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BLUE LAWS BRING HOWL

Food City Fears Police Chief Will Clamp Lid on Tight

CAUSES GREAT EXCITEMENT

Mayor Backs Chief Against Orders of Police Commissioner for Vice Crusade

Battle Creek, Mich.,—March 12—With the Retail Liquor Dealers association on one side, insisting that the police suppress cigar stores, Sunday newspapers, confectionery emporiums, and all other literal violators of the Sabbath; and the police commission on the other band saying that any attempt to introduce the ridiculous element into their crusade against vice will mean his dismissal, Chief of Police Farrington is riding a mental rail today, and the public is awaiting Sunday with interest.

It was said that the chief would not only close cigar stores and soda fountains on Sunday, but that Sunday morning newspaper offices would be raided, the editors and workmen arrested; street cars would not be permitted to run, and the circulation of Detroit and Chicago Sunday papers prevented.

Chief Farrington branded these as "more bar-room rumors."

The trouble started when Judge Walter North and Prosecuting Attorney L. E. Stewart decided to give violators of the saloon closing law the limit in fines and imprisonment. This angered the liquor dealers. Then came an enforced exodus of the occupants of ill repute and rooms in down town blocks. On top of this came a mass meeting of 500 citizens favoring a non-partisan movement in politics, at which Chief Farrington was "racked over the coals."

The chief was angry, and justly so and said that he would enforce the law, no matter how hard it hurt.

The retail liquor dealers say they will close their saloons on time and not open Sunday and then they will sign complaints against everybody violating the Sunday labor law in the slightest way. It is said that singers paid for their services in local churches might be arrested under the statutes.

Chief Farrington to date has put a tight lid on saloons, arresting three dealers yesterday for violating the closing hours; driven out about a hundred "painted ladies;" driven out slot machines and dice games; and scared several thousand people with suggestions of what he might do next.

GOOD SUGGESTIONS

For Improvements in School Management and the Buildings

A word to the officers and patrons of our district schools.

Now is a very good time to consider what can be done for our schools, as we have received rather more money from the state than usual by way of the rail road tax fund.

Many of our school houses need repairing and the grounds improving. A number of years ago there was much more interest taken in our common schools than at present. Yet many of our people get all the education they ever have in those schools.

And the fundamentals of education are like the foundation of a house, of much importance.

Sending the pupils to the town schools to be educated has done much to lessen the interest in country schools.

And many district schools have become so small it is almost impossible to keep up an interest.

In such cases it might be well to unite such districts with adjoining ones.

Another thing that might be done would be to build one or two high schools in each township, supported by the young people who could be educated near home instead of at distant cities or towns.

It is important that the coming generation be encouraged to get an education that they may be well prepared for life's work and have a better understanding of its responsibilities.

SCHOOL INSPECTOR

HOW'S THIS

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Timepiece Paperweights.

Novel and useful are the glass paperweights with a clock inset in the top. They are octagonal, so can be made to stand, but the clock is more plainly seen when face up.

DOINGS IN THE COUNTY

Berrien Springs and Niles Bands to Consolidate

OTHER INTERESTING EVENTS

Fire Bugs Burn Two St. Joseph Residences.

Berrien Spings, March 11—The Berrien Springs band and the Niles band have united, forming an organization of about sixty musicians. This will be without question one of the finest musical organizations in southwestern Michigan, for both bands are celebrated in this part of the state. They were both old institutions and the members have been playing for years. The consolidated band will immediately begin rehearsals and will be ready for engagements after April 1st. It is up to the citizens of Berrien county now to support this musical organization, as this is the finest bunch of "tooters" that has ever been organized in this community and they deserve the co-operation of all the music loving people. They should be called upon to furnish the musical part of all picnics, celebrations, etc., for there is no need to go outside of the county.

TWO BIG FIRES

Alleged Incendiarism Causes Loss of about \$25,000.

St. Joseph, Mich., March 11—Fire, probably of incendiary origin, last Saturday destroyed the beautiful residences of John Cowlan, a Chicago millionaire, and of W. B. Platt, president of the Elkhart Buggy company, Elkhart, Ind.

The residences, which were located on the Lake Shore drive, had been entered and thoroughly ransacked. The neighbors attempted to save the buildings, but because it was impossible to get water both were completely destroyed. The fire in the Platt residence was discovered before it had gained much headway, but beyond saving some of the furniture, the house and its contents were consumed. The loss on both residences will amount to about \$25,000. Neither house had been occupied since last summer.

FIRST BOAT LEAVES

Frontenac Opens Season Sunday With Its First Trip

St. Joseph, March 11—The steamer Frontenac left on its first trip to Chicago, Sunday night at 9 o'clock under favorable weather conditions. Later the boat will make the run from Chicago to Holland to open navigation from that port and will sail for the next few weeks, making all three ports as fast as the trips can be run, but will be in no particular schedule. The boat will probably clear from St. Joseph port three times a week.

LIES ON CAR TRACK

St. Joseph Man is Instantly Killed Saturday Night

St. Joseph, Mich., March 11.—While journeying homeward and believed to have been under the influence of liquor, Frank McClellan, some time last night laid down on the track of the local street car line and was later run over and instantly killed.

FOUND AT LAST

J. A. Harmon, of Lizemore, West Va., says: "At last I have found the perfect pill that never disappoints me; and for the benefit of others afflicted with torpid liver and chronic constipation, will say: take Dr. King's New Life Pills." Guaranteed satisfactory. 25c at W. N. Brodrick's drug store.

The Record is the oldest newspaper in Berrien county. Read it.

CONVICT LABOR.

Good Roads For All or Cheap Twine For the Farmer?

Shall we benefit the state at large and all the people of the state, particularly the farmer, or shall we (possibly) benefit a few farmers only, and injure another class of citizens—our hardware and implement dealers? In other words, shall we have class legislation of doubtful value, or shall we have general legislation for all?

Would you as a business man, or as a farmer, invest five or six hundred thousand dollars in a doubtful enterprise? Numerous attempts have been made to discover a substitute for sisal and other hard-fiber twines. Wire was used at one time, but this ruined the straw for feeding purposes, and the farmer could not afford to lose his straw. Then a paper twine was made, but it was too smooth and slick and would not hold the knot made by the machine. The International Harvester Company has at last succeeded in making twine from flax that does the work and does it satisfactorily. The new industry will be supplied entirely by flax straw produced by Minnesota farmers, instead of sisal fiber raised in Yucatan. The flax twine mill at St. Paul employs girls almost exclusively.

The following from an editorial in the Minneapolis Journal shows that Minnesota has a fight on her hands: "If next year the flax twine should break into prison sales as intended, the prison would be left with millions of pounds unsold."

Twine made by a patented process can be sold at a lower price than twine made by sisal can be manufactured. Does Michigan want to invest half a million dollars in a business which from present indications will mean a loss ever year to the state?

The constitution of the state of Michigan prohibits the manufacture of goods in the state prison which will compete with the output of free labor in this state, and so it is questionable whether, after the investment had been made and plant installed; the manufacture would be permitted. To overcome this difficulty a resolution has been introduced in the legislature to strike out that section of the constitution which forbids the competition of convict labor with free labor. If this resolution is passed and the proposition is submitted to the people and adopted by them, it will permit the manufacture of any goods in the prisons of our state. How will you like that, dealers and mechanics?

There is any quantity of good limestone within the radius of a few miles from the Jackson prison. There is a supply of trap rock near the prison at Marquette, besides the enormous quantities of the best stone in the world in Keweenaw county, which has been offered to the state free of charge, providing the convicts are sent there to crush and ship it. Why not put our prisoners at this work, and sell the output of their labor to the towns and counties of Michigan at a uniform price of fifty cents per ton, freight to be paid by the state, and by so doing improve our public highways, in city and in country, to the benefit of every citizen of this great commonwealth.

Mr. Farmer: Will it be of more advantage to you to save approximately seventy-five cents a year on binder twine, or will it be of more advantage to you to save seventy-five cents every day in the year that you go to market, by having good, hard, dry, smooth roads to haul your product over? Will it be of more advantage to you to buy a few pounds of binder twine at a reduced price; or to raise the flax for free labor to make into a soft-fiber twine?

Mr. Dealer: Will it be of more advantage to you to lose the profits on the sale of binder twine, or will it be of greater benefit to you to have roads in such condition that the farmer can drive to your store any day in the year, regardless of the weather?

Write your answer to your senator or representative.

HORATIO S. EARLE.

HEARD AT THE CAPITAL

News In Brief Concerning the Work of State Legislature

ANTI-MINE COMBINE BILLS

Governor Warner Confronted with Bills to Sign—Gives Interested Parties Hearing

Lansing, March 11—(Special to Record)—Judge Norman W. Haire of Gogelic, manager of the Oscola and other mining interests brought before the legislature a bill to prevent foreign corporations from buying up the mines of the state. The purpose of the bill is to protect the small mines from being swallowed up by the big ones. Governor Warner will give the parties interested in the bill a hearing at Detroit. Certain questions as to the bill legality have been raised. The Calumet & Hecla Co. is the corporation most concerned in the new anti-combine bill.

Distributing Graft Franks

Reminders of old days and the game as it has always been played at previous sessions are now more in existence among legislators. Telephone and telegraph franks are being freely distributed among all the members willing to accept them and it is supposed they will be gentle hints to exclude the telegraph and telephone companies from the tax system.

Rep. W. T. Dust of Detroit, has a bill before the legislature placing the two companies under the same tax system as the railways. Ex-Senator A. J. Doherty is distributing the franks for the Bell Telephone Co. Telephone companies are the subject of considerable proposed legislation this session. Some of the bills are said to be suspiciously like holdups. What will happen to them, now that the franks are out remains to be seen.

Make Farm Machines Safer

According to Senator Tuttle, who has been investigating the subject, about 1,000 farmers, farmers' boys and farmers' hired men in Michigan, annually have their hands mangled or taken off entirely by corn huskers or shredders. A large percentage are persons who cannot very well earn a livelihood without the use of their two hands. To avert this wholesale maiming he has introduced a bill making it a misdemeanor to sell a husker or shredder without a device for protecting the hands.

Fairview Annexation Bill.

The Fairview annexation bill having passed the house is now up to Senator Martindale's committee of cities and villages. Thursday afternoon Rep. Weifs tried to induce the senator to have the bill put through the senate right away under suspension of the rules but the latter decided to allow it to slumber until next week. He is still feeling that City Controller Joy did him an injustice by his criticisms in printed interviews, particularly so because he says this is the only bill that he worked among members of the house to have passed. He adds that the senate will undoubtedly put the bill through next week.

Bill to Increase Salaries

Representative Grant M. Hudson, of the second district of Kalamazoo county will introduce a bill into the legislature this week re-arranging the salaries of the officers of Kalamazoo county.

WORKED LIKE A CHARM

Mr. D. N. Walker, editor of that spicy journal, the Enterprise, Louisa, Va., says: "I ran a nail in my foot last week and at once applied Bucklen's Arnica Salve. No inflammation followed; the salve simply healed the wound." Heals sores, burns and skin diseases. Guaranteed at W. N. Brodrick's drug store. 25c.

KOONS TAKES WIFE

Married to Miss Reitz at Kalamazoo Sunday.

Walter Koons and Miss Verna Reitz were united in marriage Sunday evening at Kalamazoo at the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Glen Davis. Mr. Koons is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Koons, of this city, while the bride is from Gladwin. With her parents she at one time lived on the J. J. Ritter farm in La Grange. Later she was employed as book-keeper at the Alliger laundry in this city, where the groom is now employed. She left Dowagiac for Gladwin last July. Mr. and Mrs. Koons will reside here, going to housekeeping in the spring.—Dowagiac Daily News.

HAMILTON IS SOLID

Renders Valuable Assistance to St. Joseph at Critical Time

BEACON LIGHT TO STAY

Other Matters of Great Importance Re- Main Undisturbed

St. Joseph, March 11.—Congressman Hamilton has come to the aid of St. Joseph when she needed the intervention of an influential protector and he has secured for the city the assurance of the government department of supply stations that the old supply station across the river will be maintained where it is and that this point will be made the permanent position of the supply station.

It is not generally known that for some years past certain officials have been at work endeavoring to remove the supply station to Milwaukee, where by the way Major Judson is located. The station has not been kept up as it should be, it has been allowed to run down until now the bill of repairs would amount to hundreds of dollars. This work has been going on quietly and without a word to the citizens and marine interests of the port.

But not long ago Congressman Hamilton discovered what was on foot and he immediately interested himself. It is sufficient to say that he was successful in his efforts and before long he had completely blocked the aim of those who were striving to deprive this city of the supply station.

Besides receiving the assurance that the station be left here, he succeeded in securing an appropriation sufficient to repair the government buildings and dockage, placing the whole in excellent repair once more.

Congressman Hamilton carried this welcome news to St. Joseph personally Thursday and made it known at the meeting held in the Commercial club. He brought with him reports concerning the entire work, including the final report of the committee to the effect that the station would be left in this city.

Mr. Hamilton also informed the citizens and several of the marine men quietly, that he had reason to believe that influence could be used at Washington to keep the coast light where it is. While the congressman did not break into the limelight during the meeting, his quiet statement was quickly circulated and did much to offset the gloom which had fallen when it was realized that the inspectors were determined to move the light.

Mr. Hamilton seemed to feel quite confident that if proper pressure was brought to bear with the board, which controls the inspectors, that the light might still be kept on the bluff.

The congressman promised his undivided support to the citizens and marine men and stated that he would travel clear to Washington if necessary, in the interests of this measure.

IN OUR NEXT ISSUE

WE WILL BEGIN THAT STRIKINGLY
ORIGINAL AND EXCITING LOVE STORY



With Edged Tools

BY
Henry Seton Merriman

"THE SOWERS"

Getting a glimpse of society in London, the reader is speedily hurried off to Africa to follow the adventures of two men who are playing for big stakes, the hand of the one woman they love. Neither knowing of the other's attachment, the unconscious rivals enter into a business partnership and become fast friends.

A Story with a Moral

The story carries a moral for every coquette whose vanity leads her, thoughtlessly it may be, to play with the affections of her admirers. It is copyrighted and beautifully illustrated by Parker.

Don't Miss the Opening Chapters in Our Next Issue

Two rifles rang out through the forest stillness.

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Why Not Own an Electric Light Plant?

Buchanan spends over \$2000 a year to light its streets. In five years the city would be wasting \$10,000 into the coffers of a private company. Half this vast sum could wisely be appropriated for a new electric light system of our own.

For instance, Three Oaks and New Carlisle, smaller towns than this, have their own electric light plants and their village treasurer's reports in the local papers show good profits derived from the sale of electric lights alone.

Buchanan has a fine water works plant. But there is ample space to install an electric light system. The same boilers can be used to advantage; both are capable of producing 80 horse power, whereas only 8 to 10 h. p. are used daily, except in case of fire. The installation of an electric light plant would only require the services of an additional man, while the capacity of horse power can be increased without consuming any more coal as we are now using at the present rate, viz. 2 1/2 tons per day. All the time the village would still make a clear profit at the end of the year. It would mean cheaper lights, yet with increased candle power. The village can light its own streets at cost of maintenance of plant.

This is an opportune time for Buchanan to assert itself in municipal possibilities. We own the water works, but why not install an electric light plant, also?

The Election Aftermath

The result of the election yesterday was very gratifying and a complete victory for the people of Buchanan, who had staked their precious ballot for the men in whom they have confidence, and who have committed themselves to vindicate Buchanan in the eyes of the other cities.

The men that constitute the Republican ticket bear the stamp of approval of the majority of the village and hereafter our city can safely rely upon them to bring progress and prosperity.

Fred Andrews and H. F. Kingery held a conference this morning and it is hoped that the results will not effect the price of wood.

Masquerade, skating rink, Mar. 14. V. The great concert this week, Saturday.

The concert next Saturday evening will be the musical treat of the year. You should hear it.



Most people know that if they have been sick they need **Scott's Emulsion** to bring back health and strength.

But the strongest point about **Scott's Emulsion** is that you don't have to be sick to get results from it.

It keeps up the athlete's strength, puts fat on thin people, makes a fretful baby happy, brings color to a pale girl's cheeks, and prevents coughs, colds and consumption.

Food in concentrated form for sick and well, young and old, rich and poor.

And it contains no drugs and no alcohol.

ALL DRUGGISTS, 50c. AND \$1.00.

WONDERFUL PREDICTION

Yesterday's Election Result Foreseen Two Weeks Ago

Two weeks ago Prof. Peters, the well known palmist and psychic predicted the election of the nominees on the republican ticket, and yesterday's result proved it correct. Many of the predictions that he has made to a number of our respected townspeople have been startlingly correct in their fulfillment. We understand that he predicted the war with Spain. In 1900 he warned McKinley of the danger that would surround him if he took a journey East in 1901. Two years before it transpired he foretold the war between Japan and Russia and the victory of Japan, and many other predictions which have already which have already been fulfilled.

He also predicts that in the latter part of this year or early part of 1908 there will be another earthquake in San Francisco, and also an upheaval in Washington, D.C., and a tidal wave that will cause great destruction in New York. In 1908 there will be great financial troubles. He predicts however, that Buchanan will be a good and a safe place to reside in, and that it will have a lively boom in the near future, business here will flourish and property increase in value.

In every age and among all nations there have been seers. Caesar was warned against the Ideas of March, but he did not heed the warning. So he fell, a victim to the assassin's dagger. The great Napoleon of France was told that his star of empire would rise above like a blazing meteor. When, however, he was planning his campaign against Russia, he was counseled not to undertake it, "for if you do" said the seer, "your star of destiny will sink in a sea of fire and blood, and you will die in exile." Abraham Lincoln was truly warned not to attend the theatre in Washington the night he was shot.

The professor does not treat clairvoyance and palmistry as species of fortune telling, but with him they are as much a science as mathematics, and many learned people recognize them as such. The well known educator and writer, Dr. T. J. Hudson, in his book on "Psychic Phenomena," uses these words:—"The man who denies psychic phenomena is ignorant, and it would be folly to attempt to enlighten him." Some of the profoundest thinkers and scholars are firm believers in clairvoyance and the science of telepathy; such men as Sir William Crookes, Victor Hugo, Alfred Russell Wallace, J. Herman Fichte, the eminent German philosopher; Prof. Hare, of the University of Pennsylvania; the late Judge Edmond, the pride of the New York bench, his daughter was endowed with fine clairvoyant gifts; Richard Hodgson of Cambridge university, England; Prof. James of Harvard University and many other distinguished people. Truly "There are more things in heaven and earth than was ever dreamed of in our philosophy."

A Draw. One Chicago university professor expresses the opinion that women seldom rise to any intellectual height; but as a good many women probably have formed the same opinion about Chicago university professors, the fight looks like a draw.

Revised Version. "What is that proverb about a fool and his money?" queried the very young man. "A fool and his money," answered the sage of Sageville, "soon get on opposite sides of the market."

DR. PECK ELECTED

Entire Republican Ticket Wins Large Majority Yesterday

MEANS PROGRESS FOR US

The Long Spell of Yawning is Broken—Progress and Prosperity to Follow

Buchanan will henceforth be a booming village if the policies of the men who sought the citizens' vote yesterday are carried out.

Dr. Lester E. Peck and his running mates were elected by large majorities at the polls yesterday.

The voters who cast their lot with the winning ticket are to be congratulated, for it will mean a progressive and prosperous village. Never have the citizens of our village awakened to its pressing needs for more factories as was demonstrated at the polls yesterday. It means a complete vindication of the people who have been accused by the county local papers as incapable of managing their own affairs without outside assistance. The victory is not a victory for the R-publicans, but for the people. The men elected were selected for their fitness to promote the best interests of the village and not for their political leanings. This fact was shown when only one ticket, that of the prohibitionists, was in direct opposition to the republicans. The difference between the two parties was chiefly centered on platforms. Only two democrats, A. Howe for village clerk and Jacob Rough for assessor were lined up against those on the republican ticket, while the balance of the winning ticket was endorsed.

The results of the election were completed in just six minutes after the polls closed, which showed the value of the voting machine.

For President—	
Peck, rep.	210
Mead, pro.	48
For Trustees—	
East, rep.	210
Hanlin, "	200
Richards, "	207
Preston, pro.	53
Ashbrook, "	57
Glover, "	62
For Clerk—	
Pennell, rep.	119
Runner, pro.	40
Howe, dem.	117
For Treasurer—	
Emerson, rep.	198
Rehm, pro.	52
For Assessor—	
Treat, rep.	128
Mowrey, pro.	89
Rough, dem.	109

HOW TO REMAIN YOUNG

To continue young in health and strength, do as Mrs. N. F. Rowan, McDonough, Ga., did. She says: "Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured me of chronic liver and stomach trouble, complicated with such an unhealthy condition of the blood that my skin turned red as flannel. I am now practically 20 years younger than before I took Electric Bitters. I can now do all my work with ease and assist in my husband's store." Guaranteed at W. N. Brodrick's drug store." Price 50c.

Buchanan Real Estate Transfers

Joseph W. Voorhees to George Jackson prop. in Buchanan village \$1,275.
Edith Narragan to Ether Miller lot 7 block K Day add Buchanan \$300.
Henry Russell to Amos House prop in sec 36 Buchanan \$1.
Loren B Sweet to Joseph Shook prop in sec 36 Buchanan \$300.
Francis W Gano to John W Beis'l lot 3 block E Ross add Buchanan \$300.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Galt*

Clean Towels

For everyone at

Sunday's Barber Shop and Bath Room

Personal Mention

Mrs. Crandell was in Niles Friday.

C. W. Weaver was in Dayton Friday.

E. S. Roe was a Niles visitor yesterday.

Joe Vincent left for Baroda Saturday.

H. H. Porter was in Niles on business yesterday.

Wm. Powers was in South Bend yesterday.

Ebon Gage and family spent Sunday at Niles.

Sam Bunker left for Kalamazoo Saturday.

Leroy Dodd spent Friday in St. Joseph.

John E. Perrott of Coquille, Ore., was in Buchanan for a few days.

Mrs. E. J. Elson spent Saturday in Galien.

Clyde Baker was a visitor in Warwick Friday.

Irving Jaquay went to Grand Rapids Saturday.

John Hamilton, of Niles visited his father on Monday.

E. G. Sherman of Chicago was in town yesterday on business.

Geo. White of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with Jno. McFallon.

Sig Desenberg was in Galien on business last Friday.

Corey Dutton and wife went to Niles Saturday.

Miss Ruby Helmick was in Three Oaks yesterday.

Mrs. Carrie Williams went to Decatur yesterday.

Mrs. E. J. Long was a South Bend visitor yesterday.

A. C. Weaver visited his family here over Sunday.

Rex Lamb was the guest of South Bend friends Saturday.

Fred Douglass and wife left yesterday for Independence, Ore.

Frank Starkweather of Niles was a Buchanan visitor today.

Cres Weldon spent Sunday with friends in Three Oaks.

John Portz and wife were guests of Niles relatives Sunday.

Avy Schram's sister departed for Washington, D. C., Friday.

Mesdames Hurdle and Chamberlin were South Bend callers Monday.

Mrs. W. S. Wells and Miss Blanche are in Niles the guest of relatives.

Miss Stella Phelps attended the Phelps-Douglass wedding Monday.

Miss Fayette Blume of Berrien Springs is the guest of friends this week.

Miss Maude Sweet attended the Teachers Institute at St. Joseph Saturday.

Prof. I. M. Moore attended the Teachers Institute at St. Joseph Saturday.

Floyd Weaver and family visited his mother Mrs. A. C. Weaver this week.

Miss May Smith spent Saturday night and Sunday at the McFallon home.

Fred Sewell and wife of Niles spent Monday with Franklin Sewell and family.

Mr. Desenberg of Lawton, returned home Monday, having been the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Sig Desenberg.

Mrs. Crumpacker of Valpariso spent Sunday with Jno. McFallon and family.

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The Colonial Department Stores Co.

THE ELLSWORTH STORE

The Brightest Spot in Town

No. Mich St., South Bend, Ind. 324 Church St. New York

This is our Annual Sale of Carpets, Rugs, Matings and Linoleums

IF YOU are thinking of anything in these lines don't fail to attend this sale. This starts this week. Never were we in such shape to care for your wants. We have never shown such an assortment of Carpets and Rugs. Already many house wives have selected their floor coverings. There is not much time to be lost if you would have your house in prime order for early spring.

Special Size Rugs Made to Order

Bath Rugs

A Special lot of Bath Rugs just arrived. Blue, Green and Pink, sale prices from \$4 down to \$1.50.

Linoleums

The variety is most extensive and of course embraces the season's newest effects. Best quality of Printed Linoleums, value today 65c and 75c. Sale prices—50c and 60c

Carpets

New assortment of Fiber Carpets, special sale prices, per yard—35c, 40c and 60c. Axminster Carpets, made free. Special sale prices, yard—\$1.00 to \$1.25

Get Ready for your Spring House Cleaning early. What do you need from this store?

Dainty, Toothsome Candies

This week I am offering several specially marked prices on Brook's fine candies—strictly fresh, not shop-worn.

Peanut Clusters, per lb. 15c
Carmels, per pound 15c
Chocolate Drops, per lb. 15c

Muslin Sacks 6 for 25c

You will find these sacks particularly adapted to making useful things for the home.

PHONE 64

PORTZ' MODEL BAKERY

Early Spring Farm and Garden Implements

No farmer or gardener should try to plow his farm or garden with old-fashioned and broken-down implements.

You will find in my store all the latest and up-to-the-minute implements that will mean money, temper and time savers.

If you will call at my hardware store you will find some articles that you need in your house. My prices are right.

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Local Happenings

Frank Devin came home from St. Louis, Mo., this morning quite sick. We hope for his speedy recovery.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Weaver, boy named Frank A. Weaver, Monday, March 11.

Sunday evening, March 17, at the Presbyterian church, Rev. J. H. Williams will give his second talk in the series of Bible stories. All not attending other places of worship are cordially invited.

There's going to be a good time for all who care to attend the shadow social at the Womer school, Friday evening, March 15. The ladies will please bring boxes of fruit or candy to help enliven the occasion. All are cordially invited to attend.

Consult Prof. Peters (CONSULTING EXPERT and CONFIDENTIAL ADVISER, 111 Oak St. at Mrs. Hahn's residence opposite Klondike Livery. Hours from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. Fee within reach of all.

For the purpose of tackling some important work, the Ladies aid society of the Evangelical church, will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Schriber.

Ross Baton who is attending the South Bend Business college has sent his father an encouraging report of his rapid progress in the study of law. A certificate of proficiency as an appreciation was given.

Seekers of free passes will no longer find favors with the Graham & Morton Transportation Co. President Morton has sent out circular letters to friends and patrons of the fact, giving the anti-pass law as the reason.

It's going to be a corking good basket ball game at Rough's Opera house Friday night. The Buchanan girls will show the Berrien Springs girls how to win or lose a game, and the school boys will battle with the Berrien Springs "Independents" for supremacy. Why not give the young people your encouragement by showing interest in their sports?

Word has reached us announcing the death of Rev. E. F. Light of Edwardsburg, Mich., on March 8. Rev. Light was formerly pastor of the U. B. church of this city several years ago. His brother who resides in the country near this town was at the funeral.

It's getting warm now and it is time for the city to see that the property owners put in new side-walks where, all winter, they have been a nuisance to the public who are compelled to walk ankle-deep through muddy, unpaved side-walks.

The juniors of the high school were pleasantly entertained by Miss Louise Arney, at her home on Front street, last Thursday evening. Games suitable for the occasion were indulged in, followed by soothing music. A two-course luncheon was served by Miss Arney. Summing up the entire evening which lasted at a late hour, the guests voted the event the most enjoyable they ever had.

The RECORD is in receipt of news from Benton Harbor announcing the death of Richard C. Sinsabaugh last Friday evening from pneumonia. Mr. Sinsabaugh was an example of wonderful endurance and bravery. For many years he served as constable, and despite his advanced age he was a fighter, having faced without fear, many a drawn revolver while in the performance of his duty. He was 80 years old. The funeral was held yesterday under the auspices of the G. A. R.

A very pretty and quiet home wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dana Phelps, yesterday morning at which Miss Ruby, the youngest daughter, became the bride of Mr. Fred Douglass. Rev. Stancell of Galien, performed the ceremony. Only the immediate friends and family of the couple were present. Mr. and Mrs. Douglass departed for Independence, Oregon where they will visit the groom's parents and then go to Portland, Ore., where they will make their future home. Both young people are well and favorably known in the village and they have the best wishes of the RECORD and their numerous friends for a happy and prosperous wedded life.

HERBERT ROE

writes
Fire Insurance

Office, Lee Bros., Bank Bldg.

Grover Cone of Milwaukee, accepted a position with John McFallen this morning and commenced his work immediately.

The Riverside Enterprise, Riverside Cal., dated Feb. 28, had the following item:—Harry Kennedy was fined \$25 this morning by Justice Stephenson for driving his automobile on the sidewalk on Vine street, between Sixth and Fifth streets. The complaint was sworn out by Mrs. May Godfrey, who claimed that the lives of her and her daughter were endangered Tuesday evening by the machine being driven on the walk. It was being driven at a "break neck" speed, but Mr. Kennedy explained to the satisfaction of the court this morning that in making the turn from Sixth street into Vine it was impossible to drive fast, and although he readily entered a plea of guilty to a misdemeanor for being on the sidewalk with his machine, he denied that the lives of pedestrians were endangered. Justice Stephenson, however, taking the fright of Mrs. Godfrey into consideration, fixed the fine at \$25, which was paid.

Public Sales

Having rented my farm, I will sell at Public Sale, 5 miles north of Buchanan on the east side of river, what is known as the Burton Jarvis Farm. March 20, 1907. Sale to commence at 10 o'clock a. m.

1 McCormick Binder seven-foot Cut, 1 McCormick Mower six-foot Cut; 1 two-horse hay Tedder, 1 Dowagiac three-horse Shoe Drill; 1 Solid comfort riding plow, 1 corn planter with 100 rods check wire nearly new, 1 three-horse gale plow, 1 three Section Coke lever drag; 1 three Section Spike tooth lever drag, nearly new; 1 two-horse Corn Cultivator, 1 two horse Lumber Wagon, 1 Wood rack, nearly new; 150 feet of hay rope, 1 hay sling all complete, 1 harpoon hay fork, 1 set double harness, 1 good emery stone, 1 self-dump hay rake, 1 one-horse plow. About 1000 bushels all sound yellow corn. 2 good work Mares, weighing about 2600 pounds.

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FRANK STARKWEATHER, Auctioneer.
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Having purchased the Dr. L. P. Conkey livery stock. I will sell at Public Sale—commencing at 1 o'clock p. m. at barn on Front St., Saturday March 23.

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Correspondence

GRANGE HALL

Elmer Smith baled hay for Pearl Shriver last week.

Carrie Parketon is able to be out after two weeks' illness.

Mrs. Lillie Bradley has been quite sick. She is recovering slowly.

George Parketon and wife visited the latter's father, Mr. Beck, Saturday, who is very ill.

Halte Crane has returned from Mishawaka.

Johnny Diment has been out of school a number of days on account of illness.

William Diment and Sanford Carpenter have sold over a hundred dollars worth of straw in St. Joseph this winter.

Frank Kinney sold several loads of wheat in Buchanan last week.

A. M. Harner sold a two-year-old colt to A. L. Pierce recently.

The Sunday school members at the Hall are preparing an Easter program.

Rev. E. Tench is preaching a series of interesting sermons on the life of Christ.

The third quarterly conference of the M. E. church will be held at Berrien Springs next Saturday.

Rev. J. C. Beach occupied the pulpit of Rev. F. C. Watters at Buchanan last Sunday morning.

Clark Painter the twelve-year-old son of Rollo and Minnie Painter died at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

WEST BERTRAND

The I. O. O. F. of Dayton, conferred the 2nd and 3rd degrees on their class of twenty candidates Saturday evening.

About ninety came up from Gledora, and their team did the work.

When the labors in the lodge room were ended they assembled in the store room below where an elaborate oyster supper was served to about two hundred guests.

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1 " " South Sea Blend	25c "
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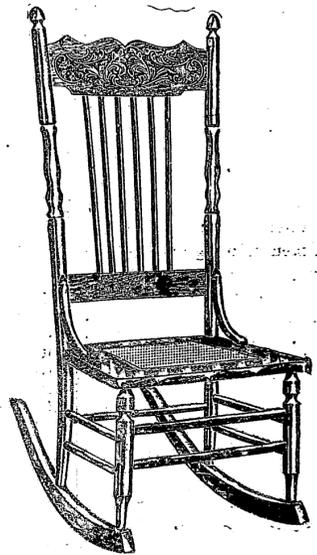
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1 Sack Best patent	55c
1 " " Lucky Hit	48c
1 " " Graham flour	15c
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1 lb fresh Corn Meal	10c
1-10 lb sack Buck wheat flour	25c

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