

BUCHANAN RECORD.

GOOD FOR THE ELKS! LABOR DAY PLANS

Elks Are Willing to Boost Plans to a Success

The Elks' cup of enthusiasm is overflowing. Acting on the suggestion advanced by the RECORD last Tuesday, the Elks have come forward with a stack of breezy ideas that cannot fail to give Buchanan's plans for the coming Labor Day a big boost.

If their suggestions, along with others that may loom up later, are carried out, it means a gala day—a big event that Buchanan citizens will not soon forget.

Balloon ascension! How exciting! The Elks will foot the bills. It is just like them to advance the village's good cause. They also have agreed to attend the picnic at the ball park.

Who else will come forward? There are other lodges which can suggest some brilliant ideas. There are churches and their Sunday schools. There are business men and their employees.

Surely, Buchanan can have a big Labor Day—that is, if all the foregoing mentioned organizations will unite and work like brothers.

St. Joseph has her eyes open. Her citizens are raising money by the bushel. Soon that city will hold out tempting attractions to get you to come to her Labor Day.

But Buchanan has the money. Her citizens can boost one of her own.

Let's have a celebration Labor Day. Come forward, all ye loyal Buchanan citizens! Open thy heart and thy purse.

SHE WEPT— JUST BECAUSE

Marriage Ceremony Breaks Heart of Fair Bride

St. Joseph, July 11—Miss Jessie R. Kendall, of Chicago, showed yesterday morning through how wide a range human emotion could play within the passing of two or three minutes. John J. Conkling, also of Chicago, brought the young woman to the office of Justice Frank Bracelin to claim her as his bride. The following drama was enacted:

Act I—The bride enters the reception parlors all bubbling over with joy.

Act II—Justice Bracelin begins to read the ceremony and the bride begins to weep softly.

Act III—The ceremony over and the young wife is nearly prostrated with grief.

Act IV—Implored by the groom to confide in him the cause of her grief she whispered, "Just because," and began to laugh.

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OPERATORS DELAY CHICAGO STRIKE

MASS MEETING CALLED FOR SUNDAY IS POSTPONED.

PEACE HOPE RENEWED

Telegraphers Decide to Await the Outcome of Commissioner Neill's Visit to San Francisco.

Chicago, July 12.—Following the receipt of a telegram from President Small, the local executive board of the Telegraphers' union Thursday decided to defer calling a strike meeting pending the outcome of the peace negotiations to be opened at San Francisco Friday by Commissioner Neill.

The local executive board held a meeting at the union headquarters in the Omaha building in the afternoon, at which the situation was discussed at length. At the conclusion of the meeting, E. M. Moore, chairman of the local executive board, handed out a notice to the effect that the Chicago officials of the union desired to await developments at San Francisco before plunging into a strike here.

Delayed, Not Abandoned. A proviso, however, was attached to the notice reserving the right of the executive board to call a strike meeting in Chicago at a moment's notice should the San Francisco situation warrant such action.

Commissioner Neill, to whom both the operators and the officials of the Western Union and Postal Telegraph companies look for a possible solution of the present crisis, will arrive at San Francisco at noon Friday. He probably will begin at once an effort to bring about a meeting of the key men's officials with the employers.

All Depends on Frisco. He is accompanied by the operators' committee, the members of which, with President Small, will carry on the negotiations for the key men. Whether there will be peace or war now depends on the outcome of the conference in the coast city and upon the efforts toward conciliation to be exercised by Commissioner Neill.

"We are awaiting the outcome of the meeting at San Francisco," said Secretary Russell, of the international union. "Whether or not there will be a strike depends upon the results of Commissioner Neill's efforts there. We probably shall know by Saturday what the outcome will be."

BOYCOTT RAILROAD PROPERTY.

Deadwood Volunteer Firemen Decide to Let It Burn.

Deadwood, S. D., July 12.—Because the Northwestern railroad refused to make an excursion rate of 70 cents for the volunteer firemen's picnic, the firemen have declared a boycott on railroad property. At a meeting Thursday they voted to refuse to protect railroad property or to render any assistance in case of fire. The railroad is given until July 25 to make the concession of a 70-cent rate.

Shipbuilders Again Lose Strike.

Cleveland, O., July 12.—The strike at the yards here of the American Shipbuilding company was again declared off Thursday and the plant resumed work with a full complement of men. The officials of the company would not recede from their declaration to employ whom they pleased, and the men, after having been out about ten days, presented themselves at the gates and were re-employed without favor.

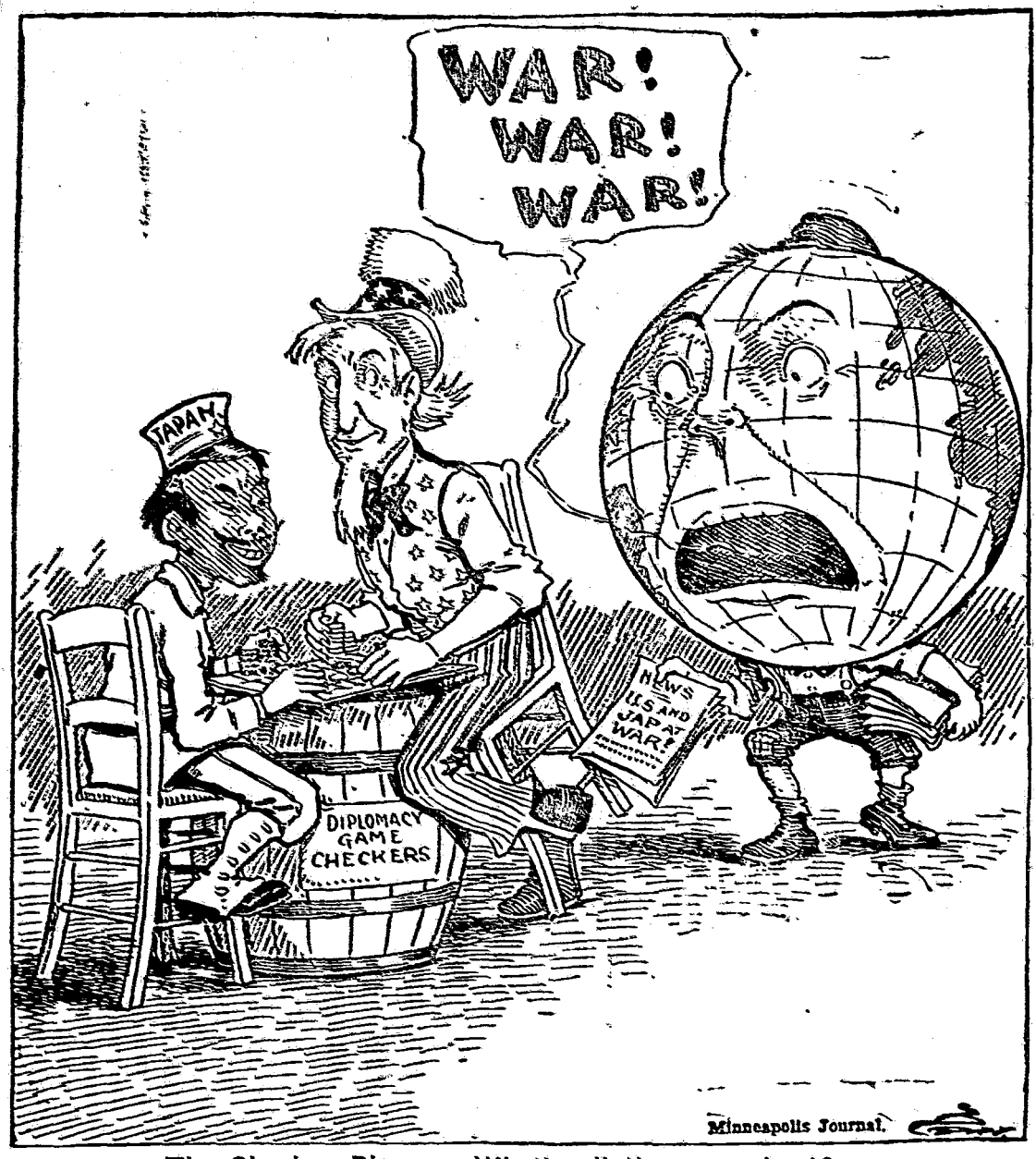
Baron Arundell of Wardour Dies. London, July 12.—The death is announced of Rev. Everard Aloysius Gonzaga, thirteenth baron Arundell of Wardour. He was born in 1834.

Tax Notice

I will be at Lee Bros. bank Tuesday and Friday of each week until further notice for collection of Village taxes.

AL. EMERSON, Village Treas.

NEWS TO THEM.



ITO'S NEWSPAPER REGRETS SEA TOUR

FEELS MISGIVINGS REGARDING MASSING OF THE FLEET.

AOKI BLAMES THE PRESS

Ambassador Asserts There is No Cause for Anxiety—Peace Talk at Yamamoto Luncheon.

Tokyo, July 12.—The massing of the American fleet in the Pacific about which American papers have applied to Marquis Ito for an opinion is semi-officially discussed by Ito's administration organ. The paper says: "We cannot help feeling some misgiving with regard to the significance of the intended massing of American battleships in the Pacific, especially in view of the grandiose announcement attributed to President Roosevelt to the effect that the navy would furnish the world with a startling demonstration of America's defensive capacity."

"It is difficult for us to accept the assurance that the coming maneuvers do not possess any connection whatever with the Japanese-American situation."

Sorry, But Not Alarmed. "We regret that Washington thinks it necessary to take what resembles a precautionary measure. However, we are not disposed to attach serious importance to this matter and have no inclination to doubt the president's sincerity in assuring the peaceful nature of the proposed maneuvers."

"Neither have we the slightest doubt of the pacific and friendly sentiments of American government. The people toward whom Japan's blame is probably due are the irresponsible sections of both nations."

Ito declines discussion regarding the sensational agitation of the press. His sole comment on the probability of war was: "There is no feeling in my heart for this."

No Ill-Feeling, Says Aoki.

New York, July 12.—Two distinguished Japanese took occasion Thursday to declare in no uncertain terms that there were no unfriendly issues between the United States and Japan, and to decry the undue importance attributed by some to trivial incidents.

The champions of peace and friendship between the two countries were Admiral Baron Yamamoto, a guest of the city, and Viscount Aoki, the Japanese ambassador who came from Washington to attend the reception and luncheon given by the Japan society of America in honor of Admiral Yamamoto.

In the course of a formal statement Ambassador Aoki said: "There exists between the two governments no difference or ill-feeling of whatever sort. There is not the slightest cause for anxiety in the American-Japanese relations; and if there is any anxiety it is not because of the actual existence of any difficulty between the two countries, but because of the demagogic influence of some unwarranted press talk that often tends to drive even the calmest

temper of the public into a whirl of tempestuous rage."

Peace Talk at Luncheon.

Speaking at the luncheon at the Hotel Astor, Admiral Yamamoto said among other things:

"Our interests, commercial and otherwise, are so intimately interwoven and the cordial relations between us of 50 years standing are of so firm a nature, that I can confidently affirm that they will never be destroyed by mere trifling incidents."

"Men are essentially prone to be controlled by sentiments, and it is the duty of those in leading positions to see that they are always guided in the path of righteousness, and that they are not led astray."

Expressions of international good will were also made at the luncheon by Ambassador Aoki, Thomas J. O'Brien, the newly appointed American ambassador to Japan, Rear Admiral Coghlan and Rear Admiral Robley Evans, commander of the Atlantic fleet. Admiral Evans said that when the newspapers of this country stopped making war between Japan and the United States, the people would come to their senses and a better feeling would exist all around.

LEACH DIRECTOR OF MINT.

Superintendent at San Francisco Appointed to Succeed Roberts.

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 12.—President Roosevelt Thursday appointed Frank A. Leach, of Oakland, Cal., director of the mint to succeed George E. Roberts, who resigned to accept the presidency of the Commercial National bank of Chicago, made vacant by the death of James H. Eckles.

Mr. Leach is at present superintendent of the San Francisco mint. He will assume his new duties at Washington late in the present month.

Francis Murphy Left \$20,000.

Los Angeles, July 12.—The will of the late Francis Murphy, "apostle of temperance," was filed Thursday for probate. Mr. Murphy, according to the petition, left an estate valued at \$20,000. His home in this city, valued at \$5,500 and \$1,360 on deposit are bequeathed to his widow. The remainder of his estate was divided in equal parts between the widow and children of the evangelist.

Market Reports

Week ending July 12 Subject to change:

Butter.....	16c
Lard.....	11c
Eggs.....	13c
Honey.....	14c
Beef.....	34c
Veal, dressed.....	74c
Pork, dressed.....	74c
Mutton dressed.....	8c
Chicken live.....	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.....	86c
No. 1 White Wheat.....	86c
No. 2 White Wheat.....	85c
Yellow Corn.....	50c

GRAND LODGE, A. O. U. W. GIVES UP ITS CHARTER

Once Prominent and Influential Order is Dissolved in Convention

DUE TO THE HIGH RATES

Decision is Due to Unpaid Death Claims of \$160,000 and Decreased Membership. Belief is That Bankruptcy is Pending

Detroit, July 11.—Grand Lodge of Michigan, Ancient Order of United Workmen, has given up the fight for existence and will surrender its charter to the supreme lodge. It was so decided at a grand lodge meeting here yesterday.

Sixty delegates sat in the last solemn session. There were old men in the gathering—60, 65 some 70 year old. Many of them had been with the organization since its inception and paid their assessments regularly into its treasury.

They have seen the assessments

double and treble and still increase within the last few years.

They have seen thousands of their white-haired comrades drop out after paying the assessments for more than thirty years, unable to meet the demands of the new rate system and too old to find protection in any other insurance organization.

These delegates realized that the grand lodge faced an indebtedness, made up of unpaid claims, of \$160,000. They realized that in the last eight years the organization in Michigan has dropped off in membership from 23,000 to less than 3,000.

The next step will be to place the whole matter before Insurance Commissioner Barry at Lansing, when, in all probability, the grand lodge will go into bankruptcy in the usual way.

The present membership in Michigan still has a chance to keep up the insurance. By making application to the supreme lodge, and paying the same rates as have been paid to the grand lodge, the insurance will continue in force.

BOLD PAWNSHOP ROBBERY

THIEVES IN INDIANAPOLIS GET PLUNDER WORTH \$3,000.

Clerk Struck Down and Fatally Injured While Showing Goods to Two Men.

Indianapolis, Ind., July 12.—Two men entered the pawnshop of Emil Mantel and Charles Medias on Massachusetts avenue, in the downtown district, Thursday night and after striking the clerk down with a piece of hose and rendering him unconscious, escaped with plunder valued at \$3,000. The clerk, Simon Gold, was fatally hurt.

Up to a late hour the police had obtained no clew to the identity of the robbers.

At the hospital Gold stated that he was preparing to lock up for the night when two men entered and asked to look at a diamond ring. After purchasing a costly stone, the robbers requested that they be shown a suit case which was stored in the rear of the store. While he was in the act of showing the suit case, one of the men struck Gold a stinging blow over the head with a piece of hose. The clerk managed to get to the telephone and notified the owners of the pawnshop. Upon their arrival at the store Gold was found in a critical condition.

The thieves got away with \$150 in cash, \$1,500 worth of diamonds, two dozen gold watches and numerous other valuable articles.

Omaha, Neb., July 12.—Robbers Wednesday night fatally beat Han Pak, a Chinese restaurant keeper, and robbed his strong box of \$500 in cash. An iceman found Pak lying in a pool of blood in his kitchen. He died in the hospital.

CHICAGOAN BADLY HURT.

T. S. Clark, Glidden Tourist, Ditched with His Automobile.

Bryan, O., July 12.—The second accident of the endurance tour for the Glidden and Hower cups, has resulted seriously for Theodore S. Clark, of Chicago. The car was entered by Clark and driven by himself. The accident occurred about two miles east of this city, and was caused by the ditching of the big car. Other occupants of the car, E. W. McGooking, of Chicago; Peter R. Fahey, of Cleveland, and George Hunt, of Detroit, had a miraculous escape.

As soon as the danger was seen all three jumped clear of the car except Clark, who was caught behind the steering wheel. The machine turned a complete somersault. Clark is said to be severely injured, and a surgeon was summoned from Chicago.

A Happy Man

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WANT TROUBLE?

SLANDER SOMEBODY

The supreme court has just handed down a decision in the Smitley-Pinch libel suit, which sustained the circuit court, and confirmed the damages fixed at \$1,000. Defendant will now have to pay all costs in addition.

Sometime ago it will be remembered that Nora Smitley, of Niles, sued B. W. Pinch, then proprietor of the Michigan Inn, for a small amount of wages still due her as wages. While the jury was deliberating, Pinch concluded to express his opinion of Miss Smitley, and did so in the vilest terms.

Miss Smitley then sued him for libel, and a jury allowed her \$1,000 and costs. He appealed the suit to supreme court, and the decision above mentioned resulted, which shows if one wants trouble, the passing of slander is a good way to cultivate it.

HENPECKED MAN KILLS SELF

Berrien Man Commits Suicide Because of Wife's Action.

St. Joseph, Mich., July 11.—Because he was compelled by his wife to do housework 'drudgery, in addition to his day's work as a painter, Frank McGinness, of Eau Claire, committed suicide yesterday by taking laudanum. Before medical aid came the victim was dead.

WOLF GETS MICHIGAN INN

South Bend Hotel Man Locates at Niles, Mich.—Galavan Leaves for Ireland

Niles, Mich., June 11.—George E. Wolf, formerly of the Oliver and Nickel hotels at South Bend, has taken charge of the Michigan Inn. Thomas Galavan, the former proprietor, is now enroute to Ireland.

MAY GET SEN. BEVERIDGE

St. Joseph Wants Senator for Labor Day—Business Men Enthusiastic

St. Joseph, June 11.—Business men of this city are raising a big fund for a Labor Day celebration and are making an effort to get Senator Beveridge of Indiana to deliver an address on that occasion.

WANTED—Teams, carpenters and laborers at Berrien Springs. Apply to Berrien Springs Power & Electric Co.

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SURPRISES IN GOLF PLAY

CHANDLER AND WALTER EGAN AND ORMISTON BEATEN.

First Day of Matches Leaves Four Easterners and Four Westerners in Running.

Cleveland, O., July 12.—Thursday's match play for the national golf championship resulted in the elimination of all but eight contestants, four from eastern clubs and four from the west.

Many unexpected results were recorded, the chief of which perhaps was the defeat in the first round of former National Champion H. Chandler Egan, of Exmoor, by Ned Sawyer, of the Wheaton, Ill., club, present title holder of the western championship. Walter E. Egan, of Exmoor, former western champion, also was put out in the first round by H. W. Fraser, of Toledo, who barely qualified Wednesday, and whom Egan had twice previously beaten in tournaments. George Ormiston, always figured as dangerous in national tournaments, was defeated by J. H. Childs, of Allegheny.

The afternoon play as a rule resulted according to expectations. In this round both of the Canadian golfers, the veteran Geo. S. Lyon, of Toronto, and F. R. Martin, of Hamilton, went down to defeat, Walter J. Travis taking the measure of Lyon, and Ned Sawyer putting Martin out of the running. Jerome D. Travers, one of the favorites for the championship, defeated S. J. Stickney, of St. Louis, in the morning and in the afternoon beat his Metropolitan team mate, Fred Herreshoff, of Garden City.

The morning games were played in a high wind, the afternoon games most of the time in a deluge of rain, making accurate golf difficult.

The following are the pairings for Friday morning's play: Jerome D. Travers, Montclair, vs. Warren K. Wood, Homewood; Eben M. Beyers, Oakmont, vs. D. E. Sawyer, Wheaton; W. T. West, Philadelphia, vs. Archie Graham, North Jersey; W. C. Fownes, Jr., Oakmont, vs. W. J. Travis, Garden City.

BALL GAMES OF THURSDAY.

Results of Contests in the Various Big Leagues.

Following are the results, in runs, hits and errors, of Thursday's ball games:

National league: At Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 6, 13, 0; Chicago, 3, 8, 1. At New York—New York, 10, 14, 1; Cincinnati, 0, 6, 0.

American league: At St. Louis—Philadelphia, 6, 9, 4; St. Louis, 5, 10, 4. At Chicago—Chicago, 10, 10, 1; Washington, 2, 8, 1. At Cleveland—Cleveland, 1, 8, 0; Boston, 0, 5, 1.

American association: At St. Paul—Toledo, 7, 11, 1; St. Paul, 1, 11, 3. At Minneapolis—Louisville, 10, 12, 2; Minneapolis, 4, 10, 8. At Kansas City—Columbus, 3, 7, 0; Kansas City, 1, 9, 2.

Central league: At Grand Rapids—Grand Rapids, 9; Springfield, 0; second game, Grand Rapids, 9; Springfield, 0 (Both games awarded by umpire). At Dayton—South Bend, 2, 2, 2; Dayton, 1, 8, 2.

Western league: At Sioux City—Denver, 10, 16, 3; Sioux City, 6, 8, 4. At Lincoln—Omaha, 5, 8, 1; Lincoln, 2, 6, 3. At Des Moines—Pueblo, 5, 11, 2; Des Moines, 4, 12, 3.

Three I league: At Springfield—Decatur, 2, 8, 1; Springfield, 1, 5, 1. At Cedar Rapids—Rock Island, 3, 9, 0; Cedar Rapids, 1, 9, 4. At Dubuque—Clinton, 2, 6, 2; Dubuque, 0, 4, 1. At Peoria—Bloomington, 3, 7, 1; Peoria, 1, 3, 2.

QUIDA IN ABSOLUTE POVERTY.

British Government Grants Novelist Pension of \$750 a Year.

London, July 12.—The appearance of the name of the English novelist Ouida (Louise de la Ramee), on the new list of civil pensions for literary merit occasioned some surprise here. Inquiries were at once made concerning the novelist's circumstances and from them it turns out that the pension of \$750 a year granted by the government is a greatly needed benefaction.

Until two years ago Mlle. de la Ramee lived at Lucca, Italy, in luxury. As a result, however, of her complete ignorance of the value of money her resources dwindled until she was reduced to a state of absolute poverty, being sometimes actually in want of food. Latterly she has been living in a milkman's squalid cottage at Massarosa, eight miles from Lucca.

Ward Liner Goes Aground. New York, July 12.—The Ward line steamer Segurana, outward bound, for Cuba and Mexico, went ashore on the west bank between Hoffman and Swinburne islands during a fog Thursday afternoon. The vessel was later floated with the assistance of tugs, and proceeded on her voyage undamaged. The steamer had on board 45 passengers and considerable freight.

Billiard Expert a Suicide. Detroit, Mich., July 12.—John Sweeney, widely known as an amateur billiard player, committed suicide here Thursday afternoon by firing a bullet through his heart. He had been in ill health for a long time.

Wedded and Unwedded. "I was single," said the widower, "and had a dog's life; I married; and had a cat and dog's!"—London Truth.

Advertisement in the Record.

New Yorker Orders Big Yacht. London, July 12.—The Shipping Gazette says that Morton F. Plant, of New York, has ordered a twin screw yacht from a Leith firm which will be the third largest private-owned yacht afloat.

Big Lake Freighter Launched. Detroit, Mich., July 12.—The 520-foot freighter Milinokett, built for the Eddy-Shaw syndicate, of Bay City, Mich., was successfully launched Thursday at the Ecorse yards of the Great Lakes Engineering company. The boat was christened by Miss Teresa Marie DuBar, of Bay City.

Cargo of Explosives Blows Up. Ketchikan, Alaska, July 12.—The barge Japan, loaded with explosives, blew up when nearing Bold island, 12 miles south of here, Wednesday night, and four men were killed. Three of the victims were Japanese.

Wisconsin Low Fare Bill Passes. Madison, Wis., July 12.—The two-cent fare bill as amended by the assembly passed the senate Thursday afternoon. It goes into effect August 15.

Russian Robbers Hanged. St. Petersburg, July 12.—Three of the participants in the pawnshop robbery in this city of June 12, after trial by court-martial, were hanged Thursday.

Ice Plant at Las Vegas Burns. Las Vegas, Nev., July 12.—The Armour Packing company's \$125,000 ice plant with 700 tons of ice was totally destroyed by fire Thursday night.

Long Live the King!

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M. E. Church Services

10:30—Public worship in Patriotic Hall, subject, "The Glory of Self." 11:45—Sunday School. 6:30—Vespers on the Ward school house lawn, lecture by Paul Booth, of Persia. Subject, "The Social Customs of Persia." 7:30—Epworth League in Patriotic hall. Subject, "Sins of Avarice," leader Robert Davis, F. C. Watters, Pastor.

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Correspondence

WEST BERTRAND
The Record's Regular Correspondent.

West Bertrand, July 11.—Miss Phena Baker, of Niles, was a guest at the Currier home last week.

Mrs. George Heltzel and son, Jesse Bright, were South Bend visitors, Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Perry is a guest of her uncle, John Redden.

The Dayton base ball team played a Niles nine Sunday at Niles, winning the game.

Oliver Barnhart and Christian Andrews were Hudson Lake visitors Sunday.

Miss Mabel Currier and Miss Phena Baker spent Friday with Mrs. Zach Kinne near Three Oaks.

Several families of West Bertrand and a number from Buchanan ate their Sunday dinner in the little grove near Pike Lake.

Russel Bright, of Grand Rapids, Mich., and Jesse Bright, of Marion, Ind., were guests of their mother, Mrs. Geo. Heltzel, last week.

Keith LeGar came home from Jackson, Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Foster, and son, Max, spent the Fourth in St. Joseph.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Ferguson, Jerome Sebasty, and son, Ralph, and Miss Dimple Redden were South Bend visitors the 4th of July.

Kenneth LeGar spent the Fourth with his uncle, Ralph Baker, at Jackson, Mich., returning Friday.

GRANGE HALL
The Record's Regular Correspondent

Grange Hall, July 11.—Rev. R. H. Bready, of Niles, will preach at the Grange Hall church next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Preparations for the erection of the new creamery at this place are working fine. The lot owned by Mr. Perkins has been purchased and building operations will begin immediately.

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EDITORIAL

BOOST BUCHANAN

An Employee's Time is Money

We wonder if those gentlemen, who belong to the "higher up" class, ever take time to think seriously before they enter a factory, an office or a store and rob the time of a girl or young man employee.

We wonder if they know that an employe is working to earn money and when disturbed, the man who pays the wages—the employer—is the loser.

These conditions are bothering some of our business men just now, according to several complaints.

We note that these employers are members of churches, lodges and societies. They pay their dues and contribute liberally to the churches and charitable organizations. Are they not entitled to co-operation from ministers and professional men? It is easy to do so by refraining from interfering with their paid help's time, except on business. But the average man or woman usually forgets to business and soon loosens out a flood of babbling gossip on religion, love or domestic matters.

We hear a great deal about "honesty is the best policy," but if those business men who complained of their employes' time being robbed then this policy of "honesty" has been greatly abused.

No minister would relish the idea of undesirable persons coming in his church and making a disturbance during the course of his sermon.

For the same reason we think the employers are justified in their kicks.

If the "employe-time-abusers" are not afflicted with short-sightedness they may have seen those signs on windows or doors bearing "No admittance except on business." They are not generally heeded.

Patience will cease to be a virtue with some men, especially employers whose employes' time is stolen.

Here's a moral that will be worth remembering: "When given a portion of one's profits, don't try to steal another portion."

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For Delegate to Constitutional Convention at Lansing October 22

In a very short time occurs the convention for choosing representatives to the coming constitutional convention session. There are three to be chosen from Cass and Berrien counties. Common courtesy should prompt the republican voters to see to it that Hon. Sam H. Kelley is one of these delegates. Mr. Kelley was chairman of the constitutional committee and drafted the bill making provisions for holding this convention. Mr. Kelley, among the many important bills, introduced a joint resolution amending the constitution, which will be submitted to the voters at the same time as the general revision of the constitution, which will be the first Monday in April next.

Mr. Kelley has in all been one of the ablest men in the legislature and his record is a creditable one to himself and the district represented. It is understood that he will not make a fight for the honor but his friends over his own district as well as those outside will surely see to it that he will be one of the three delegates chosen.

The representatives to the coming constitutional convention are chosen, as provided by the legislature, by senatorial districts. Each district is entitled to three delegates. The Seventh senatorial district comprises Cass and Berrien counties.

The election of delegates for this coming constitutional convention occurs Tuesday, September 17. The constitutional convention will begin its session in the house of representatives at Lansing Oct. 22 and it is expected that the session will close at least by January 31.

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Blind Letter Carrier.

On the occasion of the last birthday anniversary of the king of Italy a letter carrier was remembered with an increase of pay. The man, whose name is Domenico Sicilia, has been in the service at Rogliano for the last 60 years, is 80 years old, blind, and still attends to his duties, with the assistance of a grandchild.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs Emma Pears is having her residence on Front street painted.

The new cement walk in front of the Buchanan Cabinet works is being rushed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ueberly of Chicago, have rented a cottage at Clear Lake for the summer.

Dan Merson is back from Chicago and is working at his old job at the Celfor Tool works.

The Hotel Lee has been treated to coat of dark green paint, adding greatly to its attractiveness.

Work on the new Celfor Tool Works building is progressing with rapid speed.

Mr. Lay has bought the house and lot on Detroit street, now occupied by Chas Bainton, and owned by the Jacob Miller estate.

Little Clarence Beck, who injured his hand with a toy pistol is suffering with lockjaw and slight hopes are entertained for his recovery.

Lyle Prince has resigned his position with B. R. Desenberg & Bro., and expects to enter Ann Arbor university in the fall.

There is still an urgent demand for help at the Berrien Springs dam. A better place to work than in the Panama canal zone.

"The Marks of a Christian," by Rev. Chas. A. Shook, is the subject for the men's meeting at the Presbyterian church at 3 p. m. Sunday, July 14.

Earl Waterman, while visiting at the Will Weaver farm, Tuesday, accidentally cut a large gash in his right knee, requiring the services of Dr Peck to close the wound.

Work on the Berrien Springs dam is progressing rapidly. The carpenters are building the concrete plant for the mixer.

Regular preaching services at the Christian church Sunday morning and evening, by the pastor, Rev. Autry. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

Herman A. Lauch will open a first-class jewelry store in the building just vacated by M. B. Fitch. The Record extends a glad welcome to the new comer.

The following is a further program at the gospel tent: This evening, "Satin, His Origin and Destiny," Saturday, "Christian Homeland," Sunday, "God's Power in Married Vessels."

About 20 boys working in the Berrien Springs canning factory went on a strike on account of wages last week. The boys are still defiant and the factory continues to run, but it is said a settlement may be reached satisfactory to both sides.

Paul Boodgh, who has been attending Albion college for the last three months will speak at the union vesper service held on the Ward school house lawn Sunday evening. Mr. Boodgh is a fine christian, a type of twentieth century progressive manhood. All should hear him.

Mrs. Charles F. Howe celebrated her seventieth birthday, July 7, and was exceedingly pleased and surprised by receiving greetings from friends and relatives from New York City to the Pacific coast.

Those of our readers who are interested in the state fair at Detroit, Mich., should write to the secretary and obtain a premium list. One has been received at this office, and can be seen here by any one.

Condition Rarely Met With. Every state will be delivered from its calamities when, by the favor of fortune, great power unites with wisdom and justice in one person.—Plato.

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Tax Notice

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AL. EMERSON, Village Treas.

Orders have been coming in so fast at the Celfor Tool Works that the management has been obliged to resume the night force and ten extra men have been employed.

A Benton Harbor man is booming an amusement park for that city. It must be that Benton Harbor people do not like Silver Beach as well as do some of the towns farther away.

Benton Harbor has a stone pile upon which all tramps are made to labor, consequently that class of humanity gives that city a wide berth. Why not one for Buchanan, and then possibly there would not be so many umbrella menders about.

Union Vesper Service

The Methodist, Evangelical and United Brethren churches will hold union vesper services on the Ward school house lawn, beginning at 6:30 sharp. Everybody come.

A BENEVOLET ACT

Owing to the sickness and inability of Miss Emma Wary, the Ladies aid society of the Christian church met last week and did a thorough house cleaning for her. The minister doing a good part in beating the carpets.

"Bear you one another's burdens."

The Real Power.

A 17-year-old boy at Worcester, Mass., has a lung capacity of 300 cubic inches. When he grows up and goes to congress he will perhaps learn that it is not the orator but the speaker who affects the course of national legislation.

Cut Worms on Rhubarb.

Last spring I found that something was eating the rhubarb leaves about as fast as they grew, writes a correspondent of Farm and Home. Close investigation showed it was cut worms and I found half a dozen under each plant. A good squeeze settled each one.

One of Its Merits.

"I do so enjoy grand opera." "Yes. One can talk all through it without feeling that one has lost the thread of it anywhere."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Unloading on Tompkins.

"Has Tompkins' wife much of a temper?"

"Not much. She gave nearly all of it to Tompkins."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

How He Won.

"Did you ever hear how Murdock and his wife met?"

"No."

"She had stooped in the street to pick up a forlorn-looking cat, and it dug its claws into her fingers. She screamed, and Murdock, who happened to be passing, rushed to her, put his lips to the wound and sucked the poison out. From that there sprang up between them a friendship which ripened into love."

"Um. Then it may be said that he won by a scratch."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Minister Discovers Comet.

Ministerial duties do not prevent the Rev. Joel H. Metcalf, of Taunton, Mass., from pursuing astronomical investigations. His study of the stars has resulted in the discovery of a new comet, which is now being closely observed by astronomers throughout the world. It has been named Metcalf's comet.

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Mrs. H. R. Adams spent Wednesday in Three Oaks.

Mrs. Wheeler, of Elkhart, spent yesterday with Mrs. V. Schram.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Elliott are spending the summer in Iron River, Mich.

Mrs. Roesing, of Chicago, spent several days this week with Mrs. D. A. Swartz.

Mrs. B. F. Davis entertained Mrs. Morton, of Chicago, several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Woodworth of Peoria, Ill., are guests of Mrs. V. M. Baker.

Julia A. Pierce has returned from a three weeks' visit at Grand Rapids and Muskegon.

Mrs. W. G. Beardsley and son and Mrs. A. Pierce are in Edwardsburg for a few days' visit.

Miss Mamie Collins and Evert Marshall, of Racine, Wis., are visiting their aunt, Mrs. Ed. Smith.

Mesdames M. and James Curran, of Chicago, are visitors at the home of Mr. and Mr. Robt. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Perrott and daughter, Gladys, are guests of relatives and friends in Chicago for a few days.

Master Vernon Cripe, of South Bend, is spending a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Wm. Ingle-right.

Misses Florence Keller and Kreida Hershenow returned yesterday from a week spent with Mrs. Robt. French, of South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas Burnham, of Chicago, and John and Mamie Burnham, of Burnham, Ill., were guests of Miss Pansy Thomas over the Fourth.

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"Then," cried Jocelyn, with flaming cheeks, "I will tell you. You were to be admitted into the simlacine scheme by Mr. Durnovo if you could persuade or force me to marry him."

None of them had foreseen this. It had come about so strangely, and yet so easily, in the midst of their first greetings.

"Yes," admitted Maurice, "that was it."

"And what answer did you give?" asked Jocelyn.

"Oh, I told him to go and hang himself—or words to that effect," was the reply, delivered with a deprecating laugh.

"Was that your final answer?" pursued Jocelyn, inexorable. Her persistence surprised Jack. Perhaps it surprised herself.

"Yes, I think so."

"Are you sure?"

"Well, he cut up rough and threatened to make things disagreeable; so I think I said that it was no good his asking me to do anything in the matter, as I didn't know your feelings."

"Well, you can tell him," cried Jocelyn hotly, "that never, under any circumstances whatever, would I dream even of the possibility of marrying him."

And she was gone.

CHAPTER XIX.

FEEL like gettin' up to breakfast, do you, sir?" said Joseph to his master a few days later. "Well, I am glad. Glad ain't quite the word, though."

And he proceeded to perform the duties, attendant on his master's wardrobe with a wise, deep seated shake of the head. While setting the shaving necessities in order on the dressing table, he went further—he winked gravely at himself in the looking glass.

"You've made wonderful progress the last few days, sir," he remarked. "I always told Miss Marie that it would do you a lot of good to have Mr. Gordon to heart you up with his cheery ways—and Miss Gordon, too, sir."

"Yes, but they would not have been much good without all your care before they came. I had turned the corner a week ago—I felt it myself."

Joseph grinned—an honest, open grin of self satisfaction. He was not one of those persons who like their praise bestowed with subtlety.

"Wonderful!" he repeated to himself, as he went to the well in the garden for his master's bath water. "Wonderful! But I don't understand things—not bein' a marryin' man."

During the last few days Jack's progress had been rapid enough even to satisfy Joseph. The doctor expressed himself fully reassured and even spoke of returning no more. But he repeated his wish that Jack should leave for England without delay.

"He is quite strong enough to be moved now," he finished by saying. "There is no reason for further delay."

"No," answered Jocelyn, to whom the order was spoken. "No, none. We

will see that he goes by the next boat."

Jocelyn entered the drawing room with a smile. She met Jack at the door.

"The doctor is pleased with your progress," she said. "He does not seem to want to see you any more, and he told me to be in his office. He told me to turn you out. You are to leave by the next steamer."

"This is no joking matter," he said, half seriously. "The worst of it is that you seem rather pleased."

"I am—at the thought that you are so much better." She paused and turned quite away, busying herself with a pile of books and magazines. "The other," she went on too indifferently, "was unfortunately to be foreseen. It is the necessary drawback." He rose suddenly and walked to the window. It was she who spoke at last.

"He also said," she observed in a practical way, "that you must not come out to Africa again."

He turned as if he had been stung. "Did he make use of that particular word?" he asked.

"What particular word?"

"Must."

Jocelyn had not foreseen the possibility that the doctor was merely repeating to her what he had told Jack on a previous visit.

"No," she answered. "I think he said 'better not.'"

"However," she added, "you can decide when you get home."

He laughed. "The least pleasant part of it is," he said, "your evident desire to see the last of me. Could you not disguise that a little, just for the sake of my feelings?"

"Book your passage by the next boat and I will promptly descend to the lowest depths of despair," she replied lightly.

"I wonder," he said slowly, "if you are doing this for a purpose. You said that you met my father."

"Your father is not the man to ask any one's assistance in his own domestic affairs, and anything I attempted to do could only be looked upon as the most unwarrantable interference."

"Yes," said Meredith seriously. "I beg your pardon. You are right."

He went to his own room and summoned Joseph.

"When is the next boat home?" he asked.

"Boat on Thursday, sir."

Meredith nodded. After a little pause he pointed to a chair.

"Just sit down," he said. "I want to talk over this simlacine business with you."

Joseph squared his shoulders and sat down, with a face indicative of the gravest attention. Sitting thus he was no longer a servant, but a partner in the simlacine. He even indulged in a sidelong jerk of the head, as if requesting the attention of some absent friend in a humble sphere of life to this glorious state of affairs.

"You know," said Meredith, "Mr. Durnovo is more or less a blackguard."

Joseph drew in his feet, having previously drawn his trousers up at the knees.

"Yes, sir," he said, glancing up. "He wants continual watching and a special treatment. He requires some one constantly at his heels."

"Yes, sir," admitted Joseph, with some fervor.

"Now I am ordered home by the doctor," went on Meredith. "I must go by the next boat, but I don't like to go and leave Mr. Oscar in the lurch, with no one to fall back upon but Durnovo, you understand."

Joseph's face had assumed the habitual look of servitude. He was no longer a partner, but a mere retainer, with a half comic resignation in his eyes.

"Yes, sir," scratching the back of his neck. "I am afraid I understand. You want me to go back to that platter, that God forsaken platter, as I may say."

"Yes," said Meredith; "that is about it. I would go myself."

"God bless you, I know you would!" burst in Joseph. "You'd go like winking. There's no one knows that better nor me, sir, and what I says is, 'like master, like man.' Game, sir; game it is! I'll go. I'm not the man to turn my back on a pal, a—partner, sir, so to speak."

"You see," said Meredith, with the deep insight into men that made command so easy to him—"you see there is no one else. There is not another man in Africa who could do it."

"That's true, sir."

"And I think that Mr. Oscar will be looking for you."

"And he won't need to look long, sir. But I should like to see you safe on board the boat; then I'm ready to go."

"Right. We can both leave by Thursday's boat, and we'll get the captain to drop you and your men at Lopez. We can get things ready by then, I think."

"Easy, sir."

The question thus settled, there seemed to be no necessity to prolong the interview. But Joseph did not move. Meredith waited patiently.

upon bonded indebtedness of the village to constitute the debt paying fund, a sum equal to two-tenths of one per cent of the aforesaid assessed valuation, that is to say, the sum of \$1,540.07.

That said village council required to be levied and collected a poll tax of one dollar, upon every male inhabitant of the village, between the ages of twenty-one and fifty years, excepting active members of the fire department of said village and such other persons as are exempt by general law from the payment of such tax.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Trustee Chamberlin, seconded by Trustee Roantree. The vote of the Village Council upon the resolution stood as follows:

Ayes: Chamberlin, Roantree, Hanlin, Richards, East.

Ayes: None. Motion carried.

The following resolution was offered by Trustee Hanlin, seconded by Trustee Richards:

Resolved, that Lester E. Peck, president of the village of Buchanan, be and is hereby authorized to prepare and execute in the name and behalf of the village council a certificate to be attached by him to the assessment roll of the village for the year of 1907 as certified by the village assessor and reviewed and certified by the village Board of Review, which certificate shall be in substance the following to wit:

The Village Council of the Village of Buchanan hereby certifies that the foregoing assessment roll to which this certificate is annexed, was certified to the village council by the village Board of Review as evidenced by the certificates of the said Board of Review hereto annexed, that said village council examined the said assessment roll and, now, after such examination, and after having determined by resolution, the amount of taxes which the said council requires to be raised by general tax for the purposes in said resolution set forth, the said council further hereby certifies that the said council requires to be raised by general tax upon the real and personal property in the village of Buchanan liable to taxation therein for the year 1907 the several amounts and for the several purposes following, to wit:

For the purpose of defraying the the general expenses and liabilities of the corporation and to carry into effect the powers granted to said village by law, to constitute the general fund, a sum equal to eight-tenths of one per cent of the assessed valuation of the said village as determined by the said village assessor and village Board of Review, that is to say, eight-tenths of one per cent of the sum of \$770,035 amounting to \$6,160.28.

For highway and street purposes, to constitute the general highway fund a sum equal to five-tenths of one per cent of the aforesaid valuation, that is to say the sum of \$3,850.18.

For the purpose of paying interest on the bonded indebtedness of said village to constitute the debt paying fund, a sum equal to two-tenths of one per cent of the aforesaid valuation, that is to say, the sum of \$1,540.07.

That the said village council requires to be levied and collected a poll tax of one dollar upon every male inhabitant of the village between the ages of 21 and 50 years, excepting active members of the fire department of said village and such other persons as are exempted by law from the payment of such tax.

The vote of the village council upon the foregoing resolution stood as follows:

Ayes: Hanlin, Richards, East, Chamberlin and Roantree.

The following resolution was offered by Trustee Richards, and seconded by Trustee Chamberlin:

Whereas, an error was made in the resolution adopted in the meeting of June 5, 1907, by which certain property was purchased from A. Willard for the purpose of water works extension for the sum of \$6,378.00, when the correct amount should have been \$6,478.00.

Resolved, that a correction be entered thereof in the minutes, and an order be drawn on the treasurer in favor of A. Willard for \$100.00, that being the amount in error.

The vote of the Village Council upon the foregoing resolution stood as follows:

Ayes: Trustees Richards, East, Chamberlin and Roantree.

Nays: None, Trustee Hanlin not voting. Motion Carried.

Moved by Trustee Hanlin, seconded by Trustee Chamberlin, that the council adjourn. Motion carried.

W. E. PENNELL,
Village Clerk

For the purpose of paying interest

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The Village Council of the Village of Buchanan hereby certifies that the foregoing assessment roll to which this certificate is annexed, was certified to the village council by the village Board of Review as evidenced by the certificates of the said Board of Review hereto annexed, that said village council examined the said assessment roll and, now, after such examination, and after having determined by resolution, the amount of taxes which the said council requires to be raised by general tax for the purposes in said resolution set forth, the said council further hereby certifies that the said council requires to be raised by general tax upon the real and personal property in the village of Buchanan liable to taxation therein for the year 1907 the several amounts and for the several purposes following, to wit:

For the purpose of defraying the the general expenses and liabilities of the corporation and to carry into effect the powers granted to said village by law, to constitute the general fund, a sum equal to eight-tenths of one per cent of the assessed valuation of the said village as determined by the said village assessor and village Board of Review, that is to say, eight-tenths of one per cent of the sum of \$770,035 amounting to \$6,160.28.

For highway and street purposes, to constitute the general highway fund, a sum equal to five-tenths of one per cent of the aforesaid valuation, that is to say the sum of \$3,850.18.

For the purpose of paying interest on the bonded indebtedness of said village to constitute the debt paying fund, a sum equal to two-tenths of one per cent of the aforesaid valuation, that is to say, the sum of \$1,540.07.

That the said village council requires to be levied and collected a poll tax of one dollar upon every male inhabitant of the village between the ages of 21 and 50 years, excepting active members of the fire department of said village and such other persons as are exempted by law from the payment of such tax.

The vote of the village council upon the foregoing resolution stood as follows:

Ayes: Hanlin, Richards, East, Chamberlin and Roantree.

The following resolution was offered by Trustee Richards, and seconded by Trustee Chamberlin:

Whereas, an error was made in the resolution adopted in the meeting of June 5, 1907, by which certain property was purchased from A. Willard for the purpose of water works extension for the sum of \$6,378.00, when the correct amount should have been \$6,478.00.

Resolved, that a correction be entered thereof in the minutes, and an order be drawn on the treasurer in favor of A. Willard for \$100.00, that being the amount in error.

The vote of the Village Council upon the foregoing resolution stood as follows:

Ayes: Trustees Richards, East, Chamberlin and Roantree.

Nays: None, Trustee Hanlin not voting. Motion Carried.

Moved by Trustee Hanlin, seconded by Trustee Chamberlin, that the council adjourn. Motion carried.

W. E. PENNELL,
Village Clerk

For the purpose of paying interest

upon the bonded indebtedness of the village to constitute the debt paying fund, a sum equal to two-tenths of one per cent of the aforesaid assessed valuation, that is to say, the sum of \$1,540.07.

That said village council required to be levied and collected a poll tax of one dollar, upon every male inhabitant of the village, between the ages of twenty-one and fifty years, excepting active members of the fire department of said village and such other persons as are exempt by general law from the payment of such tax.

The foregoing resolution was offered by Trustee Chamberlin, seconded by Trustee Roantree. The vote of the Village Council upon the resolution stood as follows:

Ayes: Chamberlin, Roantree, Hanlin, Richards, East.

Ayes: None. Motion carried.

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Estate of Rosanna Maloy, 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 24th day of June A. D., 1907.
Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Rosanna Maloy, deceased.
Harriet E. Matthews, having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to George B. Richards, or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1907, 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, Judge of Probate.
ROLAND E. BARR, Register of Probate.
Last Publication July 16, 1907.

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Estate of Mary E. Mowery
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 8th day of July A. D. 1907.
Present: Hon. Frank H. Ellsworth, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Mary E. Mowery, deceased.
Charles E. Sabin 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 Charles E. Sabin, or to some other suitable person.
It is ordered, that the 5th day of August A. D. 1907, at 10 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.
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