro, the usual ten games being played. During the evening music was also enjoyed. The hostess then served a two course luncheon, after which the guest departed for their homes voting this one of the pleasantest evenings spent since the organization of the club,

"Door yard orders," fruit trees delivered. Phone Jaquay. ✓ A18.

Hear the band play Friday April 13. "Hot Time in Coon Town."

The Salisbury Family will appear in Buchanan, Friday night, April 27.

Something new! Watch out for the clothes pin social Friday evening April 20.

Ladies, attention! The rose bush offer in this issue of the Record is for your benefit.

Don't forget that the Record office keeps calendar pads for fancy work. Only one cent a piece.

An Easter bake sale will be given, Saturday April 14, by the ladies of the Presbyterian church.

Have you tried any of that new whole wheat bread at Portz's. Once tried, you will always use.

Mrs. E. Parkinson announces her milliner opening for Friday and Saturday, April 13 and 14, ✓ april 10

Don't miss the Band Concert Friday for a "Hot time in Coon Town." Seats now selling at Skeets.

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Don't forget the Salisbury Family that appears in Buchanan on April 27. Under the auspices of the Methodist ladies.

Mrs. Adam Kern is moving into her new home on North Oak St. Her home on Detroit St. will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brooks.

Hot Time in Coon Town. A big company traveling in their own special car and carrying their own band and orchestra. Rough's Opera House Friday, April 13.

The Presbyterian Sunday School will render their Easter program, Sunday morning at 10:30 instead of the regular church service. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Why do you send laundry to South Bend. Why not give employment to Buchanan people. Leave your laundry at Van's Bakery or if you desire we will call for and deliver packages. ✓ MODEL STEAM LAUNDRY. E. B. WEAVER.

The Eastern Star chapter will hold a box social at the home of E. W. Sanders, Wednesday evening, April 11. Masonic brethren, wives or sweethearts, and friends of the Sylvia Chapter, together with members of chapter are cordially invited to attend. Ladies please bring boxes filled with good things to eat.

Last Tuesday evening about 50 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Harding gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tichenor, with well filled baskets, as a farewell reception to them before taking their departure for their new home in California. The evening was passed in games music and general visiting. At a late hour the party broke up, expressing regrets that they were so soon to lose their friends and neighbors, and also thanking Mr. and Mrs. Tichenor for their kind hospitality.

Here's a story illustrating how costly a bad reputation may be. After a wordy argument two Irishmen decided to fight out their differences. It was agreed that when either said "I've enough," the fight should cease. After they had been at it for about ten minutes, one of them fell, and immediately yelled, "Enough! I've enough!" But his opponent kept on pounding him until a man who was watching said: "Why don't you let him up? He says he's got enough." "I know he says so," said the victor, between punhes, "but he's such a liar you can't believe a word he says."

It is rumored that before Rev. Halmhuber went to Conference, he circulated a petition for his return to this place for another year, and that it was so stated in a previous edition of the Record. We wish to say that no statement of the like appeared in this paper. A paper signed by about 200 of his members was circulated, but it was without the knowledge of Rev. Halmhuber. The petition was also sent on to conference the day before he left. We are pleased to add to this article that Rev. Halmhuber has been returned to Buchanan for another year, and the Record and citizens in general wish him as successful a year as the one just past,

## PERSONAL:

Otis Mittan was in Niles, Sunday.

Mr. D. Scoffern, of Niles, is in town to-day.

Mr. C. E. Sabin was a Niles visitor Sunday.

Mr. Ben Desenberg was in Lawton, Saturday.

Geo. R. Rich was a Niles caller, yesterday.

Mr. Tony Kasnick spent Sunday at Glendora

Mr. Joseph Shook was a Niles visitor, Saturday.

Mr. Frank Cooper was in Baroda over Sunday.

Mr. Eli Helmick was a South Bend visitor, Friday.

Mrs. E. B. Smith was a Niles, visitor Friday.

George Leno spent Sunday among Galien relatives.

Mrs. Clara Richards was a Galien caller, yesterday.

Mr. Howard Mead was in South Bend, yesterday.

Miss Cora Bird was a South Bend caller, yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Elson was in Galien on business, Friday.

Walter Metz spent Sunday with Three Oaks friends.

Mr. N. J. Slater was in Niles on business, yesterday.

Miss Alice Denno, of Three Oaks spent Sunday in town.

Miss Pearl Most spent Sunday with Baroda relatives.

Mr. L. D. Jones has returned home from a trip in the west.

Miss Cora Smith, of South Bend was home over Sunday.

Miss Stella Phelps, of South Bend spent Sunday at home.

Miss Verna Huff spent Sunday with Three Oaks friends.

Horace Bruce spent Sunday in Dowagiac with his family.

Mrs. Carrie Williams was a Michigan City caller yesterday.

Mr. E. J. Carter visited relatives in South Bend, Saturday.

Mrs. Z. L. Baldwin, of Niles was a Buchanan caller yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Brown returned to South Bend, Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Mansfield was a South Bend visitor, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Searls were South Bend visitors, Saturday.

Dr. Z. L. Baldwin, of Niles, visited relatives in town last Friday.

Miss Alta McDonald, of Galien is visiting among her many friends here.

Miss Flossie Metz and grandmother were South Bend visitors, yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Rough, of Goshen, Ind., were in town, Saturday.

Misses Mayme Glidden and Florence Swartz were Niles callers, Sunday.

Miss Louise Arney returned Sunday night, after several days visit in Niles.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Dickinson spent Sunday with South Bend relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Martin, of Dowagiac, spent Sunday in Buchanan.

Mr. Irving Mills spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Benton Harbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, of South Bend, spent Sunday with Buchanan relatives.

Mrs. Orville Curtis and mother, Mrs. Anna Butler, visited in Niles, Saturday.

Messrs. Jesse East and Rolla Bates of South Bend, spent Sunday with their parents.

Mrs. Julia Murphy and daughter spent Saturday and Sunday in Niles and South Bend.

Clarence and Jennie Dickinson have returned home from a pleasant visit in Pokagon.

Mr. and Mrs. Rolla Montague, of South Bend, spent Sunday with Buchanan relatives.

Mrs. Charles Green, of Galien, visited relatives in this place the latter part of last week.

Miss Bessie Davis returned home Sunday evening after several days visit in Cassopolis.

Miss Lavina Chokey returned to her home in Elkhart, after spending Monday in Buchanan.

Mrs. Milton Helmick returned to South Bend, Sunday, after several days visit with relatives.

Miss Ella Hahn and sister, Mrs. Hattie Egbert, spent Sunday in Niles, returning home this morning.

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Phone 6. - - W. E. MUTCHLER.

Mr. and Mrs. Zed Jarvis returned home this afternoon from Pine Bluff, Ark., where they spent the winter.

Mrs. Wm. Watson and baby, of Three Oaks, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mead.

Misses Clara and Verna Dellinger have returned to Galien, after a week's visit with relatives in this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Boyer and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Phillips, left to-day for Glendive, Montana, where they will in the future reside. We are more than sorry to lose these loyal citizens, but we hope they will meet with success and prosperity in their new homes.

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Something new! Watch out for the clothes pin social Friday evening April 20.

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Attention Sir Knights.

A grand County Maccabee Rally will be held at Burkhead Hall St. Joseph Michigan Tuesday Evening April 19, 1906. A class of from twenty-five to one hundred will be admitted to the order. It is hoped that representatives from every Tent in the County will attend this meeting. We will have a good program, a good speaker, a banquet and a good time in general.

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Moline, Ill., March.—About June 1st of this year two Illinois newspaper men will start from this city on a tour of the world. It is their intention to make the greater part of the journey by means of bicycles and they expect to consume two years or more in the trip, which will take them into every country of importance in Europe, Asia and northern Africa.

The two young men who show the usual American vigor in planning such a stupendous trip, are George E. Holt, who for six years has been connected with the Moline newspapers, and Lester R. Creutz, a graduate of the University of Wisconsin and now instructor of history in the Reedsburg, Wis., high school. Mr. Creutz is a Moline boy and has worked upon newspapers in Moline and Madison, Wis.

They expect to sail for Liverpool from New York about the first week in June. From Liverpool they will make the circuit of the British Isles, passing through England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales. From London they will go northeast to Stockholm, Sweden, from whence their itinerary will be as follows:

South to St. Petersburg, Russia; southwest through Russia, Austria, Germany, Holland, Belgium, France and Spain to Gibraltar. Along the north coast of Africa to Tunis, thence through Sicily to Italy; north in Italy to Switzerland. Here a great semicircle will be described, which will take the tourists through Austria, Serbia, Bulgaria, Turkey and Greece, with possibly a side trip into Roumania. From Greece the tourists will go by boat to Cairo, and then, on their wheels, follow the Nile as far as practicable. Returning to the mouth of the Nile, they will turn eastward, passing through the Holy Land and will then go down the Arabian peninsula stopping at Medina, Mecca and Aden. At Aden boat will be taken to the nearest Persian Port. From this point they will wheel down the coast through Baluchistan and India, down the Malay peninsula to Singapore. From this point several side-trips will be made to Sumatra, Borneo and other places of interest. The next point to be touched is Manila, whence the Philippine Islands will be covered. From Manila they will go to Hong Kong and Shanghai, China and then to Japan. After touring Japan they will take boat to the Hawaiian Islands and thence to San Francisco.

During this wonderful trip Messrs. Holt and Creutz will represent a large syndicate of American newspapers.

**A Letter From Old Subscriber**

The following letter is in receipt of the editor, which is not only interesting, but shows how fully the writer appreciates the RECORD.

Edmond Kansas,  
April 8, 1906.

Editor Record:  
It has been over a year since I wrote anything for publication in the RECORD. First I will say that our March weather was bad for this country, from the 15th to the 20th of the month, we had the worst storm we have had for years, and while the thermometer did not register as low as zero, it was a very bad storm indeed. Quite a good deal of stock perished in the western counties of this state and just over the state line in Colorado, three thousand sheep perished in the storm and two herds were frozen to death. One man in an adjoining county froze to death, within 100 yards of his house, as he could not find his dwelling place, the storm was so furious and so blinding that one could not see a foot in front of them.

Our peach crop was very promising until the above mentioned storm struck us and I think four-fifths of the peach buds were killed. I see by the RECORD that the peach buds are partially killed in old Michigan, but I hope it is not as bad there as some predict.

Inocited in last week's RECORD that Congressman Hamilton and Uncle Joe Cannon, speaker of the House of Representatives, would probably attend the banquet given by the Berrien County Republican club, at St. Joseph. I say, hurrah for Berrien County. Wouldn't I like to be there. Joseph C. Cannon certainly will be a great drawing card for old Berrien County, and I must say that I think you have a very bright man in Congressman Hamilton, and

I hope they will both visit St. Joseph in June, and that they will be greeted by a large crowd of enthusiastic republicans.

Now to return to Kansas I will say that everything seems to be prosperous out here, and especially in north-west Kansas. Land is steadily advancing in price. Quarters that could be bought a year ago for two thousand dollars, are now selling for \$5 hundred dollars. When I came to this new country twenty years ago, there were very few frame buildings in this county and today there is very few (soddies).

Garden making is now on. Alfalfa is showing up green, and in a week or two, with favorable weather, will cover the ground. Corn planting will begin in about ten days. Corn is worth 35c, wheat 70c, potatoes 50 to 65c, eggs 10c, butter 16c and hogs 5 to 6 50 per cent. Alfalfa hay is worth \$6 per ton; alfalfa seed is very scarce and is selling at 15c per pound or \$9 dollars per bushel.

Now Mr. Editor for fear you will think this is a continued story, I will close wishing all my Buchanan friends well, and long life to the old RECORD that has furnished us so much news for the past twenty years.

I remain very respectfully, yours,  
J. P. WRAY.

**State Items**

The officers of Adrian are at a loss to know what to do with George Gensline, 16 years old who is a morphine fiend. He was sent to the Industrial Home for boys, in Lansing, a few weeks ago for larceny, but has been returned by the authorities there, who would not keep him they learned he was addicted to the drug. The boy states that his mother also eats dope and that she had furnished him with the drug ever since he was four years old. He has been suffering much because of his long separation from the drug that the officers have been compelled to give him a little to ease his condition.

Two carloads of Chicago cattle arrived at Ionia, Friday afternoon Friday evening a bunch of ten of them escaped from the stock yards, and a passenger train caught them all, killing several and maiming the others, which had to be killed. The passenger engine was so much damaged that it had to be relieved by a freight engine.

With a shovelful of coal in his hands and while his train was running rapidly five miles out of Lenox, Friday, Harry Haar, fireman on the Lenox-St. Clair division of Michigan Central, fell unconscious on the floor of the cab. The engineer stopped the train, and the fireman was carried into baggage car and restoratives applied. It was feared that the man would die. He had sustained a stroke of apoplexy. He regained consciousness when Lenox was reached, and was able to be taken to his home at St. Clair.

Every teacher hired for Battle Creek public schools this year will be given a substantial increase in wages, averaging between \$25 to \$50 per teacher.

Presence of mind on the part of Reaney Marsden, aged 14 years, saved the life of his companion Bert Winter, aged 15, son of Hiram Winters of Algonac, Thursday afternoon. The lads were out hunting a mile north of town. One of Winters' legs was shattered just below the knee by a charge of shot, when Marsden attempted to remove a cartridge from the gun. Winters was in danger of bleeding to death. With a handkerchief Marsden improvised a bandage. Then he ran for assistance. Winters was taken to the home of Supervisor John M. Robertson, where the limb was amputated. He will probably recover.

Fire at the tenth level of No. 2 shaft of the South Kearsage branch of the Osceola Consolidated mine at Calumet early Thursday morning caused panic among 400 workmen, who all fled to the surface. The fire started in empty powder boxes and old rubbish. Later a party of miners went underground and reported considerable smoke and gas in the workings, but the management expects that conditions will permit resumption of operations soon.

John Flewelling, a Gardendale farmer, is seriously sick as a result of taking five cents' worth of arsenic. The amount was an overdose and to

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this Flewelling owes his life. He claims to have taken the drug by mistake for strychnine, to which he was addicted as a cure for fever. The wife, however, says that Flewelling had frequently threatened to kill himself and only a few days ago he went out doors with a revolver and said he would not come back alive.

**A Weary Evening.**  
Jinks—to old friend in theater lobby—I notice you come out after every act. You are not drinking, I hope?  
Blinks—Oh, no; but it is rather tiresome inside. I came with my own sister this time.—N. Y. Weekly.

**Eating Soap.**  
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**Just What He Meant.**  
"Of course, Rounder led a very bad life."  
"Yes, he's going from bad to worse."  
"Ah! you haven't heard, then, that he's not expected to live?"  
"Yes, I have."—Philadelphia Press.

**A Clear Track.**  
"Yes, she landed him in a week."  
"How in the world did she do it?"  
"Her little brother had the mumps and couldn't talk."—Houston Post.

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**Estate of John Sebastie Deceased.**  
STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien.  
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1906.  
Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of John Sebastie deceased.

Jerome Sebastie having filed in said court a petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to Enos Holmes or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 23rd day of April A. D. 1906, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

(A TRUE COPY) FRANK H. ELLSWORTH, ROLLAND E. BARR, Judge of Probate, Register of Probate.

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