

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

OF THE
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Buchanan Michigan

1911-1912

MEETINGS

Every second Friday of each month at 2:30 P. M.

OFFICERS

President - Miss Nona Vanderslice
Vice-President - Mrs. George Stevenson
Secretary and Treasurer - Mrs. E. R. Butts
Secretary of Literature - Mrs. I. M. Wells

March

Roll Call—The Freedman.
Subject—Africa Mrs. Nutt

APRIL

Paper—The Treasury.
Subject—New Ideas Stirring India, Mrs. French

MAY

Roll Call—Cuba.
Subject—Advance in the Antilles Mrs. Redden

JUNE

Roll Call—Guatemala.
Subject—Alaska Mrs. Stevenson

JULY

Roll Call—Items from Annual Meeting.
Subject—Expansion in the Philippines, Mrs. Miedema

AUGUST

Subject—Children's Place in Mission, Mrs. Rehm

SEPTEMBER

Roll Call—Hainan.
Subject—Church and School in Japan Mrs. Butts

OCTOBER

Subject—Mormons Mrs. Tichenor

NOVEMBER

Roll Call—Mexicans in U. S.
Subject—Korea Mrs. Wells

DECEMBER

Roll Call—Mountaineers.
Subject—The Prospect for Syria Miss Vanderslice

JANUARY

Roll Call—The General Field.
Subject—Book Reviews, Mrs. Johnson

FEBRUARY

Roll Call—Latest Items from China.
Subject—The American Indian, Miss Rough

"AND SPRING COMES SLOWLY UP HIS WAY."



TICKET IS NOMINATED BY UNION CAUCUS

M. L. Hanlin is Candidate For Re-Election to Office of Village President

At the union meeting held at the village council chamber Tuesday evening, the following nominations were made: For president, M. L. Hanlin; for treasurer, Irenus Sparks; for clerk, W. O. Churchill; for assessor, Henry Eisele; for trustees, for the term of two years, H. R. Adams, George H. Richards and C. D. Kent. Committee, H. F. Kingery, H. A. Hathaway and J. C. Rough.

The outlook is the Hanlin administration will receive handsome endorsement at the polls next Monday.

BALLINGER OUT AS INTERIOR HEAD

Is Succeeded by Walter E. Fisher of Chicago

Washington, March 8.—Richard A. Ballinger has resigned from President Taft's cabinet and will be succeeded as secretary of the interior by Walter L. Fisher of Chicago, a well-known lawyer.

Mr. Ballinger tendered his resignation in a letter on January 19, being on the condition of his health. The president replied at once, expressing his confidence in Secretary Ballinger, his reluctance to accept his resignation, and requested the secretary to remain in office until the close of the session of congress. Immediately on the adjournment of congress Secretary Ballinger renewed his request that he be relieved at a date suiting the president's convenience, but immediately if possible.

Fisher Appointed Immediately. President Taft, in a letter, formally accepted the resignation and Mr. Fisher was appointed as his successor, his commission being signed immediately by the president. Mr. Fisher will take office within a few days.

The Democrats had announced their intention to attempt to impeach Sec-



WALTER L. FISHER, secretary of the interior.

retary Ballinger at the coming extra session of congress on the charges developed in the Pinchot-Glavis case.

The correspondence between the president and the secretary is not voluminous, but displays beyond question the confidence which Mr. Taft has reposed in Mr. Ballinger throughout the long struggle and the indignation with which he has viewed the attacks on the Secretary's personal and official integrity.

"I have had the fullest opportunity," the president says in his letter accepting the resignation, "to know you, to know your standards of service to the government and the public, to know your motives, to know how you have administered your office and to know the motives of those who have assailed you."

That Personal Consideration. "I do not hesitate to say that you have been the object of one of the most unscrupulous conspiracies for the detraction of character that history can show."

And in the conclusion of his letter the president declares that "every fiber of my nature rebels against such hypocrisy" (referring to the attacks on Ballinger's character) "and endeavors to fight such a combination and such methods to the bitter end, lest success in this instance may form a demoralizing precedent. But personal consideration for you and yours makes me feel that I have no right to ask for a further sacrifice."

The president goes on to declare it evident that he has been himself the ultimate object of the attack, and says that to insist on Mr. Ballinger's remaining in office "with the prospects of further efforts against you, is selfishly to impose on you more of a burden than I ought to impose."

Ballinger Makes Bitter Prediction. Secretary Ballinger, in a statement, declared that it was his purpose "to prosecute the arch-conspirators who have been following me with the assassin's knife. The country shall know fully the injustice of the attacks upon me."

Surprise to Chicago Friends. Chicago, March 8.—News of Mr. Fisher's appointment came as a surprise to most of his Chicago friends. Mr. Fisher is in New York.

Mr. Fisher was born in 1862 at Wheeling, W. Va. He was graduated before the age of twenty-one from Hanover college, Hanover, O., of which for many years his father was president. Four years after his graduation Mr. Fisher was admitted to the bar and began practice in Chicago.

LADIES OF MOCCASIN CLUB GIVE MASQUERADE BALL

Many Unique and Ludicrous Costumes in Evidence—Twenty-eight Couples Present.

The masquerade ball given at the Pears-East hall Monday evening under the auspices of the ladies of the Moccasin club was attended by 28 couples. Many unique costumes were in evidence. At 10 o'clock the dancers unmasked. Luncheon was served at 11:30 o'clock. The hall was



tastefully and appropriately decorated for the occasion. Music for the dance was furnished by the Imperial orchestra of Buchanan, and appreciation is expressed in metrical form, as follows:

It comes like the morn, at the dawning, and lives through the riotous day.
It gambols o'er seaside and mountains, with nymphs and with naiads at play;
It soothes like a drowsy confection, it thrills like ambition new-born,
It fades, as the day into twilight, this magic of string and of horn.
It comes like a swell from the ocean with faint undulations at first,
Then onward, resistless its volume, till breakers in ecstasy burst;
Then winds moaning mournfully over the lost ones tossed up by the sea—
Appeared is the god of the ocean—its spirit is calm and is free.
It comes like a flower in the spring time when past is the dark and the gloom,
The bud, then the leaf—then the blossom bursts gloriously forth into bloom;
It carries a while—then it withers, in rapture we list for the sound
Of perfumed and delicate petals that flutter and fall to the ground.
It comes like a dream at the cradle that coaxes the sleeper to smile
It wakes with melodious assurance that life, after all, is worth while;
It lives and pulsates with the passions, the chords of our being respond,
Like a soul at peace with its Maker, in silence it passes beyond.

CONSIDER GAS FRANCHISE BRYANT TO SPEAK HERE

Few Minor Changer Are Suggested by Committee

Authority on County System of Road Building Coming

At a meeting of the common council last Tuesday evening, the committee appointed to examine the franchise submitted by the Niles Gas Light company, submitted a report, suggesting a few amendments, which met with the approval of the council.

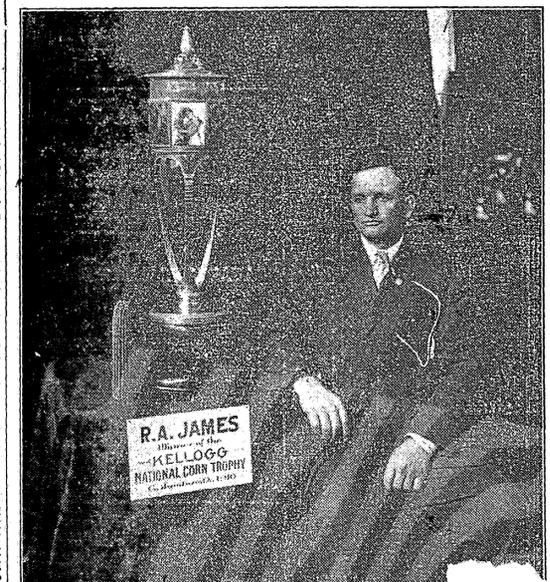
Wednesday, April 19, will be celebrated in Buchanan as "Good Roads Day," and W. M. Bryant, of Kalamazoo, who has charge of the county system of good road building in Kalamazoo county, will be one of the speakers.

The instrument was then referred to Village Attorney Sanders, and as soon as he approves the franchise, the same will be referred back to the Niles Gas Light company, and if the changes suggested are satisfactory, the council will then submit the franchise to a vote of the electors.

A. A. Worthington, chairman of the committee on speakers, is in receipt of a letter from Mr. Bryant, under date of the 8d instant, in which the writer says: "It will afford me great pleasure to accept your kind invitation for April 19."

Mr. Bryant is looked upon as one of the foremost authorities in the state on the county good roads system, which Berrien county has recently adopted, and it is thought he will be a great drawing card.

V. H. Leonard has the contract to remodel the interior of the Morris building, occupied by the Michigan State Telephone company.



R. A. James, Winner of W. K. Kellogg Trophy, with the 1910 Champion Ear

THE MARKETS.

Grain, Provisions, Etc.

Chicago, March 7.

FLOUR—Easy; winter wheat, soft, Jute, 4.10@4.25; straight, Jute, 4.20@4.35; clear, Jute, 4.30@4.45; spring wheat, special brands, wood, 4.50; Minnesota, 1911 spring, straight, export best, 4.60@4.75; first clear, 4.30@4.45; second clear, 4.20@4.35; low grade, 4.10@4.25; extra white, per 50 lb. Jute, 83.00@84.00; 85.00.

WHEAT—Strong, May, 84.00@85.00; July, 84.00@85.00.

CORN—Advanced, May, 41.00@42.00; July, 42.00@43.00.

OATS—Weak, May, 20.00@21.00; July, 20.00@21.00.

BUTTER—Creamery, extra, 20; price to retail dealers, 27; prints, 20; extra firsts, 24; firsts, 24; seconds, 15; third, 10; No. 1, 15; packing stock, 14.

EGGS—Miscellaneous lots, cases included, 12@14; cases returned, 11@12; 1st quality firsts, 14; 2nd quality firsts, 12; 3rd quality firsts, 10; extra, 15; No. 1, 12; No. 2, 10; No. 3, 8; No. 4, 6; No. 5, 4; No. 6, 3; No. 7, 2; No. 8, 1; No. 9, 1; No. 10, 1; No. 11, 1; No. 12, 1; No. 13, 1; No. 14, 1; No. 15, 1; No. 16, 1; No. 17, 1; No. 18, 1; No. 19, 1; No. 20, 1.

POTATOES—Choice to fancy, 42@43; fair to good, 38@39; 40@41; 42@43; 44@45; 46@47; 48@49; 50@51; 52@53; 54@55; 56@57; 58@59; 60@61; 62@63; 64@65; 66@67; 68@69; 70@71; 72@73; 74@75; 76@77; 78@79; 80@81; 82@83; 84@85; 86@87; 88@89; 90@91; 92@93; 94@95; 96@97; 98@99; 100@101; 102@103; 104@105; 106@107; 108@109; 110@111; 112@113; 114@115; 116@117; 118@119; 120@121; 122@123; 124@125; 126@127; 128@129; 130@131; 132@133; 134@135; 136@137; 138@139; 140@141; 142@143; 144@145; 146@147; 148@149; 150@151; 152@153; 154@155; 156@157; 158@159; 160@161; 162@163; 164@165; 166@167; 168@169; 170@171; 172@173; 174@175; 176@177; 178@179; 180@181; 182@183; 184@185; 186@187; 188@189; 190@191; 192@193; 194@195; 196@197; 198@199; 200@201; 202@203; 204@205; 206@207; 208@209; 210@211; 212@213; 214@215; 216@217; 218@219; 220@221; 222@223; 224@225; 226@227; 228@229; 230@231; 232@233; 234@235; 236@237; 238@239; 240@241; 242@243; 244@245; 246@247; 248@249; 250@251; 252@253; 254@255; 256@257; 258@259; 260@261; 262@263; 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Dan Merson inspected the modern packing plant, which is being erected at New Carlisle, Ind., last Thursday.

C. M. Glover has been confined to the house with the grip recently.

John Hanover has sold his 40-acre farm, situated about five miles west of town, to Clark & Beck, and has purchased from them a house on Dewey avenue, and will move his family to town at once.

Attorney A. A. Worthington and W. A. Palmer were in South Bend last Friday on a business mission.

Chas. Hows has sold his property on Portage street to J. W. Beistle.

Attorney F. R. Sanders was in South Bend on a business mission last Friday.

The "500" club met with Miss Ella Hahn Friday evening. A most enjoyable time is reported.

Harley Raymond entertained about 50 of his friends Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bishop were in Chicago last Saturday.

Chas. Hoffman was called to South Bend Friday on account of the serious illness of his granddaughter, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hinkle.

E. B. Ross and wife attended the theatre in South Bend last Thursday evening.

The representative of a duster plant was here from Monon, Ind., Friday with a view to locating the factory here.

The regular meeting of the directors of the Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance company took place here Saturday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Wm. Thayer took place Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Allen has sold her residence property on Front street to Harry Hains.

Isaac Wells, treasurer of Bertrand township, settled with the county treasurer at St. Joseph last Thursday.

Sebring Phelps has returned from Chicago, where he secured orders for \$2,000 worth of electric fireless cook-stoves.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Imhoff last Thursday night, an 8 1/2 pound baby girl.

W. E. Mutchler has accepted a position as solicitor for the Bishop Creamery Co.

W. F. Bainton was at St. Joseph last Friday.

Mrs. Dutton Beckeling of Michigan City, visited her mother here Friday and Saturday.

E. S. Roe, local agent for the Elm-nore automobile, delivered a Model 36 Elm-nore to Mr. Bradford of St. Joseph, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hague and family of South Bend, attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Thayer here last Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Barlow spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Buchanan.

Mrs. Steinbeck has been sick with tonsillitis of late.

Ralph Allen and family have returned from Montana.

W. E. Pennell and wife spent Sunday in Berrien Springs.

Mrs. H. E. Sherritt, who has been visiting her parents, G. W. Noble and wife, has returned to Chicago.

Jack Bishop has returned from Chicago, where he bought \$1,500 worth of machinery for the creamery at Arilla, Ill., which the Bishop Creamery Co. has purchased.

E. S. Roe went to Saginaw Monday to attend the state convention of the Retail Hardware Dealers' association of Michigan.

Work has been resumed on the store building O. B. Treat is to erect on Day's avenue.

E. B. Weaver intends to build a house on Clark street in the near future.

Mr. Spafford, the lyceum bureau entertainer, has broken ground for a house he is to build on River street.

Grant Bowman and family of Harper, Ill., have moved here and will reside on the Owen farm, near McCaslin bluff, which Mr. Bowman purchased through the real estate firm of Clark & Beck.

H. M. Pilcher and family have arrived here from Chicago, and will take up their residence on the Carothers' farm, about a mile east of town, which Mr. Pilcher bought about a year ago. Mr. Pilcher travels for the Atlas Portland Cement Co., and intends to hire a man to do the work on the farm.

An interesting debate took place in the tenth grade of the high school Friday morning on the subject, "Resolved, That the Panama Canal Belt Should be Fortified." Miss M. Peacock was the leader of the affirmative side and Mr. W. Kent of the negative. Messrs. Stryker, Adams and Worthington acted as judges and decided 134 to 168 in favor of the affirmative. Each side presented strong arguments.

ANNUAL TAX SALE

State of Michigan, County of Berrien, ss. The Circuit Court for the County of Berrien in Chancery. In the matter of the petition of Oramel B. Fuller, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State, for the sale of certain lands for taxes assessed thereon. On reading and filing the petition of the Auditor General of the State of Michigan, praying for a decree in favor of the State of Michigan, against each parcel of land therein described, for the amounts therein specified, claimed to be due for taxes, interest and charges on each such parcel of land, and that such lands be sold for the amounts so claimed by the State of Michigan. It is ordered that said petition be brought on for hearing and decree at the April term of this court, to be held at the City of St. Joseph in the County of Berrien, State of Michigan, on the tenth day of April, A. D., 1911, at the opening of the Court on that day, and that all persons interested in such lands or any part thereof, desiring to contest the lien claimed thereon by the State of Michigan, for such taxes, interest and charges, or any part thereof, shall appear in said Court, and file with the clerk thereof, acting as register in chancery, their objections thereto on or before the first day of the term of this Court above mentioned, and that in default thereof the same will be taken as confessed and a decree will be taken and entered as prayed for in said petition. And it is further ordered that in pursuance of said decree the lands described in said petition for which a decree of sale shall be made, will be sold for the several taxes, interest and charges thereon as determined by such decree, on the first Tuesday in May, thereafter, beginning at 10 o'clock a. m. on said day, or on the day or days subsequent thereto as may be necessary, to complete the sale of said lands and of each and every parcel thereof, at the office of the County Treasurer, or at such convenient place as shall be selected by him at the county seat of the County of Berrien, State of Michigan; and that the sale then and there made will be a public sale, and each parcel described in the decree shall be separately exposed for sale for the total taxes, interest and charges, and the sale shall be made to the person paying the full amount charged against said parcel, and accepting a conveyance of the smallest undivided fee simple interest therein; or, if no person will pay the taxes and charges and take a conveyance of less than the entire thereof, then the whole parcel shall be offered and sold. If any parcel of land cannot be sold for taxes, interest and charges, such parcel shall be passed over for the time being, and shall, on the succeeding day, or before the close of the sale, be reoffered, and if, on such second offer, or during such sale, the same cannot be sold for the amount aforesaid, the County Treasurer shall bid off the same in the name of the State. Witness the Hon. Orville W. Coolidge, Circuit Judge, and the seal of said Circuit Court of Berrien County, this 17th day of February, A. D., 1911.

Countersigned, ORVILLE W. COOLIDGE, Circuit Judge.

(SEAL) ROY CLARK, Register.

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

To the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien, in Chancery: The petition of Oramel B. Fuller, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State, respectfully shows that the list of lands hereinafter set forth and marked "Schedule A," contains a description of all the lands in said County of Berrien, upon which taxes were assessed for the years mentioned therein, and which were returned as delinquent for non-payment of taxes, and which taxes have not been paid; together with the total amount of such taxes, with interest computed thereon to the time fixed for sale, and collection fee and expenses, as provided by law, extended against each said parcel of land. Your petitioner further shows to the Court that said lands were returned to the Auditor General under the provisions of Act 206 of the Public Acts of 1893, as delinquent for non-payment of said taxes for said years respectively, and that said taxes remain unpaid; except that lands included in said "Schedule A" for taxes of 1890 or prior years were returned to the Auditor General as delinquent for said taxes under the provisions of the general tax laws in force prior to the passage of Act 206 of the Public Acts of 1891, and which taxes remain unpaid. Your petitioner further shows that in all cases where lands are included in "Schedule A" as aforesaid for taxes of 1890 or any prior year, said lands have not been sold for said taxes or have been heretofore sold for said delinquent taxes and the sale or sales so made have been set aside by a court of competent jurisdiction, or have been cancelled as provided by law. Your petitioner further shows and avers that the taxes, interest, collection fee and expenses, as set forth in said "Schedule A," are a valid lien on the several parcels of lands described in said schedule. Your petitioner further shows that the said taxes on said described lands have remained unpaid for more than one year after they were returned as delinquent; and the said taxes not having been paid, and the same being now due and remaining unpaid as above set forth, your petitioner prays a decree in favor of the State of Michigan against each parcel of said lands, for the payment of the several amounts of taxes, interest, collection fee and expenses, as computed and extended in said schedule against the several parcels of land contained therein, and in default of payment of the said several sums computed and extended against said lands, that each of said parcels of land may be sold for the amounts due thereon, as provided by law to pay the lien aforesaid. And your petitioner will ever pray, etc. Dated, February 10, 1911.

ORAMEL B. FULLER, Auditor General of the State of Michigan, for and in behalf of said State.

ANNUAL TAX SALE.

TAXES OF 1906.

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Moving Picture of Galien Happenings.

NEW DEPOT FOR GALIEN

Michigan Central Contemplates Erection of Neat Structure

The Michigan Central Railroad company contemplates the erection of a new depot here. Recently, Messrs. LaHommedien, Brown and Snow, high officials of the company, were here and looked over the ground, and it is expected that a new structure will be erected this year.

Galien is conceded to be the best town of its size along the line of the Michigan Central, and the company concedes that it is entitled to a depot in keeping with its importance from a business standpoint. It is expected that the new depot will be built of brick and stone.

BUY TELEPHONE LINE

District No. 6 Company to Own System North of Galien

Messrs. Horace Morley, Henry Swem, Warren Hagley, Wallace Kelley, Lewis Prenkert, John McDonald, Roscoe Hawk, Milton Morley and Clayton Smith, and Miss Mary Clark have purchased from the Michigan State Telephone company about four miles of telephone line, running north and west of town, and have bought 'phones from the Western Electric company.

The company, which will be known as District No. 6 company, has elected Horace Morley, president, and Henry Swem, secretary.

The Friday Club

The Culture club met Friday, Mar 3, at the home of Mrs. E. H. Prince, and the following program was enjoyed:

Roll call, Current Events; two of the "Idylls of the King" were given; "Gaius Verus" was given by Mrs. Richard Westland, and "The Passing of Arthur" by Mrs. J. W. Buell.

The next meeting will consist of "Household Economics" and will be held at the home of Mrs. Harris.

Short on Illumination

The outlook is that the street lamps will not be lighted till June, as the \$500 which was appropriated by the village board of trustees last spring for lighting purposes has been expended.

The Citizens' Ticket

The following is the list of nominations for village officers made by the Citizens' caucus: For president, Francis A. Norris; for clerk, George J. White; for treasurer, Frank G. Hall; trustees for two years, John T. Dempsey, Daniel S. Robe and Daniel W. Swem; for assessor, C. A. Roberts.

The Union Ticket

At the union caucus last Thursday evening, the following ticket was nominated: For village president, E. H. Prince; for clerk, D. B. Prince; for treasurer, E. H. Harner; for assessor, J. T. Dempsey; for trustees, Wm. De Veis, C. F. Hess and Chas. H. Lyon.

School Notes

The ninth grade botany class is studying leaves.

Elizabeth Higbee leaves soon for her new home in Superior.

The physics class had a written test last Friday afternoon.

Elizabeth Luther from Cassopolis, entered school here last week.

The ninth grade English class is having recitations after school.

The eleventh and twelfth grade literature classes have finished "Macbeth."

The pupils of the primary room have been studying about the country and people of Holland. Many good drawings, paper cuttings and stories have been the result.

The pupils of the primary room who were neither absent nor tardy during our six months of school are: Conway, Louis and Dollie Allen, Echo Fuller, Florella Green, Clyde Eickhorn, Marshall Harris, Robert Grooms, Jack Robinson; Bernice Pryon, Geo. Schrupf, Arthur and Otto Gutowsky and Alice Harrington.

Easter post cards at White Bros' Galien.

George Painter was in town Friday.

Mrs. May Simmons is on the sick list.

Henry Ender was a Glendora caller Friday.

Lloyd Babcock was at Glendora Friday.

Miss Edith Kilmark spent Saturday in Niles.

Mrs. Eli Silvius was at Glendora Saturday.

Clayton Smith was in Buchanan Saturday.

Frank Hall was in St. Joseph Wednesday.

Mrs. F. O. Higbee and Walter Hig-

bee and wife spent Monday in South Bend.

Mrs. Louise Scott of Glendora, was in town Friday.

George Boyce of Glendora, was in Galien Saturday.

Ellis Renbarger spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Mrs. Emily Platt of Glendora, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Jennie Glover was at St. Joseph Wednesday.

Dale DeVoe is suffering with an attack of the 'grip.'

Mrs. Serviss of Glendora, was in Galien Wednesday.

New birthday post cards at White Bros' Galien.

Mrs. Fred Andrews was at Buchanan Wednesday.

Lloyd Babcock and Lou Truitt were at South Bend Monday.

Pearl Pyle and Grace Painter were in South Bend Thursday.

Miss Ola Green spent Sunday with her parents, C. H. Green.

Mr. Norman and daughter, Elva, spent Wednesday in Niles.

Albert Jannasch attended the minstrel show in South Bend.

Just received a carload of chestnut coal. G. A. Blakeslee & Co.

Mrs. E. S. Babcock and son, Orville, were at Glendora Wednesday.

Miss Etta Boyce spent Sunday with E. S. Babcock and family.

Pearl Roberts and wife spent Sunday in South Bend with friends.

For Sale—One Shetland pony, full blood. Dr. F. O. Higbee, Galien.

Mrs. John Chilson, who has been visiting in Three Oaks, returned home Friday.

Mrs. Jesse Toland and children of Glendora, spent Sunday with T. Payne and wife.

Inez Ender of New Carlisle, spent Sunday with her parents Lewis Ender and wife.

E. J. Robinson and wife of Water vliet, spent Sunday with Mrs. Maude Robinson.

Claire Ostrander and children, of Buchanan, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

Albert Renbarger of Kalamazoo, spent Sunday with friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. Brewer spent Saturday in Glendora, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Verna Kool.

John R. White has gone to Chicago to accept a position with the Automatic Electric Co.

Children's gingham and percale dresses from 50 cents to \$1.00. G. A. Blakeslee & Co.

Mrs. Beckwith of Benton Harbor, was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Alta Harner, Saturday.

Mrs. Chas. Green was called to Buchanan Wednesday on account of the illness of her father.

A son, now known as Orlis Deane, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Spaulding a few days ago.

Miss Altha Priace, who has been visiting relatives in Chicago the last month, returned home Tuesday.

The finest baby bonnets ever seen in Galien for from 25 cents to \$1.25. G. A. Blakeslee & Co.

We have left a few of those \$1.00 men's shirts, which we are closing out at 25 cents. G. A. Blakeslee & Co.

St. Patrick post cards at White Bros' Galien.

Those from Galien who attended the funeral at New Troy of Grandma Babcock were Mrs. J. W. McKnight, Mrs. Chas. Clark and Chas. Green.

Cream Cake

Makes You Hungry to Look at It
By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

When company arrives unexpectedly, this cream cake often covers an otherwise embarrassing situation, for it answers the place of any other dessert as it can be stirred up quickly.

K C Cream Cake
One-half cup butter; 1 cup sugar; yolks of 2 eggs; beaten light; 1/4 cups sifted flour; 2 level teaspoonsful K C Baking Powder; 1/2 cup cold water; whites of 2 eggs, beaten dry.

Cream the butter; add the sugar, yolks of eggs and water; then the flour, sifted three times with the baking powder; lastly the whites of eggs. Bake in two or three layers; put these together with cream filling, and dredge the top with confectioner's sugar.



Cream Filling
One-fourth cup sifted flour; 1/2 teaspoonful salt; 1 cup hot milk; 1 egg, beaten light; 1/2 cup sugar; 1 teaspoonful vanilla extract; 1 ounce chocolate.

Mix flour and salt with a very little cold milk; stir into the hot milk and cook ten minutes; add the chocolate and stir until it is melted and evenly blended with the flour mixture, then beat in the egg mixed with the sugar, and lastly the vanilla.

You need the K C Cook's Book, containing this and 89 other delicious recipes—sent free upon receipt of the colored certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder. Send to the Jagers Mrs. Co., Chicago

'Guy Pierce' who was ill in South Bend for a week with a light attack of appendicitis, came home Wednesday.

Misses Mildred Oswald, Edith Bard and Winnie Clark spent Sunday in Chicago; the guests of Miss Bard's parents.

Mrs. Alice Rose, who has been spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. May Simmons, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Kaiser of Michigan City, is spending a week south of town with her daughter, Mrs. H. Wendland.

A few pairs of the job lot of shoes, which were closing out at cost, still remain. Now is the time to buy. G. A. Blakeslee & Co.

Miss Hettie Best is the new operator at the local exchange of the Home Telephone company. There will be two day shifts from now on.

Hiram Boyce and daughter, Etta, of Union Star, Miss., were called to Galien, Wednesday, on account of the serious illness of his mother, Mrs. George Boyce.

Lloyd Babcock, who has been visiting for the last two weeks in Plymouth, Ind., returned home Thursday, accompanied by his grandmother, Mrs. Eli Silvius.

John Kelley and wife of Dumont, Iowa, who were called to Buchanan on account of the death of her father, W. S. Morley, and who visited here later, went to Buchanan Friday.

GALIEN R. F. D. No. 2

Miss Edith Kilmark was in Niles Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Swem was in Buchanan Tuesday.

Liddie Morley spent Sunday with Winnie Shank.

Leo Metzger and wife were in Glendora Sunday.

Line 13 has new telephones installed in their homes.

Mrs. Otis Stearns is visiting near daughter, Mrs. Henry Swem.

Elorence Prenkert is spending several days with relatives in Niles.

Mesdames Delbert Pierce and Will Renbarger were at Andrew Mitchell's Friday.

Will Renbarger and family spent Sunday at the Jay Wooley home in Eaton.

Misses Sylvia and Bertha Morley spent Sunday with Florence and Nora Prenkert.

Milton Morley and wife spent Sunday with Jack Hanover and wife near Buchanan.

Miss Alta McDonald of Buchanan, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. McDonald.

Several of the school children of Weesaw No. 6 received stick pins from the Children's Home of St. Joseph for selling cards.

A number from here attended the dance at Gleaner hall Friday evening. All reported a fine time. There will be another dance there March 17.

ELM VALLEY

A. Clark of our vicinity is on the sick list.

Miss Kimball spent Saturday night and Sunday with Ruth Roberts.

Mrs. Hattie Stoner's mother, Mrs. Most, is laid up with a lame back.

Mrs. Hartfert is in such poor health they have had to employ a housekeeper to do the work.

Mr. and Mrs. Butler of New Buffalo, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Roberts.

Veterinary Barnes of Three Oaks, was called to Frank Kiser's last Tuesday to prescribe for a sick cow.

Will Partridge has moved into a part of Mrs. Moore's house to be nearer his work, as he is erecting a new house near there.

A candy social was given at Elm Valley school house last Saturday night. A goodly number of people were present and a general good time is reported.

Fred Luther, who recently moved onto his father's farm, met with quite a serious accident, one of his horses kicking him and fracturing two ribs and injuring his back.

Frank Kiser drove to Bridgman last Sunday to see how his mother was getting along. He thinks her health is improving some. Her daughter, Rosa, is caring for her.

Mrs. Benson returned last Saturday from Chicago after a stay of nearly three months, being confined nearly all the whole time while there in the house with a severe attack of the grip. She was confined to her bed for some time, consequently the trip she had planned to Chattanooga, where she intended to spend the winter months, had to be abandoned.

Has Millions of Friends.

How would you like to number your friends by millions as Bucklen's Arnica Salve does? Its astounding cures in the past forty years has made them. Its best Salve in the world for sores, ulcers, eczema, burns, boils, scalds, cuts, corns, sore eyes, sprains, swellings, bruises, cold sores. Has no equal for piles. 25c at E. R. Stauffer's.

THE SPEED OF NO RETURN.

Velocity a Body Must Have to Leave Earth and Never Come Back.

There are a great many odd terms in science none of which has a title so weird as the speed of no return. This means the velocity a body must have in leaving the earth in order for it never to come back. It has been accurately worked out and is found to be about seven miles a second. Now, though this speed has never been obtained by artificial means on the earth, still it is interesting to note the theory as regards the further actions of the body. It would continue outward in a curved line until it was controlled by balancing forces, mainly the earth, moon and sun, in such a way as to make it have an orbit of its own. So it would go on revolving forever just as any other planet.

Although this speed has never been obtained by artificial means, it is found in nature on the earth, and its application has a great deal to do with animal life on our planet. As is well known, it is a pet theory of the scientists that the earth is losing its atmosphere, just as the moon has already lost hers, on account of the wonderful vibrational speed of the molecules of a gas. Hydrogen gas is known to have a molecular velocity of over the necessary amount, and it is a startling proof of the theory that no free hydrogen is found in our atmosphere. The theory is that this gas on being set free rises on account of its lightness and when it gets to the outside edge of our ocean of air is left behind on one of its jumps, the earth going forward at a great rate itself, something like eight miles a second.

As the earth gradually lost its atmosphere it would become colder and colder on account of its inability to hold the heat received from the sun, and all animal and vegetable life would cease. This has already happened to the moon, its temperature never rising above zero, though the sun shines on it for two weeks at a time.

It is needless to say that even if this speed could be obtained by a cannon ball or other comparatively small body the friction with the air on its way would immediately burn it up, just as the shooting stars we see are burned up before reaching the earth. So if the visiting of the moon ever takes place it will have to be accomplished in a carriage with very thick sides and made of a material whose melting point is very high.—New York Tribune.

Utilizing the Waste Product.
A parish in the highlands had been cut off from communication with the nearest town owing to a severe storm. Supplies began to give out, and the minister was much perturbed in mind, as his snuffbox was quite empty. The Sabbath came round. How was he to get through his discourse without the aid of his usual stimulant? He appealed to his faithful benchman, the sexton. Alas, he was in a similar unsatisfactory predicament! How was it to be remedied? Andrew shook his head, thought long and suddenly disappeared. Presently he returned with something resembling snuff wrapped carefully in paper. The minister took a hearty pinch or two and then asked: "Where did you get it, Andrew?" "Please, sir, I just went and swept the pulpit out," was the reply.—Dundee Advertiser.

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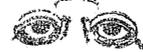
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Hats Off to The Chicago Tribune.

The Senate has "vindicated" Lorimer; now who will vindicate the Senate?—New York World.

[Record Herald.]

Of course the Senate will never be vindicated. It is self-condemned for all time, and it is a pleasant relief to turn from that august body to the press, and particularly to the Chicago Daily Tribune, which affords us a most refreshing contrast.

The Tribune feels the disgust of all honorable men and all honorable newspapers for WHITE and his kind, but it printed WHITE's confession and investigated WHITE's charges from a sense of public duty. It took up a case that abounded in risks and perplexities and revolting features, the outcome of which was extremely doubtful, because it believed that there was corruption in the legislature of Illinois that should be exposed and cast out for the salvation of the state.

The Record-Herald applauds its motives, its resourcefulness, its cour-

age and its perseverance against all the powerful interests that came to the aid of the experts in bribery. While the Senate openly gathers in and cherishes the fruits of corruption, The Tribune has the satisfaction of knowing that it has fought a good fight, that it has done the state and the country a great service, that it has prevented the spread of a foul disease, and so earned the gratitude of the press and the people.

the next national convention.

Before the day was out everybody was a Harmon man, which is not a slight for Hugh L. Nichols, chairman of the Ohio Democratic executive committee, who is also the manager of the Harmon campaign. They do things differently in Ohio in playing the political game. There the state central committee elects an executive

committee to handle the campaign, and the way that the democrats have been doing things there shows that Nichols is some performer. During the afternoon Mr. Nichols received a telegram from Gov. Harmon stating that, as Senator-elect Pomeroy would assume his duties March 4, he took pleasure in appointing him lieutenant-governor.

DEMOCRATS CONVENE AND FAVOR HARMON

Before State Convention Ended Delegates Were Unit

PLATFORM COVERS ISSUE

John H. Kinnane of Bay City and H. Sanford of Mt. Pleasant Head Ticket as Candidates for Supreme Bench

THE DEMOCRATIC STATE TICKET

Justices of the Supreme Court—John E. Kinnane, Bay City; H. H. Sanford, Mt. Pleasant.

Members Board of Agriculture—John A. Weston, Lansing; A. E. Stevenson, Port Huron.

Regents of the University—John W. Anderson, Detroit; Dr. Henry F. Kremers, Holland.

Members State Board of Education—James A. King, Manistee.

Superintendent of Public Instruction—John B. Cleveland, Muskegon.

Harmony and helpfulness were the marked characteristics of the Democratic convention at Muskegon last Thursday and the opportunity to extend felicitations was made full use of. It is a good many years since either of the big parties swung off the beaten track and the Muskegon county Democrats showed their appreciation by tendering the delegates a banquet in the evening, at which the flow of oratory assumed national proportions.

Through stress of circumstances Michigan Democrats have to take a broad view of the events and they made the most of it in the platform that was adopted, dealing almost entirely with national issues. Experience has taught the party leaders the value of being forehanded, so they got together and wrestled with several planks for hours before an agreement was reached. At Kalamazoo last year an initiative and referendum plank was blocked, but in view of the activity displayed by the dominate party along the same lines, it was nailed down without any friction, though it was noticeably brief.

RECIPROCITY FAVORED

It fell to the lot of Mark Stevens of Flint, who is running for circuit judge, to raise the only ripple to the convention. He objected to the plank commending the Democratic members of the congress in rising above their party to support President Taft's reciprocity agreement with Canada. He wanted to show the farmers of his section that he was with them; so he made a brief speech against that clause, but he was promptly sat upon by Frank D. Eaman of Detroit, who was chairman of the resolutions committee. One farmer delegate also opposed it, but the sentiment of the convention was overwhelmingly in favor of reciprocity and the platform went through as it had been framed.

The really interesting feature of the convention was the sentiment that was developed in favor of Gov. Harmon of Ohio, as the party's next standard-bearer, and it can be set down now that he will have the support of the Michigan delegation in

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The following letters are self explanatory:

Louisville, Ky., January 25, 1911.

Mr. H. A. Hathaway, Buchanan, Mich.

Dear Sir: I am very much pleased to have your letter of the 23rd and know you have become identified with land owners in Baldwin County.

The future of that county cannot be estimated, by even what it is at present. You saw enough to know the actual conditions. I question if there is another county in the United States its equal. I am quite sure there is none its superior in possessing the number of aggressive, progressive, intelligent and practical farmers, truckers and livestock interests who have from the Northland come into that county within the past six years.

I believe that the next three or four years will see double if not triple the population of the county as at present and land values will shortly take leaps and bounds. The climatic and special temperature conditions of Baldwin County are peculiar, and possessed, as far as I can learn, by no other county or section elsewhere. There may be in foreign countries; I cannot say, but I do not believe they exist in the United States. With the Gulf of Mexico and its warm waters during the winter and its cool breezes during summer, with a temperature of the water about 84 degrees the year round, on the southern border of the county, and with Mobile Bay with its protecting waters from the winds of the west and north-west chilly blasts, on its western border, and with the beautiful Perdido Bay bordering the county on the east side, you have a section isolated and specially favored. Within the interior of the County the magnificent fresh water rivers and creeks with its fish, and the lakes and bays composed of salt and fresh water give three distinct fish foods, namely, fresh water, brackish, composed of fresh and salt water, and the salt water of the Gulf. The productiveness of the soil speaks for itself.

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I wish you would favor me with the names of parties to whom you sell from time to time. We desire to keep in touch with them, and when they move south give them our personal help and become their friend.

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Bay Minette, Baldwin Co., Ala.,
Feb. 9, 1911.

Mr. H. A. Hathaway,
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Dear Sir: Your enquiry in regard to the financial standing of the Bay Minette Land Company reached me just as I was leaving for the West and I had no opportunity to answer it earlier.

The company owns upwards of 35,000 acres of land in Baldwin County around Bay Minette and over 1,100 city lots in the town. This property is all paid for. Our stockholders having invested in the land and improvements to the land.

Our officers consist of the president, Hampton D. Ewing, a member of the law firm of Ewing & Ewing, 67 Wall Street, New York City, who is also vice-president of the First National Bank of Yonkers, N. Y. Our vice-president is Thomas Ewing, Jr., a member of the same firm, the treasurer is E. W. Lancaster, for many years a member of the stock exchange banking house of R. A. Lancaster & Sons, at 10 Wall street, New York City, and now associated with them although not a member of the firm. These are all directors and the remaining two directors are Charles L. Kingsley, attorney for the New York Telephone Company, and P. Tecumseh Sherman, attorney of New York City and a son of General William T. Sherman.

Among the thirteen stockholders there are several each of whom could buy the company out with his own resources. These are all interested personally in the success of the company. Yours very truly,
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 JOHN W. BEAUMONT..... Detroit
 JASON WOODMAN..... Paw Paw

Despite a stirring appeal by Governor Osborn, the Republican state convention held at Saginaw last Thursday omitted from its platform an indorsement of Canadian reciprocity.

All the nominations made were unanimous and there was not five



minutes debate over the report of the resolution committee.

Jason Woodman had three opponents for the second nomination for member of the state board of agriculture, George W. McCormick of Menominee, H. F. Probert of Jackson and W. K. Pruden of Lansing, but, though the first ballot did not give Mr. Woodman a majority, the other candidates withdrew and the nomination was made unanimous.

RECIPROCITY PLEA IN VAIN.

Governor Osborn, in his address, declared "it is impossible to indorse the Taft administration without indorsing Canadian reciprocity, the greatest of President Taft's works."

The delegates from the farming sections, however, were understood to be opposed to reciprocity and the platform as it came from the resolutions committee without any mention of the pending treaty, was not altered.

The platform indorses President Taft and Governor Osborn and asks the legislature to adopt an adequate workmen's compensation act.

The platform as prepared for the consideration of the resolutions committee also contained an indorsement of United States Senator William Alden Smith. As submitted to the convention and adopted it omitted the indorsement of Senator Smith. Members of the committee stated that it was thought the reference might be construed as an indorsement for re-election and it was decided that the expiration of Smith's term was too far away for such indorsement.

PRIMARY REFORM SOUGHT.

The legislature is asked to revise the primary election law, so that it will require complete publicity of candidates' expenditures and limit the amount of expenditures; also, if possible, to prevent members of one party from participating in another's primary.

Other recommendations are for civil service; review of the taxation system by a commission of experts, and the placing of express companies and their rates under the jurisdiction of the railroad commission.

Governor Osborn and the appropriation committees of the house and senate are commended for announcing a refusal of all special appropriations not essential to continued operation of the state institutions.

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Leah Ferry was born September 20, 1836, in Perry township, Snyder county, Pennsylvania, and departed this life Wednesday night, March 2, aged 74 years, 5 months and 10 days.

In 1858 she was married to George Shetterly. Unto this union eleven children were born, of whom 7 survive her. Mrs. Emma Best, of Weesaw; Amos Shetterly, of Litchfield, Mich.; Levi Shetterly, of South Bend; Alice Shetterly, of Buchanan; Harvey Shetterly, of Niles; Agnes Shetterly, of Weesaw and Mrs. Cora Harroff, of Buchanan. She also leaves 29 grandchildren, 12 great-grandchildren and many other relatives and friends.

When 18 years of age she united with the Evangelical church, and after moving to this county in 1873, she has ever been a silent worshiper of her Heavenly Father.

The funeral was held from the Evangelical church at Buchanan. Interment was made in Oak Ridge cemetery.

A precious one from us has gone, A voice we loved is stilled; A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled.

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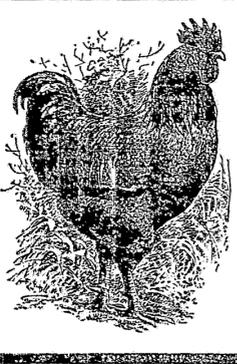
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COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

DAYTON.

Mrs. J. B. Stryker was at Galien Tuesday.

Sherman Redding was at Buchanan Tuesday.

R. H. Jorritsma of Three Oaks, was here Saturday.

F. V. Eastman of Benton Harbor, was here Wednesday.

Ethel Jones of Galien, spent Sunday with Belle Strunk.

Fred J. Richter of Dowagiac, spent Sunday with his parents.

Mrs. Karr of Niles, spent Tuesday the guest of Mrs. Chas. Koenigslof.

Misses Agnes and Clara Ernsperger of South Bend, spent Sunday with their parents.

Mr. Kanouse moved Tuesday into his house, which he recently purchased from Mrs. Alsbaugh.

Ray and Carrie VanLew returned home Wednesday after a week's visit with relatives in Indianapolis.

Mrs. F. H. Weaver and daughter, Nathalie, of Buchanan, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Sherman Redding.

The social last Saturday evening was a success both socially and financially. The sum of \$22 was realized.

Wm. Bromley and wife spent Tuesday and Wednesday near Hamilton, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. A. Storm.

Mrs. Clarence Cauffman of Portage Prairie, spent Saturday and Sunday the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Dreger.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. VanLew and daughter, Carrie, spent Sunday near Galien, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ross Burrus.

Buchanan callers Friday were Mrs. L. Dreger and daughter, Hattie, Wm. Bromley and daughter, June, Harry and Belle Strunk and Lewis Compass.

Charley Doughton of Chicago, came Saturday evening to the home of S. C. Sarver and is now suffering a slight attack of appendicitis.

The Dayton mill has changed hands, Mr. Eastman of Benton Harbor, having purchased it. The mill will only be operated Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

Word was received here last week announcing the arrival of a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Phirman Edwards, of Danville, Ill. Mrs. Edwards was formerly Miss Cora Allen of this place.

Those who attended the card party at the Charles Matthews home last Thursday evening were Will Fette and wife, S. C. Sarver and wife, F. E. Strunk and wife, Miss Blanche Sheldon, Messrs. Campbell, Sheldon, Darling, Doughton, Sheldon; Shreffler and Ernsperger.

Fred J. Richter, of Dayton, is the lucky holder of a post card which, no doubt, has made a tour of the world considering the time it has traveled around and the places it has visited. But the readers of this article can judge for themselves whether it has made a tour of the world or not. This card was of course, sent away by Mr. Richter to be returned to him after its travels. August 31, 1910, the card was sent to an unknown friend in Lota, Chile, South America, and from there it was mailed to another friend in Mhon, India. From there it was mailed to another friend in Molo, British East Africa, and from there it was mailed once more back to Mr. Richter and it will probably remain in his possession for some time or until someone offers Fred a gold mine for it. The card was received by him Feb. 27, lacking just a few days of being gone six months. A postage stamp of each nation visited is on the card and no less than a dozen post marks are shown thereon. The reverse side of the card has spaces filled out by each one that received it and also the owner's address.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

WEST BERTRAND.

Listen for the wedding bells.

Alvin Kanouse has moved to his home in Dayton.

Frank Lamb of Buchanan was a business caller here Saturday.

Mrs. Alva Olmstead, who has been sick with quinsy is improving.

If all reports are true there will be a Bowersy dance floor in Dayton soon.

Miss Julia Donley of Cleveland, O., is visiting at the John Donley home.

J. B. Currier had the misfortune to have a horse badly hurt Thursday.

Mrs. Amos Harroff called on Mrs. Mrs. D. E. Hinman the first of the week.

Mrs. S. B. Currier and daughter Dortha were South Bend callers Friday.

Wm. Reinke and Wm. Strunk having traded properties will move Wednesday.

Mrs. Otis Nutting and children of Dayton, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Darling.

It is rumored that Mrs. N. Swank contemplates building a hotel in Dayton.

Miss Marion Daw, of Chicago, spent the first of the week with Dortha Currier.

Ed Leifer and wife called at the home of Frank Strunk and wife Sunday afternoon.

Flora Currier of Buchanan, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Currier.

Mrs. Elizabeth Alsbaugh, who had the misfortune to fracture her limb, is slowly improving.

Max Foster returned home Friday from Valpariso, Ind., where he has been attending college.

The U. B. ladies' Aid and neighbors spent Wednesday with Mrs. John Burrus and sewed rags.

Ralph Sebasty left Sunday evening for Lansing, where he will attend Agriculture college.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Sarver spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Loo Riteher of Buchanan.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Reinke of Dayton, spent Sunday with the formers sister, Mrs. Amos Harroff.

Chas. Frame and family of South Bend, spent Sunday with the formers' parents, A. Frame and wife.

Mr. L. Dreger and daughter Hattie called on Mrs. Clarence Cauffman, of Portage Prairie, Friday.

Miss Georgia Daltymple, who has been visiting Miss Jennie Knight, of Glendora, has returned home, Landon Knight re-arriving with her.

Ward Doughton and Richard Schreffler of Millerstown, Pa., arrived in Dayton Tuesday. They expect to remain in Michigan during the summer.

Mr. Charles Doughton, who is employed at the pumping station in Kensington, is staying with S. C. Sarver at present, suffering an attack of appendicitis.

The Ladies' Aid met at Mrs. S. A. Ferguson's and re-organized last Wednesday. Mrs. Till Burrus was chosen president. This week they meet with Mrs. Burrus.

The Royal Neighbors will hold a variety social in the Woodman hall at Dayton, March 18.

Come young and old,
Both short and tall,
And they will try
To serve you all.

Miss Bessie Matthews entertained a number of friends at her home Thursday evening, playing progressive pedro for amusement until late, when delicious refreshments were served. Mrs. S. C. Sarver and Walter Ernsperger received prizes as winners, John Marble and Frank Campbell the "hoobies."

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

PORTAGE PRAIRIE

Miss Lulu Moyer spent Sunday at home.

W. A. Woomer was in Chicago on business, Monday.

Trella Rough returned to school Monday after several weeks' illness.

Mrs. Brown of St. Joseph, visited her sister, Mrs. Emory Rough, last week.

Mrs. W. A. Womer spent Sunday at the home of her mother near Hinchman.

Rev. and Mrs. Kring and son, Paul, enjoyed an evening with E. J. Rough and wife last week.

Mrs. Emma Putman of Plymouth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rough, the first of the week.

Messrs. Jacob and Emma Housworth of Buchanan, spent the week-end with friends on Portage Prairie.

A contribution of \$25 was given Sunday by the Evangelical society for the benefit of the China famine sufferers.

Mrs. Chas. Clemens and daughters, Iva and Helen of Bakertown, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cauffman.

Miss Elnora Hawblitzel returned to her school near South Bend Monday, after being home several days on account of illness.

Miss Clara Schafer spent Sunday at her home near Three Oaks. Her sister, Anna returned with her to spend a few days.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

NEW TROY.

Miss Belle Tatro, the intermediate teacher, is sick and out of school.

Alonso Ferry is confined to his bed with rheumatism.

Ernest Baldwin and daughter, Edna, visited his sister, Mr. A. E. Ferry, of Niles, over Sunday.

Albert Hinchman went to Michigan City Saturday, returning Monday.

Edith and Carrie Addison of Chicago, spent Sunday and Monday with their parents.

The building committee for the basement of the M. E. church held a meeting Monday evening. We expect soon to begin work.

Geo. Sanford has his new house nearly completed.

Mrs. Harry Tibbles spent last week in Chicago.

District Supt. Fox and a missionary preached at the M. E. church Tuesday. Members and friends of the church served dinner at noon.

Mrs. A. R. Smith is sick with grip.

Agusta Kreiger came home from Three Oaks last week sick with a very bad cold.

BEAVER DAM

School began Monday.

George Hart was in New Carlisle Saturday.

Perry Glover of New Carlisle, was here Thursday.

Ernest James began plowing on his farm last week.

Ernest Keefer is still confined to his home by sickness.

Wink Keefer will move to Oak Meadow farm this spring.

John Jerue is home from a business trip to the twin cities.

Mrs. Mattie Jerue is entertaining her mother from Glendora.

Wm. Mell of South Bend, was on his farm here a few days ago.

Quite a number of sugar camps are in operation in this section.

Joe King of Benton Harbor, began work for J. B. Jerue this week.

Major Walker of New Carlisle, has been a recent business caller here.

A family from South Bend will occupy a tenant house on the Mell farm soon.

Clara Hampton visited relatives near New Carlisle several days this week.

George Hart is able to be out again after a month's illness with lung fever.

Bert Rumsey and wife visited the Joe Bowker family at Olive Branch, March 1.

Dick Hampton has the material on the ground for many rods of new fence this spring.

C. A. Ray and wife of Galien, spent Thursday with H. A. Goodenough and wife.

It is reported that LeRoy Payne may purchase the Godfrey Sheely farm at Spring Creek.

Seymour Harris and wife of Galien Centre, called at the H. A. Goodenough place Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Goodenough had an attack of quinsy last week but is on the road to recovery.

Pat Crooker of Galien, spent Saturday and Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. Joe Heckathorn.

Mrs. Joseph Sheely of Chicago, was called here last week by the serious illness of her father.

Wm. Townsend from Sixteen was here this week shaking hands with old neighbors and friends.

Ernest Jerue purchased a first-class work horse at the Joe Bowker sale last week, paying over \$200.

The George France home contained as guests Saturday and Sunday the Art France family of New Carlisle.

Pearl Maran of Oak Meadow has recently been the guest of her uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Rogers.

John Chevie and D. L. Zaring of Three Oaks, passed through our village Saturday afternoon in the formers' auto.

The Edward Maxon family have been released from their quarantine of two months. All are reported in good health.

Mrs. Nellie Zaring and Grace Roswell of Three Oaks, were at the home of the formers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Smith, over Sunday.

BIG REMOVAL SALE!

Having decided to quit business in Three Oaks and locate in another town, I will conduct a

30-DAYS SALE

of my entire stock, beginning

Saturday Morning, March 11

... and ending ...

Saturday Night, April 8, 1911

EVERYTHING GOES 1-4 OFF AND BETTER

Stock consists of Chinaware, Silverware, Tinware, Enamelware, Glassware, Lamps, Jardinieres, Pictures, Stationery, Work Baskets, Books, Hosiery, Laces, Ribbons, Dolls, Toys Ladies Head Gear, Children's Chairs and Rockers, Doll Cabs, Ladies Purses, and everything found in a good store

| | |
|---------------------------------------|--------|
| \$3.00 Japanese Fruit or Solid Dishes | \$2.00 |
| \$2.50 Tankard Pitcher | \$1.75 |
| \$2.00 2-Piece Cream and Sugar Set | \$1.35 |
| \$1.00 4-Piece Glass Set | 65c |
| \$2.25 Glass Water Set, 8-Piece | \$1.50 |
| \$2.25 Fancy Lamp | \$1.69 |

Laces at 1-2 Regular Price.

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| Post Card Albums, regular price \$125,- | Sale price 85c |
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A COUPON WILL BE GIVEN WITH EACH PURCHASE OF 25 CENTS ON A 100 PIECE DINNER SET, VALUED AT \$15 TO BE DRAWN THE LAST DAY OF SALE.

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I am very desirous of disposing of my stock, rather than move it, and all goods will be cut to rock bottom prices. Take advantage of these rare bargains as they may never happen again in a lifetime.

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| TAXES OF 1908 | City of St. Joseph | Township 4, South of Range 19, West. | Charges | Total |
|---|--------------------|--------------------------------------|---------|----------|
| South of Northwest corner of said Section, thence South 40 rods, and extending east same width to St. Joseph river, except strip sold to Ry. Co. for right of way, Sec. 25..... | \$88.66 | \$23.05 | \$3.55 | \$116.26 |
| CITY OF ST. JOSEPH. | | | | |
| Lot 34..... | .81 | .21 | .03 | 2.05 |
| Freitag's Second Addition. | | | | |
| Lot 18..... | 26.35 | 6.85 | 1.05 | 35.25 |
| Hoyt's Second Addition. | | | | |
| N 1/2 of Lot 6, Blk. 27..... | 42.70 | 11.10 | 1.71 | 56.51 |
| Marsh and McKelb's Addition. | | | | |
| Lots 5, 20 and South 1/4 of Lots 8 and 19..... | 50.07 | 13.92 | 2.00 | 66.09 |
| University Lots, Township 4, South of Range 19 West. | | | | |
| 33 feet fronting on Morton Ave., bounded N by land owned by Kuschel, E by Alley, S. by land owned by Nimmo, W by Morton Ave. in University Lot 13, Sec. 23..... | 17.85 | 4.64 | .71 | 24.20 |
| University Lots, Township 4, South of Range 19, West. | | | | |
| Part of Lot 5, commencing 44 feet South of Southeast corner of Lot 1, Frye's Addition, thence Southerly along Niles Avenue 56 feet, thence Westerly at right angles 132 feet to alley, thence Northerly along Alley 56 feet thence Easterly at right angles 132 feet, to place of beginning, Sec. 26..... | 13.04 | 3.39 | .52 | 17.95 |
| Part of Lot 12 described as commencing at a point 236 feet South of Northwest corner of said Lot 12, thence East 99 feet to alley, thence South along alley 40 feet, thence Westerly 99 feet to South State St., thence North on West line South State St., to place of beginning, Sec. 26..... | | | | |
| Part of Lot 26, being all East of Lake Shore Road, Sec. 26..... | 82.44 | 21.43 | 3.30 | 108.17 |
| N 1/2 of Lot 33, Sec. 26..... | 68.22 | 17.74 | 2.73 | 89.69 |
| VILLAGE OF BERTRAND. | | | | |
| Entire Village Sec. 20..... | 1.86 | .48 | .07 | 3.41 |
| VILLAGE OF BUCHANAN. | | | | |
| Fulton's Addition. | | | | |
| Lot 16..... | .27 | .07 | .01 | 1.35 |
| Lot 18..... | .27 | .07 | .01 | 1.35 |
| VILLAGE OF COLOMA. | | | | |
| Baker & Jones Subdivision. | | | | |
| East half of Lot 38..... | 1.00 | .26 | .04 | 2.30 |
| Lot 37 and W 1/2 of Lot 38..... | 9.27 | 2.41 | .37 | 13.05 |
| VILLAGE OF EAU CLAIRE. | | | | |
| Gano's Addition. | | | | |
| Lot 2, Blk. 2..... | 1.05 | .27 | .04 | 2.36 |
| VILLAGE OF NEW BUFFALO. | | | | |
| Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 3..... | 1.18 | .05 | .01 | 1.24 |
| Virginia Company's Addition. | | | | |
| N 1/2 Blk. 269..... | .18 | .05 | .01 | 1.24 |
| VILLAGE OF WATERVILLE. | | | | |
| Lot 147 and House..... | 1.99 | .52 | .08 | 3.59 |
| Improvement Co's Addition. | | | | |
| Lot 8, Blk. G..... | .27 | .07 | .01 | 1.35 |
| Seedys Addition. | | | | |
| Lot 2..... | 10.11 | .42 | 1.00 | 14.57 |
| Beechwood Point. | | | | |
| Lot 97..... | 1.33 | .05 | 1.00 | 2.73 |
| Lots 98 and 99 Wineika Cottage. | | | | |
| Lot 108 Cottage..... | 10.71 | 4.24 | .67 | 22.72 |
| Lot 108 Cottage..... | 3.35 | .87 | 1.30 | 5.35 |
| Bowles Landing. | | | | |
| Lot 3 and Cottage, Blk. 3..... | 5.02 | 1.31 | .20 | 7.53 |
| Columbus Addition to the City of Benton Harbor. | | | | |
| Lot 3, Blk. 5..... | 1.03 | .27 | .04 | 2.43 |
| First Addition to Greenwood Park. | | | | |
| Lots 33 and 34, 50-100 acres..... | 5.58 | 1.45 | .22 | 8.25 |
| Revised Plat Forest Beach. | | | | |
| Lots 19 and 20..... | 9.19 | 2.39 | .38 | 12.96 |
| Lot 25..... | 1.01 | .26 | .04 | 2.31 |
| Lake Shore Addition to Bridgman. | | | | |
| Lots 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48 and 49, Blk. 3..... | 1.50 | .39 | .06 | 2.95 |
| Lot 42, Blk. 4..... | .15 | .04 | .01 | 1.20 |
| Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and 24, Blk. 5..... | 3.00 | .78 | .12 | 4.90 |
| Lot 15, Blk. 7..... | .13 | .03 | .01 | 1.17 |
| McAllister's Addition to the City of Benton Harbor. | | | | |
| Lot 184..... | 23 | .04 | 1.00 | 2.17 |
| McAllister's Second Addition to the City of Benton Harbor. | | | | |
| South 46 feet of Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, and North 38 feet of Lot 45, and South 66 feet of Lot 63..... | 2.75 | .72 | .11 | 4.58 |
| Pote's Addition to the City of Benton Harbor. | | | | |
| Dot 18, Blk. B..... | 2.30 | .60 | .09 | 3.99 |
| Lot 21, Blk. B..... | .47 | .12 | .02 | 1.61 |
| North 40 feet of Lot 6, Blk. C..... | | | | |
| Lots 8, 10, 11, 12, 13, 15, 17, 21, and 22, Blk. D..... | 7.53 | 1.96 | .30 | 10.79 |
| Pratt's Second Addition to the City of Benton Harbor. | | | | |
| Lots 53, 67 and 68, Blk. C..... | 8.25 | 2.15 | .33 | 11.73 |
| Lot 74, Blk. D..... | .82 | .21 | .03 | 2.06 |
| Lots 75, 76 and 77, Blk. D..... | 7.23 | 1.83 | .29 | 10.40 |
| Revised Plat of Somerleyton. | | | | |
| Lot 5, Blk. 2, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |
| Lot 4, Blk. 6, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |
| Lot 2, Blk. 7, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |
| Lot 3, Blk. 7, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |
| Lot 15, Blk. 8, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |
| Lot 2, Blk. 12, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |
| Lot 1, Blk. 13, 12-100 acres..... | .26 | .07 | .01 | 1.34 |
| Lot 2, Blk. 13, 12-100 acres..... | 2.48 | .64 | .10 | 4.22 |
| Lot 3, Blk. 13, 12-100 acres..... | .26 | .07 | .01 | 1.34 |
| Lot 4, Blk. 13, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |
| Lot 5, Blk. 13, 12-100 acres..... | .26 | .07 | .01 | 1.34 |
| Lot 1, Blk. 14, 12-100 acres..... | .31 | .08 | .01 | 1.40 |

PLAN COPPER MERGER

FEDERAL INJUNCTION IS ONLY OBSTACLE IN WAY.

Stockholders of Nine Companies Give Informal Consent to Consolidation With Calumet and Hecla.

Boston, March 8.—The consolidation of nine companies in northern Michigan with the Calumet and Hecla Mining company, which holds stock in all, received the informal approval of not only the stockholders of the main company, but of two of the minor organizations, the Allouez and the Tamarack.

Through an order of the United States circuit court of northern Michigan granting a temporary injunction against consolidation at this time none of the companies could vote directly on the question, so an informal expression of opinion was obtained, and there were but few dissenters.

On Thursday the stockholders of the Osceola company will vote informally, and it is then that the principal opposition is expected, for it was one of the Osceola stockholders, G. H. Hyams of New York, who obtained the injunction.

If the injunction is removed by the courts, all the companies will meet on April 25 to act directly on the proposed merger.

Under the plan, the nine companies, Allouez, Tamarack, Ahmeek, Seneca, Centennial, Laurium, LaSalle, Superior and Osceola will be merged into the Calumet, whose capital is increased to \$10,000,000.

HIGH COURT UPHOLDS BLAIR

Disfranchisement of 1,000 Voters by Adams County, Judge Ratified by Ohio Supreme Tribunal.

Portsmouth, O., March 8.—More than 100 indictments will in all probability be reported in Scioto county by the grand jury as the result of a decision by the Ohio supreme court upholding the disfranchisement of more than 1,000 voters in Adams county by Judge A. Z. Blair. When those disfranchisements were taken to the supreme court, Judge Blair dropped the investigation of Scioto county's affairs and waited until his action in Adams county was ratified by the bench. Now the probe will go on and these indictments may be returned this week.

ACCUSE PRIEST OF SEDITION

Bishop of Oporto to Be Dismissed From Portugal for Encouraging People to Revolt.

Lisbon, March 8.—The government has decided to dismiss the bishop of Oporto on the grounds that he urged the priests of his diocese to read the forbidden pastoral letter and also encouraged the people to revolt.

FOUR PLEAD NOT GUILTY

Detroiters Deny Charge That They Conspired to Defraud Government of Coal Lands.

Detroit, Mich., March 8.—Four of the seven men indicted by the federal grand jury here on a charge of conspiracy to defraud the United States government out of 48,000 acres of coal land in Alaska, valued at more than \$50,000,000, appeared before Judge Swan. They were Wilbur W. McAlpine, Arthur L. Holmes, McCurdy Lebeau and Frank D. Andrus, all of Detroit. Pleas of not guilty were entered and each was released on bonds fixed at \$2,000 with one surety.

BABY TIED TO CHAIR, BURNS

Little Hazel Boyce Is Cremated While Undergoing Punishment by Mother—House Is Destroyed.

Janesville, Wis., March 8.—Tied to a chair by her mother to punish her burned Boyce, aged two years, was hazel to death. Her brother, Hughie, aged four years, was burned severely when fire which destroyed the Boyce home occurred during the mother's absence. Effie, aged three, and Chester, aged one, were carried from the burning home. The older children overturned a pan of grease on the fire.

ALL JOLIET HUNT FOR BOY

Herman Labo, Aged Four Years, Missing, and Schoolboys, Police and Citizens Search Country.

Joliet, Ill., March 8.—Three hundred schoolboys, the police and a sympathetic public are searching the city and surrounding country for Herman, four-year-old son of Joseph Labo, a prominent florist of Joliet. The child was last seen Monday afternoon. While the parents were visiting in Chicago the maid left the boy to his own devices and he disappeared.

MOOR KILLS A FRENCHMAN

Melilla, Morocco, March 8.—E. Mangin, the chief of the French military mission at Fez, was killed by the son of the Moroccan minister of war because the French officer had caused the execution of two native soldiers.

SUSPECT ENDS HIS OWN LIFE

Man Arrested on Charge of Plotting to Kill King Alfonso Commits Suicide.

Madrid, March 8.—Shortly before the royal train bearing King Alfonso and his entourage passed through Alcazar San Juan on the way from Madrid to Seville, the police arrested Ventura Bagaria, who posed as a dynamite salesman, but was suspected of being an anarchist. After the man had been questioned and locked up in a cell he committed suicide.

DIADEM IS HER CROWN

MR. AND MRS. ADOLPH BUSCH CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Husband Presents Wife With Diamonds and Jewels Worth \$200,000 at Their Fiftieth Anniversary.

Pasadena, Cal., March 8.—Adolph Busch, president of the Anheuser-Busch Brewing association, and Mrs. Busch, enthroned, amidst their relatives and friends, celebrated their "500,000 golden wedding," while from Europe, Asia, Africa, North and South America, Australia and the islands of the sea came greetings. Ten thousand joined in the celebration.

Wherever there is a branch of the brewing company the day was spent in merrymaking.

In 42 states of the Union and everywhere else that the company has an employe the day was a holiday, the employes were entertained by dinners and theater parties, and thousands of telegrams of felicitation poured in upon Mr. and Mrs. Busch at Pasadena.

Emperor William sent a solid gold loving cup; so did former President Roosevelt, and President Taft sent one of the new St. Gaudens \$20 gold pieces in an ivory case.

The receipt of a solid gold plate, about eight by ten inches, the gift of the employes of the Anheuser-Busch brewery in St. Louis, so overwrought the sensibilities of Mr. Busch that he collapsed.

From their children came a dozen solid gold dinner plates, valued at \$25,000; the grandchildren presented them with a solid gold flower basket costing \$15,000, and the branch managers all over the world joined in a solid gold vase valued at \$200,000.

These are but a few of the magnificent gifts showered upon them, and when the festivities at Pasadena were beginning Mr. Busch placed upon Mrs. Busch's head a solid gold, diamond studded diadem costing \$200,000.

PERJURY, LEADS TO CELL

Five Witnesses Confess They Told Untruths to Aid Oleo Moonshiners Who Get Long Terms.

Chicago, March 8.—Wholesale perjury, confessed before United States District Judge K. M. Landis, not only failed of its purpose to keep Peter K. Brimle and K. K. Brimle, oleo moonshiners out of prison, but it added to the punishment inflicted upon them for their illicit dealings in near butler.

Four young women and one man admitted to the court that at the instigation of the Brimle brothers they had previously given perjured testimony, in which they had been carefully coached at a secret night meeting in one of Brimle's stores.

Judge Landis sentenced Peter K. Brimle to serve six years in the penitentiary at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and to pay a fine of \$18,000. K. K. Brimle was fined \$5,000 and sentenced to four years in the same prison.

FEMININE WISDOM

Said He—There are a few things that a woman doesn't know about herself.

Said She—Yes, and those are the very things her dearest "friend" takes pleasure in telling her.

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ABE RUEF IN PRISON

FORMER POLITICAL BOSS BEGINS 14-YEAR SENTENCE.

Exhausts Every Legal Resource to Escape Penitentiary—Obtains One Grain of Comfort.

San Francisco, March 8.—Having exhausted every legal resource in a three years' struggle to escape the penitentiary, Abraham Ruef, former political boss of San Francisco, was sent to San Quentin last night to begin a 14-year term for the bribery of supervisors during the regime of Mayor Eugene F. Schmitz.

As a final concession to the fallen boss he was removed from the county jail here to the penitentiary in a taxicab instead of in the regular van.

Ruef anticipated the usual prison regulations by having his mustache removed and his hair cropped closely before his departure. Only a handful of his former lieutenants and friends were at the ferry to bid him farewell.

Warden Hoyle of San Quentin has announced that Ruef will be put to work in the jute mill of the prison.

Attorneys for the prisoner will continue their fight for his liberation by making application to the supreme court for a rehearing and, that failing, the intervention of the federal courts may be sought.

The cases of a number of men indicted at the time of the Ruef-Schmitz graft disclosures were continued by Judge Lawlor to April 19.

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LOCAL NEWS

Mesdames Jack Kenyon, Wm. Miller, Frank Lamb and Cress Weldon entertained the members of the Royal Neighbor drill team Thursday evening, with a luncheon in their hall.

If persons who have empty beer bottles belonging to me will please notify me I will send for the bottles, Jack Kenyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Whright of Vicksburg, were guests of Frank Borst and wife and other relatives last week.

Mrs. Chas. Thayer of Niles, attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Thayer Sunday.

Misses Cleo and Dora Portz spent Sunday at Niles.

Mrs. W. E. Coleman was at St. Joseph Tuesday.

John Morris was at Niles Monday.

W. D. Pitcher went to Niles and South Bend Monday.

Sig Desenberg and daughter went to Lawton Monday.

Frank Thayer of Oklahoma and the Misses Thayer of California, who accompanied the remains of their mother hither from Oklahoma, arriving here last Saturday, went to Niles Tuesday to visit relatives and returned to their homes Wednesday.

F. E. Shreve left Tuesday for Leavenworth, Kas., with a view to locating a gasoline engine factory.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tichenor, who have been spending the winter in Florida are expected home this week.

Wm. Coverdale left Wednesday for Kokomo, Ind.

D. L. Yanderslice was in Chicago Wednesday.

Eli Helmick went to South Bend Wednesday.

Mrs. Carrie Williams went to Decatur yesterday.

Miss Blanche Williams went to Jackson yesterday.

Fred Mead was in Bridgman Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Smith and son were at South Bend Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Powers was at South Bend Tuesday.

Mrs. Clara Richards has gone to Rock Island, Ill.

Alvin Morley was at the county seat this week.

Wm. Womer has returned from Michigan City.

C. Dutton was at Niles Monday.

J. C. Rough was at Gary Monday.

Mrs. Caroline Webster of near Berrien Centre, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wright.

The LaMode's early spring millinery opening takes place tomorrow and Saturday. See their display ad elsewhere in this paper for particulars.

Writing The Record from Racine, Wis., Mrs. Harvey Hess says: "Enclosed please find money order to renew our subscription. We cannot get along without The Record. We read with much interest the letters from other 'wanderers' from Buchanan, and anxiously wait for the paper each week. We have had the mildest weather in Racine this winter we have ever seen. We haven't had over a foot of snow and only a couple of days of sleighing."

Wm. Haslett is about to move from the House and Womer farm in Bertrand township to the Haslett homestead, two miles south of Buchanan, which he recently purchased. Claude Haslett is to move from the Haslett homestead to his father's farm, southwest of Buchanan. Joseph Swartz of Buchanan, has bought the House and Womer farm, and will take possession next week.

A miscellaneous shower was given Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Genevieve Miller, who is to be married next Friday evening to George Currie, who resides a few miles west of town. The shower was given by the members of the Methodist Sunday school class of the groom-to-be at the home of Mrs. Wm. Miller, sister of the bride-to-be.

Mrs. E. Parkinson has decided to install a new plate glass front at her millinery store. V. H. Leonard has the contract.

The Royal Neighbors were entertained at two o'clock tea last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Glyde Catterlin, assisted by Mesdames Sig Desenberg and Lou Smith.

S. Swayze of Muskegon is visiting relatives here.

Dr. Fox, superintendent of the M. E. church for the Niles district, will preach here Sunday evening, March 12. Let the members and friends of the church take notice and give him a good audience.

Dr. Fred Bonine and L. E. Wood of Niles, sailed Saturday on the steamer Abangarez from New Orleans en route to Colon, Isthmus of Panama. It is about 900 miles across the Gulf at this point.

Regular review of East High No. 19, Tuesday evening, March 14. Masquerade party, come masked or pay a fine. Record Keeper.

Jos. L. Richards was in Chicago Friday on a business mission.

Mrs. E. R. Stauffer, who has been visiting her husband, the new druggist, has returned to Hammond, Ind. She will return about the 15th instant, and they will occupy the house to be vacated by Fred D. Poyser.

Miss Florence Rodden very pleasantly entertained the Happy-Go-Lucky club Tuesday evening.

The men of the Presbyterian church will give a lunch box social tomorrow evening. A program will be carried out and coffee will be served. All are invited.

A stranger giving his name as G. Jacobs hired a team from Liverymen Chas. H. Zvergel of Niles, but failed to return the outfit. Sheriff Johnson offers a reward of \$75.

Mrs. Samuel Rehm, mother of John Rehm of Buchanan, died at Hastings, this state, last Friday, at the age of 84 years. She leaves four sons and two daughters. Mr. and Mrs. Rehm attended the funeral, which took place Monday.

There will be a candy social at the DeMott school next Wednesday evening. Everybody invited. Georgia Zerbe, teacher.

Miss Mattie Brown of Mishawaka, was in Buchanan over Sunday.

The youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Hinkle of South Bend, is very seriously ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. C. Rough entertained a number of ladies at cards Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Herbert Roe won the prize. Refreshments were served and all enjoyed a pleasant social time.

The 30 club met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Hattie Blake. Mrs. Pears conducted the map drill for the day. Mrs. East gave a paper on the "Origin of Islands; Miss Wilcox one on the "Waning of the Hard Wood Supply," which was enjoyed by all. After a short recess Mrs. Blake favored the club with a musical selection. Miss Wilcox read an article "The Pine Tree" for Mrs. Torrey. Club adjourned to meet Tuesday, March 14, instead of Wednesday, with Mrs. Roe for "Mother's Day."

A Fierce Night Alarm
is the hoarse, startling cough of a child, suddenly attacked by croup. Often it aroused Lewis Chamblin of Manchester, O., R. R. No. 2, for their four children were greatly subject to croup. "Sometimes to severe attacks," he wrote "we were afraid they would die, but since we proved that a certain remedy Dr. King's New Discovery is, we have no fear. We rely on it for croup and for coughs, colds or any throat or lung trouble." So do thousands of others. So may you. Asthma, hay fever, a gripe, whooping cough, hemorrhages fly before it. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Sold by E. R. Stauffer.

Hunting Scene.
"Had a queer dream last night."
"What was it about?"
"I dreamed a bologna sausage was chasing a Welsh rabbit."



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ROGUES IN UNIFORMS

Donned Official Clothes to Work Their Victims.

CLEVER RUSSIAN SWINDLERS.

The Plausible Old Military Man Who Made a St. Petersburg Jeweler Whom He Robbed Act as His Accomplice. The Energetic Police Agents.

Nowhere is a uniform more potent than in Russia, and that fact has more than once been utilized by swindlers in their daring operations.

Some years ago a jeweler on the Newsky Prospekt at St. Petersburg received a visit one sunny afternoon from an old and decrepit officer in the uniform of a general. The old gentleman was assisted from his carriage to the counter by an attentive footman in livery. With the deftness due to his rank and accompanied him with a chair. The gentleman had come to choose a birthday present for his wife.

The tradesman displayed his most valuable collars and tiaras. The veteran lingered over them lovingly. At last he made choice of a costly suit and intimated that it would meet his purpose.

Tremblingly the old soldier sought in his breast for his pocketbook. He had sallied forth without it. The disappointment of both shopman and customer was acute. The general, however, was not a strategist without resource. With apologies he asked for writing materials and essayed to pen a letter to his home. The excitement acting upon his palsied hands made his writing illegible. The jeweler was in despair. The old man sighed and remarked upon the sad consequences of campaigns. The jeweler was touched. He had an inspiration.

"Will your excellency permit me to write the instruction to your dictation?"

The general was delighted and most gratefully accepted the offer.

On the business paper of his firm the jeweler wrote the stumbling words of the veteran:

Dear Anna—I have need of money. Please take 5,000 rubles from my safe and return by bearer. Lovingly yours,
IVAN.

The general's own footman was dispatched with the note. The old man sat admiring the jewels until in due course the servant returned with the 5,000 rubles. The taira was bought and paid for. The jeweler escorted his distinguished client to the carriage and stood bowing as he drove away.

That evening when the jeweler returned to his home his wife asked why he had withdrawn so large a sum from the family safe.

"What sum?" asked the shopkeeper in surprise.

"Why, the 5,000 rubles you sent for this afternoon."

"Five thousand rubles! I don't understand."

"Heavens, here's your letter!"

The wife produced the letter in the jeweler's own handwriting upon the jeweler's own business note paper, and he for the first time realized that the common name of Anna and the common name of Ivan were respectively those of himself and his wife as well as of the palsied officer and his visionary spouse.

The jeweler had paid for the officer's taira.

Of the same genre, though differing in detail, was another swindle perpetrated upon a jeweler in St. Petersburg. The mystery surrounding the composition of the secret service force is the most effective, too, in the hands of the intelligent Russian criminal.

On the Grande Moskala is one of the most magnificent jewelry stores in Europe, the house of Fauberge. To it one day drove up a splendidly appointed equipage, in which were seated two ladies. The ladies descended at Fauberge's and were received as customers of distinction. The older lady introduced herself as the wife of a well known statesman recently returned from abroad. She explained that she had been authorized by her husband to choose a collar of diamonds. The jeweler spread before her the gems of his collection.

After much hesitation the lady picked one of the most expensive, but to her dismay the price exceeded that suggested by her husband. The salesman dreaded to lose so profitable a customer. Could not madam obtain the consent of her excellency's husband to the purchase? The lady meditated and at length begged permission to drive to the office of her husband's ministry—the distance was not great—to show him the collar and gain his permission to buy it. Her companion would remain in the shop during her absence as a hostage. The jeweler was delighted with the suggestion.

The lady departed in her carriage. Time passed—quarter of an hour, half an hour, three-quarters of an hour.

Suddenly there rushed into the shop two police agents, who announced their authority and showed their official badges. They assured the astonished Fauberge that he had been swindled. The jeweler trembled. He produced his hostage. The detectives seized upon her. Protesting, she was hustled into a hack and driven away to the police office.

It was the last the jeweler saw of the woman, the police agents or the diamonds. The detectives were the coachman and the footman of the brilliant equipage, who had changed their clothes and returned to rescue their accomplice.

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For Sale—Maple syrup. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone or write Ray F. Weaver, Buchanan. 7c

Wanted—A single man to work on farm who understands general farm work. Address W. B., care Berrien County Record. 6r

For Sale—S. O. R. I. R. eggs, 4c each, by express, 7c. Mrs. H. C. Morgan, Buchanan. 15p

For Sale—well located house and lot on Lake street near Front. See A. C. Roe. 8c

Wanted—to rent a house and barn in good location. Address box 500 Buchanan 7c

For Sale—Rhode Island red roosters. 7c George Guyberson.

A PAIR OF GLOVES.

The Impudent Store People Wouldn't Take Them Back.

Mrs. Pinkerton's first question was about the gloves.

"Did you exchange them?" she asked.

"No," said Pinkerton. "I didn't."

"There," she complained. "I might have known you would forget it. How careless! I told you the very last thing before you left the house to be sure to attend to it. Really, I don't see how men can be so thoughtless."

"I didn't forget," said Pinkerton. "I tried to change them, but they wouldn't take the things back."

"Wouldn't take them—back?" she said.

"Why not?"

"They said they were soiled."

"Soiled? Well, of all things! If they are they got soiled in their own store. I didn't soil them. I have never had them on my hands. I couldn't get them on. They were half a size too small. They gave me the wrong number. Why didn't you tell them so?"

"I did."

"Whom did you tell?"

"The clerk and the floorwalker and everybody who would listen to me."

"And what did they say?"

"They laughed."

"The impudent creatures! I'll never buy a cent's worth in that store again, you see if I do."

"That's just what I said," Pinkerton put in. "I said you never would."

"And what did they say to that?"

"They laughed again."

"Well, that settles it. I never will buy anything there now. Where are the gloves?"

"In my pocket."

"Let me have them, please. Soiled, indeed! I'll see if they are."

Mrs. Pinkerton unwrapped the package. As she took out the gloves she blushed slightly.

"Well," she said.

"Well?" echoed Pinkerton. "What's wrong?"

"Nothing much," she said. "only this is an old pair of gloves. I cleaned them last week with gasoline. I made a mistake and sent them back instead of the pair I bought yesterday."—New York Herald.

THE BLACK BASS.

Mysterious Habits of the Fish That Puzzle the Naturalist.

Why the black bass bites on one day and refuses every bait the next; why he takes helgramites and only helgramites on Monday, grasshoppers on Tuesday and frogs on Wednesday; why he bites only on dark days for four or five days and then shifts his biting humor to days bright and breezy; why you find him today on sandy bottom and tomorrow on mud and the day after on the rocks, are baffling traits of the bass that relate merely to his sporting relations with the angler. But there are other mysteries that puzzle the naturalist and bear on the organic life of the fish.

Up in Maine are two bass rivers not far apart. In one the fish run often to four, even to five, pounds; in the other rarely above a pound and a half. In one of the largest lakes of New Hampshire the writer's score for a whole season once ran up to 398 fish. Food was evidently abundant for the bass were "chunky" and the viscera thick with fatty tissues. Yet the post-mortem showed in the stomach only glutinous, unrecognizable white matter, and the largest bass of the whole season drew the scales at but a pound and three-quarters. What did those bass live on, and why didn't they grow bigger? Again, in the uplands of Connecticut are two large lakes some eight miles apart. In the one bass are often caught in winter ice fishing; in the other lake almost never in winter, though in its open summer waters bass fishing is the better. Remembering that the bass are supposed to hibernate and in fairly deep waters, would not that fact argue in the late season darker outward hues and deeper bronzes? Yet the head of a large bass hatchery has observed, to the very change of the bass at the approach of winter when his habit and habitat would imply the exact reverse. Such are a few of the anatomical enigmas of the black bass that make him and his paradoxes an interesting study for that open minded angler who blends the naturalist with the sportsman.—Collier's Weekly.

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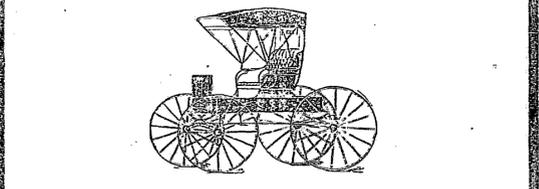
W. P. REAMS, MANAGER



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Are you going to buy a buggy in the near future?



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PUBLIC SALE!

I will sell at public auction, on what is known as the George Samson farm, one mile east of Buchanan, on

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1911

Commencing at 10 a. m. sharp, the following described property:

HORSES

One dark brown gelding, weighing about 1200 lbs.; one bay gelding, weighing 1250 lbs. This is a pair of good general purpose horses.

SHEEP

28 breeding ewes, all of them have lambs by their side. This is an exceptionally fine lot of ewes, as they are all young, and in the best of order.

5 No. 1 Brood Sows, Weighing from 250 to 400 Pounds.

About 200 bushels of potatoes; 150 bushels of oats, 75 bushels of corn, about 4 tons of good marsh hay.

IMPLEMENTS

One 7-ft. cut Champion binder, good as new; one Plano mower, in the best of shape; one 13-shoe Dowagiac grain drill, good as new; one Champion potato digger, one Gale corn planter, one self dump hay rake, one spike tooth harrow, one Gale walking plow, one single and one double shovel plows, one Hoke corn plow, two wide tire wagons, one low down iron wheel wagon with large flat rack, one fanning mill, one pair of bob sleighs, two sets of heavy double harness, one 22-ft. ladder, also one extension ladder, 35 potato crates, one foot-power tool grinder, nearly new; one grind stone, one wheelbarrow, one breech loading shot gun, double barrel, good as new; one nearly new Hot Blast heating stove, one No. 1 8-day clock, a lot of carpenter tools, cross cut saw, scythe, brush hook, grub hoe, heavy pick, crow bars, scoop shovel, forks, hoes, chains, shovels, and many other articles not mentioned

Terms of Sale: All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; all sums over \$5.00 a credit of 6 months will be given, the purchaser giving his note with approved security, without interest if paid when due. If not so paid, 7 per cent interest will be charged from date of note. 6 per cent off on the dollar for cash on all sums over \$5.00. All property must be settled for before leaving premises.

H. A. HATHAWAY, Auct.
H. HOWE, Clerk.

M. SAMPSON, PROP.

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