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Chapin Company to **Build Buchanan Line**

SUCCEEEDING TO RIGHTS OF NILES & BUCHANAN RAILWAY COMPANY-BIG MORIGAGE FILED FOR \$7,000,000 **COVERING VARIOUS DAM PROPERTIES**

Very interesting is the news that arises as a result of the recent gigantic merger of the Chapm power comwhich will control eventually seven,

The most interesting feature of the story from a Niles standpoint is the Buchanan that the whole scheme was report that the Chapin power interests | financed at that time. propose to take over the proposition Niles and Buchanan which has been exploited and promoted to some ex the Southern Michigan Railway company under the name and title of the Niles and Buchanan Railway com- granted by the city. pany.

company already own the right of way or a considerable portion of it at least hetween Niles and Buchanan.

the city which runs until the last of the present year. Under this franchise they have laid just enough track and done just enough work in the city limits on West Main street and Lincoln avenue to keep their franchise right alive.

Gen. Manager Smith when interviewed stated that the high price of material and the difficulty of securing panies into one great central company it had affected their plans seriously. When the Southern Michigan -road dams on the St. Joseph river, three was put through from Niles to St. of which are yet to be built, says the Joseph it was the understanding that Niles Sun. the bond issue floated on that account the bond issue floated on that account also covered the proposed spur to

If it is true that the Chapin merger to build an electric railroad between is to construct the Buchanan line instead of the original promoters, it will not make any material difference tent by the present management of to the public or to the city whether one set of stockholders or another carries out the terms of the franchise

The line has to be in operation by The Niles and Buchanan Railway Dec. 1, 1907, to make the franchise good. O herwise the old franchise expires and it would be necessary to apply to the city for a new franchise, This company has a franchise from | or extension of the old.

If the Chapin electric company t-kes up the Niles-Buchanan electric railroad proposition as it is reported they will do, succeeding the original Niles & Buchanan Ruilway Co., the probablilities are that work will be started this fall, for the new com-



What a Prominent Benton Harbor Retailer Says of M. O. Tricks

SELL CHEAP GOODS As a traveling salesman Mr. Waite has had considerable experience with Mr. Waite that the mail order houses the mail order houses. He has sold own factories of their own and can them thousands of dollars worth of thus sell goods cheaper than the small goods.

"They buy the cheapest of goods," said he. "I have known the mail order houses te advertise and sell I did have a set of kitchen cabinets Not one cent. And yet they advertise in stock which I think Sears, Roeone of the cheapest makes and hI er never knows'what he is going to get when he gives his order to the catalogue firm."

OWN FACTORIES?-LAUGHS_ When the suggestion was made to dealer, he merely laughed.

"Why," he declared, "down at Buchanan John Barnes is president of a factory which sells goods to Montkitchen cabiets which I would be gomery Ward & Co. How much do ashamed to have on my floor. Once you suppose they own of that stock? goods sold by them as made in 'one buck & Co. were advertising. It was of their factories in southern Michigan." Other mail order houses do was six months in disposing of it, the same thing." Mr. Waite declar-This merely shows that the small buy- | ed that the Larkin Soap, company, for over ten years advertised the Spencer-Barnes factory in this city as "our factory No. 1."

STRIKE PROBABLY AVERTED PITTSBURG COAL COMPANY WILL CONFER WITH MEN. Willing to Make Reparation If Ite Agreements with Employes

Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 2.-The flag of peace has been unfurled in connection with the differences of the 14,-000 miners employed in the Pittsburg district and the Pittsburg Coal company.

Have Been Violated.

On the initiative of the coal company, a conference will be held Friday at which it is thought probable the trouble will be adjusted. President Feehan, of the miners' union, following his declaration of Wednesday night that a strike would be called within a short time, received on Thursday a letter from the officials of the Pittsburg Coal company, asking that a meeting be held. to talk matters over. Mr. Feehan immediately made the necessary arrangements for the conference so far

Correspondence

WEST BERTRAND

The Record's Regular Correspondent.

West Bertrand, Aug. 1-G. Johnson, of South Bend, was called here on account of the death of his cousin, Alanson Hamilton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, of Galien, were in this vicinity Tuesday. Edward Huss and John Farmaman. of South Bend, were guests of Miss; Ruby Cauffman over Sunday.

Mrs. V. M. Baker was a guest of her husband near Hudson Lake Sunday.

This franchise provides for the con- pany has ample resources, and the struction of a joint bridge over the big bond issue, evidence of which is river on Main street or an independ- supplied by the \$7 900,000 trust mortent bridge providing the company and gage just filed, indicates that it is the second second point fully financed Niles and Buchanan bridge.

Early last spring General Manager because it will put a considerable tion was to be started.

will both be glad to see the dirt fly,

Smith of the interurban company amount of money into circulation gave out the information that the con- between the two towns. The line struction of the Niles and Buchanan will not increase the mercantile trade line would be proceeded with at once of either town to any percepitble ex but weeks have passed into months tent, judging by the effect of the lines and there has not been the slighest north and south of Niles, but the two indication that the work of construc- towns will have easier means of communication, and that's something.

THIS MERCHANT HAS GOOD NERVE

CAN MEET CATALOGUE PRICES Chester C. Sweet, a dealer in hardware and furniture at Benton Harbor in commenting on the great volume of business which yearly goes out of the city to the big catalogue houses, said:

that if they will bring in a Montgomery Ward catalogue I will duplicate can beat them on a great many articles of furniture."

Sweet, "they'll come into the store morning the four offenders were taken that the catolgue house quotes in tences large quantities.

"Occasionally there are some things that the mail order house sells cheaper than we can, but in the long run we can duplicate their prices and most generally beat them."

The Limit of Life.

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many years below the attainment possible with the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical, that determines its duration, seems to be between 50 and 60; the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged; carelessness then being fatal to longevity. Na-

BERRIEN SPRINGS' PEACE DISTURBED

Berrien Springs, Aug 1-A small riot was precipitated in this willage last night by a gang of drunken men most of them hoboes. After raiding one of the saloons, the revelers started up the street in the business sec-"I have always told my customers tion yelling at the top of their voices and threatening to wipe out the town. Deputy Sheriff Bension and the vil-

their prices. Not only that, but I lage police force stopped the disturb ance before much damage was done Eight were taken into custody but four "But the trouble is," said Mr. were afterward released. Yes crary

and want something at the same price to the county jail to serve short sen

CATALOG HOUSES SPENDING \$\$\$\$\$

Annually a great amount of money, running into the millions, is spent by the big mail order houses in advertising. The amount spent by one large Chicago mail order house last year was nearly \$3000,000. ,Postage. alore amounted to nearly \$1,000,000

In order to make such expenditures as these, in order to keep up the ex. pense of such institutions as are now operating, enormous profits must be made on the goods retailed. It is the small customer, the farmer who buys a stove, a bedroom suite, a buggy, or ture's best helper after 50 is Electric | the laborer who purchases his grocer-Bitters, the scientific tonic medicine | ies in big lots that contribute a share

FIERCE FIRE IN OIL REFINING PLANT IN EDGEWATER, N. J.

DAMAGE ABOUT \$200,000

Heroic Work Keeps Blaze from Great Tanks Near Tenements-Aid Summoned from New York.

Edgewater, N. J., Aug. 2.-More than 50 families were driven from their homes Thursday night by a flerce blaze which destroyed the main refining building of the Valve Line Oil company's plant.

At midnight the building, a structure about 400 by 500 feet, had been destroyed, involving a loss of about \$200,000, and only the most heroic work prevented the flames from reaching 17 oil tanks in the rear of the building. The destruction of those meant also the destruction of a block of tenement houses immediately in their rear.

Blaze is Spectacular. . Three thousand barrels of paraffine were destroyed in the big building and, with the other inflammable stuff stored there, they made one of the most spectacular fires in years along

the river front. The fire was discovered in the engine room of the main refining plant, and after several frame buildings had been destroyed it was thought to be under centrol.

Later, however, the flames broke out afresh and the local department was unable to cope with them. Aid was summoned from New York.

Fumes Overcome Firemen. The water seemed to make no impression on the oil soaked stuff and its spread was hastened by the exploding barrels and the carboys of ammonia used in the refrigerating plant. The escaping ammonia fumes temporarily overcame a dozen firemen. As soon as possible the employes began to drain off the oil in the tanks. The blaze is believed to have started from spontaneous combustion. More than 800 men are thrown out of employment by the fire.



convention for the election of delegates to the constitutional convention along, without him. The Bank Habit will be held on August 13 at Niles. means sound sleep, good digestion, Tuesday this selection was made by cool judgment, and manly independ-

Governor Makes Gains In Southern Counties But Probably Will Be Defeated.

Memphis, Tenn., Aug. 2.- Dispatches on the Mississippi primary election received by the News-Scimitar indicate a victory for John Sharp Williams for United States senator, although Gov. Vardaman is making unexpected gains in the southern counties.

Owing to an unusually heavy vote and the fact that the polls did not close until six o'clock, the indications as to which two of the six candidates for governor will remain in the race are more uncertain, but the decision evidently rests among Scott, Truly, Brewer and Noel. Thomas and Sisson ran poorly.

Gov. Vardaman claims 37 of the 79 counties. Williams claims a majority of from 20,000 to 30,000 and, allowing Gov. Vardaman's claim of 37 counties, still claims a majority owing to larger counties.

In Memphis, Williams' money was offered Thursday night with odds of two to one. There were some takers. Returns received by the Commer cial Appeal up to 10:30 Thursday night showed Williams maintaining a lead of about three to one over Vardaman. In the contest for governor, Scott was leading Noel by a small margin.

Jackson, Miss., Aug. 2.-With 15 cities heard from in part or in full, Williams was leading with 546 votes to 331 for Vardaman. Jackson up to about 9:30 Thursday night had returned 55 for Williams and 14 for Vardaman, a ratio of three to 1, and Gulfport reported Williams in the lead in that part of the south coast of Mississippi by about three to one. Gubernatorial candidates Charles Scott and E. L. Noel were ahead of their competitors, although their lead was not large.

"The Bank Habit"

Elbert Hubbard, the talented editor of the Philistine, has a habit of saying things that cause people to think. The following regarding the man with "The Bank Habit" is well worth reading and remembering.

"I have been a wage earner, fore man and employer. I have a thousand men on my pay roll at a time, and I'll tell you this, The man with the Bank

Habit is the one who never gets laid The republican senatorial district off; he's the one who can get along without you, but you cannot get

as the men are concerned. President Feehan said Thursday night: "While the situation has assumed a serious phase, I entertained hopes all along that an amicable settlement would be made before strike orders would be issued."

It is understood that the letter received by Mr. Feehan from the coal company does not mean the company has taken another stand from the one announced Wednesday night. The letter states that if any agreements have been violated the company is ready to remedy the wrongs and treat with¹ its employes as it has always done in

the past. .The entire situation appears optim. istic and it is believed there will be no strike.

MURDERED AND EARS CUT OFF

Second Case of the Kind at Oklahoma -City, Okla.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 2.-With ears cut from the head, the trunk and one arm pierced with four bullets, teeth knocked out and the mouth bruised, the body of Wilbur Gunreth, a barber, who is supposed to have come to Oklahoma City a short time ago from Seminole, I. T., was found Thursday afternoon three miles west of the city.

This is the second body that has been found near Oklahoma City with in a week with the ears cut off, and the police are working on the theory that a secret society, formed to wreak horrible vengeance on its enclaies, in operating here.

New Cruiser in Commission. Vallejo, Cal., Aug. 2 .- With appropriate ceremonies the new cruiser California, recently completed, was placed in commission Thursday. Capt. Thomas S. Phelps will command the cruiser. The California is the finest vessel that ever came from this yard, having a displacement of 13,600 tons and an indicated horse power of 25,-000. She will join the Pacific squadron.

Degenerate Caught in Denver Denver, Col., Aug. 2 .- Peter Magoffin, a laborer, was arrested in this city Thursday after he had slashed the is an expression as old as the race. dresses of hearly 30 women and girls No doubt the rising and setting of

Miss Laura Cauffman was' in this vicinity Wednesday.

DAYTON

The Record's Regular Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Richter and Mrs. Lon Matthews, of Walnut Grove, Ind., visited the J.F. Richter home over Sunday.

"Miss Edna Kaufman, who has been visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Ranke, returned to her home in Niles, Saturday night.

Mrs. Gogle visited Mrs. A. Kern luesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. A. C. Weaver and daughter, Bernice, who have been visiting Floyd Weaver here the past week returned to their home in Buchanan last Wednesday.

Mrs. Albert Ballard, of Michigan lity, visited relatives here this week.

Lon Hamilton passed peacefully away last Tuesday morning about 4 o'clock. The family have the sympathy of the entire community.

Levi Allen and Miss Pearl Redding were Buchanan visitors last Saturday.

Miss Mae Redding was in Buchanin Saturday.

Misses Gladys Lyons and Josie Simmons, of Galien, visited here Chursday afternoon.

Mrs. D. O. Marble visited her parents here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbel and children and Miss Agnes Ernsperger of South Bend, visited at the latter's home last Thursday afternoon.

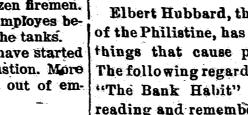
Mrs. Nelly Barnes and son, Harland, visited her sister, Mrs. Edna Weaver, ast Saturday and Sunday.

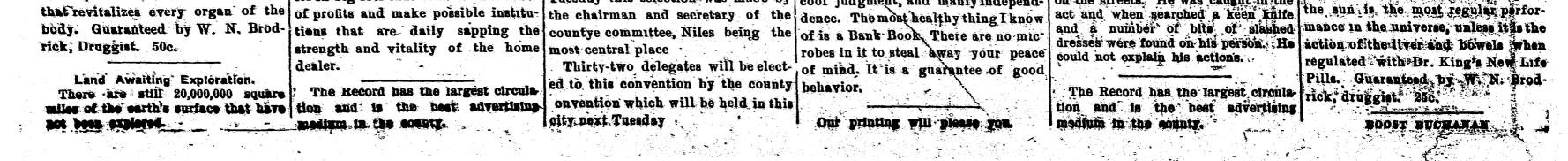
Mrs. S. P. Phillips went to Michigan City Tuesday for an extended visit with her children of that place.

What is wrong with the Dayton ball boys, when they play two games of ball in one day and beat both games? Last Sunday the game with the Sweet Home boys was 3 to 2 in favor of Dayton, and the score with the Niles team was 6 to 1 in favor of Dayton. Next Sunday they play here with the Three Oaks team.

"Regular as the Sun"

on the streets. He was caught in the the sun is the most regular perfor-





BUCHANAN RECORD.	PERSONAL			
ISSUED TWICE A WEEK	Master Lester Miller is visiting relatives in Elkhart.			
Terms of Subscription Fer Year	George Joslin, of Chicago, is visit- ing relatives in town.			
the second secon	James Ray entertained his mother, of Niles, this week.			
Phone 9-2 rings	Miss Myrtle Lentz 1s visiting with South Bend relatives.			
MAC C. CHANBERLIN, Publisher J. A. WATERMAN, Editor	a few days this week.			
	Miss Susie Tracy, of Milwaukee, is visiting Mrs. F. F. Rough.			
Entered at the Post-office at Buchanan, Mich.	Will Osborn, of South Bend, is the guest of his mother, today.			
AUGUST 3, 1907	J. R. Hill, of Three Oaks, was a Buchanan visitor Wednesday.			
EDITORIAL	Mrs. Esther Parkinson was in Galien on business Wednesday.			
BOBST BUCHANAN	Frank Navigato, of Chicago, was a business caller in town Tuesday.			
Merchants Should Be Fair A new phrase of the crusade against	Miss Hazel Briong, of Chicago, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Garland.			
inail order houses has been brought to our attention says the News-Pall-	Misses Lenna and Hazel Broceus visited friends in Dowagiac Sunday.			

ing near Benton Harbor. The other spent yesterday with friends in Buch-

anan.

Burks.

Rapids.

parents.

day this man said: "I believe in loyalty to home indusa guest yesterday at the David Swartz try. Since I have resided in this comhome. munity I have bought very little from mail-order houses. I always prefer to give the home merchant the business even if I might strike a little better bargain with an out of town firm. But is the local merchant always loyal to the home product? My experience shows that he is not. Just the other day I brought a load of potatoes to the city. They were excellent stock. I visited several grocery stores in an effort to sell them. I succeeded at last in getting rid of a portion of my supply. At nearly every store the proprietor gave me this answer, 'Wo would rather buy our potatoes from the Chicago market, for the Texas stock is larger and sell better.' I am convinced that my potatoes in quality

dium by a well known farmer resid-

friends and relatives in and near Buchanan. Jesse Noe, of Benton Harbor, was here Sunday calling on his many friends. Mrs. Beebe, of Michigan City, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Metz. Mr. and Mrs. N. L Sanford, of Fulare just as good as the Texas tubers ton, N. Y., are spending the day with Mrs. Francis Wells. Mrs. O. E. Pagin, of Washington, loyalty from the farmers they should D. C., is visiting her mother, Mrs. Valentine Schram.

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Miss Gertrude Stewart, of Niles,

F. Robbins, of South Bend, was

Mrs. R. F. Kompass, of Niles, spent

resterday with her sister, Mrs. Wm.

Clarence Van Every is visiting rel-

Miss Gertrude Swartz, of South

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Woodworth and

children, of Macomb. Ill., are visiting

Bend, spent yesterday with her

atives in Howard City and Grand

oslin, of Chicago, is visit-By HENRY SETON MERRIMAN "The Sowers," "Roden's Corner," ay entertained his mother, ration to Another," Etc.

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Oscard was sicilig in the windowiese room without a light, for a light only attracted a myriad of heavy winged moths. He was seated before the long French window, which, since the sash had gone, had been used as a door. Before him in the glimmering light of the mystic Southern Cross the great river crept unctuously, silently to the sea. It seemed to be stealing away surreptitiously while the forest whispered of it. In its surface the reflection of the great stars of the southern hemisphere ran into little streaks of silver, shimmering away into darkness. All sound of human life was still. The natives were asleep. In the next room Joseph in his hammock was just on the barrier between the waking and the sleeping life, as soldiers learn to be. Oscard would not have needed to raise his voice to call him to his side. The leader of this hurried retreat had been sitting there for two hours. The slimy moving surface of the river had entered into his brain; the restless silence of the African forest alone kept him awake. He hardly realized that the sound momentarily gaining, strength within his ears was that of a paddle-a single, weakly irregular paddle. It was not a sound to wake a sleeping man. It came so slowly, so gently through the whisper of the dripping leaves that it would enter into his slumbers and make itself part of

them. Guy Oscard only realized the meaning of that sound when a black shadow crept on to the smooth evenness of the river's breast. Oscard was eminently a man of action. In a moment he was on his feet and in the darkness of the room there was the gleam of a rifle barrel. He came back to the windowwatching.

He saw the canoe approach the bank. He heard the thud of the paddle as it was thrown upon the ground. In the gloom, to which his eyes were accustomed, he saw a man step from the boat to the shore and draw the canoe up. The silent midnight visitor then turned and walked up toward the

"They've made a pretty mess of me," said Durnovo, in a sickening, lifeless voice, and he stood there with a terrible caricature of a grin.

Joseph set down the lamp with a groan and went back into the dark room beyond, where he cast himself upon the ground and buried his face in his hands.

"O Lord!" he muttered. "O God in heaven, kill it, kill it?"

Guy Oscard never attempted to run away from it. He stood slowly gulp-



"Good God !" cried Oscard.

ing down his nauseating horror. His teeth were clinched; his face, through the sunburn, livid; the blue of his eyes seemed to have faded into an ashen gray. The sight he was looking on would have sent three men out of five into gibbering idiocy.

Then at last he moved forward. With averted eyes he took Durnovo by the arm.

"Come," he said, "lie down upon my bed. I will try to help you. Can you take some food?"

Durnovo threw himself down heavily on the bed. There was a punishment sufficient to explate all his sins in the effort he saw that Guy Oscard had had to make before he touched him. He turned his face away.

"I haven't eaten anything for twentyhouse. There was something familiar four hours," he said, with a whistling



July Linen Sale has begun in earnest with special prices on Table Linens, Napkins, Bed Spreads, Towels, etc. Now is your opportunity to fill your linen closets with Linens.

Table Napkins

12 inch Hemmed Buffet Napkins, fine Irish Damask, sale price 88c a dozen.

22 inch Hemmed Dinner Napkins, fine quality of linen; this is a \$2.50 value, sale price, per dozen \$1.65.

Bed Spread

Hemmed, fringed or cut corner bed spreads in crochet, satin or marseilles; all sizes for crib, single bed, three quarter bed or full size bed, regular price 95c to \$12; sale prices 69c to \$9. We also have a full line of bed spreads in pink and blue.

Table Linen

Bleached, silver bleached or cream Satin Damask in fine Irish make; the heavy Scotch kind or the good German qualities; a fine assortment of patterns_to choose from; special sale prices 48c to \$1.39

BOOST BUCHANAN

yet I wasn't given a chance to dispose of my product. If merchants expect be willing to reciprocate."

The complaint of the farmer offers food for thought to the business men of Buchanan who are fighting to break the power of the catalogue houses in this section.

Tax Notice

I will be at Lee Bros. bank Tuesday and Friday of each week until further sotice for collection of Village taxes. AL. EMERSON, Village Treas. V

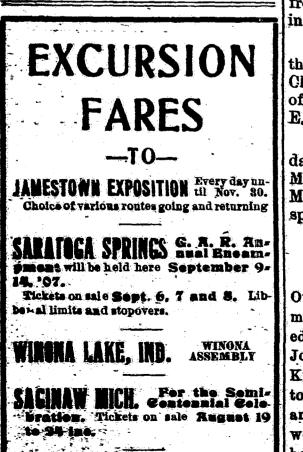
OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

The South Bend Business College

The fall term opening, Tuesday, Sopt. 3, 1907; new classes in all deposition. 400 placed during the last year. Expenses small, the best of facilities. Write for free catalog and Maude Weisgerber have returned itemized expense sheet. Address The South Bend Business College.

The Record has the largest circula ion and is the best advertising then in the county.

Did the mail order houses do a thing for your church?



Mrs. W. A. Magoon, of Kentucky, Ohio, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Emery.

Mrs. Ted Rouse, of Elkhart. was in town yesterday, called here by the death of H. N. Mowery.

Miss Myrtie M. Lentz returned to her home in South Bend yesterday, after a visit with Buchanan relatives

Misses Margery Harbolt and Bess Ruff, of Lima, Ohio, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Spaulding.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Stahelin and daughter, of Bridgman, are visiting at the home of A. B. Canfield of this place.

Mrs. Libbie Haslett was called to partments. The college educates for Mishawaka this morning by the illbusiness, then places the student in a ness of her daughter, Mrs. W. W. Smith.

> Mr. and Mrs. John Portz and Miss from Big Indian Lake where they had been camping.

Mr. and Mrs. Balka and Mr. and Mrs. Swartz, of South Bend, are in town called by the death of the ladies' grandfather, H. N. Mowery.

Mrs. A. C. Weaver and daughter, Bernice, returned home Wednesday from a three weeks' visit with friends in Illinois, Indiana and Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. DeMott with their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Fish, of Chicago, and babies are the guests of Mrs. Francis Wells. Mrs. Thos. E. DeMott accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Baker and daughters and Mrs. E. S. Roe and Mildred and Fred have returned from Magician lake where they have been spending several days.

Endorsed By The County.

"The most popular remedy in Otsego County, and the best friend of my family," writes Wm. M. Dietz, editor and publisher of the Otsego Journal, Gilbertsville, N. Y., "is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has prov-

in the gait-the legs were slightly intonation. bowed. The man was walking with great difficulty, staggering a little at each step. He seemed to be in great pain.

Guy Oscard laid aside the rifle. He stepped forward to the open window. "Is that you, Durnovo?" he said, without raising his voice.

"Yes," replied the other. His voice was muffled as if his tongue were swollen, and there was a startling break in it. Oscard stepped aside and Durnovo passed into his own house. "Got a light?" he said in the same

muffled way. In the next room Joseph could be

heard striking a match, and a moment later he entered the room, throwing a flood of light before him.

"Good God!" cried Oscard. He stepped back as if he had been struck, with his hand shielding his eyes.

"Save us!" ejaculated Joseph in the same breath.

The thing that stood there, sickening their gaze, was not a human being at



'Enter, young man," he said dramat ically.

all. Take a man's evelids away, leav-

"Joseph," said Oscard, returning to the door of the inner room-his voice sounded different; there was a metallic ring in it-"get something for Mr. Durnovo; some soup or something."

Joseph obeyed, shaking as if ague was in his bones.

, Oscard administered the soup. He tended. Durnovo with all the gentleness of a woman and a fortitude that was above the fortitude of men. Despite himself his hands trembled, big and strong as they were. His whole being was contracted with horror and pain. Whatever Victor Durnovo had been, he was now an object of such pity that before it all possible human sins faded into spotlessness. There was no crime in all that human nature has found to commit for which such cruelty as this would be justly meted out in punishment.

Durnove spoke from time to time, but he could see the effect that his hissing speech had upon his companion and in time he gave it up. He told haltingly of the horrors of the simiacine plateau; of the last grim tragedy acted there; how at last, blinded with his blood, maimed, stupefied by agony, he had been hounded down the slope by a yelling, laughing horde of tor turers.

There was not much to be done, and presently Guy Oscard moved away to his camp chair, where he sat staring into the night. Sleep was impossible. Strong, hardened, weather beaten man that he was, his nerves were all a-tingle, his flesh creeping and jumping with horror. Gradually he collected his faculties enough to begin to think about the future. What was he to do with this man? He could not take him to Loango. He could not risk that Jocelyn or even Maurice Gordon should look upon this horror.

Joseph had crept back into the inner room; where he had no light, and could be heard breathing hard, wide awake in his hammock. Suddenly the silence was broken by

a loud cry: "Oscard! Oscard!"

In a moment Joseph and Oscard were at the bedside: Durnovo-was sitting up, and he

grabbed at Oscard's arms. "For God's sake!" he cried. "For God's sake, man, don't let me go to sleep!"

"What do you mean?" asked Oscard They both thought that he had gone mad. Sleep had nothing more, to do with Durnovo's eyes-protruding, staring, terrible to look at.

Towels

Whether it is a Towel for the hand, face, bath or kitchen, we have them in great variety of kinds and qualities; sale price 4c to 8c each.

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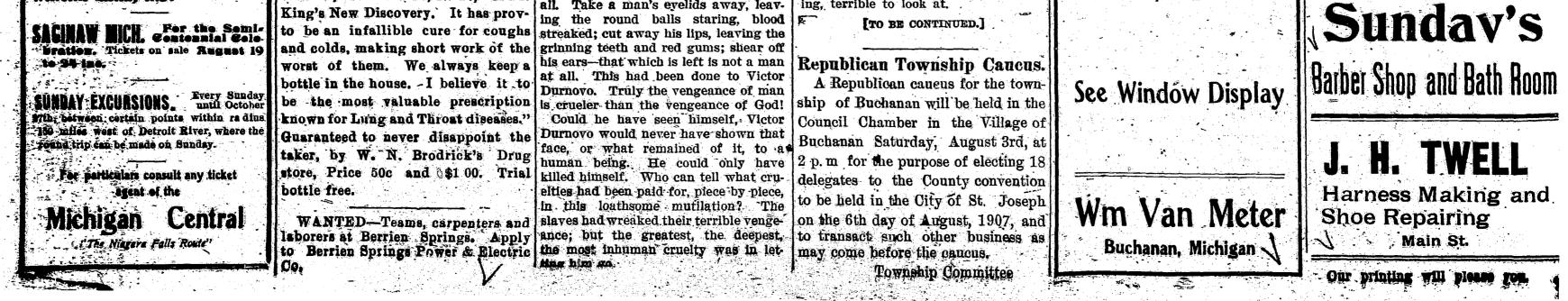
in the P. O. block on Front street. My goods are the latest. Workmanship and fit are first-class. Call and see me.

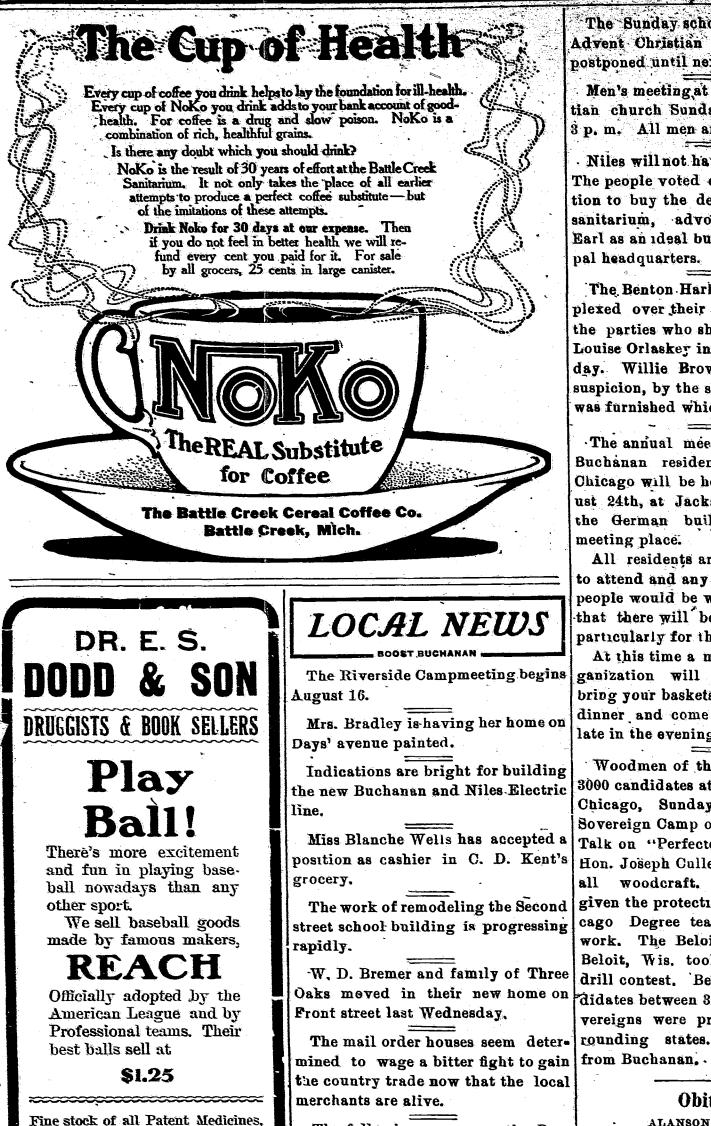
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Q'UALIT Beautiful NONE BETTER RIGHT Price! Always Right Those are the strongest points about Souvenir Gold Standard and Morley's Straight Ulassware Strong and Granular Absolute Uniform Made by The New Troy Mills

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The following are among the Buchanan people took advantage of the BOOST BUOHANAN.

The Sunday school picnic of the Advent Christian church has been postponed until next Friday; Aug. 9 Men's meeting at the Advent Christian church Sunday, August 4, at B p. m. All men are invited.

Niles will not have a new city hall The people voted down the proposition to buy the decayed VanNoppen sanitarium, advocated by Mayor Earl as an ideal building for municipal headquarters.

The Benton Harbor police are perplexed over their failure to capture the parties who shot eight-year-old Louise Orlaskey in her yard last Friday. Willie Brown was arrested on suspicion, by the sheriff, but an alibi was furnished which freed the youth.

The annual meeting of the former Buchanan residents now living in Chicago will be held Saturday August 24th, at Jackson park, making department. An admission of ten the German building the general meeting place.

All residents are cordially invited to attend and any visiting Buchanan people would be welcome. We hope that there will be some amusements particularly for the boys and girls. At this time a more permanent organization will be made. Please bring your baskets for a 1:30 o'clock dinner and come prepared to stay

late in the evening.

Woodmen of the World initiated 3000 candidates at Brooks' Casino in Chicago, Sunday July 28th. The Sovereign Camp officers were present.

Talk on "Perfected Woodcraft" by Hon. Joseph Cullen Root, founder of all woodcraft. Candidates were given the protection degree, the Chicago Degree team putting on the work. The Beloit Degree team of Beloit, Wis. took first prize in the

drill contest. Besides the 3000 candidates between 3000 and 4000 souvereigns were present from the sur-

rounding states. A number were

Obituary

ALANSON HAMILTON

Alanson Hamilton, son of Simeon and Huldah Hamilton, was born in Bertrand Township, Michigan, July being used. 7, 1860, and died at his home near



August 9 Elkhart Stars vs. Blues at Buchanan.

August 17 Three Oaks Greens vs. Blues at Three

Oaks. August 23

South Bend Eagles vs. Blues at Buchanan.

BASE BALL FOR CHARITY Benlah Land Farm for Boys at Boyne, Mich.

A ball game will played Saturday (tomorrow) by employees of the Celfor Tool company, Mr. Fredrickson's men of the machine shop department vs. Mr. Hathaway's men of the drill cents a person will be charged, the entire proceeds to go to the "Beulah Land Farm." An urgent and cordial invitation is extended to all minis ters to come and bring their entire congregations. Game will be called at 3 p. m. sharp.

The teams will be composed of the Blues, but divided in such a manner that they will practically be playing against themselves. The battery for machine shop will be Berry, pitcher; Bruce, catcher, and for drill shop, Crouch, pitcher and Hanover, catcher,

IRWIN-ADAMS

At the Advent Christian Church, Wednesday at 2:30 p.m., occured a very pretty church wedding at which Miss Edith Clarice Irwin became the wife of Rev. Albert Clinton Adams of Mendota, Illinois.

At precisely half past two, the couple, attended by Master Edward Adams and Miss Ruth Shook bearing baskets of flowers, marched to the alter to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by Miss Flora Currier, and took their places under a canopy of white bunting trimmed with ferns, where Rev. Charles A. Shook spoke the words that made

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Pays for an elegant and well-

Niagara Falls excursion yesterday Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Kent and son Mrs. Frost, Mrs Wallace Riley and daughter and Mrs. Frank Stryker.

The officers of the Southern Michigan Fair at Benton Harbor announce that the fair will be on a larger scale than last season. Instead of accommodating the horses under tents they

It is reported there is a lack of brakemen on the Michigan division of the Big Four, and on account of recent vacanies there are opportunities for a number of experienced

who threshed yesterday, got upwards

Elder Charles A. Shook will begin a series of Sunday evening sermons on doctrinal subjects next Sunday evening at the Auvent Christian church. The subject of the first sermon will be "The Natural Man." All are cordially invited.

The National Printing and Engraving Company of Niles, employing nearly 100 hands, intend to seek new location, according to the Niles Star. Lack of sufficient shipping facilities constitutes the cause for removal. South Bend is after the plant.

People living in the village should be careful to keep their dogs at home. One of the dogs from town got after B. Chamberlain's flock of sheep Wednesday afternoon, and singling out a fine Rambonillet ewe bit her up very badly.

On account of the tearing up of the school lawn, the Union Service of the respective churches will be held in the Brethren church Sunday evening Aug. 4. Let all come for a feast will be prepared. Every one is cordially invited.

1 want an Onest John. 1 LOST-A pair of gold rimmed eye glasses. return; reward. George H Black.

BOOST BUCHANAN

Buchanan, July 30, 1907, aged 4 years and 25 days. He was converted in the years 1882 and united with the United Brethren church. He was married to Alice Wilson, May 7, 1884 and by her had four children, Ethel Grace, Wilson and Alanson, all o whom with a devoted wife, a mother, a brother, lohn, of Galien, and a

sister, Ida of this place, survive. He had been a member of the K. O. T M. for fourteen years. He was cheerful sufferer and in the si months of his sickness was not heard to complain. He died leaving A farmer residing near Buchanan, large number of friends to mourn his untimely departure. Funeral ser vices were conducted from his late home near Buchanan, Thursday at 2

Rev. Charles A. Shook officiating.

HIRAM NEWTON MOWERY

Hiram Newton Mowery was born near Winchester, Virginia, March 20, 1834 In the year 1851 he came to the state of Ohio, three years afterward removing to Niles, Michigan, where ne lived for two years when he came to this place where he has made his home ever since.

In the year 1856 he was united marriage to Harriet Jane Reedy by whom he had four children, whom three survive: Josephine Lister, Nellie Fuller and Anna Barr. His wife died in 1865 and he was united in marriage a second time to Lydia Ann Remington in 1867 and to this union were born four daughters of whom three are still living: Hattie Blake, Ids Bishop and Maude Peck. His wife died in 1902 and in 1906

he was married a third time to Mary Miller who preceded him to the land of death only six weeks.

The deceased was a charter member of the A.F. & A.M., No. 68, and filled every office in the local lodge, including, many terms as Master Workman. He retired from active business life some ten or twelve years ago but continued active up to the last, dying at his work, He was an affectionate husband, a kind father and an upright citizen and made many friends by his genial disposi

them man and wife, the ring service

The bride was attired in white satin under lace net and the groom in conventional black. After the ceremony the guests were treated to refreshments consisting of sherbert and cake and served by Misses Mabel Currier and Zella Alliger. There were two huudred and seventy-five invitations sent out.

The guests from out of town were: Mr.and Mrs. William Rice, Miss Ethel Rice, Mr.Roy Rice and Mr.and Mrs. Walter Wood of Niles, Mrs Keltner and son of South Bend, Mrs. A.P. Smith of Escanaba and Mr.Harvey Sheldon of Nashville Mich.

Rev.and Mrs.Adams left at 5.19 p.m., Wednesday, for their future home at Mendota, Ill., where Mr. Adams is attending college.

J. L. Bowen, plano tuner from Grand Rapids will be in town soon. Mr. Bowen is well known in Buchanan, for the last three months has held a position as fine tuner in the Bush & Lane Piano factory, but being unable to stand the strain of factory work, is obliged to resume his work in Buchanan and elsewhere.

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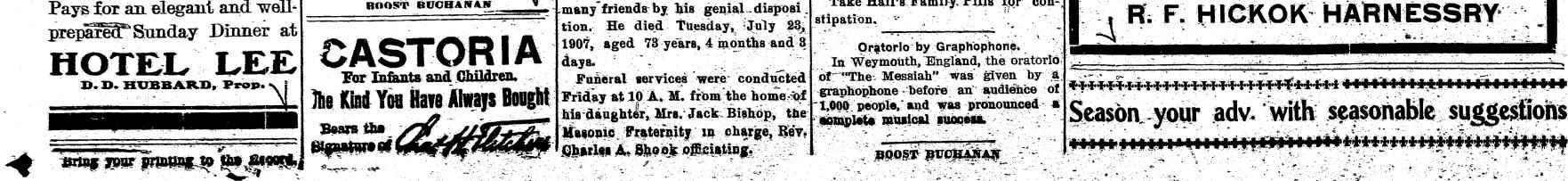
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Estate of Charles F.Mutchler, Deceased

OTATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien. In thematter of the estate of Charles F. Mutch-

ler deceased. Having been appointed commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demand of all persons against said deceased, we do hereby give notice that tour months from the 15th day of July A. D., 1907 were allowed by said Court for creditors to present their claims to us for exam ination and adjustment, and that we will meet at the First Astional Bank Village of the First National Bank Vihage of Bachanan, in said county, on the 16th day of September A.D.1967, and on the 16th day of Novem ber A. D. 1907, at ten o'clock in the forenoon o each of said days, for the purpose of examining and adjusting said claims.

Dated Jt	ily 15, A. D. 1907.	CHAS. PEARS
-		HENRY ADAMS
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A Genuine

the girts nome, was arrested and asked to explain his absence from his shop on last Friday. He established Results of Contests in the Various the fact that he had spent the day at Bristol, Conn. The girl is said to. have frequented Rippolano's place and a search of the shop brought to light a man's shirt which bore red stains. The cobbler was arraigned and remanded to the coroner.

The police also began a search for a woman who is said to have formerly roomed at the Pritschler home, but who left there after a quarrel and took lodgings in the house where the girl's body was found.

HUNDRED KILLED OR WOUNDED. Later Details of Conflict Between Koreans and Japanese.

Killed and Mutilated-

Cobbler Suspected.

New York, Aug. 2 .- "The grave-

yard," as the foreign-populated neigh-

borhood on First avenue, between

Thirteenth and Fourteenth streets, is

known locally, gave up Thursday a

fresh crime, rivalling in atrocity the

mysterious butcheries of last week.

The latest discovered victim was an

young women murdered, she had been

shockingly mistreated before death

and the body mutilated when life

The three murders are strikingly

similar. Last Thursday night a wo-

man was strangled in a Twenty-sec-

ond street boarding house; the next

morning the body of a still unidenti-

fiec woman, who had been choked to

death, was found in an areaway in

East Ninetieth street. Katie Prit-

schler, daughter of a restaurant

waiter, disappeared a week ago and

was killed that night. A ribbon placed

that it cut the flesh showed how she

died. Her body was the one found

Most Brutal of the Three.

If the brutality of the murders can

be qualified, that of the Pritschler

girl ranks first. She was assaulted,

murdered and then her lifeless form

from the proximity of the old Thir-

teenth street cemetery and the local-

ity has been the scene of several re-

volting murders. The majority of the

Carl Pritschler, the father of Katie,

Body Found After a Week.

"The graveyard" takes its name

was horribly mutilated.

residents are foreigners.

younger than Katie.

was extinct.

Thursday.

Seoul, Aug. 2.—Unverified returns from Thursday's conflict between Japanese troops and the First battalion of the First Shiwa regiment give the number of killed and wounded as 60

Koreans and 40 Japanese. ed, marching without arms through eight-year-old girl, and, like the two the parade ground, where, according 5, 11, '5. At Louisville-Louisville, 8, rank; they received gratuities 9, 3; Milwaukee, 6, 10, 2. to ranging from 25 to 80 yen.

minister of war read the rescript of 1. At Springfield-Springfield, 2, 4, disbandment to the higher Korean of- 0; Grand Rapids, 1, 4, 4. At Evansficers at the house of Gen. Hasegawa. Maj. Paksung Huan, commander of the First battalion of the First Shiwa regiment, returned to the barracks and committed suicide. This excited his subordinates and also a battalion of the Second Shiwa, who attacked two Japanese officers and their orderlies. One battalion marched on the south gate, where a clash occurred in about the throat and drawn so tightly which Capt. Kajiwara and two others were killed.

Taken for an Old Murder.

St. Louis, Aug. 2.-After evading arrest for nine years, Otis Mallicoat, wanted by the authorities on a charge of having stabbed a man to death in Madison county, Ky., was arrested Thursday night near Edwardsville, Ill., and brought to St. Louis.

Portuguese Leader Dies.

Lisbon, Aug. 2.-Hintze Robeiro, former premier and leader of the conservative party, died suddenly in this city Thursday.

is a hard working, respectable citizen. Bank Janitor Accused of Robbery. He has several other children, all Pittsburg, Pa., Aug. 2.-Thomas Jordan, 27 years old (colored), janitor of The girl left her home at 349 East the First National bank of Turtle Thirteenth street last Thursday night Creek, Pa., near here, was lodged in to play in the street. When she the Allegheny county jail Thursday failed to return the father notified the night, charged with the theft of \$8,590 eral court. He is a member of one of

BALL GAMES OF THURSDAY. Big Lollgues.

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

National league: At Chicago-Chicago, 7, 18, 4; Brooklyn, 2, 7; 1. At St. Louis-St. Louis, 8, 11, 6; New York, 7, 13, 2. At Cincinnati-Philadelphia, 4, 7, 1; Cincinnati, 0, 8, 2; second game, Ciacinnati, 1, 4, 1; Philadelphia, 0. 2. 2. At Pittsburg-Boston, 4, 11, 2; Pittsburg, 2, 10, 0.

American league: At Washington -Chicago, 7, 12, 0; Washington, 8, 8, 4. At New York-Detroit, 4, 10, 1; New York, 3, 6, 2. At Boston-Boston, 14, 22, 0; Cleyeland, 1, 7, 4. At Philadelphia-Philadelphia, 2, 5, 1; St. Louis, 0, 4, 2.

American association: At Columbus-Columbus, 5, 8, 0; St. Paul, 4, 8, 3; second game, Columbus, 5, 9, 1; St. Paul, 5, 14, 3 (13 innings, darkness). At Toledo-Toledo, 3, 6, 1; About 3,000 men willingly disband- Minneapolis, 1, 4, 2. At Indianapolis -Indianapolis, 6, 14, 1; Kansas City,

Central league: At Terre Haute-At eight o'clock in the morning the | Terre Haute, 2, 4, 0; Wheeling, 0, 2, ville-Evansville, 8, 16, 4; Canton, 7, 10, 3. At Dayton-Dayton, 4, 9, 3; South Bend, 2, 6, 0.

-Western league: At Denver-Denver, 7, 13, 1; Lincoln, 2, 7, 1; second game, Denver, 0, 5, 0; Lincoln, 0, 2, 0 (five innings, rain). At Pueblo-Pueblo, 1, 4, 0; Sioux City, 0, 2, 4. At Omaha-Omaha, 11, 16, 0; Des Moines, 0, 6, 3.

Three I league: At Dubuque-Springfield, 11, 14, 2; Dubuque, 2, 4, 2. At Clinton-Bloomington, 7, 11, 4; Clinton, 2, 10, 1. At Rock Island-Peoria, 3, 5, 1; Rock Island, 2, 5, 6. At Cedar Rapids-Decatur, 2, 5, 0; Cedar Rapids, 1, 4, 3.

ACCUSED OF ROBBING MAILS.

Senior Clerk in Post Office at Columbia, Tenn., Arrested.

Columbia, Tenn., Aug. 2.-Neil N. Hughes, senior clerk in the Columbia post office, son of ex-Postmaster A. M. Hughes, of Columbia, was arrested by United States post office inspectors Thursday morning, charged with robbing the mails.

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