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The P．H．O．B＇s Held Recep tion in Opera House Last
Friday Evening
Last Friday evening about fifty young people wended their way te
Rough＇s Opera House to participate in an evenng of pleasure．The oc Casion being a reception given by the
P．IU．O．B＇s in honor of the B．O B＇s At an eariy hour the guests began to arrive，and after the usual courtes ies of the evening were passed，al
enjosed themselves by dancing o playing flinch
Elaborate refreshments，consisting of sandwiches，pickles，two kinds of cake，coffee and bananas，were served by the young men，after which the by dancing antil the wee hours the morning．
The happy crowd departed at late hour，voting the boys＂boss＂
entertainers，and with the hope tha entertainers，and with the hope that social gatherings during the lo SHERPF Wha

## overnor Warner Officially

 Prize FightsSheriff Tenvant has received the Slowing letter from Governor Wa ww relative to prize fights in Berrien county．The letter needs no partic It speaks for itself．
Lansing，Nov，24； 1906 Lansing，
St．Joseph．Michigan
Sherıff of Berrien county to call your attention to Sections 11732－3－4－5
the Compiled Laws of the State Michigan，entitled，＂An Act to Pro
hibit，Discourage and Punish Prize hibit，Discourage and Punish Priz
Fighting Withun the State of Michi Fighting Within the State of Michi－
gan．＂
Thi This law should be enforced
throughout the State and you will
take the necessary action to see that take the necessary action to see tha
it is complied with in your county．
it is complied with in your county．
Very respectfully yours，
FRED M．WARNER，
Governor．
This is the outcome of the killing of a young ma
Grand Rapids

## PETER CORET

After Examination in Justice Eyan＇s Court Respond－ ent is Held
Peter Corey，the young man wh Was arrested some time ago charged the Twin City Creamery Co，had his preliminary examination before Jus
tice Evans Friday afternoon，and was bound over to the circuit court
under bonds of two hundred dollars which was furnished by the father Coley was represented in the Jus
tice Court by Attorney I W．Riford and the people＇s case was prosecuted by Prcsecutor．White．The case has cities and Corey claims that thêre is inted that there will be a damas hinted that there will be a damag circuit court．
 come is awaited with much interest
not only by Corey himself，but b his friends，who clam that there absolutely no grounds for the charge

PHE SALVE AGTSLLKE APOULTIGE


Farmer Goes Insane in the Night Time and Terror－ ized Family

| One of the most curious cases of sudden and violent insanity that has ever been recolded in this county was exhibited at Royalton one day last week，when Fred Shoemaker， who had been ill for some time was stricken with a sudden attack of in－ sanity． <br> Shoemaker，who is a more than middle aged man，had been sick for several days and had had the attend－ ing physician．He was at the home of his father－in－law，Joseph Kaatz， when the attack came，and jumping trom his bed at 3 o＇clock in the morning．He beat and kicked his young wife until she screamed in mortal terro＂．Then jumping thru a second story window，Shoemaker started on a rampage about the house，his cries and the cries of his wife speedily aroused the entire fam－ ily，and they，panic stricken by his unaccountable actions watched him in terror．Clad in only his night robe Shoemaker set off down the lane and acro sa 40 －acre field with several of the family pursuing him．He tore |
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|  |  | bushes，lacerating his flesh in a hun－

dred places and in climbing oquer a barb wire fence added stiff mor gashes，he circled about the house o
his father－in．law once more and th male members of the family too refuge behind trees，and stumps．
Then Shoemaker set off for Then Shoemaker set off for his own
home at top speed，and upon reach－ ing it，kicked＊open the door and fel upon the floor exhausted．Physician were called who cared for the de
mented man ando announced th sudden attack due to a hemmorage o
$\qquad$ The man was in a pitiful state，
bearing hundreds of scratching，cuts and bruises，his jump through th washes and the barb wire fence had at his skin deeply in several places Shoomaker is a well to do farme residing in the vicinity of St Josap
nd was married only a comparativer y short time ago to Miss Mary Kaatz f Royalton，his first wife having


No Trace of Brutes Who Cut Out＇Three Horses＇Ton－ gues are F＇ound


Year 1907
Postage stamps of the issue of 1907 put on sale at the 6,000 presidential ame of the state and city in which the postofice is situated．The chie reason for this innova ion is said at
the postoffice department in Washing the postoffice departmentin Washing
ton to be the belief that it will help ton to be the belief that it will help
to do a way with the big postoffice obberies

## riminals．

w postoffice robbery in Chicago年 years ago is a good example o tamps can be disposed of，for no trace ed although sand dollarg＇worth of stamps wer tolen mostly in small denominations At one－time the authoritieds though they had found a clew to the robbers A Chicago mail order house a couple
of years after the robbery secured a of years after the robbery secured $\$ 5,000$ mall order in payment of which
was tendered a package containing that amount of 1 and 2 cent postag formed the United States authoritio and efforts were made to find out from whom the order had come
without avail．It was regarded fairly certain that these stamps were
fard a part of those taken from the Chica－ of proving it
$\qquad$ to enable the postoffice department to determine the amount of business done by the different postoffices and prevent padding through stamps sold
at same offices to residents who do at same offices to residents
business in adjoining cities． business in adjoining cities．
A great deal of complaint has bee
made in the past on the ground made in the past on the gronnd that
certain offices were doing a vers much greater volume of busines men they were credited with doing， lesstrouble in showing that they need
faclities for handling their mails，a in the opinion of the congressiona committees having the matter charge，the receipts from the sale of taraps did not warrant the increas
This plan of engraving This plan of engraving the name of the city of issue on．postage stamp
is not eniirely new，as it has been is not entirely new，as it has been
followed in Mexico for years．In Li－ followed in Mexico for years．In Li－ principal towns are engrayed upo principal to
The Recora nas the largest circula－ medium in the county．

## All three of the ho

 live and will probably be able to eatersuffer for a long time before the
wounds will heal and the horses can be used．It was on Octoper 10，1905，
that Mr．Talbot＇s horses in Sodus were treated just as the Hogue and
Hartman horses were cut last week， able to to hard wors are alive and sufficient to convict the culprit who ed and no arrests were made，tut $i$ is hoped that this case may be soly－ orses may be brought to justice Sheriff Tennant was at work the case Saturday，Sunday and was in
Sodus again Monday following every Sodus again Monday following every
clue that presents itself in the drag clue that presents itself in the drag－
net which has been woven about the fiends．The tongue of one of the horses belonging to Mr．Hogue was
found in the manger where it was found in the manger whene severed，
dropped after it had been but the other has not yèt been found The tongue of the Hartman horse
has not thus far been located and i is thought that it had been eaten by wogs．The work of the miscrean after the deed was committed，and
the sheriff was notified，but the mys－ the sheriff was notified，but the mys－
tery surrounding this case is as mys terious

will Be Printed on Stamps for

## IIELLLLSMORII STORE

## Christmas is Almost Here

As usual this great store has anticipated your Holi－ day wants．Our Handkerchief Section is running over with bargains．Here is a partial list of our offerings．

## Why Not Handkerchiefs

Save trouble and worry．Buy your Handkerchiefs now，while the initials and assortments are complete．Men＇s Initial Hand－ 75 C
kercheifs，six in a box，all linen，per box Men＇s Initial Handkerchiefs，all $\$ 1.50$
Men＇s all linen Handkerchiefs with hand embroidered $\$ 1.50$
Is in Old Englishr fêtters， 25 c each；six in a box
Men＇s fine ali linen Handkerchiefs，wilh dainty hand em－$\$ 2.75$
dered initials， 50 e each；per box
Men＇s Dress Handkerchiefs， or 75 ，each 50c and
Men＇s and boys＇Fancy Colored Handkerchiefs，each 35 c
25 c
A large assortment of fancy
designs in cross bar and plain for
$\$ 1.00$
A sheer thistle linen Handkerchief
$\$ 10.00$
French embroidered Ha
$\$ 150$
Ladies＇fine all linen Handkerchiefs，with medalion corne
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Ladies＇fancy cross bar Handkerchief
itial，six in a box， 25 c each，per $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen ..... $\$ 1.50$
Ladies＇$T$
tials eachLadies，handkerchiefs$75 c$
Ladies sheer，all linen
initials， 10 c each，per dozen ..... $\$ 1.00$
Silk Sale $\begin{gathered}2,000 \\ \text { regular } \$ 1.25 \text { and } \$ 1 \text { Silks in all shades }\end{gathered}$
2,000 yards of Soft Silks in all shades，
regular $\$ 1.25$ and $\$ 1.00$ values at 79 c

## Great Notion Sale

Counters bristling with extra－${ }^{\text {2c }}$ Emery Boards
ordinary values．Not quite half
5 c Velveteen or brush bind the specials are mentioned below，5c Wire hair pins
Basticg Cotton， 2 spools Basting Cotton， 2 spools ic 5c Orange sticks $\begin{array}{lll}\text { Iron wax on holder } & \text { 1c } & \text { 5c Safety jins } \\ \text { 5c Hump hooks and eyes } & \text { 1c } & \text { 5c Darning eggs }\end{array}$

## Xmas Watches

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If there is any feature of our stock，which we can show with especial pride，it is oul very handsome array of WATCHES，both for ladies and gentlemen，in either gold， gold filled or silver cases．We are able to offer the very best combinations of as first class case and excellent movement as was ever offered in this locality，and at prices hat are，beyona comparison，the lowest
can be made on warrantable goods．
In filled cases we can offer some excel ont bargains，that for service and wear leave nothing to be desired．

While we can meet any figures，our goods run up to the highest and best grades
in the most finished styles of modern work manship．We challenge comparison，both of goods and prices with any and every ealer．

## M．B．Ritch <br> The Jeweler and Optician

## Buchanan，

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## HOME Palafes


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where they will be cared for，and where they will be cared for，and
where they will be brought up by
Michigan Children＇s Home Did their foster parents as own children would be brought up，is no easy task and the home has certainly complet－
ed a．great wiork．
The Michigan Children＇s Home o

The number of children under its | this city has just completed one of | direct supervision is also extremely |
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lavember the home ing the month of November the home work which the Hom
found placés for thirteen little friend－has done in the past．


## New Livery

I wish to inform the peopl of Buchanan that．I have jus opened up a first－class Livery Stable，and have all new bug gies and good gentle horses

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Dr．L．P．Conkey

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Healthful cream of tartar，derived solely from grapes，refined to absolute purity，
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of Royal Baking Powder． Hence it is that Royal Baking Powder renders the food remarkable both for its fine flavor and healthfulness． No alum，no phosphate－
which are the principal ele－ ments of the so＝called cheap baking powders and which
are derived from bones， are derived from bones，
rock and sulphuric acid．
 desired．＂A pot luck dinner．＂ Miss Flora Currier is assisting the post office，having taken the
place vacated by Miss Gertrude Schwar z
Wm．Roantree is making some new yards．He is building a new office， a cement house and also a shash and The ladies of the Presbyterian society win serve a see their a aprons before buying： Phillip Boone was completely sur
prised at his rural home last night when twenty－five members of th Berachah class walked in upon him To say the young man was surprised
would be puttiug the expression mildly．The young people enjoyed
themselves，by playing games and music，after which lightrefreshmento were served．The evening． long to be remembered．
Mrs．Wm．J．$\overline{\overline{\text { Hunter}}}$ and daughter Zelma，Mrs．W．R．Rough，Mrs．J．C． Rehm were among the guests that
were so pleasantly entertained by Mrs．E．Cox and daughter，Tina Vic－ kers，of Niles，Friday
luncheon was served．
In some ways $\overline{\text { recent }}$ proceedings at
the courthouse remind the Vigilant of the story of the Irishman who was accused of having stolen an iron soap kettle and cracking it sn
that its usefulness was forever ended His defense was that he was innocent es here，yer honor，＂the Irishman
said，＇t＇prove，first，that Oi niver had the kettle in my possession；
sicond，that Oi returned it to Mrs． Caséy without a crack in it；and whin 0 ould
$\qquad$ will be made out this week for the admittance of Mrs Robt Curran and daughter to the asylum at Kalamazoo． and by treatment at this institation， recovery．They were adjudged in－ this village．Drs．Emmons and Gar and were called upon to examine the xamined the Da Curts and Peck both be taken to Kalamazoo on Wed of the wom，is the young man，who ago last Saturday night．He will save his hesring on Wednesday． sentence，he will also be taken to

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P．
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Mrs．Parkinsnn Board and room $\$ 3.75$ and $\$ 400$
per week at Mrs．Lister＇s restaurant FOR SALE－One Kingsbury Cabinet Grand piano， bargain if taken at once．$\$ 2 y^{2} 0$ ．In
quire of Mrs．E．Parkinson． Everybody！$\overline{\overline{\text { Have }}}$ you forgotten

## the M E． this week？

Closing sale on all millinery goods aring this month，a lot of hats will

Mrs．E．Parkinson Full stomachs and fat pocket ooks are made by the use of the Blended flour，GERBELLE．
10 pound sack of pure buckwheat our，ouly 25 c ．

Buchanan Cash Grocery． The Pears－East Grain Co，a in the market for assorted new yel－ n the market for assorted new yel
ow corn $\mathrm{V}^{35}$ cents for 72 lbs ．ct FOR SALE－A house 3 rods lon
wo story high，good well wate Honse and lots $\$ 125$ cash．Inquir Mirs．Otis Stearns，of Glendora has Mrs．Otis Stearns，of Glendora has
ssued invitations for the wedding of issued invitations for the wedding of er daughter Miss Leigh to Arthur
Proseus，the ceremony to be perform－ roseus，the ceremony to be perform－
d at the bride＇s home，Wednesday； Dec．12．，The contracting parties are well and favorably known in Buch－
nan，the bride being a sister of Mr． Olyde Stearns，while the groom is tep－brother of Miss Faye Blume． We are grieved to hear that Miss Hattie Hathaway is not so well，but an her usual manner．
The citizens are pleased to welcom
L．R．Kenny and family，of Paw Paw
to our midst．Mr．Kenny is a car－ to our midst．Mr．Kenny is a car－
penter by trade，and has taken up his esidence in Elder Grundy＇s home on Detroit street．
City Attorney $\overline{\text { VanR }}$ iper relates an ncident that shows how easy it is for us to be mistaken and also what a and not have a key handy to get back in again．Returning from Bu spent Thanksgiving，they were con－ siderably chagrined on arriving home to find that the house was
locked tight and that the house key upposed in the judge＇s pocket as he during the day，no mistake about it； but it was missing sure enough，and
10w to gain an entrance to the house was the question．Mr．VanRiper remembered that an upstair window was slightly raieed and securing a
ladder which was about five feet ladder which was about five feet
short he succeeded in getting inside after much difficulty．Once inside of course the rest was eass．But the real surprise came when，on gong to
the accustomed hanging place of the key，there it was as big as life，hav ing never been taken down from its
peg，and the door which had a spring lock had been simply closed，locking ho key in and the owners of the had that key in my possession during he day，＂he said，＂I would have imply thought I had it and it was a FISH for Friday AT

## Personal．

I．N．Bátchelor was in Niles，yes Mr．
Mr．H．H．Porter made a business
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J．H．Twell made a b
Miss Adah Van Riper
Miss Adah Van Riper wa
ome in Niles over Sunday．
home in Niles over sunday．
Miss Adah Rough visited
Miss Adah Ro
Bend，yesterday．
J．C．Rough was a South Bend
Atty．Frank Sanders made a busi
Mrs Clara Richords
Mrs．Clara Richards was a caller
Niles and South Bend，yesterday
Mo Sorth Bena，yesterday．
er daughter in South Bend，jester－ her da

Saturday Mittan returned home
polis．
Wm．Wolkins，of Elkbart，is visit－
ng his uncles Henry and Mike
ing his uncles Henry and Mike
Wolkins．
Mrs．Helen Isbell and son were the
guests of St．Joseph relatives the
past week．
Miss Eunice Codd，of South Bend，
spent Thanksgiving Day with Miss
Lena Long．
Mr．Fred＇Andrews of Hammond，
Ind．，spend Sunday with his sister at
this place．
Miss Zella Stanton，of New Car－
lisle，visited among Buchanan friends
Miss Ca
Miss Carrie Lyddick of Kalamazoo over Sunday．
Mir．Elmer Ray has returned to Ann Arbor，after spending his vaca tion at home．
Prof．H．E．Stearns，of Coloma， was－a pleasant caller at the Recorl A．C．Weaver returned to Danville Friday，af
his family．
Miss Vera Fritz has returned to
South Bend after several days visit
with relatives．
H．L．Hinman，of Ann Arbor，has is vace to his stadies after spending
Mr．and Mrs．Clyde Baker and
hildren have returned home from a Misit in Chicago．
Mr．and Mrs．F．H．Weaver and bildren，of Dayton，spent Sunday rith Buchanan relatives．
Roy Barnhart，of Chicago，visited Saturday until Monday．
Mrs．Albert Susan，of Niles，at law，Jasper Susan，Sunday．
＂Dr＂Guy Huff has returned to his medical studies at Ann Arbor，afte
few days visit with his parents．
Prof．R．S．Beardsley has returned a pleasant yisit with his parents．
Miss Emma Richter has returned days yisit with her parents in Davton
Mrs．Wm．J．Hunter and daughter Zelma，were the guest of Mrs．W．R．
Rough and Mrs．J．C．Rehm，Sunday． Rough and Mrs．J．C．Rehm，Sunday．
Master Wllliam Bracken，of Wa－ bash，＇Ind．，has been the＂guest o
Buchanan relatives for a few days Miss Etta Devin，of Berrien
Springs．has returned to her schoo Miss Bessie Henderson，who has
been visiting her parents for several been visiting her parents for severa
days，returned to Chicago，Sunday Mrs．E．E．Simmons and childre of Three Oaks，were guests of Mrs，
Alice Rose，the latter part of last Alice R．
week．
Mr．and Mrs．A．C．Weaver and daughter，Miss Bernice ate turkey with relatives at Dayton on Thanks－
giying．

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& \text { giying. } \\
& \text { Mrs. }
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Vera of Mishawalsa are visiting he home of her mother，Mrs．Anna
Miss Rubie Strawser returned home Sunday from South Bend，afte spending Thanksgiving with he mother．
Mrs．
Mrs．L．U．Dragoo returned Sun－ spending Thanksgiving with her daughter．
Misses
Misses Lulu Broceus，Ruth East， Jennie Miller and Mary Keller，re
turned to Normal at Kalamazoo，
Mr and Mrs Ward Smith have re turned to their home in Mishawaka， after a pleasant visit with their re－
speetive parents spective parents．
Mesdames H．A．Fox，of Niles，
and Mary Hildreth，of and Mary Hildreth，of Kent City，
were guests of Mr．and Mrs．C．O． were guests of
Hamilton，Friday．
Mr．：and Mrs．Geo．Hanley will
leave Wednesday morning for
Chicago to attend the Live stock

The Highest Class Clothes
Do not necessarily come from the custom tailor．The ready－made clothing of today is no more like the clothing sold 10 years ago than daylight is like
darkness．This is a period of progression．These strides of progress are shown as much in
We Sell the BEST Money Can Buy at our line of Merss sunts and

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## PORTES MODEL BAM蔵縕

The nicest line of CAKES，PIES，COOKIES DOUGHNUTS and BREAD in the city．

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Our window display shows a numberof article in silver and alumina，such as

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These goods are all guaranteed，and per－ fect satisfaction warranted． Call and See this Beautiinul Display
H．R．Adams
Datace in
Hardware and Coal $\downarrow$

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Store，during the past weetk and NOW is the timg Store，during the past week，and Ne selling at a low
to buy your wall paper，as we are
rate on all designs now in stock，to make room for a new rate on all designs now in stock，to make room for a new
and complete line of the best designs in the market． We invite you to call and view all our different W．F．RUNNER －200203000
Mrs．Wlizibeth Oblenis of Léightor－ $\begin{aligned} & \text { South．Bend and Mrs．Wm．Eisele and } \\ & \text { daughter Zora，of Porta }\end{aligned}$ ord，Ind field and Mr．and Mrs．Noah Canfield Moyer and family
spent Thanksgiving at Mishawaka，There will be a baked goods．sale
Ind．，with Mr．and Mrs．Clint Hall．in connection Rev．and Mrs．J．A．Halmhuber，
of this place，Rev．Wm．Halmhuber
by．the M．E．Iadies，Saturday Dec． 8 ， of this place，Rev．Wm．Halmhuber in．the Redden building on Days
of Naperville，Miss Luilu Moyer of avenue．


## The New Nian

at the New Ives Sundio "WDould Like to Show IVou" Get your Christmas orders in EARLY Bring in the children, we CATCH 'em every time CHAS.T. SCOUTLLE Niles,
$\sqrt{\text { Mrich. }}$

layers to make a man -sleepcomfortably-the layers
are the snowy, elastic felts are the snowy, elastic felts Stearms \& Foster Mattress
If' you would appreciate the
difference that care, skill and the finest material makes in a mattress you must see the
famous "web construction" famous "web construction"
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are selling grood furnilure af reasonable priess.
Jusf getting in mew coubhes, dining fables and eliairs.
We will he glad tif show yow, and will guaranfee fair treatment.

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The total resources are more than
$\$ 1,000,000.00$
You are most cordially invited to make the AMERICAN TRUST COMPANY your headquarters when in South Bend.

|  | spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. An drews' parents in Dowagiac. <br> Miss Mary Davidson spent Thursday with out of town friends: |
| :---: | :---: |
| Miss Jennie Thoms went to her home Wednesday to spend Thanksgiving Day. | Miss Pearl Most, of Buchañan mas the guest of Miss Iva Kichardson of this place Thursday. |
| and Mrs. Theodore Andrews | Miss Nettie Scott, of Buchanan |

 guest of Miss Edith Sands.
The Union Thanksgiving service a the Baptist church was well attended read by the Rey Dewey Ehle and the Rev. Messrs. Norton and Wisen Rev. Messis. Norton and Fisen gave two splendid addesses, prayer and Congregational church for the Eng Congregational church for the Eng lish people, led by Rev. Parsons, and the German people, conducted by the German people, conducted by
Rev. Eisen. Don Unr
Don Unruh spent Thanksgiving Day with his mother at this place. Mr. E. K. Warren, who has been out of town for some weeks, returned
home Thursday in time to eat his Thanksgiying dinner with his family Firs. Lora Mead spent Thursday with triends in Bridgeman.
The most beantiful day we have had in many weeks, has added very much to the pleasure of this year
Thanksgiving day, and we hope that it mang be proplaetie of the days o
ind peace and plenty in the coming year BENTON HARBOR The grand jury convened yes terday.
Justice Harris S. Whitney is seri ously ill with lung trouble. The high school girls are organz ing a basket ball team and win
the Armory for practice use.

- Miss Mattie Smith returned to chaman Monday, after a pleasant two week's visit with friends in the two
cities.
- Our champion Orange Sox were tendered a Thanksgiving banquet Thurs at 5 o'clock at Iotel Saltzman.
The grocers have decided to close their stores at $6: 30 \mathrm{p}$. m. except Tuesday and Saturday and the week preceding the holidays.
The football sisters of the high
school netted $\$ 36$ at the entertainment given last
of the Orange Sox.
The December term of circuit court opened Monday. Of the 96 cases on the docket, 20 are divorce case
Four members were initiated into
the Colonial chapter, O. 3. S., last, Wednesday night, and a banquet was

Roland Morrill the great peach grower has returned from his Texas plantation and brought ten thousand young peach trees most of
will set out for his own use.
Dr. Fred Belknap, our smiling doc tor was the victim of a surprise perwhen she invited in a company of his gentlemen friends to celebrate his birthday. He was presented with gold headed silk umbrella.
Judge Coolidge is hearing the ar guments in the case of the city of St.
Joseph against our gas company Joseph against our gas company. The latter were tearing up streets
and laying mains when they were and laying mains when they were
stopped by the claim that they had not secured proper authority.
The woik of grading for the new terminal railway, which was progressing rapidly has breen stopped just the other side of lempire avenue by Frank Mills, who recently purchased the
Wm . Hamilton fruit farm. He says the right of way has not been secured across his land.
Thursday morning the college foot ball team played the St Joseph hig h school eleven, at Eastman Springs. the Orange Sox and the All Stars of the Miami club. Some of the latter were star players in former football teams and a battle was expected, both sides being confident of success.
Two of the Graham \& Morton boats have been grounded lately. The big 'passenger steamer, Puritan, got her nose stuck in the mud while
tied to the dóck- at. Holland during last week's big blow and de big freighter, Pere Marquette No. 5, day ni a tht. Tugs have released Sun day night. Tugs have released both runs till navigation closes. Who says now that our Orange Sox are not fairly and squarely the champion football team of Michigan? They earn ed that title in the game with Escanaba, upper peninsula champions, at Eastman Springs last Saturday by the magnificent score of 90 to
little sore and grumbling about inellgles again, but the interscholastic
has investigated thorougbly and is fully satisfied that the honor has been fairly wón.
The County Horticaltural society hold a profitable meeting at Library hall last Saturday. The fruit growers were advised not to pull out their were advised not to pull out their
peach trees until next Srring as some may not be as badly frozen as was fit first thought, though there is not much hope for either, very poung or very old orchards. Some varieties or very old orchards. Some varieties
of other fruit have been injured or entirely killed.
The commissioner of insurance at Lansing warns the Patricians that they are no better if as well protected ss they were before being merged into the Fraternal Brotherhood of the latter's fund will go to par Patri the latter's fond will go to pay Patriclans claims as they have been set in members of Patrician. About sixty have joined the lodian Court No. the order from lodge just started by absorbing the Pant which talked of withdrew the Patrian and then withrew their pro
Dr. Lancaster, of Olivet college, who addressed the temperance meeting at the Methodist church last Sunday night, talked to the high school students the next morning. He was in hearty accord with the triumphant Orange Sox as his own college has just won the inter-collegiate championship of the state. Schultz of the U. of M. who referred the game last Saturday, complimented the Orange a better football team and that they played a very clean game.

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