

GET-TOGETHER MEETING AND BOOSTERS' BANQUET

Highly Creditable Function Planned to Take Place Under Auspices of Business Men's Association March 17.

Matters having an important bearing upon the future welfare of the town will receive attention at a Get-together Meeting and Boosters' Banquet to be held at Hotel Lee, under the auspices of the Business Men's association on the night of St. Patrick's Day, March 17. At a meeting held in the office of Jack Bishop, president of the Business Men's association, last evening, preliminary steps were taken to arrange for what promises to prove a highly creditable function. An elaborate menu will be served, and an orchestra is to be secured for the occasion. One hundred tickets will be placed at the disposal of citizens, as this number, together with invited

or in agricultural matters, and other speakers will respond to toasts appropriate to the occasion.

At last night's committee meeting, H. F. Kingery was delegated to make arrangements with the management of Hotel Lee for the banquet, Peter Bachman was appointed to take charge of the printing of menu cards and tickets, and C. H. Baker was delegated to take charge of the sale of tickets, which will be \$1.00 each.

Chas. Landis was appointed to act as secretary of the committee of the whole, and meetings are to be held each evening at 7:30 o'clock at the office of Mr. Bishop, until all arrangements are completed for the Get together Meeting and Banquet, the object of which is a Greater Buchanan, more factories, more homes and other present necessities.

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EVIDENCE POINTS TO MURDER AND SUICIDE

Bodies of Ralph Cannady and Mrs. Edna Kirk Found in Latter's House Near Cassopolis.

Ralph Cannady, 25 years old, and Mrs. Edna Kirk, 24 years old, both colored residents of Calvin township, Cass county, were found dead Saturday morning in the former's home, and it is believed to be a case of murder and suicide.

Although Cannady was much respected in the neighborhood where he lived, and was known to be of a most peaceable character, the coroner's jury found that he had evidently made every preparation to kill the woman. In the house were found a shotgun, a rifle, a revolver, a "billy" and pair of knuckles. The revolver and knuckles were found in the pockets of the dead man, while the rifle laid beside him and the loaded shotgun stood in a corner close at hand.

Four bullet holes showed in Mrs. Kirk's face and head, all made by shots from the revolver at close range, as the woman's eyebrows were powder burned and the skin was torn as if the weapon had been held but a few inches from her face.

A bullet hole appeared in Cannady's right temple. The bullet which was removed from his brain fitted the caliber of the rifle which laid beside him. It had entered the head and striking a bone had shattered the skull on the opposite side.

Testimony offered before the coroner's jury showed that Cannady had evidently made up his mind to kill Mrs. Kirk some time before. During a visit to Cassopolis, Wednesday, he endeavored to purchase some strychnine, but was unable to tell a straight story concerning the purpose of the poison, and his request was denied.

Witnesses appearing before the coroner Saturday said that Cannady and Mrs. Kirk had arranged to go to a party Friday evening. The former hitched up his team, and the woman went to the Cannady place to get into the rig. Some excuse was undoubtedly made by him to get Mrs. Kirk to enter the house, and it is believed the murder and suicide were committed within a very few minutes afterwards.

Mrs. Kirk was the former wife of Dr. Kirk, a colored physician of Calvin, from whom she separated several years ago. The doctor is now in Chicago.

The scene of the tragedy is about seven miles southeast of Cassopolis.

METROPOLITAN LADIES' ORCHESTRA COMING MONDAY NIGHT, MARCH 3

The Metropolitan Ladies' Orchestra, of Chicago, will give a grand concert at the Evangelical Church, Monday evening March 3.

The company is composed of six ladies and J. A. Conrad. Mr. Conrad, a Buchanan boy, is

Miss Cox, the violinist and director is an artist of very rare ability.

The company covered the greater part of the United States and Canada in the last four seasons and have met with unusual success.

They have never received an unfavorable report.

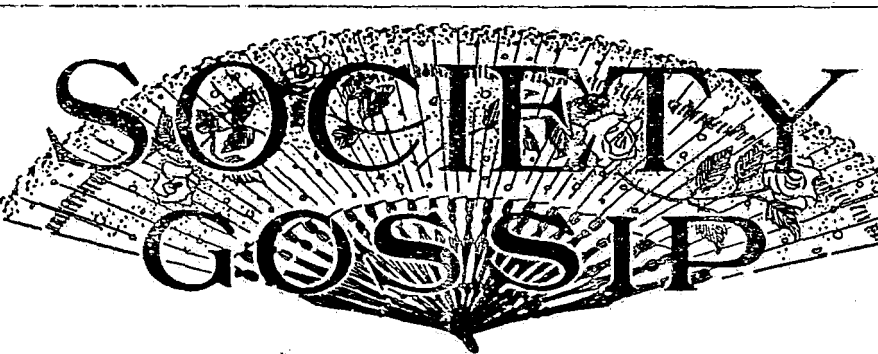


manager, cornetist and violist of the company.

This program consists of full orchestra. Violin, cornet, xylophone, cello, and vocal solos, readings and impersonations, and a string quartette.

Kansas City, Chicago, Madison, Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Edmonton and Philadelphia are among the list dates they have filled.

Don't fail to hear the best concert company ever in Buchanan.



The Happy-go-lucky club met with Mrs. Joe Richards last Friday evening.

Mrs. J. V. Hattie Egbert and J. Portz entertained at cards this afternoon and will also be hostesses this evening at the home of Mrs. V. Hattie on Day's avenue.

Miss Georgia Wilcox and Mesdames Isaac Wells and E. Butts entertained about 60 guests at "500" at the home of Miss Wilcox Thursday evening. First favor was awarded Mrs. D. L. Boardman and second was won by Mrs. M. L. Hanlin. Mrs. Sparks of Berrien Springs, and Mrs. Robert French of South Bend, were guests from out of town.

The second annual Masonic ball took place at Rough's opera house Monday evening. There were nearly 70 couples present, and music was furnished by the Wheeler & Seymour orchestra of Michigan City. The hall was adorned with festoons in the lodge colors, white and blue. At 11 o'clock, the dancers adjourned to the Masonic hall, where a delicious repast was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star. Later dancing was resumed on the floor of the opera house.

The "30" club held the last regular meeting with Mrs. C. H. Baker. Roll call for the day "Locate a Large Body of Water." Mrs. Peck gave a most excellent paper on "Relation of Water to Human Life," which was followed by a piano solo by Miss Laura Mather of Aurora, Ill. After recess, Mrs. Pennell gave a short article on "Life in the Harem." Mrs. Whitman conducted the lesson on "The Fire Worshippers." Miss Mather closed the program with two more selections on the piano. Meeting next week with Mrs. Pasco.

DEATHS

Brother Boniface, aged 85 years, one of the oldest and best known members of the Holy Cross, died at the community house, Notre Dame, last Thursday evening. He spent 61 years of his long life as a brother of the Holy Cross. Notre Dame was but 10 years old when he first came. He prepared himself for his life work, that of teaching, in the old country, coming to America when a young man. For a number of years he has not been in active service. He counted his pupils by the hundreds.

Mrs. W. E. Anstiss, wife of Ex-Sheriff W. E. Anstiss of Laporte, died last Friday. She was 33 years old, and leaves a husband and one child, a boy 12 years old. The funeral took place at Laporte Monday.

John Hanover, a veteran of the Civil war, died at his home here Monday. He was 65 years old. Death resulted from tubercular trouble. Mr. Hanover was born in Berrien county in 1847. He had been a

POLITICS ELIMINATED IN SELECTION OF TICKET

Three Parties Given Recognition at Citizens' Caucus--- Good Men Chosen for Village Offices.

Democrats, Republicans and Progressives have endorsed the action of the Citizens' caucus held Monday night, when a splendid ticket was placed in the field. Each of the three parties above mentioned was given recognition when it came to naming a village ticket, and whereas the Progressives had issued a call for a caucus to be held Tuesday evening for the purpose of placing a party ticket in the field, they were so well pleased with the result of the Citizens' caucus that the following resolution was unanimously adopted at their caucus, held in the office of George H. Black:

"Whereas the ticket nominated by the Citizens' caucus is perfectly acceptable to this caucus, be it resolved that we nominate no other candidates and hereby endorse and pledge our support to the Citizens' ticket."

THE CITIZENS' CAUCUS

At the Citizens' caucus, held at the common council chamber Monday evening, the official call was read by H. F. Kingery. Jack Bishop was chosen to act as chairman, and M. J. Kelling as secretary of the caucus. Messrs. J. C. Dick, H. F. Kingery and M. W. Chubb acted as tellers.

For president, C. F. Pears was the unanimous choice of the gathering, which was large and enthusiastic.

W. O. Churchill was nominated to succeed himself as village clerk. W.

N. Brodrick was nominated for village treasurer, and Henry Eisele was re-nominated for assessor. For trustees, Peter Bachman, Herman Hattenbach and Dr. Butts were nominated, the latter being chosen to succeed himself. Those members of the village council whose terms soon expire, are Trustees Butts, Richards and Adams.

The village election takes place March 10.

The Citizens' committee, consisting of A. A. Worthington, J. C. Rough, H. F. Kingery, H. A. Hathaway and Jack Bishop, was re-elected, and the caucus adjourned, the feeling predominating that a ticket made up of very strong and capable men had been nominated.



A special meeting of the village council was held Feb. 22, 1913, at Dr. Curtis' office. The meeting was called to order at 8 o'clock p. m. by President Hanlin. Trustees present Darby, Curtis, Lamb, Butts and Adams. Trustee Richards, absent. Trustee Butts retired from the meeting shortly after the call to order. A motion was made by Trustee Curtis, seconded by Trustee Adams that the following resolution be adopted:

WHEREAS, The Niles Gas Light company has heretofore executed to the village of Buchanan a bond in the penal sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000) conditioned that the said Niles Gas Light company shall within two years from and after March 29, 1911, complete the laying of ten thousand feet of mains, which said bond was executed to the said village of Buchanan in compliance with the terms of section five of the franchise heretofore granted by the said village of Buchanan to the said Niles Gas Light company, and

WHEREAS, it appears that it has been impossible for the said Niles Gas Light company to comply with the terms and conditions of said bond within said time,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the time fixed in said bond within which said Niles Gas Light company is required to complete the laying of said ten thousand feet of mains, be and the same is hereby extended to the twenty-ninth day of March, A. D. 1915.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the said village of Buchanan will take no action to forfeit said bond or to enforce the collection of the penalty named therein until after the 29th day of March A. D. 1915.

Resolution adopted at council meeting, Feb. 22, 1913, at Dr. Curtis' office.

Upon roll call Trustee Darby voted yes; Trustee Curtis, yes; Trustee Lamb, yes; Trustee Adams, yes. The resolution was adopted.

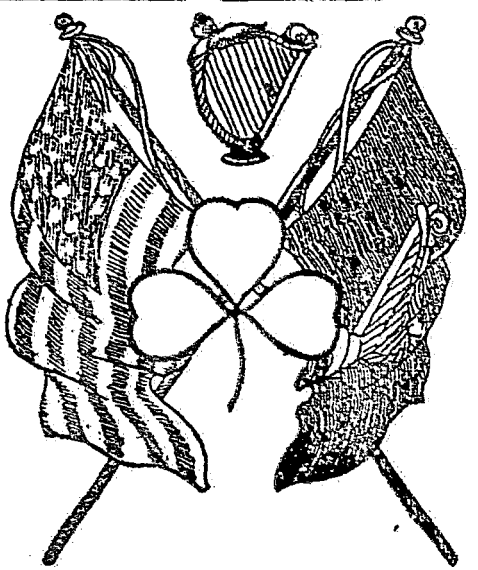
A motion to adjourn by Trustee Darby, seconded by Trustee Lamb, carried. W. O. Churchill, Clerk.

"JOLLY AUCTIONEER RETURNS TO BUCHANAN

H. A. Hathaway is Home From New Mexico—Now Open For Sale Work

Homer A. Hathaway, who went to New Mexico some weeks ago to promote creameries and canning factories for the Hastings Mfg. Co., of Chicago, has returned home. Mr. Hathaway found that diabetes, his ancient enemy, again threatened him as the result of change of diet, etc., hence he has decided to give up all thought of traveling, and will remain here permanently. He will resume his old role as auctioneer at once, and his familiar voice will again be heard in the land, crying "How much am I bid?"

Remember your policy is worth more than your deed after the fire. 20 tf Herbert Roe.



LEFT MEXICO CITY IN NICK OF TIME

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Scoffern There Five Days Before War Was Declared.

D. S. Scoffern of Niles, returned from a southern trip one day last week. He and Mrs. Scoffern were in Mexico City five days before war was declared.

Their hotel, the New Porter, which is headquarters for Americans, has since been destroyed by the bullets of the conflicting armies.

All the time the Scofferns were in Mexico the natives were preparing for war, but it had been officially announced that activities would not begin until March 1.

Mrs. Scoffern remained at New Orleans for a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Hill.

JURY GETS PAY AND A VACATION

Three Marriage Licenses and Signing of Checks Total Business at Court House.

Monday was pay day at the county court house; that is it was pay day for the members of the jury panels, who crowded the office of the county clerk while he was writing checks. Beyond the two weeks' release of the jury the court house was very quiet, no new business being on the calendar and but few marriage licenses issued Saturday and Monday. The marriage licenses are as follows:

Herman W. Barr, 35, and Anna Schutt, 42; Wm. Engle, 21, and Averil Fisher, 18; Frank Kraft, 22, and Bertha Engle, 19.

W. C. T. U. PROGRAM FOR 1913

JAN.—Election of Officers.....Mrs. E. O. Mather
FEB.—Mrs. Westgate, Leader.....Mrs. Carpenter
MARCH.—Mrs. Taber, Leader.....Mrs. E. O. Mather
APR.—Mrs. Arney, Leader.....Mrs. F. Carlyle
MAY.—Mrs. F. P. Kean, Leader.....Mrs. D. W. Kean
JUNE.—Mrs. Tichenor, Leader.....Mrs. Vanderslice
JULY.—Mrs. D. W. Kean, Leader.....Mrs. Wagner
AUG.—Mrs. Brocius, Leader.....Mrs. W. H. Watson
SEPT.—Mrs. Vanderslice, Leader.....Mrs. A. Nutt
OCT.—Mrs. H. Wood, Leader.....Mrs. W. Nutt
NOV.—Mrs. Richardson, Leader.....Mrs. H. Smith
DEC.—Mrs. Chubb, Leader.....Mrs. F. P. Kean

OFFICERS

President, Mrs. Lucy Taber; vice president, Mrs. Frank Carlisle; secretary, Mrs. Carrie E. Smith; Cor. Sec., Mrs. Juliette Rough; treasurer, Mrs. Myrtle Kean; organist, Mrs. Sadie Van Every; chorister, Mrs. Grace Nutt.

FRATERNAL ORDERS

On Friday evening, Feb. 28, Edward Hoyt, special deputy of the Grand Encampment I. O. O. F., will hold a booster meeting at the regular session of Buchanan Encampment, No. 169, in the I. O. O. F. hall. Dowa-giac Encampment will confer the Royal Purple degree. Members of the Niles and South Bend Encampments will be in attendance. Refreshments will be served. All come.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our neighbors and friends, also the soldiers and members of the G. A. R. for the many acts of thoughtful kindness during our bereavement, caused by the last illness and death of our husband and father. Especial thanks are extended the singers and donors of flowers.

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COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

PORTAGE PRAIRIE

Everett Young and wife and the Misses Edna Wiedman and Mamie McMan and Messrs Merle Wiedman and Jay Rhoades were in Buchanan, Mich., the guests of Miss Audrey Emerson.

H. W. Scott is suffering with tonsillitis.

Moving is the order of the day on Portage Prairie now. Solomon Rhoades and wife have moved into the old parsonage building which he recently purchased. Albert Rhoades and wife are now occupying their new home, known as the Isaac Long farm. Andrew Heim and wife will move onto the farm vacated by A. Rhoades. F. Gilnet and family have moved into the Wm. Philp place near Niles while Ed Smith and family will move into the place left vacant by Mr. Gilnet. Mr. Smith comes from Mishawaka but was formerly a resident of this vicinity.

Rev. W. A. Schutte of Naperville, Ill., will lecture at the Evangelical church next Monday evening at 7:30. His subject will be "God's Call to Conquest". The lecture is free and a good attendance is desired.

Elmer Rough and wife entertained at a Washington's birthday party at their home Saturday evening. In a contest prizes were captured by J. M. Swartz and Mrs. W. F. Eisele while W. F. Eisele and Mrs. Greeley Kern carried away the booty prizes.

Glen Moyer and sister Miss Lulu Moyer entertained Saturday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Moyer. Covers were placed for 25 at dinner which was served at one o'clock by Mrs. Moyer, assisted by W. F. Eisele and wife, Arthur Eisele and wife and Mrs. L. B. Rough. Among the guests were Miss Clara Shafer of Baroda, Miss Audrey Emerson of Buchanan, and Edwin Rough of South Bend.

Little Hester Scott submitted to an operation last week for the removal of an abscess from the brain. She is improving nicely at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Wood of Niles.

The band met last Thursday evening at which time organization took place. The following officers were elected: Pres. Clarence Ebinger; Vice Pres., Oscar Swartz; Sec. Jay Rhoades; Treas. Earl Bestie. A committee composed of L. B. Rough, Clarence Ebinger, Glen Moyer and Merle Wiedman was chosen to draw up the Constitution and by-laws.

G. R. Scott and wife entertained a few friends at dinner Thursday of last week.

Several families from here attended the dinner given Saturday by Mr. and Mrs. John Cruffman at their home near New Carlisle.

Miss Cleo Vantilburg, teacher at the "Dutch Corner" school is confined to her home in Berrien Springs, being threatened with nervous prostration.

John Dempsey and wife of Galien, spent the week-end with Thos. Houseworth and family.

GLENDORA

Mrs. Jessie Toland and children visited friends in Galien last week.

Miss Grace Hartline attended the ball at Baroda Friday evening.

Wm. Louis and Glen Smith were at St. Joseph Saturday.

Frank Norris of Galien, spent Tuesday at this place.

Mrs. Geo. Boye visited friends at Galien Tuesday.

Mrs. E. Haynes was taken seriously ill Tuesday.

Prince Mahomet Zulfman will give a lecture on India at the Christian church, Tuesday evening, March 4th. All who heard him when here before enjoyed his lecture. He comes this time with a brand new lecture. Admission 10c.

GALIEN RURAL 2

Ruth and Leda Pyle left Saturday morning for their future home at Danville, Iowa, accompanied by their grandmother, Mrs. Jacob Pyle.

Mrs. Orrin Stearns was called to Birkhart on account of the serious illness of her father.

Mable Morley was home over Sunday.

Roscoe Hawk and family leave for Argos, Ind., their future home, this week.

Mrs. Ous Stearns and grandson, Leon, and Mrs. Horace Morley spent Sunday afternoon at Henry Sam's.

Mando Potter and family spent Sunday with Leo Metzger and wife.

W. L. Rogers from Tiosa, Ind., is here visiting his daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Hawk.

Methodist.

Class meeting at 9:45, E. Van Horn, leader; preaching at 10:30, subject, "An Imprisoned Disciple." Sunday school at 11:45. Come and hear more about the trip to Jerusalem. Epworth League at 6 p. m., led by Dorothea Currier. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. All are welcome.

John Taylor, well-known civil war veteran, is seriously ill with dropsy.

Mrs. J. J. Miller spent the week-end in South Bend with her sister, Mrs. Guy L. Bunker. Friday, Feb. 21, they gave a one o'clock luncheon complimentary to Mrs. Blaudon of Logan, Kas. The table decorations were cherries and flags. Covers were laid for eight. On Saturday, Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Bunker were the guests of Mrs. Phillips at a birthday dinner.

MEET MORNINGS TO PUSH WORK

The Day for Adjournment is Not Yet in Sight.

MORE BILLS IN THE HOPPER

Equal Suffrage Will Be a State-wide Issue at the April Election—Glasner Marriage Reform Bill Passed By the House, But May Lose in the Senate—Farmer Members of Legislature Get Together.

BY J. W. HANNEN.

(Special Correspondence.)

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 25.—With about 200 bills introduced in the senate and about 400 in the house, it has become clear that there must be some hustling by the legislature. In view of this, Speaker Currie called a conference of the chairmen of the various committees and put the situation up to them in emphatic terms. The result was a decision to hold morning sessions on Tuesdays and Thursdays to hasten the work.

There was a harmonious feeling relative to the necessity of hard work



HENRY C. GLASNER, Representative of Barry County, Who Favors Matrimonial Reforms.

and it was recognized that haste be exercised where it could be done without jeopardizing important legislation.

It was also agreed that the matter of a definite date of adjournment be fixed to a certainty, in order that work shall be brought to such a stage that there will be no doubt that important legislation shall not be neglected.

Railroad Penalty Fare Bill.

A meeting of railroad men, passengers, conductors and managers was held with the committees of the house and senate relative to the penalty cash fare bill now before the legislature. The measure provides a penalty rate in addition to regular fare, but does not provide a rebate. Both branches of the railroad representatives favor the bill, the conductors because it would relieve them of a vast amount of work and remove suspicion that they were not turning in the moneys collected. No definite action was taken.

An unprecedented scene was witnessed in the house when the equal suffrage resolution was brought up for discussion and action. Every available foot of space on the floor of the house was taken, while the galleries were packed to the doors with a crowd composed mostly of women and girls, although there were men who would have been there, but who gave place to the feminine adherents of the proposition. There was much debate and some sharp exchanges of compliments in the discussion, but the champions of the resolution were many, chief among them being Representative Charles Flowers, of Detroit.

After passing the house by the decisive vote of 72 to 21, favorable action by the senate was assured, and the question will be voted upon again at the April election.

Marriage Bill in the Balance.

Coincident with the decisive action upon the equal suffrage amendment was the passage in the house of the bill providing compulsory health certificates before marriage, introduced and worked for by Representative Henry C. Glasner of Hastings, carrying with it a fee of \$2.00 for medical examination. This bill was pulled through with a sufficient vote, 58 to 26, to insure its passage. The great throng which assembled to witness action on the suffrage resolution was augmented by a still greater crush. Regardless of the delicacy of the discussion, the women remained to see the battle through. A hot fight was precipitated, the main opponents to the bill in the discussion being Representatives Skeels, Warner and Ashley, the chief contention being,

Practically Immune.

Curacao, the most important of the Dutch West Indies, is without fire insurance and a fire department, though the island has a population of over 50,000. The buildings in the town are all of stone, hence this happy condition of affairs. Recently the first sawmill was installed, being furnished by an American firm. "It is hoped," says a consular report, "that this will not increase the erection of wooden buildings and necessitate insurance and a fire department."

that while the bill had merits in the form presented, it was not practicable.

Whether this bill will pass the senate is a matter of conjecture, but while the senators are not openly expressive, there is an atmosphere of uncertainty as to its fate. It is freely stated, however, by a few that it cannot pass the senate.

Farmers' Club in Legislature.

There are 28 farmers in the house and five in the senate, whose chief aim is to see that the rural districts get their share of official legislative attention. At a quiet unofficial session a club was organized with Senator Thomas A. McNaughton of Kent county as president and J. Frank Stevens of Missaukee as secretary and treasurer.

Corrupt Practices Act.

The corrupt practices act, introduced by Representative Copley, ran the gauntlet of the house and emerged unscathed. There was a determined effort to localize the effect of the proposed law to the cities of Grand Rapids and Detroit, but this failed and the measure contemplates the entire state. The bill is broader than any that has yet been introduced. It prohibits officers from spending more than 25 per cent of the salary or fees for a year (except in the case of state and legislative, two years) for primary and 25 per cent for the election. It prohibits false statements in literature, prescribes that all advertising must be so labeled, and no one may purchase editorial comment in newspapers. No oath of office or commission of office can be given until sworn statement is made that the law has been observed to the letter.

Many New House Bills.

Sixteen new bills were introduced in the house Thursday and are now in the hands of the committees. It is proposed to push these through committees for quick action. Representative Nash put in a proposal to repeal the law enacted in the early nineties to prevent fusion. With this law repealed, a candidate's name may appear on more than one party primary ticket if the people of more than one party nominate him. Representative Nash put in another bill providing for a new grade of assault to be known as "felonious assault," a grade between assault and battery and that of assault with intent to kill. The penalty prescribed is not more than three years in prison or less than one year in jail.

Representative Bricker presented a bill amending the tax law, broadening its scope. It would include a tax on bonds from outside the state. Representative Bayless has a bill providing for examination, registration and licensing of plumbers and establishes a rigid sanitary code to be spread upon the statute books. Representative Newell Smith introduced a measure providing for sanitation and fumigation of school houses. This measure is being given strong endorsement, as it is argued that in the school houses there is a greater opportunity to breed disease germs than in almost any other public institution.

Senate Has Work Ahead.

Eighteen new bills were introduced in the senate in a single day. Senator Case proposes a bill making illegal and unenforceable any provision in a life insurance policy which prohibits a member or beneficiary from resorting to the courts for enforcing a claim arising under the policy. Senator Wood introduced a bill to amend the state game laws to allow non-resident hunters to take one deer out of the state and all the birds they can shoot in one day. Senator James introduced a series of measures to correct defects and inconsistencies in the election laws as well as to repeal some provisions inconsistent with the state constitution. The purpose is to eliminate much that will result in making the primaries and elections more simplified and effective.

With the idea of modifying the truancy laws, Senator Straight has introduced a series of bills to provide for supervision of truants by commissions.

Honest Fruit Packing.

One measure which is receiving much favorable comment is that introduced in the house by Representative Santo, providing for compulsory labeling of fruit packages so as to show the grade of fruit packed and to prohibit transportation companies from having in their possession any fruit packages not so labeled. A penalty is provided, the limit not exceeding \$500 fine. This bill is in line with the movement of development to improve the grades of Michigan fruits and to insure reliability so that highest prices may be commanded in the markets as well as to protect the consumer.

Fight on Text Books.

It is openly declared by friends of the uniform text book proposition that the free text book bills are designed to hamper progress of the uniform plan introduced. In spite of opposition coming from teachers and superintendents, it is believed by supporters of the measure that a uniform text book bill will pass the house. It has been rumored that a fund of \$15,000 had been raised to beat the bill, and it has also been stated that Burns detectives have been on guard watching for evidence in this direction. Up to this time, however, there has been no tangible evidence that the rumor has any foundation.

Partial Law.

Stephen Swift, at a dinner in Denver, was urging votes for women. "Give women votes," he said, "and the law will be better administered. Two poor laborers were talking one day. 'All men are equal, in the eyes of the law,' said the first, who was a conservative. 'Well,' the second, a radical, replied, 'it may well be that we're all equal in the eyes of the law, but I know mighty well that we're not in the hands of the law.'"

THIEVES ADMIT THEIR GUILT

Men Who Stole Two Suits of Clothes From Local Store, in the Toile

Sheriff Franz went to South Bend yesterday to arrest Harry Brooks and Robert Mattingly when they are released from the county jail, where they have been serving a sentence for stealing trousers from Mishawaka stores. The sheriff is fortified with requisition papers in quest of which he went to Indianapolis several days ago.

On complaint of B. R. Desenberg & Bro. a warrant was issued for the arrest of Brooks and Mattingly, who have confessed to having stolen two suits of clothes from the Desenberg store here on Dec. 17, 1912. When the men were arrested at South Bend some weeks ago for offenses committed at Mishawaka, they confessed to Chief Bunker that they had purloined two suits here, and that official, after recovering the clothes, notified B. R. Desenberg & Bro., who, although they had not missed the suits, were able to identify them by their private marks on the tags, which the thieves had not done away with.

Brooks and Mattingly entered the Desenberg store for the ostensible purpose of buying a pair of trousers and while one of them accompanied Lou Desenberg to the rear of the store room in the clothing department, the other took two suits off the rack and stowed them away in a suit case.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to our kind neighbors and friends for their help and sympathy in the sickness and death of our departed Anna; also to the churches and lodges for the floral tributes. Eugene Farran, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Thorburn and Family.

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ECHOES FROM THE FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Below will be found reference to subjects treated at the recent institute held in Galien, which The Record was unable to treat fully last week for lack of space.

THE GROWING OF CORN

The above subject was handled by Harry D. Blanchford of Benton Harbor, in a thorough manner at the Farmers' Institute here recently. The keynote was good seed, while soil and cultivation were emphasized.

Mr. Blanchford said: "Select your seed corn as soon as corn matures, taking only well-developed ears. Then hang up to dry them out as soon as possible before freezing weather comes, taking care that no ear touches another."

The cultivation of corn on clay soil he took up. "After a rain there is only one day when the soil will properly cultivate. Before that it is too wet, while after that day it is too dry. Don't cultivate that day but disc harrow it and then you will have two weeks in which to do the work properly."

Any method of cultivating corn is to plow deep twice, one after the other. After that all cultivating is done just as shallow as possible. Any other method cuts to pieces all the network of roots the plants have sent out and unless you have a wet season your crop is stunted for want of moisture."

To demonstrate the benefit of shallow cultivation which gives a dust mulch, the speaker used a lump of loaf sugar which he dropped into ink. Almost immediately the sugar turned blue from top to bottom. Another lump was placed into the ink with a mulch of powdered sugar on top and the mulch remained white nearly all afternoon. It showed that one system allowed the moisture to come to the surface and evaporate, while the other acted as a retainer.

ANENT ALFALFA CULTURE

"Getting a Stand of Alfalfa" by B. A. Longfellow was a practical talk on the method of growing alfalfa which he had employed with good success. E. L. Blakeslee read a paper on alfalfa growing which a friend who had been very successful in growing it had sent him. It ran as follows: "Manure the land well and plow late in the fall. Put on from three to five tons per acre of crushed limestone rock fine. Begin in spring and summer, fallow until June first. Get some soil from an alfalfa field or sweet clover roots about four to six inches from the surface. Scatter from four to six hundred pounds per acre of this and drag it in. Sow 15 pounds per acre of seed with a buzzer, 7 1/2 pounds one way and 7 1/2 the other. Be sure and get good seed. When it is up eight or ten inches high clip it. Some times it needs clipping twice if the weeds are bad."

At the conclusion of the meeting Mr. Blakeslee proposed this resolution: "Resolved, that we favor the bonding of this county for the purpose of building good roads." The resolution was unanimously supported, great enthusiasm being shown.

Old Times Recalled

A copy of the Berrien County Directory and History containing the history of Galien, compiled and published by Edward B. Cowles of Niles and printed in The Record office at Buchanan in 1871, is a relic which Wm. A. R. the, of this place, possesses and prizes very highly. From this silent, faded record of old friends and old times, we are pleased to reproduce the following:

HISTORY OF GALIEN

Galien is designated as town 8, south of range 17 west. It is a fractional township containing about 22 sections. The surface is rolling enough to make good farming land. It was formerly covered with a dense

forest of timber—beech and maple interspersed with whitewood, ash and black walnut. The Galien river flows through the northern portion of the town, affording good power for water mills.

The township was organized in February, 1844. At the election in the spring of that year, held at the house of James Edson, William Burns was elected supervisor; H. Ballinger, clerk; William H. Wilson, William Burns, J. P. Johnson and A. Abshire justices. Thirty-one votes were cast at the first election. In 1845, the population was 141. In 1870 it was \$56.

George H. Blakeslee settled at Galien in 1853. At that time the "village" consisted of a saw mill and one or two log houses. The post office was established in July, 1855, and Mr. Blakeslee erected a store in 1856. Galien is now a lively village containing a saw and planing mill, three dry goods and grocery stores, drug store, flour and feed store, bakery, photograph gallery, wagon shop, harness shop, two shoe shops, two butcher shops, three blacksmith shops, a handle factory, one church (German Lutheran), and a new graded school building. The village has a population of over 300, and will soon be incorporated.

The most important establishment in Galien is the handle factory of Smith & Montross, which gives constant employment to thirty men. This is the most extensive factory of the kind in the county and is capable of turning out more than a million handles each year. These are shipped to all parts of the United States and the Canadas, and large quantities are also sent to Europe.

The Lutherans have the largest membership and the only church in the village. Rev. D. Behrens, pastor. The Methodists hold meetings in the school house. Membership about 30.

The Baptists have services in Blakeslee's hall. Membership 30. Later Day Saints meet in Blakeslee's hall. Membership 45. George A. Blakeslee, president; John Hodge, teacher.

The United Brethren also have an organization.

GALIEN VILLAGE DIRECTORY

Ash Peter, blacksmith
Bacon Herbert L., bakery
Baker Wm. V., general store
Blakeslee George A., dry goods, groceries, lumber
Blakeslee & Emery, flour and feed
Bugbee Cyrus F., constable
Chilson Mrs. Charlotte, tailoress
Closson W. J., saloon, drugs and groceries

Davis Charles, physician
Davis William W., physician and surgeon
Dayton Reuben, propr. hotel
Klaser Jacob, livery stable
Partridge George, dry goods and groceries

Scott Marvin, carpenter and joiner
Smith Edwin, principal of school
Smith & Montross, proprs. Wolvenine Handle factory
Stacks James, wagon maker
Emery Alexander, flour and feed
Emery Mrs. Eliza, milliner and dressmaker

Dingman David, meat market
Dolph Allen, saloon
Witte Charles, harness maker
Homan David D., physician
Jackson Samuel, tinware
Blakeslee Sarah, school teacher
Brittain Josiah, basket maker
Chilson Theron, packer, handle factory
Clark Charles, handle bender
Critchett Peter, saloon, drugs and groceries
Patterson George W., minister
Prouty Charles H., ticket agent,
M. C. R. R.

The Culture Club

The Culture club met Friday at the home of Roxanna Bissell Prince for the eighth meeting on South America. The first subject given was "Romantic Peru" by Anna Plaister Montross; "Peruvian Potteries" by Eliza Morley Kelley; "Argentine" by Helen Griffith Hall; "Brazil" by Blonora Prince Pyle; "Geographical Study of Montana" by Neva Tooley Jannasch. A very enjoyable and instructive afternoon was spent.

GALIEN RURAL 2

Mrs. Clayton Smith returned home from St. Joseph last Thursday after a few days' visit with her daughter, Mrs. Carl Renbarger.

Mrs. Carl Prenter entertained her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Schlegel, of South Bend, recently.

Orrin Steares and wife returned from Elkhart Sunday night.

Mando Potter and family spent Sunday with Roland Potter.

Horace Morley and Warren Hagley are filling their ice houses.

Goshen men are in this vicinity buying horses.

Lew Hartline and wife, John Hartline, Warren Lamb and Alex. Lamb attended the Oliver theatre at South Bend Monday night.

Wm. Kramer went to Hammond, Ind., to call for an old-fashioned dance the other night.

James S. Roberts and wife of Chicago, came Monday morning to attend the funeral of his aunt, the late Mrs. Sullivan.

Mrs. Jackson and Keeler are seriously ill at the Jackson home.

Harry Weatherspoon and family have moved to their new home in South Bend.

Carl Norris and family of Cassopolis, moved last week into the Mrs. Harner house.

Mrs. John Renbarger of Kalama zoo, is visiting in Galien a part of this week.

The village council convenes next Monday evening.

Messrs J. R. White and Arthur Warren of Chicago, spent Sunday here.

Miss Josie Simmons of Gary, Ind., was here Sunday.

The roofers are at work on the new M. C. station here.

Messrs. O. A. Van Pelt and C. H. Harris attended the auto show in Chicago this week.

The woodchuck saw his shadow, hence according to the ancient saying, we will have 40 days of winter.

Miss Black was in Buchanan Monday.

Bert Beistle and family of Three Oaks and the Jannasch families spent Sunday with Dwight Babcock and family.

Fred Jannasch has returned from Albion college, to which institution he will return next fall. He has re-entered the employ of O. A. Van Pelt.

Michael Kiley and Mrs. Charles Wolkins have returned from Chicago, where they attended the funeral of their sister, the late Mrs. Mayme McCauley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Horner of Laporte, have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam'l Jackson.

Mrs. Porter is very sick this week, and requires constant care day and night.

Mrs. Black and daughter attended the play "Mother" at Benton Harbor Thursday night.

Ora Briney and wife spent part of last week in St. Joseph attending the institute.

Will Fry and wife were in St. Joe Saturday.

C. A. Roberts, Frank Norris and Wm. Wright were in Buchanan Tuesday.

Chas. Bonker of New Carlisle, shipped a carload of hogs from this place last week.

Miss Elizabeth Hamilton and Miss Harper went to Benton Harbor Thursday night.

Cressie Miller of Buchanan, was a guest of the Norris family Thursday night.

Miss Iris Shirk spent part of last week at Glendora.

Mrs. John W. Smith of Berrien Springs, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dempsey last week.

Marvin Alvord and family of Kansas, who have been visiting relatives and friends in Buchanan and its vicinity are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Dempsey.

There will be a township Sunday School institute held at the L. D. S. church next Sunday afternoon. Mr. F. Washburn of Benton Harbor, will be here to conduct the meeting. Everyone invited.

Ross Fenton, a well known farmer, died Sunday morning at his home a few miles south of town, and Mrs. Fletcher, his aunt, died the same day at the Walker home about four miles southwest of town.

The remains of Bert Warman were brought here from near Pokagon last Thursday and services held at the L. D. S. church, Elder Ellis officiating, with interment in Galien cemetery. Mr. Warman leaves a wife and four children.

The Rebekahs enjoyed a banquet and musical and literary program at the L. O. O. F. hall last Thursday evening, on which occasion the losers in the recent membership contest banqueted the winners. There were about 60 persons present, and a royal time was had.

Mrs. Mary B. Holt of 1049 West 21st St., Los Angeles, Cal., is desirous of obtaining one of Putnam's works, "On Education," a book which was in general use throughout Berrien county 30 years ago, and would be pleased to have anyone who has a copy of this work, communicate with her.

The remains of the late Mrs. Geo. Sullivan, who died at her home in Benton Harbor on Jan. 30, were brought here for interment last Monday, accompanied by her husband and son and other relatives. Funeral services were conducted at the Baptist church here by Rev. Mr. Carlisle of Buchanan.

T. G. Swem of this place, who is a graduate of the Michigan College of Chiropractic, a Grand Rapids institution of learning, will have an office at the home of his father, D. W. Swem, for the present, and also expects to open an office in Buchanan in the near future. See his announcement elsewhere on this page.

Frank Dantz, who is spending the winter with his sister, Mrs. George Murdock, has on exhibition at the

Jannasch market, a card table which he made of 1,360 blocks of wood. Each piece was sawed out by hand. Mr. Dantz is now engaged in making a library table, which will contain over 2,200 pieces of various kinds of wood.

MICHIGAN STATE NEWS.

DETROIT — After making charges that the Western Union Telegraph company failed to deliver to him telegraphic "tips" from his father that officers were looking for him and warning him to flee, John Worley of Chatham County, La., who was arrested here about a year ago on a homicide charge, has brought suit for \$1,000 damages against the telegraph company. The suit was brought in Alabama, was disclosed here by the receipt of requests for evidence to be taken here. Worley and a companion were charged with killing a negro to get his automobile.

LANSING — State Representative I. H. Catlin will introduce a bill to repeal the mortgage tax law and to place the taxation of mortgages on the old basis. The bill if it becomes a law will not, however, affect the mortgages taxed under the specific system, as it cannot be made retroactive, in the opinion of the attorney general, who has been consulted relative to the bill. There is a great deal of sentiment in favor of the repeal of the present law with which many state officials have found much fault.

GRAND RAPIDS — At the annual meeting just held of the West Michigan State Fair association here the following officers were elected: President, Joseph H. Brewer, Grand Rapids; vice presidents, C. J. Munroe, South Haven, George T. Kendall, Grand Rapids, Frank Winegar, Grand Rapids, J. Stanley Morton, Benton Harbor; treasurer, George G. Whitworth, Grand Rapids; secretary, no election.

LANSING — Twenty-five prominent men attended the session of the second Lake States Forest Fire association. Governor Ferris, Charles W. Garfield, of Grand Rapids; Professor S. P. Lovejoy, of Ann Arbor; J. F. Devoy, of Milwaukee; Clyde Leavitt, of Ottawa, Can.; William G. Howard, of Albany; William B. Piper, of East Tawas; J. H. McGilivray, of Oscoda, and Julius E. Beal of Ann Arbor, were on the program.

FLINT — Harry W. Blaggamas, who has been employed for a month in a local factory, was arrested by the police just as he was bidding his friends at a boarding house farewell before departing for Canada. He was apprehended at the request of Holland, Mich., officers, who took him there to answer to a serious statutory charge preferred by a young woman.

KALAMAZOO — An organized effort is being made to consolidate the First Congregational and First Presbyterian churches of Kalamazoo. If the deal goes through the valuable site of the Presbyterian church will be sold and Rev. H. W. Gelston will be made pastor of the combined churches. Rev. Mr. Dickinson of the Congregational church recently resigned.

BATTLE CREEK — With his aged father as his attorney and an uncle, also a prominent attorney, as his bondsman, Leslie Powers, son of James M. Powers, was admitted to bail of \$1,000 when arraigned on a charge of burglary. With Martin Madin and Jay Davis he is charged with breaking into a billiard room and stealing \$35.

BATTLE CREEK — While he was on his way home from school, Melvin, six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Binder, fell in front of a Grand Trunk train. His right leg was badly crushed and later amputated above the knee. The accident occurred in front of the passenger station. It is believed he will recover.

KALAMAZOO — To teach tuberculosis patients and care properly for them the Kalamazoo anti-tuberculosis society has hired a nurse who will spend her time in caring for white plague victims in this city. She will instruct afflicted ones how to fight the disease, and will care for them when necessary.

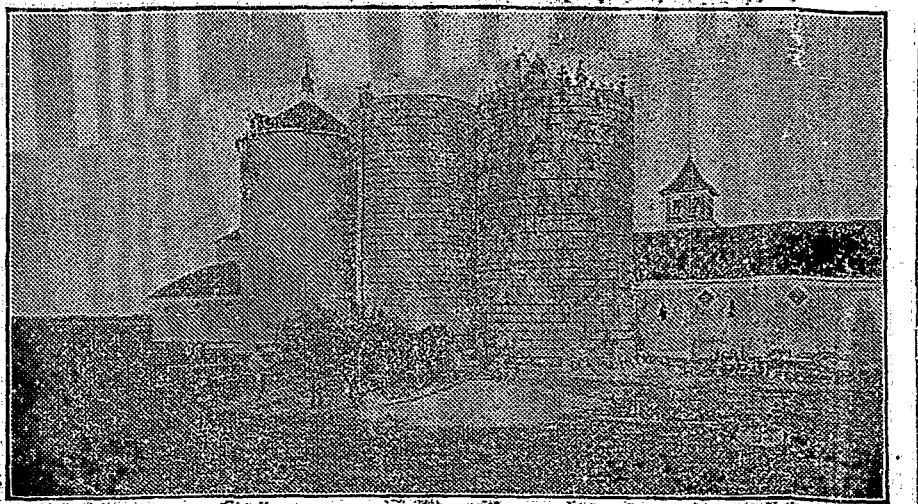
PORT HURON — Two big railroad freight cars were derailed, a baggage coach was derailed and the cab covering of an engine was demolished when passenger train No. 60 of the Grand Trunk railway sideswiped a freight train in the local yards. No one was injured.

LANSING — After being given a fair trial in chapel, a student of Wells Hall was given forty hours to leave the campus when found guilty of having gone to President Snyder to relate certain things that resulted in the expulsion from the school of two students.

FLINT — Word has just been received here that Percy Bartlett, who jumped a \$200 bail some months ago, while waiting trial on a statutory charge, has been sentenced in London, Ont., to eighteen months for forging two checks.

LANSING — After Governor W. N. Ferris had refused to reappoint Thomas P. White of Escanaba as a tax commissioner, Auditor General O. B. Fuller named White as inheritance taxer to succeed Robert H. Lane of Midland.

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They Say It Pays To Bond.

The campaign in Berrien county on the road bonding proposition is being waged vigorously. The advocates of good roads believe the proposition will be carried by a big majority and urge that those opposed to bonding, if they be open to conviction, get testimony from Genesee, Wayne and other counties that have bonded for large amounts. The advocates of the proposed bond issue say that bonding makes possible the improvement of many more miles of road in a year. They point to Genesee as a good example. With funds secured from a bond issue 54 miles of road were built in 1912, as against 13 miles the previous year under the old plan of a tax levy. The additional 41 miles of first-class highway built in one year will pay dividends that cannot be reckoned.

The county will do even better this year. Good roads are a big asset for any county, and if by bonding, 50 or 60 miles of highway can be built in a year, there is no question as to the economy of the method.

Parcels Post and Country Towns.

The business and consequently the wealth of every rural community will be increased by parcel post. Producer can now send wares direct to consumers without the high charges of the past. If the wife of Farmer Jones desires a frying pan she does not have to drive to the store. All she has to do is to phone or drop a postal in the mail, and—presto!—next day the frying pan is delivered at her door with only a few cents' cost for transportation.

Anything that renders communication and transportation easy is a pronounced benefit to the public. Civilization has been advanced as much by roads as by books. Take any country where extensive intercommunication prevails and you will find educated, alert people. Up in the polar regions and down in the African jungles, where settlements are isolated, you find deepest ignorance prevailing, and business consists of bartering a yam or a dried fish for a nose ring or a piece of blubber.

And the parcel post is the road over which the profits of the general producer will travel in future. By proper advertising in the papers the local merchants will become the distributors of millions of dollars' worth of articles a year that in the past they could not handle at a profit because of the transportation charges.

Thus also will the papers be benefitted. Most of the \$500,000,000 received annually by the mail order houses can be distributed among the local merchants if they grasp the opportunity offered.



On Feb. 17, Buchanan lodge No. 75, will have an official visit from Grandmaster H. L. McNeil and Grand Secretary Fred A. Rogers. All the lodges in this part of the county have been invited to attend in a body and all Odd Fellows are urgently asked to be present on this date.

The Grand Lodge degree will be conferred, and the grandmaster will have with him the book of unwritten

work. This will give all present an opportunity of seeing it as it is.

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Sentiment Favorable to Half Million Bonding Proposal Disclosed at One Day Institutes.

PAMMEL PLAN FAVORED

Tax Everybody Alike Is the Only Plan That Will Go in Rural Districts.

The one day farmer institutes held throughout the county last week stimulated interest in the \$500,000 good roads bonding proposition which will be voted on at the spring election in April.

Three salient facts are said to be fully established as a result of these discussions.

1. Farmers want better roads and only differ on methods.

2. They are not in favor of the Daigneau proposal for assessment of farm property according to benefits.

3. They favor the Gus Pammel plan for assessing everybody alike.

A vast majority of the farmers are believed to be in favor of good roads. They see in the \$500,000 plan a rich investment for the future and they understand that by issuing the bonds not one cent will be added in taxation.

The present highway tax netting about \$55,000 annually will take care of the bonds and give the people of Berrien county an excellent system of good roads within two or three years which under the present arrangement they would be compelled to wait fifteen years for and maybe longer.

The recent session of the supervisors aroused overwhelming opposition to the plan advanced by S. E. Daigneau, Rolland Morrill and R. A. Smythe of Benton Harbor, to have assessments for improved highways levied according to benefits derived.

The institutes bring out that members of the board from the rural districts reflected honestly the sentiment of their constituents.

The farming element is against the Daigneau-Morrill-Smythe proposal. They want the issue settled on the

straight out and out bond question.

"And it is not going too far" says the St. Joseph Herald, "to say that if the assessment according to benefit idea were injected tangibly in the campaign that the proposition would be defeated by the country districts. Farmers want good roads but they do not want to pay any more than any other class for the improvement."

Philip T. Colgrove of Hastings, president of the Michigan State Good Roads association, states that twenty-three counties of Michigan are planning to spend \$794,845 on good roads in 1913, as follows:

Ontonagon, \$55,306; Calhoun, \$82,500; Shiawassee, \$20,000; Wexford, \$115,000; Grand Traverse, \$19,000; Branch, \$37,628; Lapeer, \$16,604; Cheboygan, \$19,855; Chippewa, \$35,000; Macomb, \$57,294; Jackson, \$74,528; Eaton, \$37,285; Bay, \$46,000; Mecosta, \$19,755; Kalamazoo, \$58,460; Manistee, \$20,000; Emmet, \$24,000; Muskegon, \$49,901; Ogemaw, \$7,000; Houghton, \$69,800; Mackinac, \$33,000.

Mr. Colgrove mentions the campaign in Berrien county and declares that its adoption will place the county in the foremost rank of good road sections of the state.

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OBITUARY.

Martha Ellen Andrew was born in Berrien Springs, Aug. 31, 1854. Her parents were James and Malinda Conley-Andrew, well known pioneers of that day. She was one of a family of twelve children, nine of whom grew to maturity.

After receiving an education such as that day afforded she began teaching in the public schools. It was while teaching at the Burke school in Oronoko township that she met Irvin Helmick, son of Samuel and Nancy Colvin-Helmick and was united in marriage to him at her mother's home in Chickaming township, Dec. 23, 1875. To this union were born four children, Mrs. Richard Dean Clark, Mrs. Ivoe Hoag and Earl and Miss Ferne Helmick. With the exception of five years spent in Iowa, her life was spent in Berrien county. She spent 22 years on the farm where she died.

At an early age she united with the church and daily and hourly lived a Christian life. Her whole life was unselfishly devoted to helping others. She was greatly interested in all movements for the betterment of humanity and took an active part in church and Sabbath school work, serving as superintendent of the Oronoko Sunday school for many years, faithfully attending services except when illness prevented.

She died suddenly the morning of Jan. 16, of paralysis of the heart. Besides her husband and children she leaves to mourn her loss a mother in her eighty-fourth year, three

brothers and two sisters: Henry of Nakarusa, Ind.; Aivin of Pierce, Neb.; Wesley of Niles, Mich.; Mrs. Rhoda Scott of Warsaw, Ind., and Mrs. Virginia Zeiger of Nakarusa, Ind.; also five grandchildren, Veri, Kenneth and Dorothy Clark and Keith and Frederick Hoag.

The funeral services, conducted by Rev. Simmons of Berrien Springs, were held Sunday morning from the Mt. Tabor Grange hall. Interment was made at Rose Hill cemetery, Berrien Springs.

Among the relatives who attended from a distance were John Andrew and daughter, Mrs. Andy Miller, Mrs. Rhoda Scott and sons, Ross, Robert and Foy of Warsaw, Ind.; Mrs. Virginia Zeiger, Henry Andrew, Mr. and Mrs. John Zeiger, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ullery of Nakarusa, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Barnhart of St. Joseph; Mrs. Tarnza Andrew White of Benton Harbor, and Eli and Milton Helmick of South Bend.

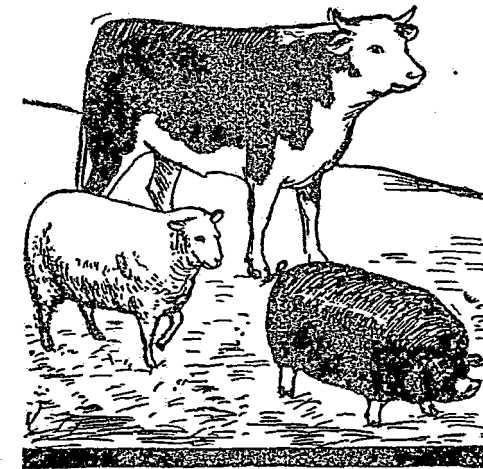
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Commencing at 10 a. m., the following property:

6 HORSES 6

1 grey mare, broke single and double, weight 1400, with foal, 8 years old; 1 brown mare, broke single and double, weight 1100, 14 years old; 1 iron grey mare, weight 1200, 4 years old; 1 brown colt, weight 1100, 2 years old; 1 suckling colt, 1 iron grey gelding, broke single and double, weight 1200, 3 years old.

2 COWS 2

One giving milk; one fresh cow with calf by her side.

3 SHOATS, WEIGHT 75 POUNDS.

4 HEAD SHEEP. 50 CHICKENS.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS

Birdsall wagon, Fair wagon, Studebaker light wagon, almost new, run-about buggy, almost new, Clover-leaf spreader, almost new, Champion potato digger, dug about 3 acres of potatoes; Deering mower, almost new; Black Hawk corn planter, Oliver riding plow No. 11, almost new; South Bend riding plow, Gale walking plow, 14-inch Oliver walking corn plow, almost new; Deere riding corn plow, Elwood riding corn plow, pair Oscillating bob sleds, almost new, pair light bench bob sleds, self-dump hay rake, Superior drain drill, straw rack, combination wagon box, seed drill, spring drag, almost new, Gale spike tooth drag, old buggy, old cutter, about 50 cedar posts, set double chain harness in good shape, set double harness, new, set single harness, about 8 ton timothy hay in the barn, about 2 tons Alsike clover hay in barn, 4 tons marsh hay in stack, about 300 bushels corn, 140 bushels Sir Walter Raleigh potatoes, 14 bushels Early May potatoes, 2 barrels of cider vinegar, 2 bee hives, 2 milk cans, pair wagon springs, spring seat, log chain, double trees, single trees and other things too numerous to mention.

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Chicago Cottage organ, 6 dining chairs, oak stove almost new, 2 beds with springs, 20 grain sacks.

Terms of Sale: All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; all sums over \$5.00 a credit of 9 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. 4 per cent discount for cash on sums over \$5.00. All property must be settled for before leaving the premises.

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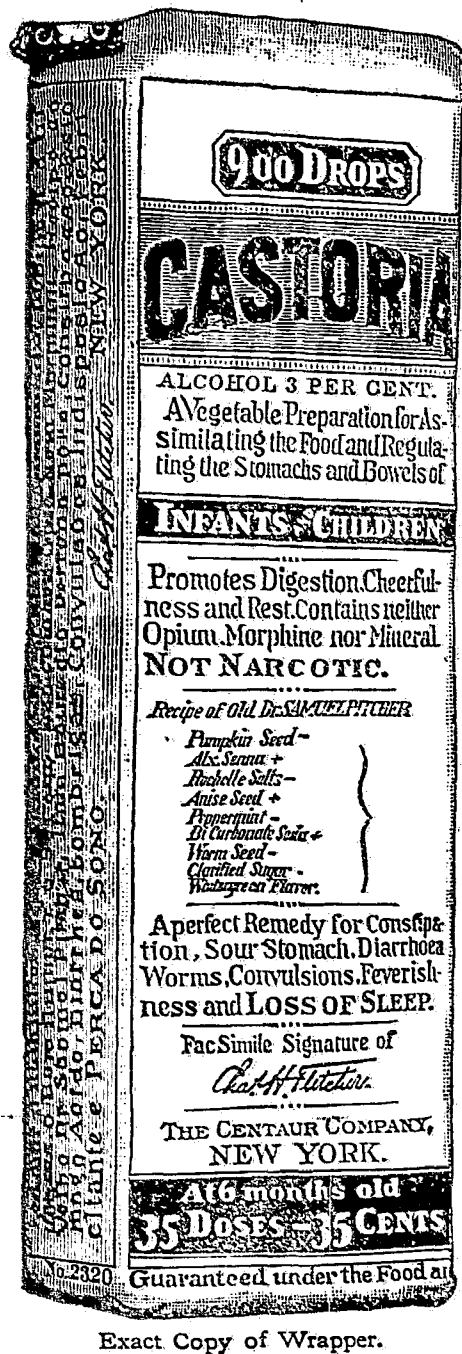
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\$7.50 Tumblers Per set.....	\$3.75
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COURT HOUSE NEWS

New Suits.

The International Harvester Co. of America has filed suit for \$1,000 against George D. Hill.

Augusta Hess of Benton Harbor, has filed a bill for divorce against Clayton Hess charging extreme cruelty and desertion.

Agnes Weidman of Benton Harbor has started suit for divorce against Oliver J. Weidman for desertion. The couple have one child.

NEW BANK IS ORGANIZED

The Watervliet State bank has filed articles of incorporation with the county clerk. The corporation is organized for \$25,000 and will conduct a general banking business. Business men of the village and Benton Harbor are stockholders.

SALE IS CONFIRMED

Judge Bridgman has confirmed the sale of the property of the Portman-Randall Lumber Co. to George Morton and Charles H. Rusch of Benton Harbor for \$1,200.

BILL TO QUIET TITLE

William Becker has filed suit against John M. Lemon to quiet title to land in New Buffalo.

Real Estate Transfers.

Henry Susan and wife to A. A. Heckman, lots 7, 8, 9 block 9, New Buffalo, \$1.

Thomas Hayward et al to R. V. Slocum, n 20 rods, nw 1/4 sec 15, Galien \$700.

Elsie J. Adams to Wm. J. Hanover nw 1-4 sw 1-4 sec 1, Weesaw, \$2,400.

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Nos. 147, Natural Flat.....	\$1.10
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Nos. 154, 00, 151, Red, Tan and Natural.....	\$1.35
\$2.00 UNION SUITS REDUCED TO	
No. 901, Blue Ribbed.....	\$1.35
\$2.50 UNION SUITS REDUCED TO	
No. 903, Natural Ribbed.....	\$1.55
\$3.00 UNION SUITS REDUCED TO	
No. 905, Natural Ribbed.....	\$1.90
\$2.50 AND \$3.00 OVERSHIRTS	
for.....	\$1 and \$1.50

ADLER'S

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FORMER BUCHANANEER IS A REAL HUMORIST

A Kalamazoo newspaper says as follows concerning Leslie Van Every, a well known former Buchanan boy:

Kalamazoo has a real acknowledged humorist in the person of one Leslie Van Every, an operator at one of the local telegraph offices. Hardly a week passes that "Judge" or some other publication does not carry a rhyme or story by the Celery City fun maker. Stories from the pen of the local wit have appeared in Lippincott's, The Housekeeper, Short Stories, National Monthly and Brooklyn Life. His funny stuff is in great demand and this young man with an enlarged sense of humor is certainly doing his share toward making the world laugh.

Van Every is a modest young fellow. He says success is merely a matter of luck, backed up by much modesty on the part of the other fellow.

"I just happened to get my stuff to the publishers when they were badly in need of copy, for that reason were not overly particular," he said, in commenting on his success.

"I started in to get a collection of rejection slips and I now claim to have the greatest collection in America."

Van Every, while not admitting that he had any hobbies, did say that he parted his hair on one side or the other, often wondered why it rained and usually voted just opposite to the instructions given him. All of which shows that he is a peculiarly peculiar fellow. The Kalamazoo humorist has resided here for nearly four years' during which time he has written a great deal for the big eastern publications.

Any one that has tried to break into the game and has had something "mighty clever" rejected again and again, will understand that Van Every certainly accomplished something when his name appeared at the bottom of the following collection of humor taken from a recent issue of Judge:

"A Rasolution.

"Nineteen Thirteen!
Here's my hand!
Twice, thrice welcome!
Goodness land!
Will I straightway
mend my ways
And be diff'rent all
your days?
Listen!
Never more will I
With my precious
banknotes buy
Studded lockets,
Brooches, rings,
Box-seat tickets,
Other things!
Never more!
You bet your life!
Exit courtship!
Enter wife!"

"Innocent

"It was shortly after Adam and Eve had, by request, left the Garden of Eden.

"One morning Adam labored in the field.

"As he went about, he noted that the cave-bear skin which he wore insisted in shifting on him, much to

his displeasure.

"A thought came to him.

"Peeling two narrow strips of green bark from a neighboring sapling, he carried out a plan which had followed the thought, and realized that he had met with success.

"Had he not done so, it is possible that eleven million of the fancy Christmas boxes of today would not contain susp'nders.

"Adam meant all right, and knew naught of what was to come.

"Our hard feelings do not extend in his direction."

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suces......50

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Home Life, one year, 12 issues..50

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issues......50

The Berrien County Record one

year, 52 issues.....1.00

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BRASS GOODS

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COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

PORTAGE PRAIRIE

Chester Wells and wife entertained a few friends Sunday.

Jesse Rough and wife entertained a few friends at dinner Friday.

Jos. Korn and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Scott entertained a small party of friends at dinner Sunday.

G. Kramer returned to his home in Glendora Monday after a two weeks' visit at the home of P. Moyer and family.

The Sunshine Circle will meet Friday evening with Clarence and Miss Florence Elvinger. An old fashioned spelling contest will be the feature of the evening.

Bishop S. P. Spreng of Naperville, Ill., delivered his lecture, "The Gift of Seeing Things," at the Evangelical church Friday evening. Owing to the inclement weather the attendance was light.

W. F. Eisele and wife were host and hostess at a dinner party given at their home on Wednesday of last week. Covers were placed for 50 guests. They were assisted by Arthur Eisele and wife, G. Moyer and Miss Lulu Moyer.

At the semi-annual election of officers for the Y. P. A. held at the

Evangelical church Sunday evening the following officers were elected: President, Mrs. H. L. Voelker; vice president, L. B. Rough; Rec. Sec., Mrs. Arthur Eisele; Cor. and Miss. Sec., Mrs. L. B. Rough, and Treas., Emory Rough.

BAKERTOWN

M. E. Gilbert went fox hunting Monday.

Mrs. Mae Best accompanied her sister, Bell Heim, to South Bend Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. Gilbert spent Thursday with friends in Buchanan.

Mrs. Geo. Stevenson and son, Allen, of Buchanan, called on Mrs. Jas. Snodgrass and mother recently.

Winter is here, the worst storm and cold weather this year prevailed from Friday until Monday, mercury registering zero Sunday morning.

J. H. Best and Chas. Clemens were in South Bend Wednesday.

Iva Cauffman returned to her home on Portage Prairie Sunday evening after spending a week with her sister, Hattie Clemens and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Heim and Ruth were guests of J. H. Best and wife Wednesday.

Mr. Holmquist is repairing the interior of his home preparatory to moving there soon.

Mr. Watson of Three Oaks, was here the latter part of the week overseeing the moving of his machinery for distilling peppermint.

Chas. Clemens spent the week-end with relatives in South Bend.

M. E. Gilbert and wife spent Sunday evening with J. H. Best and wife.

Mr. Holmquist and family spent Sunday evening with Hattie Clemens and family.

Mrs. Dot Harkrider and baby of Buchanan, visited Mrs. Mable Smith Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Dressler entertained their butchering helpers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Snodgrass Sunday, with a turkey dinner and all that goes with it. There were fifteen guests and all report a fine time.

OLIVE BRANCH

Vivian Ingles and family visited in Buchanan Sunday.

Jacob Sheeley is on the sick list.

Currie McLaren made a business trip to South Bend Thursday.

Mrs. Iva Granger and son, Robert, of South Bend, visited her grand mother, Mrs. Harriet Yaw, last week.

Mrs. H. D. Ingles left last Wednesday for a ten days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Helen Kirk, of Sodus.

Rev. and Mrs. Brant of Buchanan, took dinner at the Frank McLaren home Sunday.

Mr. Shepard, living on the Monroe Swank farm, has suffered a severe stroke of paralysis.

Charles Vinton, who has been sick for some time, remains about the same.

Miss Myrtle Bowker visited Miss Goldie Rumbaugh, who is suffering with an attack of grippe, Sunday.

James Renbarger and wife entertained Mrs. E. H. Renbarger and children from Friday till Sunday, also on Sunday Ellis Renbarger, Theron Chilson and Kenneth Renbarger and wife.

Ira Lee and wife entertained Mrs. Frank Prince last Tuesday. Mrs. Hattie Nye, Wednesday; Mrs. Iva Granger of South Bend, Thursday; and Mr. Lee's sister, Mrs. Alma Denison of Niles, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dickey came home from Chicago the latter part of last week. They were accompanied by Kenneth Dickey and his bride, who was Miss Eva Deegan of Saginaw. They expect to begin house-keeping at once in the Ira Lee house at Galien Center. Their friends wish them a long and happy wedded life.

It is said that troubles never comes singly, and it seem to be true at the Ross Fenton home. The mother, Mrs. Winnie Fenton, and Ross and an aunt who made her home with them were all very sick at once. A professional nurse and a skillful physician were of no avail for the death summons came, and last Sunday morning at 3 o'clock, the aunt passed

to the great beyond and in two hours more, at 5 o'clock, Ross Fenton passed away. Mrs. Fenton is still quite sick. What makes the case doubly sad, the only one remaining of the family with the mother is a son, Harry, who has been deaf since childhood, and his grief is intense.

BUCHANAN RURAL 3

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foster and son, Neil, called on H. E. Wilson and family Sunday afternoon.

Bessie Mullen spent Thursday in Buchanan.

Mrs. Helen Wilsey visited her sister, Mrs. Rockefeller, the past week.

Oliver Barnhart called, on Ralph Sebasty Sunday afternoon.

Several from this vicinity attended the dance at Fred Wilcox's Saturday night.

Miss Flora Currier spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Currier.

Miss Bernice Ferguson was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hartline visited Frank Hamilton and family Sunday.

C. E. Koenigshof were in Niles Tuesday.

Will Jannasch and wife visited at Geo. Martin's Sunday.

John Burrus and wife were in St. Joseph Tuesday.

Mrs. Geo. Martin called on Mrs. Will Leiter Monday afternoon.

The little daughter of Lewige Haroff has pneumonia.

Mrs. Noah Weaver visited the Wagner school Monday forenoon.

Ray Frame and wife were in Buchanan Monday.

Lincoln Burrus went to South Bend Tuesday.

DAYTON

John Jacobson of Chicago, was here Thursday.

Fred and Flossie Hamilton spent Sunday in Three Oaks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilebarz of Chicago, spent Sunday here.

David Allen of Galien, spent Sunday here.

Ray Van Lew of Buchanan, spent Sunday here.

F. M. Hamilton is on the sick list.

Walter Ernsperger and Gerald Proud attended the dance in Three Oaks Tuesday evening.

Miss Carrie Van Lew went Tuesday to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Ross Burrus, north of Galien.

Leo Arnold attended the teachers' institute in St. Joe Friday.

Dayton school was closed Friday because of the institute.

Jol Proud returned Monday from a few days' visit with relatives in Chicago.

COVENEY

Mrs. Wallace Dunbar spent Monday with her father, Wm. Light, at Lighton.

Fred Weaver was in St. Joe Monday on business.

Will Weaver and wife and Miss Lizzie Baldwin spent Sunday with Amos Spaulding and family.

Miss Alice Earl was in Benton Harbor Friday.

The Young People's Literary club met at the home of Artie Weaver Wednesday night. The program was general interest topics. The topic for the next meeting is "Socialism."

Mr. Ellis of Galien, is holding meetings at the Coveny school house. He comes in the interests of the Latter Day Saints and his meetings are well attended.

WALNUT HILL

Mr. and Mrs. Will Partridge and daughter, spent Sunday in Niles at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Ribble.

Ed. and Charlie Doehrer and John Germinder spent Monday in Niles.

Mrs. Frank Massey and daughter, Ruth, spent several days this week with the former's daughter, Mrs. Will Partridge.

Miss Lena Doehrer attended the Wolfe-Gehring wedding at the Wm. Wolfe home Sunday.

Miss Lena Doehrer spent Monday with Mrs. Ed. Gehring.

Mr. and Mrs. "Mike" Kiley and daughter, and Mrs. Zimmerman spent Sunday at the Nick Wedel home.

Mrs. Winfield Renbarger spent Friday with Mrs. Charlotte James.

Mr. Eugene Ullery and two children of Niles, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Winfield Renbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Geminder visited Mr. and Mrs. Ora Briney at their home in Avery a week ago Sunday.

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NEWS OF BARODA

Mr. Stryker, the county drain commissioner, was in town Monday.

Mr. McGarby of Benton Harbor, was here Tuesday on business.

Harold Nold has recovered from a severe sickness caused by an abscess in his right ear.

A number of young folks met at the home of Charlie Brown to practice songs for the church.

The Christian Endeavor society was entertained at Mrs. Hunt's on Wednesday of last week and spent a very pleasant evening.

Mrs. Joe Vincent of Buchanan, visited friends here recently.

When you have news items at your disposal, remember Fred Johnson is The Record's Baroda correspondent.

Miss Anna Smith has returned home after having an operation performed on her arm.

Mrs. F. Keagle was in St. Joseph Thursday.

A party of young folks from here attended the candy box social held at Hinchman Friday evening.

A lunch box social was given by the seniors of the Baroda high school in John Brown's hall Saturday evening. About \$17 00 was cleared.

Dr. King's old residence is being moved, back of the German church.

Geo. Painter of South Bend, was in town on business Saturday.

Mr. McKinnedy has been visiting friends here.

For an appetizing and substantial meal, try Hotel Johnson.

No school was held in any of the rooms last Friday on account of the teachers' institute.

Mrs. Jack Williams of New Troy, was operated upon at Dr. King's hospital Thursday. The patient is doing well.

COLVIN DISTRICT

Mrs. Geo. Marsie spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Russell.

Miss Gertrude Schell and Robt. Canfield attended a party at the home of Esther McMullen near Berrien Springs on Monday night.

The Aid society will hold a meeting at Mrs. Fred Grey's on Thursday afternoon.

The social meeting of Mt. Tabor Grange which was to have been held last Friday evening was postponed on account of the storm and the next regular meeting will be held next Friday evening, Feb. 7, when the contest will begin.

RIGID RULES FOR PICTURE THEATERS

Senator King Has Bill for Their Safety and Regulation.

Lansing, Mich., Jan. 27.—Senator Francis King has introduced a bill to place all moving picture theaters under state control and subject them to uniform conditions in every city and village. The bill provides for state inspection and also for a license system that will pay practically the entire expense of inspection. In fact, would probably give the state a nice little chunk of revenue in addition.

The act goes into specifications governing theaters very minutely, all being designed to furnish absolute safety. That their enforcement would result in a lot of carpenter and other work in the theaters throughout the state is apparent.

In brief, the bill provides that in cities under 10,000 population a license fee of \$10 per year shall be paid; 10,000 to 20,000 population, \$35; 20,000 to 50,000, \$50; 50,000 to 100,000, \$75; 100,000 and over, \$100.

No moving picture shows may be located on other than the main floors of buildings, and none may be operated in building that are used in part for residence, lodging or factory purposes. Rows between aisles must not have more than fourteen seats, and rows with wall ends must not have more than seven seats. There must be eighteen inches of door space for every 100 persons that can be accommodated and eighteen inches in width of aisle space for every 100 persons, but no aisle must be less than three feet in width. If balconies are used there must be a door with equivalent stairway space for every 200 persons that can find room in such balcony.

The projecting or moving cabinet must be of concrete, steel or iron, but wood may be used if wood is overlaid with asbestos and asbestos with sheet iron. All apertures in the cabinet must have drop covers or doors hung on the inside by easily fusible material. There are a mass of other regulations, all aiming to provide safety.

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SILKS—Another John Wanamaker Sale of Silks. Monday's the Day it starts.

This Ellsworth Store Silk Sale of which the one of last fall was the forerunner is a really great merchandising event.

Silk History was written when this store took over a Wanamaker stock and sold practically all of it within a week.

No such Silk Selling in South Bend before and many may have thought "never again," but here we are preparing another similar offering.

New Silks These—Silks every good store in the country must have or its customers want to know why.

Remember—that it's to be another Wanamaker Silk Sale and that the Money Saving Chances will be numerous—Very.

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PUBLIC SALE!

As I have decided to quit farming, I will offer for sale at Public Auction at my home 2 miles south and 1 mile west of Buchanan, 1 mile east of Bakertown school house,

FRIDAY, FEB. 14, 1913

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

8 HORSES 8

3 brood mares, 1 bay, 7 years old, weight 1800; 1 black, 11 years old, weight 1800; 1 grey, 9 years old, weight 1250, all in foal; 1 bay gelding, 3 years old, weight 1400; 1 team of geldings, weighing about 2700, 8 years old; 1 bay colt, 2 years old; 1 mare colt, 1 year old.

2 COWS 2

1 fresh cow, 5 years old; 1 5-year-old cow, due to freshen the last part of this month.

5 Chester White Pigs, 4½ Months Old.
55 Chickens, Full-blood Rhode Island Reds.

Farming Implements

2 wide-tire wagons, 1 new Birdsall wagon, set bob sleighs, wagon box, Dané mower, Oliver walking plow, Gale corn cultivator, 75-tooth spike drag, wood rack, spring cutter scythe, steel beam, double shovel plow, grind stone, 50 potato crates, 20 grain sacks, all these are nearly new; 3 horse blankets, top buggy, spring tooth harrow, hay rack, grass seeder, set double harness, set breeching, single harness, hay, corn, corn fodder, new hay knife, hay fork and pulleys, pitch forks, set wagon springs, kitchen cupboard, Florence heating stove, 30-gallon meat jar, 12-gallon jar, and other articles too numerous to mention.

DINNER WILL BE SERVED BY THE LADIES OF THE EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

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Claude L. Haslett.

FRANK STARKWEATHER, Auct'r.

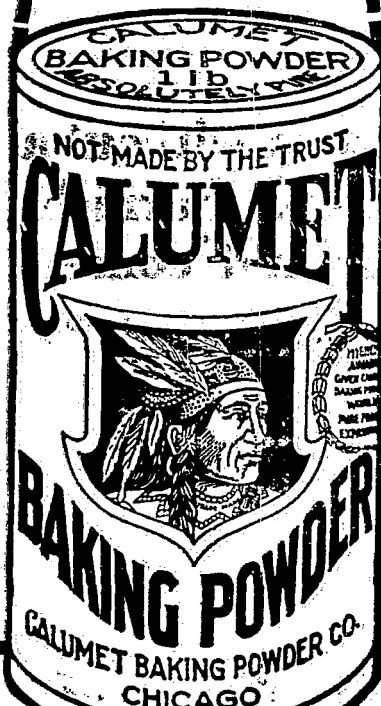
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When Buying Baking Powder

For this is the baking powder that "makes the baking better." It leavens the food evenly throughout, puffs it up to airy lightness, makes it delightfully appetizing and wholesome. Remember, Calumet is moderate in price—highest in quality.

Ask your grocer for Calumet. Don't take a substitute.

RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS, World's Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Illinois, Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912.



Calumet Baking Powder Co. CHICAGO

You don't save money when you buy cheap or big-can baking powder. Don't be misled. Buy Calumet. It's more economical—more wholesome—gives best results. Calumet is far superior to yeast milk and soda.

Why Have "Nerves"?

This is the reason why women have "nerves." When thoughts begin to grow cloudy and uncertain, impulses lag and the warnings of pain and distress are sent like flying messages throughout limbs and frame, straightway, nine times in ten, a woman will lay the cause of the trouble to some defect at the point where she first felt it. Is it a headache, a backache, a sensation of irritability or twitching and uncontrollable nervousness, something must be wrong with the head or back, a woman naturally says, but all the time the real trouble very often centers in the womanly organs. In nine cases out of ten the seat of the difficulty is here, and a woman should take rational treatment for its cure. The local disorder and inflammation of the delicate special organs of the sex should be treated steadily and systematically.

Dr. Pierce, during a long period of practice, found that a prescription made from medicinal extracts of native roots, without the use of alcohol, relieved over 90 per cent. of such cases. After using this remedy for many years in his private practice he put it up in form of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, that would make it easily procurable, and it can be had at any store where medicines are handled.

MRS. LILA B. HAWKINS, of Zeus, Va., writes: "I had been failing in health for two years—most of the time was unable to attend to my household duties. Female weakness was my trouble and I was getting very bad but, thanks to Doctor Pierce's medicines, I am well and strong again. I took only three bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' and used the 'Lotion Tablets.' I have nothing but praise for Doctor Pierce's wonderful medicines."

TAKE DR. PIERCE'S PLEASANT PELLETS FOR LIVER ILLS.

INFANT DEATHS SHOW INCREASE

Secretary Martindale's Report Shows the Causes.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 25.—Secretary of State Frederick C. Martindale has just completed tables showing the infant mortality for the first four weeks of life for the years 1910, 1911 and 1912.

For the year 1910 there were 3,161 deaths of infants aged one to four weeks. The number of deaths of children aged seven days or under was 2,329, or 73.7 per cent; 428, or 13.5 per cent, died during the second week of life; 245, or 7.6 per cent, died during the fourth week of life. The most important cause of death during the year, or the cause showing the largest number of deaths, was premature birth. No less than 829 children dying during the first week of life from this cause; 44 during the second, 11 during the third, and 7 during the fourth. The cause showing the next largest number was inanition, 192 deaths from this cause, occurring during the first week of life, 60 during the second, 31 during the third and 26 during the fourth. The next in numerical importance was convulsions, 217 for the year; then follows enteritis, 141; congenital debility, 123; malnutrition, 103; marasmus, 90; pneumonia, 88; organic heart trouble, 76.

For the year 1911 there were 3,228 deaths of children aged four weeks or less, 71.9 per cent, or 2,320 aged 7 days or under; 13.5 per cent, during the second week of life; 8.9 per cent during the third week of life, and 5.7 per cent, or 185, during the

fourth week of life. For the year 1912 there were 3,262 deaths of infants aged 4 weeks and under, 2,359 during the first week, 425 during the second, 254 during the third and 195 during the fourth week of life.

Some of the causes of infantile mortality are common to every locality. Such are prematurity of birth and congenital defects. The health conditions under which the mother lives have an undoubted influence on the vitality of her progeny and on the occurrence of premature birth.

LIGHT CALENDAR IN BARRY

Number of Divorce Cases (Four) is Lowest on Record.

Hastings, Mich., Feb. 22.—That matrimonial conditions are becoming happier in Barry county is evidenced by the fact that only four divorce cases are entered on the calendar for the February term of circuit court which convenes next Monday. This is about one-fourth of the usual number of divorce suits on the calendar, and the smallest number recorded in many years.

The entire calendar is the lightest in many years. The principal case of the term will be the trial of Fred Baker, the former Nashville man accused of fleeing some of his fellow townsmen with a get-rich-quick scheme.

BRICK HOUSE BY MAIL

Lansing Manufacturer Uses Parcel Post for Sending Material.

Lansing, Mich., Feb. 25.—A Lansing brick manufacturer sent by parcel post to Chicago, six bricks to be used in the construction of a house which will be one of the features of the clay products exhibition at the Coliseum.

Twenty-five thousand other brick manufacturers of the country are making a similar shipment and it will be the first time that a brick house

was ever sent by mail.

THE MARKETS

Chicago Cash-Grain Quotations. Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.02@1.08; No. 3 red, 95c@1.04; No. 2 hard winter, 91c@92c; No. 3 hard winter, 89c@92c; No. 1 northern spring, 91c@92c; No. 2 northern spring, 89c@90c; No. 3 spring, 85c@88c. Corn—No. 3, 47c@48c; No. 3 white, 48c@49c; No. 3 yellow, 47c@48c. Oats—No. 2 white, 34c@35c; No. 3 white, 32c@33c; standard, 33c@33c.

Chicago Live Stock. Hogs—Receipts 42,000. Quotations ranged at \$8.55@8.60 heavy shipping, \$8.55@8.60 light shipping, \$8.30@8.50 heavy packing, and \$7.65@8.35 good to choice pigs.

Cattle—Receipts 22,000. Quotations ranged at \$9.00@9.25 prime steers, \$6.40@7.15 choice to prime fed beef cows, \$7.75@8.15 selected feeders, \$6.40@6.55 fair to good stockers, \$9.75@10.35 good to choice real calves.

Sheep—Receipts 25,000. Quotations ranged at \$8.50@8.85 choice to prime lambs, \$6.75@7.50 good to choice yearlings, \$6.40@6.75 good to choice wethers, \$5.75@6.25 fair to good ewes.

East Buffalo Live Stock. Dunning & Stevens, Live Stock Commission Merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 125 cars; market strong. Hogs—Receipts 70 cars; market strong; heavy, \$9.00; 7c1c; 29.00@3.10; pigs, \$9.00@9.10. Sheep—Receipts 60 cars; market steady; top lambs, \$8.75@9.00; yearlings, \$7.00@8.00; wethers, \$6.50@7.00; ewes, \$6.00@6.40. Calves, \$5.00@11.00.

REP. UNSOELD DEAD.

Lansing—Without warning and surrounded by a dozen of his colleagues, Representative G. Joseph Unsoeld, Detroit's representative in the state legislature, fell unconscious from his chair at noon on Tuesday. Regaining consciousness for but a few minutes, the stricken man relapsed and three minutes later was dead. Heart disease was pronounced the cause of death.

Representative Unsoeld was 65 years old, and the seat-mate of Representative Joseph Gruesel. The same flag that was draped over the latter's desk and chair covers the adjoining desk and seat.

He was born in Uhlum, Germany, April 3, 1845. He received his early education in the schools of Germany, but continued his studies in the night schools of Detroit after his arrival in this country, and has been a resident of Detroit for over a half century.

Bishop J. J. Hogan Dies. At Kansas City, Mo., Bishop John Hogan of the diocese of western Missouri, the oldest Catholic prelate in this country, both in years and point of service, died of pneumonia aged eighty-four years.

CHANGE OF VENUE DENIED

Case Against Deputy Sheriff Kleis Goes to Trial in Allegan.

Allegan, Mich., Feb. 25.—Former Congressman Diekema of Holland has been here the past week in the circuit court arguing a petition for a change of venue in the case of the people against John Kleis, deputy sheriff of Ottawa county, who is charged with the murder of Ted Gearing, whom he shot last summer at Saugatuck. Diekema alleged local prejudice against Kleis was so strong he could not secure a fair trial here, supporting the claim by several affidavits of prominent people. Prosecuting Attorney Stone brought about 100 affidavits from men all over the county showing no prejudice is extant. Judge Cross denied the motion and the case went to trial here Monday.

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HORSE FOR SALE—A good work mare. Inquire of Bert Rumsey, Buchanan R. F. D. No. 2. 6c

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RING FOUND—Gold ring with monogram. Finder may recover same by applying to Prof. Eggert and paying 25c for this notice.

HOUSE FOR SALE—Seven room house, almost new, good location. 6c Inquire of Edgar Ham.

First Publication Feb. 27, 1913. STATE OF MICHIGAN, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien. At a session of said Court, held in the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 14th day of Feb. A. D. 1913.

Present: Hon. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Sarah A. Hanover, deceased. Valva W. Huff having filed in said court her petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to petitioner or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 10th day of March A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. (Seal) A true copy. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. Last Pub. Mar. 13, 1913.

First Publication Feb. 20. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien. At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 18th day of February, A. D. 1913.

Present: Hon. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Rosa Fenton, deceased. Harry Fenton having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Charles A. Clark or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 17th day of March A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. (Seal) A true copy. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. Last Pub. Mar. 6.

First Publication Feb. 13, 1913. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Berrien. At a session of said Court held at the Probate Office in the City of St. Joseph in said County, on the 17th day of Feb. A. D. 1913.

Present: Hon. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of John House, deceased. Fred W. Howe having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the 10th day of March A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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Present: Hon. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Rosa Briney, deceased. James A. Boyle having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered, that the 10th day of March A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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Present: Hon. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of M. Ellen Siskel, deceased. Allison C. Roe having filed in said court his petition, praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 10th day of March A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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Present: Hon. Roland E. Barr, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Lucretia G. Swann, deceased. Charles A. Clark having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

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First Publication Jan. 3, 1913. State of Michigan, The Circuit Court for the County of Berrien in Chancery. Orr Pangborn vs. Mary Pangborn, Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for Berrien County in Chancery at the City of St. Joseph on the 10th day of January A. D. 1913. In this cause it appearing from affidavits on file, that the defendant, Mary Pangborn, is not a resident of the state of Michigan but is a resident of Elkhart in the state of Indiana. On motion of Geo. H. Pachelator, counsel for the plaintiff, it is ordered, that said defendant, Mary Pangborn, cause her appearance to be entered herein, within four days after the date of this order, and in the case of her appearance that she cause her answer to the complaint to be filed and a copy thereof to be served on said complainant's solicitor within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill shall be taken as confessed by the said non-resident defendant. And it is further ordered that within twenty days after the date of this order, the complainant cause a notice of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, and that such publication be continued therein at least once in each week for six weeks in succession or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served on said non-resident defendant at least twenty days before the above time prescribed for her appearance. Geo. H. Pachelator, Plaintiff. W. Bridgman, Solicitor for Complainant, Circuit Judge. Business address, Buchanan, Mich. Last Pub. Mar. 6, 1913.

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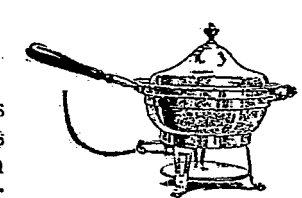
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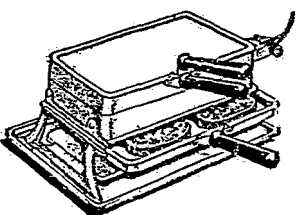
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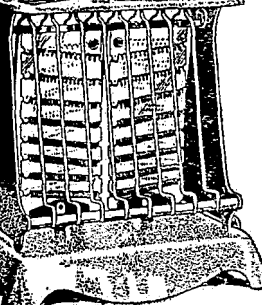
toasts

toasts either above or below. Place bread on top for "quick" toast or in the pan below for the slower-dry kind.



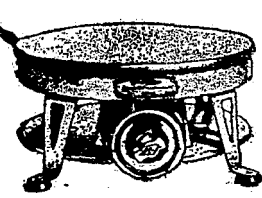
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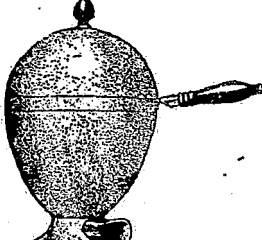
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So much handier, cleaner, dandier than the old-time SADI-IRON. No fires to build—wood to carry—coal to shovel—or ashes—or gas—or oil. No weary tramps from stove to ironing board—no lifting iron from board to stand and stand to board—hundreds of times a day—simply tip it up on heel—the stand is attached.

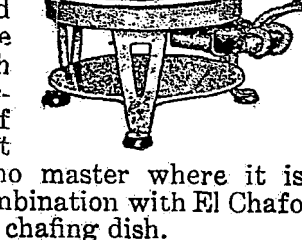
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El Stovo is a very efficient six-inch disc stove. Heats up quickly and stays hot a long time. Will do almost all forms of cooking. Just the thing to prepare a dainty lunch in the afternoon or for those after-theatre party affairs which are so enjoyable. (It can be used anywhere there is an electric light socket.)

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LOCALS AND PERSONALS

Artistic picture framing at Darby's.

Send for the man.

Clean your rugs and carpets free.

Domestic Ball Bearing Vacuum Cleaners

J. H. Forster of Niles, was over Tuesday.

Mr. Carmer is able to be out after a fortnight's illness.

H. H. Beck shipped a carload of cattle and a carload of sheep to Chicago Monday.

Miss May Miller was home from Kalamazoo over Sunday.

Clarence Hless spent Sunday at Glenora.

Harleigh Riley was in South Bend Monday.

A peat bed covering 30 acres has been discovered near Three Rivers. A company has been organized to work it and put it on the market.

Special values in boxed writing papers. Binns' Magnet Store.

Souvenir matinee Saturday at the B-H Theatre

Ice cream at Lyddick's over Sunday.

H. C. Wright remains on the sick list.

Don't forget the orchestra music every Tuesday evening at the Bell.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Imhoff and Atty. Batchelor were at St. Joseph last Thursday on a business mission.

Deputy Sheriff Frank Imhoff and Orr Pangborn were at Berrien Springs Friday.

A. J. Case has applied for a patent on a bolt and nut lock which he has invented.

H. R. Adams was at the county seat Monday on a business mission.

Most people go to Darby's studio for good photographs. c6

Don't forget the Souvenir matinee at the Bell theatre Saturday.

A choir of 1,000 voices has been planned to sing at the revival services of Billy Sunday in South Bend.

The Buchanan Pattern Works has just finished patterns for three locomotives for the New York Central lines.

Mrs. Ira Lindsey of Onarga, Ill., is visiting for a few days at the home of her brother, H. N. Capen, north east of town.

Bay Leaf Rebekah lodge No. 248, will hold its regular meeting Friday evening, March 7, in the I. O. O. F. hall. Matie Adair, R. S.

Have you seen it?

Don't forget the musical treat next Monday night.

Mrs. Curtis, of Dailey, this state, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Richards

Mr. and Mrs. O. Taber visited in Benton Harbor the first of the week.

Elder J. J. Terry, of Decatur, this state, will conduct services, morning and evening, at the Christian church next Sunday.

Are you coming to the Metropolitan Orchestra concert next Monday evening, March 3rd.

Miss Edith Tabor, of Chicago, spent Monday at home with her parents.

Miss Dora Hershenow will give a piano recital at the Conservatory of Music at South Bend next Tuesday evening.

Everybody is going to the concert Monday evening.

Joseph Beistle was at South Bend Monday.

Clinton Hall of Laporte and Mrs. Koons, of Dowagiac were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noah Canfield last week.

Next Monday night, the Metropolitan Ladies Orchestra will be at the Evangelical church.

John Curtis has gone to Dowagiac to reside and will work in the Round Oak shops.

Mr. Mogford who was employed by Lee & Porter Mfg. Co., has returned from Flint and is again doing work for that firm.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Burrows entertained Mr. Oady and friend of Chicago over Sunday.

Morris Mead, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mead of Detroit street visited here last week. His home is in Seattle.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pennel entertained Mr. and Mrs. Claude Sparks of Berrien Springs last Saturday and Sunday.

The Metropolitan Ladies Orchestra at the Evangelical church March 3rd

The Misses Katherine Kingery and Elsie Sellers have returned home from Tampa, Florida.

Miss Muench has returned from Mishawaka.

Fresh eggs wanted at Portz's Model bakery.

L. A. Graffort has rented Dora Wooden's house on Oak street, and his daughter, Miss Grace Graffort of Benton Harbor, is coming to keep house for him.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Jerry Richardson on Main street Friday afternoon.

The "Lady Leone" in two parts Friday evening, Feb. 28, at the Bell. Admission 5 and 10c.

Mrs. Geo. Basse attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Anstiss at Laporte last Monday.

The Y. P. A. of the Evangelical church will meet at the home of Miss Manna Rydell, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Simpson were called to Detroit Tuesday on account of the critical illness of their daughter, Eva.

Let Herbert Roe write your fire insurance. 20 ct

A. F. Howe left yesterday for Ann Arbor, where his wife undergoes a surgical operation today.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stanley of Three Oaks spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Rehm.

J. W. Hawk of Jackson, came here to attend the funeral of the late John Hanover.

The officers of Bay Leaf Rebekah lodge go to Dayton tonight to do degree work for the Rebekah lodge of that place.

The "Lady Leone" in two parts at the Bell Friday evening, Feb. 28. A love story. Beautiful costumes. Fine stage settings. Don't miss it. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

John A. Lundgren, manager of the Record job printing department, has brought his family and household goods here from Chicago, and will occupy the Hurdle house on Moccasin avenue.

We have 18-in. border wall paper patterns to close to make room for new stock and on these we have put prices low enough to surely make them go. See them. Binns' Magnet Store.

A love story of long ago with plenty of action, showing the king making the hero of the play a knight. This is a story well acted and beautifully set. At the Bell theatre Friday evening, Feb. 28. Admission 5 and 10 cents.

Wm. H. Judy of Michigan City, has been spending a few days with relatives and friends in Buchanan and vicinity. Mr. Judy reports that his wife who recently fell on an icy sidewalk and broke her right leg between the knee and ankle, is improving slowly.

Writing The Record to renew her subscription, Mrs. D. A. Wagner, of Los Angeles, Cal., says, among other things, as follows: "Enclosed please find money order to renew my subscription to The Record. The paper is, indeed, a welcome visitor in our home, and we enjoy reading about our old friends."

Messrs. E. B. and Harry Weaver go to Chicago Sunday to meet their mother who is en route home from Los Angeles, Cal. Her son-in-law, Dr. S. B. Scholz, at whose home Mrs. Weaver was visiting has been transferred to St. Louis, Mo., by the Prudential Life Insurance company, whose medical examiner he is.

Mrs. D. H. Naylor, representative of the Franco American Hygienic Co. of Toilet Articles and Extracts, is in Buchanan at the residence of Mrs. C. Smith, No. 7 Portage street, where she will be pleased to meet customers and appoint a representative for this city. Will also call on, and deliver goods to customers. 6p

Fire insurance adjusters arrived here last Friday and made a settlement in full with the Lee & Porter Mfg. Co., whose plant was destroyed recently. The insurance carried by the owners of the plant amounted to about \$40,000. Work of removing machinery from the debris is now in progress.

Cable and switchboard men are here to install a new switchboard in the Michigan State Telephone company's exchange. The re-arrangement of myriad wires, which is involved, makes the undertaking assume large proportions. The job will be finished in about three weeks, however.

Mr. E. J. Hopkins, district manager for the Domestic Vacuum Cleaner Co. of Worcester, Mass., is in the city introducing their Sweeper Type Cleaners. He will be pleased to send a demonstrator to your home and show you the workings of the machine and explain how to keep your home clean and sanitary. See ady in another column.

When en route home from Flint last Friday, Mrs. J. E. Arney was in a wreck on the Grand Trunk road at Durand, when her train ran into an open switch and collided with a freight train, which was standing on a siding. The engineer and fireman and five passengers were injured, while numerous other passengers were badly shaken up. Mrs. Arney received severe bruises and has not yet recovered from the effects of the shock to her nervous system.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ranft, of near Niles, returned home from California last Friday, after an absence of nine weeks. Mr. Ranft confirms the report that frost has ruined half the fruit crop in California, but says that alfalfa will be ready to cut in a week, peach trees are in full bloom, and that when they left there, Tuesday, the 18th instant, the thermometer registered 80 above. Tourists are there by the hundreds and Mr. Ranft declares they are the principal support of the state. He says "Give us Michigan, good old Michigan."

Walter Brown of Ohio, chairman of the Progressive National committee,

has promised State Chairman Chas. P. O'Neill that Theodore Roosevelt will come to Michigan for a series of speeches in support of the Progressive state ticket, between now and the election, April 7. Besides, the cream of the party campaigners are to come here during the next six weeks. Michigan is the only state to hold an election in the spring and it also gave Roosevelt the largest plurality of any state in the union.

Charles Wilcox of Buchanan, was before Judge Bridgman one day last week charged with getting too friendly with a maiden lady in his home town. She had him arrested and he was taken before Justice Batoholor, who released him on bonds. Wilcox furnished the required security, but fearing he might run away, Deputy Sheriff Imhoff took him to St. Joseph, where he was arraigned in the circuit court. Judge Bridgman decided to place Wilcox, who pleaded guilty to the charge against him, on his good behavior and released him on parole with the order that he appear in court March 10 for sentence. He is now at liberty.

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NOTICE

A prohibition caucus will be held in the Darby art gallery Tuesday evening, March 4, 1913, at 7:30, for the purpose of placing in nomination a full prohibition ticket for village officers to be voted for at the village

election to be held March 10, 1913, and transacting such other business as shall come before the caucus.

C. S. Preston,
J. O. Glover,
Henry Bldgett,
Committee.

Buchanan, Feb. 26, 1913.

COMMUNICATED.

The basket ball game between Niles and Buchanan last Friday evening was unfinished. One of the Niles players was temporarily disabled, which caused a delay. Time was called but the timekeepers disagreed as to the length of time the disabled player was out. Five minutes is the limit allowed. Niles claimed he was out a little less than five minutes; Buchanan, that it was considerably more than five minutes. The Niles referee admitted the man, but Buchanan refused to play unless a substitute was made. The referee gave one minute for our boys to come to time. They still refused when he decided we had to forfeit the game. We call the attention of the public to the fact that it was the Niles referee who made this somewhat automatic decision. We feel that a victory claimed under the attending circumstances carries with it questionable honors. Niles is welcome to it. We disclaim it.

SCHOOL NOTES.

A roll of paper towels will be found near each of the drinking fountains of the two buildings.

Guy Swift is absent from school on account of illness. We trust his recovery may be rapid.

The class in commercial law is making good progress.

The German party was postponed to Wednesday evening, March 5, on account of the illness of Miss Swanson.

Over \$20 was realized from the sale of tags for the Children's Home. The fifth grade made the banner sale, the sixth doing next best.

The junior class is preparing for a social. The date is not yet fixed.

Three Oaks against Buchanan is scheduled for next Friday evening in Rough's Opear house.

Miss Sevison was called to Dowagiac last Friday afternoon on account of the serious illness of a relative.

Attendance is again picking up in the second grade in which mumps made such an invasion.

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