## TWO TICKETS WILL VIE FOR HONORS IN HARTFORD TOWNSHIP ELECTION

Lobdell Are Again Opposing Candidates for Supervisor.

### CAUCUS CONTESTS WAX WARN

Clarence DeHaven Won Republican Nomination for Highway Commissioner, 160 to 87.

Political lines will be drawn in the battle of ballots at the township election in Hartford next Monday, and as in former years two tickets will vie for honors under the captions of republican and democratic.

The tickets are again headed by Char- Doyle. les E. Anderson and Howard Lobdell an the candidates for supervisor. Old opponents are also again arrayed as candidates for the office of township clerk, the republican nomination having gone to the present clerk, Dr. John McLean, while the democratic bonor was accorded to Elmer D. Conklin.

The same candidates who battled for the treasurership a year ago will again contest the honor next Monday, Stanton T. Galbreath having been renominated named Ray I. High as his opponent.

tors usually take an active interest, that of highway commissioner. Clarence DeHaven will be the candidate on Doyle as the democratic nominee.

The nominations were effected last Saturday afternoon in two of the most spirited caucuses held in Hartford townto the republican caucus, and as a reone of the nominations. In the democratic caucus which followed the highdespite the small vote prophesies of lected. democratic opportunity characterized Immediately upon the adjournment viously passed on the orations, awarded the speaking.

itical activity was rife when the repubmated that 275 men were in the hall, the balloting.

tion of Donald F. Cockrane as chair- visor. Howard Lobdell, Fred Bishop, ed of the counties of Van Buren, Ber- town in New York and was married to man, with V. W Olds as secretary and Fred L. Simpson and Stephen Doyle rien and Cass, at the district contest to Miss Helen J. McGibney. They return-Ralph Hubbard and H. L. Gleason as tel- were all proposed and all of them de- be held later, and the winners there lers. The efficers were sworn by Jus- upon to accept, and his nomination was tice L.H Colllins.

A contest for the nomination for supervisor was launched as soon as the caucus was organized, Supervisor Chast. cus was cast on the nomination for highof Clarence H. Mowry was presented by Frank Simpson. A total of 226 voters filed past the tellers to cast ther bal lots, with the result that Supervisor

145 as against 81 for Mr. Mowry.

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## Charles E. Anderson and Howard THE TWO TOWNSHIP TICKETS

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Supervisor - Charles E. Anderson. For Clerk-John McLean. For Highway Commissioner - Clar-

ence DeHaven. D. Robinson.

For Member of the Board of Review, full term-G.W. Merriman.

to fill vacacny—Alfred Richmond.
For Constables—Roy Hinckley, Arthur Gleason, Wm. F. Galbreath, and Geo. E. Shepard.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET. For Supervisor-Howard Lobdell.

For Clerk-Elmer D. Conklin. For Treasurer-Ray T. High. For Highway Commissioner-Edward

For Overseer of Highways - John Burbank For Justice of the Peace-L.R. Hike.

For Member of the Board of Review.

full term-Fred L. Simpson. For Member of the Board of Review, to fill vacancy—Fred Bishop.

For Constables-James Hamill, Henry Ragen, Cecle Conolly and Oscar R.

served three terms as commissioner.

Chas. D. Robinson was nominated by sal peace. by the republicans while the democrats acclamation for overseer of highways, but an imprompta contest was launched merit-so meritorious, in fact, that it bered land in the northern part of the wife at Lawton on February 5. New candidates have been named for for the nomination for justice of the was apparent that the audience was township he engaged in lumbering unthe one other office in which the elec. peace. Lincoln H. Coilins, the retiring notion accord with the award of honors til 1857, when he returned to his native justice, was re-nominated by a vote of made by the judges. Henry House-

The other nominations were made by tor in the declamation contest, gave the republican ticket, with Edward acclamation, George W. Merriman being "The New South" and was a popular named as a candidate for member of favorite with many in the audience. the board of review for the full term, Clare Doren of Paw Paw, who gave with Alfred Richmond as the candidate "Sparticus to the Gladiators," and for member of the board of review to Miss Bessie Adams of Bangor, who ship in several years. Two contests fill vacancy. Roy Hinckley, Arthur gave "Lincoln's Farewell Speech," served as a magnet to draw the voters Glesson, Wm. F. Galbreath and Geo. were more than worthy contestants. Shepard were named as the candidates In oratory Herbert Baitinger of St. for constables.

for the ensuing year C. M. Van Riper, oratory alone was given the highest est number of votes cast was 39, but V. W. Olds and John Minshall were se- credits by the judges The judges on

of the republican caucus the democratic greater credits to Mr. Miller and Miss The town hall was well filled and pol- caucus was called to order by Fred F. Reidel, which carried the honors to Allen, who was chosen as the perma-them. Mr. Baitinger's subject was hean caucus was called to Jorder at two nent chairman. Stephen Doyle was "The Evolution of Man." Sterling o'clock in the afternoon. It was esti- elected secretary, with Fred Simpson Wood, a Decatur student, won much favand Edward Doyle as tellers. The offi- orable comment on his oration. "In although only 247 of them took part in cers were sworn by Justice D. F. humanity in the Name of Science."

The vaucus was organized by the elec- came with the nomination for superclined. Mr. Lobdell was then prevailed will become competitors in the state made by acclamation.

Elmer Conklin for clerk and Ray High for treasurer were both named by Friday evening, Supt. P.F. MCcormick accalmation. The one vote of the cau-E. Anderson being placed in nomination way commissioner, when Edward Doyle. by G.W. Merriman while the candidacy Grant Jones and Thomas P. Howley were proposed. Mr. Lowley declined, and the ballot showed a total of 39 votes out of which Mr. Doyle drew 21, with 17 for Mr. Jones and one for Mr. Howley.

Nominations by acclamation were ac-Anderson was re-nominated by a vote of corded to the other candidates, John Burbank being named as the candidate Dr John McLean was re-nominated for overseer, L. R. Hike for justice of for clerk and Stanton T. Galbreath for the peace, Fred L. Simpson for member treasurer by acclamation. The second of the board of review for full term, fight of the caucus developed over the Fred Bishop for member of the board nomination for highway commissioner. of review to fill the vacancy and James A total of 247 votes were cast, in which Hamill, Henry Ragen, Cecle Conolly Clarence DeHaven won by a vote of 160 and Oscar R. Ulrath for constables.

## ORATORICAL HONORS C. H. ENGLE, PIONEER ARE WON BY NILES OF HARTFORD, IS DEAD

pal Honors in Oratorical Contest Held in Hartford.

For Treasurer-Stanton T. Galbreath, ical contest held at the Academy of for sixty years and one of the best vided into districts and overseers elect-For Overseer of Highwas-Charles high school at Niles, first place in dec- ty, died at his home on Maple street Two tickets have been nominated, as For Justice of the Peace-Licnoln H. Tappan [and first place in oratory to illness of heart trouble, aged 82 years. Frank G. Cleveland; clerk, Murray Lawrence Miller, both Niles students.

> to Hugh Wilson of South Haven, on his condition had been critical. and second honors in oratory to Miss age, having been born in New York on Gertrude Reidel of Paw Paw, whose May 16, 1832. His death of March 190 "The Foreign Policy of Washington," Mr. Engle was nearly 83 years of oration on "A Prudent Compromise" 1915, made his span of life 82 years, 10 followed the same fline of thought and months and 14 days. easily rivaled that of Mr. Miller on Active in the early business and offi 'America's Duty.''

during the present war, that of the over balf a century. Niles speaker being a logical depiction He first came to Hartford from his of the advantages of armament and native town, West Almond, Allegbany military preparedness as a guarantee county, New York, in 1855. There was of American peace while Miss Reidel little semblance of a village at Hart-

33 as against 22 for Isaac B. Williams. man, a Decatur student and a competi-

Joseph, a former Hartford boy, proved As the repoulican township committee a popular favorite and in the matter of thought and composition who had pre-

The winners of last Friday evening

The first declination of caucus honors will represent this sub-district, composcontest to be held in May.

Two of the judges selected for last of Dowagiae and County School Com missioner V. R. Hungerford of Paw places were supplied by Rev. John Lambrecht of Dowagiac and G.W. Merriman of Hartford, Rev. J. S. Hamilton of Hartford was the third judge.

During the program excellent music was rendered by the high school orchestra and the Girls' Glee club. The contest was in charge of Supt. E. B Smith of the Hartford schools, who made it a most interesting event.

The contestants were greeted by a men the various towns competing in 1866, and for thirty years after that he tne contests.

### South Haven Woman

Protests Court Action.

In the circuit court at Paw Paw Fri-Rausch at South Haven last summer allegiance before 'Squire Engle. after Rausch, in a drunken frenzy, had His early life was devoted to both

leased on condition that he leave the ed wide attention.

state for a year. In an article in the South Haven Tri- who died February 23, 1909. On Debune she says: "Men who commit lee. comper 29, 1909, he was married to ser crimes, such as being intoxicated. Mrn Mary L. Inman of Hartford, who get from thirty to sinety days at Paw servives him.
Paw. Resect can commit as assett Re leaves t on a defenseless woman and is not punlahed in any way. He is invited to come to the justice court and plead and Mrs. Clara L. Heble, also of Alleguilty, and then leaves the city. The Sett, and one son,

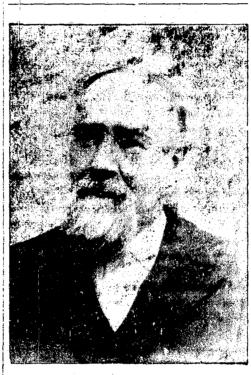
### Berrien Students Gained Princi- Well Known Citizen Was Claimed by Death Yesterday After a Lingering Illiness.

Mosic last Friday evening went to the known men in this section of the coun- ed, under the old road system. lamation being accorded to Miss Adala yesterday morning after a lingering fellows: Republican - Supervisor.

Miss Tappan's subject was "Lincolr, was stricken ten weeks ago, and al highway commissioner, Chas. Barnes. For Member of the Board of Review, a Man Called of God," while Mr. Miller though he had been dangerously ill Citizens - Supervisor, F. E. Monroe; rendered an exceptionally meritorious during a part of that time he had been clerk. Leo LaDuke; treasurer, Nat oration or "America's Duty." Second able to be about the streets at intervals Howes; highway commissioner, Joseph honors in declamation were accorded until ten days ago. For the past week | Donovan.

cial life of the town, 'Squire Engle, as Both of the winning orations dealt he was known, had been prominently Edward Higgins Sold "Booze" to with American duty and opportunity identified with Hartford affairs for

America for the restoration of univer- ver to Stoughten's corners, which was then considered a rival town.



CENIUS H ENGLE.

ed to Michigan, and it was then that Mr. Engle foresaw the development of a village at Hartford instead of Stoughten's Corners, and they took up their residence here.

From that time on Mr. Engle was active in the development of the town. Paw, were unable to be present. Their He has perhaps erected more buildings than any other Hartford resident. He built eight brick stores and the Academy of Music, which he owned at the time of his death. Several dwellings about the village stand today as a tribute to his industry.

In company with the late 'Squire George of Keeler, he solicited the money and materials for the erection large audience, many of whom were of the first church built in Hartford in served as superintendent of the local M.E. Sunday school.

In the earlier years he served several terms as a justice of the peace, and the bistory of early litigation in Hartford day, James Horner, charged with as- would be the record of his justice ner was charged with shooting Wm. lers who enlisted here took the oath of

forced his attentions on Mrs. Horner, school teaching and the practice of law. Immediately after the verdict Rausch In the latter capacity he became attorwas arrested on a charge of assault and ney for the Pokagon Indians, and was battery, preferred by Mrs. Susie M. their counselor and the steadfast friend Franz, who went to Mrs. Horner's as- of the redmen throughout his life. He sistance at the time and was roughly was a close personal friend of the late handled by Rausch. Rausch was taken Chief Simon Pokagon, and was the into justice court at South Haven, publisher of Pokagon's "Queen of the blished in Hartford. Of the present where he pleaded, guilty and was re- Woods' and other books which attract- mail carriers, Edward Beatty of Route

Mrs. Engle died in September 1881, Mrs. Franz is veicing strong condem. and in the fall of 1882 he was married nation of the lemency shown Rausen, to Mers. Sarah Webb of Kalamasoo.

He leaves two daughters, Miss Allie I. Engle who has for years been a

## NEW ISSUE OF SCHOOL BONDS BE DISCUSSED BY SCHOOL VOTERS

Arlington to Adopt

Old Highway System

In Arlington township no candidates for overseer of highways have been First honors in the high school orator. C. H. Engle, a resident of Hartford nominated. The township is to be di-

His death was not unexpected. He Monroe; treasurer. Hiram Crawford;

Decatur Tipplers and Lands In County Jail.

From two to ten years in Jackson prison was the sentence imposed by as against 87 for George Borst, who has dealt with the opportunities afforded ford at the time, and he crossed the ri- Judge Des Voignes in the circuit court at Paw Paw Monday upon James John-lightest interest of any of the communson, aged 28, who was convicted of a The program was one of ecceptional Porchasing 160 acres of heavily tim- murderous assault upon his divorced

Johnson crept up to the window of the home where his former wife and children resided, and shot his wife with reflected in the attendance at the speca revolver. The bullet struck her in ial school meeting. the back of the head, but the wound was not a serious one and the woman is this week engaged in drafting plans has recovered. Johnson was taken to and suggestions for the erection of a Jackson yesterday by Under Sheriff new building or an addition to the pres-Andrew Lang.

tur, was sentenced Monday to sixty submitted at the school meeting. days in the county jail at Paw Paw for "bootlegging." Higgins recently came the present time is the most fovorable from Chicago and rented a small home for building that the country has seen at Decator. Procuring a supply of li- in several years, and that because of the onor, he is alleged to have put it in lower prices of both materials and lab emall vials and sold it from his pocket. Two weeks ago Sheriff Beattie caught Higgins in the act of selling liquor. He went into the circuit court and plead guilty to violating the local option law.

## FOUR BALLOTS AT MONDAY'S ELECTION

Multiplicity of Ballots Will Make Voting Tedious-Farmers Will Draw Five Ballots.

Four ballots will be handed to every Hartford Evoter as they enter the polls of next Monday's election, and those who reside outside of the corporate limits of the village will receive five bal- | cratic canidate for county school comtots upon which they will be expected to register their preferences and decisions.

The four ballots are the ballot bearing the names of the state and county candidates, the ballot for the proposed constitutional Jmendment, the regular township ballot, and the ballot relative to the establishment of a county farm bureau. The fifth ballot to be accorded the voters from outside the village will be the ballot relative to the adoption of Chapter 25 of the Highway laws. This is a proposition which does not affect the voters in the village, and they are not permitted to vote upon it.

At least four ballote will be in evi. sault with intent to do great bodily court. The veterans of the Civil War dence at every polling place in the harm, was acquitted by a jury. Hor- will recall that a majority of the sold- county, and in the townships where special propositions are pending the number of ballots will be increased—as in Hartford

The multiplicity of ballots will as usual make the balloting slow and returns from the election will filter in much slower Monday night than is usual at township elections.

### On Mail Route 12 Years.

Twelve years ago tomorrow, April 1, the first rural mail routes were esta-No. 2, is the only one who began when the service started and has been in continuous service for twelve years. R.G. Burlingame was the other carrier who began when the service was established, but he retired some years ago.

### South Haven Man Dead.

B. F. Hunt, & prominent South Haven farmer and a resident of the township for 45 years, died at his home there tenesses in the public schools of Allegan, Friday storning, aged 75 years. He is and Men. Clare L. Heble, siso of Allegant survived by two sons, C.F. Hunt, cashier of the First State Bank of South Heven, and J. Cooli Hunt who recided

Plans for New School Building Will be Submitted at School Meeting Tuesday Evening.

## MAY CALL SPECIAL ELECTION

New Buildings Will Entail Expenditure of \$15,000 to \$20,000. Say School Officers.

The proposition to call an election to authorize an issue of bonds for the erection of a new school building in Hartford will be discussed at a mass meeting of the voters of the district, called at the school house next Tuesday evening, and if [discussion along the street is indicative of the interest the proposition is destined to command, the attendance at next Tuesday night's gathering will set a new record for Hartford school meetings.

A minority of the voters, usually from 15 to 40, have conducted affairs at the school meetings. In tact, the school meetings have been among the most important events and have elicited the ity's public affairs. A prospective bond issue appears to arouse the interest of the voters as nothing else will, and present indications are that the new born interest in school affairs will be

Architect C. A. Fairchild of Kalamazoo ent one, and these plans together with Edward Higgins, aged 31, of Deca- an estimate of the probable cost will be

> The architect is quoted as saying that or a building can be erected now at a cost\_fully twenty-five per cent less than at any time during the past five years. Despite the prophecy, local school officials are estimating that the plans will call for an expenditure of fram \$15,000 to \$20,000.

## WOMAN CANDIDATE WAGES CAMPAIGN

Mrs. Mae Deane Is Waging Active Campaign for Office of County Commissioner of Schools.

Mrs. Mae Deane of Hartford, demomissioner at the election of next Monday, is at home from her school work at Kalamazoo this week and is doing some active campaigning about the

She spent the last of the week at Paw Paw and Lawton, where active work in her behalf is being conducted by the women's clubs and where her candidacy has been endorsed by the Paw Paw Grange.

Yesterday Mrs. Deane was in Lawrence, tomorrow she will speak before the woman's club at Decatur, Wednesday and Thursday she will go to South Haven to speak before the woman's club and wage her campaign in that section and Friday will go to Banger.

The democratic county committee is also waging a campaign in her behalf. while the republican committee is equally active in the interest of the republican nominee, Supt. E. V. Root of Bangor, and the campaign for the office of commissioner of schools is becoming the most active that has been waged in Van Buren county in a decade.

### Rebuild Electric Plant.

A proposition to hond the city of Dowagine for \$10,000 to rebuild the electrict plant at the city water works atation, which has gone into disuse, is to be submitted to the voters. The plan involves an effort to furnish electric power at a minimum cost to the Rudy Furnace company in order to induc the company to locate its factory in that city.

### **Autoists Are Arrested.**

South Haven officers are arrestime all autoists who are driving their machises with their old 1914 license mintes. When they plead that they have order their new licenses but the secretary of state is alew in sending them out, they are told to find a better en

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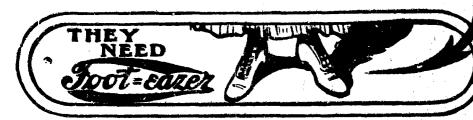
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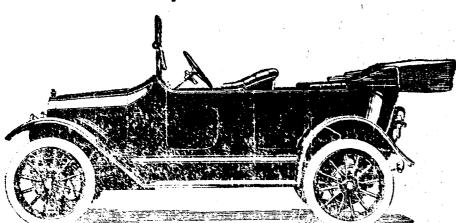
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## Stephen Doyle

Hartford

JOHNSON SCHOOL DISTRICT. Mr. Mehriar still suffers from rheu-

The Gleaners met Friday evening at the school house. Mrs. Tifft is still confined to the

bouce with lagrippe. A report reached here of much dam-

age in the south by a cold wave. Rath Phillips was absent from school rider en accountfof a hard cold. Warren and Catherine Wilson

Miss Lila Dunnington was forced to remain at home the first of last week smoking on himself after it was all on account of sickness.

The Misses Frances and Irene Wilson about sgain having recovered from the

The M. V. A. C. Young People's club met Saturday evening at the home of Miss Lila Dunnington. As only a few were present we decided to leave our business and ment next Thursday evengames were enguged in, Miss Lila Don-nington taking the prize.



Great weather for fruit but hard on he young clover.

Clarence Stewart has purchased a Maxwell ropabout.

Bruce and Dan Merritt have been visiting friends in Lansing.

John Statler and Charlie Griffith have moved out of town much to the regret

of some creditors. Jim Yore has rented the old Duncombe homestead here in the village of Dr. Morris, according to current rumor.

The Duncombe store is being repapered and the change is very pleasing to the eve.

Dr. R.C. Morris los a house by fire on one of his Porter farms recently. but according to Doc, "One house more or less doesn't cut any ice anyway."

Lester Osborne bad wonderful success last year with "Billion Dollar grass." The little seed Mr. Osborne has on hand is finding a ready sale in

Mr. Harris, of Chicago, was in town a short ime ago looking after his farming interests. He has bired Roy Rathburn to look after his place south of town the coming year.

The Thursday Night Pedro club at its last meeting of the year elected the following officers for next season: President, Mrs. Fannie St. Germaine: secretary and treasurer, Mrs. George Conklin; janitor, Frank Dyer.

A contest has been inaugurated at the Keeler dances for the most popular be given at the Stoughton school house lady, each gentleman attending receiv- Saturday evening by members of the ing one vote. The contest will be Rush Lake school. Everyone welcome. terminated in three weeks and a valuable present will be given to the lucky

We quite forgot all about handling this column last week due to the stress of social duties. The Ladies' Aid society, Bravo club, Free for All clubs and Sewing circle, all meeting within close provimity of each other, occupied our entire time and attention.

The Wet-Dry fight in Berrien is attracting considerable attention here. Sentiment seems to be about evenly divided as to the outcome, although it seems to be the general concensus of opinion that this section would be better off if Berrien would go dry.

Hart Weicher has sold his farm southeast of town to Mr. Reap, of Chicago; consideration, \$12,000, which includes the farm and personal property. Mr. Reap and family expect to take pos- is at the home of her brother, E. W. session in about two weeks. Mr. Wel- | Husting for a time. ther and family will move into the Haynes house in the south part of town from which point Hart will work his returned from Petoskey and are now at insurance businers.

population of Keeler before it quits care of the children who are ill. spreading. A partial list of the sick in this vicinity follows: Mrs. Cox and Dora Van Auken took a swift and exson, Irwin. Mrs Cox is still dangerous. ly ill with pneumonia while Irwin seems to be on the road to recevery. ing from town. Mr. Brooks, the paper hager, afflicted with pneumonia; Dr. Robinson, general disability; Charles Henderson, tonsilitia; George Dyer, grippe; Mrs. Burril Robinson, grippe; Mrs. Clarence auspices of the Friendly Nieighbors. Stewart, convalescing from an attack of the grippe; two of the members of the Anthony family sick with grippe, to say nothing of various aspirants for local offices who have appeared a little under the weather since last Saturday. Ob, yes, we almost forgot, Billie Gamar has a bad attack of spring

An unusual amount of interest was manifested at the Republican caucus at the Madcabee hall last Saturday. A record breaking crowd was in attendance, 122 votes being cast for highway commissioner for which office the keenest fight was waged. This is the largest crowd attending a caucus in this town since the Bryan free silver days. The promise of a lively scrap for commissioner was the magnet which drew this unusually large crowd. This fight, however, which was predicted by many would run several ballute was decided on the very first ballot, Mr. Baggerly winning with a total of 81. The other two candidates, Clarence Stewart and Bert Parks received 22 and 14 votes respectively. George Heagy and Lyman Kelly were nominated for supervisor, the former receiving 79 votes and the latter 18. For clerk, Ed St. Germaine received 71 votes as against 23 for John McMillan; treasurer, Theron More-house 70, Harry Shaus, 43. It took two ballots to nominate the highway overseer with Parks the winner. Other nominees were as follows: Board of review. John Warren; Justice of the Peace, full term, Frank Dyer; Justice of the Peace to fill vacancy, Lewis Timmons; constables, Henry Anthony, Ansel Kelly, Henry Lincenmeyer and Burr Henton Throughout the entire caucus the spirit of harmony was very much in evidence and with no sore under the wire in the lead at the April larly hard luck. John voted for him- and? self for every office on the ticket but received no assistance from the rest of At the democratic caucus with no gates representing their unions

and Florence Warren are able to be scrap in view there, was a very light turn out, a total of twelve being present. The following ticket was nominated: supervisor, Lloyd Conklin; clerk, Frank Rosevelt; highway com missioner, Irwin Cox; treasurer, George Conkling; overseer of highways, Claude Pitcher; justice of the peace, full term, Bert Seiters justice of the years, short term, Charles Batherland; bound of review Burrill Rebertson ;constable: Newton Poster, Claude Hughes, Ro

STOUGHTEN'S CORNERS.

Mr. and Mrs. John Norman enternined several friends from Toquin

Frank DeHaven visited over Sunday rith his Frother, Thomas DeHaven, of

Mr. and Mrs. K.B. Holmes, of Buchanan, announce the birth of a daughter on March 28.

The meeting of the Needlecraft will be held at the home of Mrs. Chas. Robinson Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Streight and family and cousin, Alrick Gray, spent Sunday with Henry Getting east of Hart-

Mrs. Clarence DeHaven and Mrs. Frances Martin spent part of last week in Coloma with their sister, Mrs. Cora Q

Harry Allen is on the sick list and C Fred Allen had the misfortune to in- 3 jure his back last week, caused from 🖠

Mrs. Francis Martin returned to her home in Chicago last Saturday after spending two weeks here with her 2 father, Ira Branch, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mre. Ned Cook, of Hartford, Co and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook and daughter, Lura, metored to Grand Junction Sunday morning, returning in May Deane.

The Gleavers organized an arbor atthis place last Wednesday evening, with a good membership. Dr. Dunnington is camp physician. Farmers, if you believe in co-operation, put your shoulder to the wheel and boost the Gleaners. Meeting Wednesday evening at the school bouse.

An entertainment and box social will Ladies bring well filled boxes and gentlemen filled purses as the proceeds are to be used for a good cause. Everyone not bringing a box or buying one will be charged 10c admission.

RUSH LAKE.

Mrs. Hoover is recovering nicely

Glenn Baldwin will teach the Stickney school again the coming year.

Gail Hamilton has been very seriously ill, but is slightly hetter now.

Mr. and Mrs. Berlin St. John entertained the pedo club Friday evening. Mrs. John Peck was the guest of her

sister, Mrs. James Snyder, Monday. Mrs. Isabelle Branch of White Cloud,

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hogoboom have home to their friends.

It looks as if the epidemic of grippe Mrs, Ethel Bancroft is staying with and pneumonia will reach all of the Mrs. Hamilton and assisting in the

> Frank Lamb and family and Miss citing ride last Saturday while return-

An entertainment and box social will be given at Stoughton's Corners school house next Saturday evening under the A good attendance is desired.

Mr. and Mrs. James Snyder spent Sunday in Bangor at the home of S. Martindale, where a company of fifteen sat down to a four course dinner given in honor of the birthday of their mother, Mrs. Fred Snyder.

BANGOR.

Prof. Clothier left Monday for his

Most of the college students are enoying a week at home.

Prof. Floyd Stilgenbaur is spending his vacation week at Ann Arbor. Mrs. Harbin recieved word of the death of her daughter in Indiana.

John Jefferson is quite sick at his home in the east part of the village. George Spriggs has maved to the T. Horton house on Maple and Cass

Noah Steinman has purchased the Rider house on Maple street and will soon move thereto.

I. B. Sheldon left Monday for points in northern Michigan in the interest of the Appleton Manufacturers of Bata-Decision day was observed in the Con-

gregational and M. E. churches Sunday with excellent results and a union service in the evening, Rev. Kelsey delivering the sermon.

Rev. F.C. Laslette received a message rom Dalton Carpp on Saturday from Pasadena, California. He and Mrs. Carpp are having a delightful trip. Their many friends will be glad to hear

Easter service at the Christian church will be of interest to everybody. Mrs. spotsfill eight predictions were freely Weinbeimer, the great singer of Chicamade that the ticket named would come go, will sing. The pastor speaks on under the wire in the lead at the April election. John Teed played in particulity's Question and The Answer' at 11

Official notice of the Van Buren county W.C.T.U.: Convention will be held the crowd and had to be content with at South Haven on May 6 and 7 in the Congregational church. Ali auxiliaries of the county will please send dele-Helen J. Sheldon, Sec.

The meeting of the Pinery Social Circle held at the home of Mrs. Marie Wilson, was very enjoyable one. The swelest for the afternoon was "Birds" which was well discussed. Some interseting papers were read and enjoyed.

The next meating of the Pinery Scelal Circle will be held at the home of Mrr. Colline, Friday, April 9.

## CEMENT DRAIN TILE SALE.

To make room for my spring stock I will sell Cement drain tile at reduced prices for the next 30 days.

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RAPTIST CHURCH, DELNOCHEN HAW Pastor. Services every Sabbath, morning and evening. Sabbath School at 12:00 a. m. Prayr meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. B. T. P. U. prayer meeting Sunday evening at 6:30 s'clock. Covenant meeting on Wed'sday before the first Sunday in each month. All cordially nyited Communion on the first Sunday in each month at the close of the morning service.

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J. S. HAMILTON, Pastor.

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EVENTH DAY Adventist Church. Sabbath School on Saturday at a a m machine at the more very same as a machine with the same very same as a same very sam School on Saturday at 16 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. Young People's Missionary Volunteer society at 3 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend these services

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### FLORIDA LODGE, No. 309 T. & A. M.



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R. B. Fowler, R. D.3, Hartford,

See Duane Smith if you want your cemetery lots properly taken care of for the season. 31, 3tpl. 🚆

LOST-A black Shepard dog; left ast Saturday afternoon. Anyone finding the described dog please notify Ray McCotter, north of town.

30, 2tp.

29, tf.

28, 4t.

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28, tt.

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you prices.

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I have for sale farms, lots, and residence property, also Tornado Fire and Automboile insurance.

30, 2tp. Helen Sheldon, Bangor.

FOR SALE-18 acre farm, ? acres of grapes, small house, large barn. Inquire of Mrs. R J. Shull, Paw Paw,

FOR SALE - Fresh Durham cow. eight years old, with twin heifer calves.

A.J. Dowd, Kibbie 'Phone.

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satisfaction. See a sample of the

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CUCUMBER GROWERS.

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Good things to eat are found where

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We are ready to contract for cucum-

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Let me estimate your work.

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of Hartford. WANTED-Have cash buyers for 20 to 40 acre farms, if you want to sell

perience with farm work. Address Alex Anderson. 2721 Winona Ave.,

WANTED-Setting hend.

Gather large snow white eggs the ear round. Pure bred S. C. Mottled Egg Farm, Hartford, Mich.

FOR SALE-40 acres. 35 cleared, 3 all report a good time. miles southeast of Hartford. Land suitable for fruit and grain with 12 acres seeded. Six room house, 32x40 FOR SALE—Thirty White Wyandotte feet. Barn, grainery and shop, chicken house, pig pen, apples, peaches, pears, raspberries, strawberries, grapes, buckleberries, wind mill and tanks. Price \$2,500 with \$1,000 down, time tigate the Wood & Salnave centent Will sell 20 acres. given on balance. stave silo. They are giving the best

C.S. Stoddard, Hartford, Mich.

north Maple street. Jake Thomas. 29, 4tp.

foal, weighing 1470 and 1625 Bert Gage,

tories. See F. W. Hubbard, Hartford Lawrence, Mich. FOR SALE-Fourteen head of fresh cows and springers.

the Gosben Flours, GERBELLE and

BOAR FOR SERVICE-"College 25, tf. Duke," thoroughbred Yorkshire No-21003, from Mich. Agricultural College; the bacon hog. Farm first house for batching. 2, tf. south of Maple Hill cemetery.

10, 6mos.p Chas. E. Taylor. FOR SALE-Dry wood. Chas. E. Anderson.

FOR SALE-13 H. P. gasoline engine, new, at a right price. Inquire of the Day Spring. 49, tf. For electric light wiring and fixtures

of all kind, get my prices. 6, 6 mos p. C. F. Galbreath.

Try the new Self-Rising Flour EX-PANSION for all kinds fof pastry. It over with me and I will give you the saves time and labor and results are al. full particulars. Office opposite Ely together satisfactory. Made by THE Park, Hartford, Mich. GOSHEN MILLING CO.

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street, Hartford, Mich. 41, 2tp. M. F. Hoover.

SPECIAL. Attevery store in town, April 1, as advertised. Now when you have bought all you want at the other stores just call in and get carpete, ruge and linoleum or anything you may need in the

house this spring. We also have dry wood for sale cheap and your credit is good here. Telephone No. 90.

New Furniture Exchange. Hartford, Mich.

EGGS -R. C. Rhode Island Red eggs for batching, 5c each.

COVERT.

Mrs. Dell Adams is on the sick list.

Homer Cooper, of Wisconsin, is in

George Vanderbough was in Hartford

The question of state wide local op-

The new Covert depot is almost com-

Harvey Burgess returned beme Mon-

tion is being discussed in this section.

pleted and will be a credit to the town.

day from a visit with friends in Otse-

The new postmistress treated the Co-

vert patrons to some fine oranger. Sat-

Miss Burkitt of Hartford, a former

Mr. Middleton of Kalamazoo owner

The N.S. Sink store is decorated with

some fine millinery goods ready for

Sheriff Beattie and Prosecuting At-

torney Burbans of Paw Paw were in

Mr. Quailey of Chicago, is locating

The quarantine question is in a ser!

W.B. Thompson owner of the marble

monument works of South Haven was in Covert on business last Friday.

Edwin McGowan and family of Al-

One of the oldest papers discovered

in this section is the Ashtabula Sentinel of Ohio, in possession of R. Ford,

Let everyone turn out to election.

Covert is in the midst of a fierce poli-

more bonds is one of the leading issues.

Zell Kelley and wife of Dowagiac,

visited friends here last week and sur-

prised many when wedding cigars were

passed around, as the young couple had

John Livisting, a Gleaner speaker,

ing. Another meeting will be held at

Covert high school Saturday evening,

April 10. All farmers should be pres-

News reached here of the marriage of

Clarence Bowers and Miss Hazel New-

man of South Bend. The groom was

once a resident of Covert and has many

friends here who extend their best

SOUTHEAST HARTFORD.

Maple sugar making is about over

Daniel Dawd has been trimming trees

Mr Parker, who bought the Elmer

Miss Violetta Shaul returned home

Hyde farm, is moving onto the farm. 🚆

Sunday after spending a few days at

The Jolly club was entertained at the

home of Mr. and Mrs. C.B. Manley last

Friday evening. Last one of the season;

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Stratton and Mr.

and Mrs. Hugh Osborne and daughter,

Erma, spent Sunday at the home of

Ben Johnson was taken very sick last

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stein entertained

the Southeast Iclub last Friday even-

ing, Mary Johnson receiving bell prize

and Mrs. J. W. Stratton, the booby

prize. After tine refreshments Mr.

Stein gave a few selections of music

on the grapophone. All enjoyed the

OUR

Sunday morning with pneumonis. Dr.

Butterfield is attending him and at this

writing he is reported no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shaul.

wishes to the young couple.

for this season.

for Milton Conklin.

gave a good address here Friday even-

been married for three months.

liance, Ohio, expect to locate in south-

west Lawrence in the near future.

which was published in 1843.

ious mix. A right of agitation may lead

in his new home purchased of S.D. Ken-

of the Vaughan home here, was in Co-

teacher here visited friends in Covert

"Fruit Belt"

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Is now ready for delivery in

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product than heretofore.

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Tuesday with a load of fat stock.

Covert on bosiness.

over Sunday.

vert Monday.

ney, south of town.

to some light of law.

31, 5tp. Howard Butcher. FOR SALE—Young mare, 4 years id in June, sound and right. John Wilkinson. 31,2t.

WANT TO BUY-10 to 80 acres in the vicinity of Hartford. Must be well located, fine buildings, and at lowest cash price. Give full particulars.

Western Michigan Realty Co., Benton Harbor, Mich. 31. 2t.

FOR SALE-40 acre farm, one mile south and two miles east of Water rliet, known as the Dennis Healy farm. For further references, write or see P.M. Kinney at Watervliet State Bank.

FOR SALE-Colt, three years old, weight 1050, at \$125; also heifer for \$15; cash or time.

Frank Drullinger, 31, 1tp. Kibbie 'Phone.

LOST - Tuesday morning between the depot and up town, a child's white Ermine fur muff Finder return to Easter display. Day Spring or phone

E.W. Ewald. PAINTING--If you have painting or Covert Tuesday. paper hanging to be done, [let me esti-

mate your work. 31, 4tp. Chas. Palmer. SEED CORN-Early Dent seed corn

for sale, \$1.50 a bushel.

Henry Anthony, 30, 2tp. R.D. 2.

FOR SALE-Twelve of the leading varieties of strawberry plants, also 'R. C. Rhode Island Red eggs, 50c. for 15. H.M. Haynes,

30 6tp. Kibbie 'Phone. I am ready to write contracts for I fruits and vegetables and will be at my factory every Saturday. Our acreage will be limited this year, so see us tical battle and the voting on \$20,000

early.

SILOS-If you intend buying a silo, nvestigate the Nappanee | Get a guarintee. For prices, see Clare Northrup,

30,2tp. Lawrence, Mich. FOR SALE-Choice of three well

Jake Geisler. 3 miles south, 2 miles west

WANTED-Position on a farm by married man, no children, have had ex-

30, tf. Chicago, Ill.

30, 2tp. Harry Hough. Ancona eggs, one dollar per setting of the home of Hugh Osborn west cf fifteen at Chestnut Lawn Poultry and town.

FOR SALE-My house and ;lot on

FOR SALE-Two young mares in

29,2tp. Kibbie 'Phone

George Yore, 29. tf. R.D.4. Hartford. FOR SALE-Four good horses, cash

Chas. E. Anderson. Kibbie 'Phone. FOR SALE-White Wyandotte eggs

A.J.Dowd,

H. S. SCOTT, CHIROPRACTIC. Is getting up a colony of people to start the sixth of April to take up homesteads in South Dakota, At the present time he has 100 applications to go out there with bim. Some parts of South Dakota have not been settled up like other parts of it, and this is just coming in to filing. Come along and go with us and get 160 acres for \$64 all told except fare and lodging. You are welcome to join with the crowd the sixth of April. Come in and talk it

MILES DISTRICT.

Myrl Robinson is quite seriously ill. Margaret Minshall is on the sick list. The Friendly Neighbors will meet with Mrs. Will Finley on Thursday,

Leonard Dade, who has been very seriously ill for the past week, is now recovering rapidly.

Walter Cleveland is recovering from the effects of burns received while he was tending the sugar bush at Wood-A box social and play will be given

at the Stoughton's Corners schoolbeuse

on Saturday evening, April 3, under the acopices of the Friendly Neighbors.

All are invited.

there.

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Wednesday, March 31, 1915.

### WHEN FIGURES PREVARICATE.

will not lie," but that they are capable of being misunderstood has been demonstrated by the publication of the annual township report for the past sever

has been expended for highway improvement and maintenance in Hartford township than has actually been used. would reveal to them their error.

At the annual township meeting stated suing year. These amounts are apread and several sharp contests are being upon the tax roll, but as the taxes are engendered. In Hartford another prois not available until then.

It has been the custom for the township to borrow the funds necessary for ter 20 of the Highway Laws which, if its highway department, the loans to adopted, will mean a practical return for Tennessee to visit his mother. Mrs. be paid when the taxes are collected. to the old method of road repair by di- Johnson. During the past year a total of \$3,000 viding the township into districts and was borrowed for the highway improvement fund, and upon these loans interset was paid to the amount of \$62,95.

At the time the loans were made they were entered as receipts in the report which is published in the Day Spring important one, and calls for the exerthis week, and at the time they were paid they appeared in the column of expenditures. This brings the total of the indicative of a wholesome interest in highway improvement fund to \$7.274.37, public affairs; a light vote is the badge from which should be deducted the of a disinterested and may hap retro-33,600 borrowed and paid and the \$62.37, gressive community. paid in interest on the loans, to determine the exact amount expended for highway improvement. The subtraction shows that the amount expended for highway improvement in Hartford township during the year was \$4,211.42.

The amount expended for road repair must be determined in the same manner. At the annual meeting a year ago a fund of \$1,500 was voted for the purpose. To carry on the work until the taxes were available loans to the amount of \$1,100 were made, and ou these a total of \$27.37 was paid in interest. The figures reported in the repair fund reach a total of \$2,674.11, the doctrine of the church. Baptismal thimbles, the men their pocket books from which \$1127.37 in loans and inter-service almost every evening. All are est should be deducted, leaving \$1,546.74 invited to these services. as the amount actually expended for

road repair. This method of conducting the township affairs is well understood by a majority of voters, but it is misunderstood by a sufficient number of others to lead to misapprehension as to the amount of money raised and expended for highway | 10:00 a.m. At the eleven o'clock ser purposes and prevokes some unfounded discussion at election time.

### MONDAY'S ELECTION.

Political interest about the county is centering in the campaign for the office school will give an Easter program at of county commissioner of schools, the 6:30 p.m. one county officer to be elected at next Monday's election.

For the first time in years an active campaign is being waged for the office. Added to the usual partisan strife, Van which the battle wages.

Mrs. Mae Deane of Hartford is encent primary, and the democratic county | Keep these in mind. committee has directed its principal efforts in her behalf.

have also taken up the political cudge! Dowd's store at ten o'clock sharp. Plan in behalf of her candidacy, and she has to attend this last one of the season. received the endorsement of a majority of the clubs. In the vicinity of Hart. vices will begin at 6:30 instead of 6 p ford where Mrs. Deane is well known m., and the evening preaching services her candidacy is being espoused by at 7:30. Notice the change. many of her personal friends, who are advancing it on the claim that she is gregation, the hour of the Sunday well qualified by both experienne and school will be ten o'clock, and church training for the position.

equally active in promoting the candi- held at ten o'clock will be changed at dacy of Supt. E. V. Root, the republican the hour following the evening preachcandidate. Mr. Root has served for ing service. Do not fail to be at the twelve years as superintendent of the Sunday school next Sunday at Bangor schools and is known as one of o'clock. the county's prominent educators. In his home section his personal friends are equally as ardent in premoting his candidacy as are the friends of Mrs. Deane in Hartford. Both are commanding assetantial support about the coon-

closely seanned.

The only other county matter to be submitted to the voters is the proposition to establish a county farm bureau.

This proposition has been widely discussed and a diversity of opinion has been developed among the rural voters. Advocates of the plan are predicting that it will carry by a substantial margin. In the northern, western and eastern parts of the county the farm bureau proposition appears to be popular, but in the vicinity of Decatur some active opposition has developed.

On the state ticket two justices of Spepard. the supreme court, two regents of the University of Michigan, one superintendent of public instruction, one member the latest victim. of the state board of education and two members of the state board of agricul ture are to be elected, and as is usual in Michigan the various political par ties are offering their nominees.

Van Buren county is able to boast one candidate on the state ticket, Attorney There is an old axiom that "figures | Thomas J. Cavanaugh of Paw Paw being one of the democratic candidates for justice of the supreme court. With a wide acquaintance over the county an acquaintance among which his abilmake one to swell the number. Voters who base their judgment upon generally recognized-Mr. Cavansugh the totals published in the report jump | may be expected to poll a compliment- healtn. He has had a siege of grip of at the conclusion that much more money ary vote in his home county. With the late. Dr. Stewart of Hartford is in atpolitical pendulum in Michigan swinging heavily to the republican column, after things. however, the Paw I'aw attorney and his A proper analyzation of the report friends are not making rash prophesies urday last at the Hamilton grange hall. of success in the state.

In Hartford township, as well as in sums are voted for road repair and for all of the townships of the county, two highway improvement during the en- tickets will vie for the township offices. not collected until December the money position is to be submitted to the voters who reside outside of the village of electing an overseer in each district, instead of spreading the present road

With all of these propositions pending, the election of next Monday is an automobile. voter in the county. A heavy vote is moves.



Sunday morning, the last of the seres of sermons on "The New Testament Church." Sunday evening the Sunday school will give an Easter program. Every evening next week the

Charles Myers will furnish [music both morning and evening with the new Diamond Disc phonograph.

### Congregational Church.

Easter Sunday will be observed with appropriate services. Sunday school, vice there will be special music, an Easter sermon by the pastor, reception of new members, and the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper.

The Christian Endeavor and Sunday

Thursday evening the Young Pepole's social at C.G Warren's.

### Methodist Mention.

Remember that next Sunday is Eas-Buren county is experiencing the novel- ter. Theme for morning service. "An ty of baving a woman candidate for a Easter Message." In the evening the county office - and the commissionership Sunday school will give an Easter proappears to be the pivotal point about gram consisting of orchestra selections. solos, quartetts, chorus singing, recitations and class drills. There will be a joying the distinction of being the first missionary offering a t the close. The woman to aspire to a county office in Sunday, school at Hawley will also give Van Buren. Her nomination was effect- an Easter program at 2:30 p. m., which ed by the democratic party at the re- will be worth hearing and seeing.

The Ladies' Aid society (will give a pot-luck dinner at the home of Mrs. Iris The women's clubs of the county Doty, Thursday. Leave Tedrick &

From now on Epworth League ser-

Last Sunday, by a vote of the conservice following at eleven o'clock. The republican county committee is This change will take effect next Sun-

Latter Day Saints.

Services next Sunday as follows: Prayer and sacrement meeting 10:30a m. :Sunday school 11:45 a.m.; preaching 7 p.m., subject, "Repentence from Dand Works." All invited, seats free.

### CORWIN.

s progressing finely.

Ray Nult of Decatur, began work

Henry Shepard and Leo Calvin via-

Auntie Field, who has been cared for the past ten years by Mrs. H. Shepard, was taken to the County Infirmary

The family of Will Neville spent Sun day at Milton Knolls of Decatur. Mr. Knolls came for them with his auto. The ladies are sisters.

The church services Sunday last were well attended. They are counting on 60 being present Sunday next. Will you

tendance. John Calvin is here looking

It was not generally circulated: only eight were present. It was postponed till the following Monday.

Mr. and Mrs Will Simmons, Mrs. Rose and daughter. Florence, spent Friday last at the home of R. Harris. Mrs. J. F. Straw returned with Mr. and Mrs Simmons for a visit.

John Johnson and son, Fay, visited Hartford, that of the adoption of Chap- at his father-in-law's at Niles Friday last. Saturday they went to Chicago where he put Fay on the train enroute

### KEELER.

business

Chas. Yerrington is driving a new

cise of the right of franchise by every Markill house as soon as Mr. Parks

Mrs. Foreman was called to Wisconsin by the death of her brother. Her

Sunday April 4 at 10:30 with a nice pregram. The public is cordially in-

Bert Parks expects to move his family this week to the Chas. Yerrington's place, Mr. Yerrintgon having retired.

from farming this spring.

Frank Cory drives a new Ford auto.

Monday for Fred Harris.

Mina Shepard did a job of paper hanging at Will Timmons the first of

Monday at the home of his uncle, H

All the family at Lewis Utter's have

Henry Shepard Sr., is in quite poor

son accompanied her as far as Chicago.

The Ladies' Aid will hold a joint meeting Monday, April 5. They will serve dinner at 12 o'clock to which the FRENCH DOMESTIC HOT public is invited. The afternoon will be devoted to quilting. Everybody come pastor will hold services, presenting out to election. Members bring well and get all you want to eat for two enillings.

The new building at the Corwin store

ted relatives at Eau Claire recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Shepard spent

taken a turn at the grip. Mr. Utter is

A republican cacuus was called Sat-

Al. Sikes has gone to Oklahoma on

Gene Pomeroy will move into the

Last Sunday was Rev. Hettler's last Sunday before conference. We hope he

## EXPERT **OPINION**

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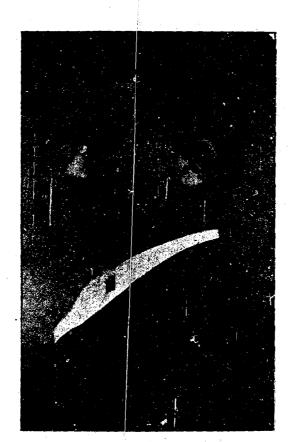
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## SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

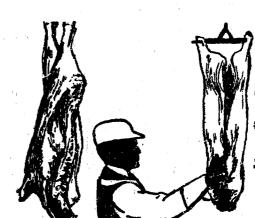
8 bars of Lenox Soap -----25c 10 bars of Hawkeye Soap, equal to Lenox, a good bargain ..... 25c 2 cans of the Salmon for \_\_\_\_\_25c Cuba or Burley Tobacco, per lb. 40c Purity Flour, per sack of 50 lbs. \$1.90 " " 100 lbs...... 3.83 Gold Medal Flour, per sack of 100 lbs. 4.00 Cheese, per pound 18c
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# Groceries....

## Specials for Saturday

24½ pounds Allegan Flour for	.95
25c pkge of Oatmeal for	.20
3 cans 20c Salmon	.50
l pkgs. of A & H Soda	.05
8 bars of Lenox Soap	.25
Perfection Oil per gallon	.08

Don't forget Booster Day, April 1.

Highest Prices Paid for Choice Butter and Fresh Eggs

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Mrs. Melva Smith is ill with lagrippe. Mrs. Ida Smith is quite ill of blood parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smeed.

poisoning. John Andrews is seriously ill of pneumonia.

Carl Olds spent Sunday with friends in Dowagiac.

L.R. Hike is confined to bis home by illness this week.

O.M. Smith nad business in Berton

Harbor yesterday. Bornito Mr. and Mrs. Dick Conklin

Friday, a daugnter.

The Hartford schools are closed this week for the spring vacation.

been seriously ill, are convalescing.

C.B. Wilcox returned Saturday from Florida, where he spent the winter

Mrs. Wm. Havens is convalescing, after two months illness of lung trou-

Sheriff Gladstone Beattle, of Paw Paw, was in town on business yester-

Mrs. Nora Pierce, of Bangor, was a

Eugene Duffey, who has been dangerouly ill the past two weeks, is im. | Engle.

Hinkley, east Main street, is danger-

Mrs. B.D. Jessup spent Tuesday in Bangor as a guest of Mrs. Charles tion, has been a guest at the F.W.Too-

Wilkinson. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Perry returned Mrs. W.R. Mills. Saturday from their winter's sojourn

in Florida. Mrs. Sugan Slayton, of Benton Harbor, visited her sister, Mrs. Wm. Hav-

ens, last week. Mrs. Frank Moore, of Benton Har-

bor, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hinkley Monday. Mrs. E S. Appleton, Mrs. C. H. Smeed

and Mrs. J. Doorkatt visited friends in Fennville Monday. Miss Marie Heald will leave this week for an extended visit with rela-

tives at Sheldon, Iowa. Fred A. Jessup returned to Chicago Sunday evening after spending Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. D.

Mrs. Mildred Lawrence, of St. Louis, et of her father, C. J.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Broxbam have re turned from Janesville, Iowa, where they spent the winter.

Frakn Holmquest left Thursday for Glenburn, N. Dakota, where he has employment for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Shafer left Monday for Glenburn, N. Dakota, where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. J.H. Doornkatt and three children of Grand Haven, are visiting her

Mat Haney left today for New Or-

van of Bangor, will be pleased to learn He would have purched more from that she is recovering from her recent these herds had the owners been will-

Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Webb, of Sturgis were in town the first of the week, being called here by the serious illness of and shoe store to N. P. Tedrick, has his step-father, C.H. Engle.

Dr. R. F. Wafer of Ann Arbor, a former Hartford physician, arrived in Mr and Mrs. R.B. Conklin, who have the village today and will spend a few days visiting Hartford friends.

> The M.E. Ladies' Aid society will not meet tomorrow at the home of Mrs. Ira Doty for a pot-lack dinner as announced, but will meet some time later.

> The Old Home restaurant has been closed this week and is undergoing repair. It will be opened April 1 by Wrn. Goodenough, who recently purchased it.

John Engle, of Saginaw, and Miss guest of her cousin, Mrs. Ella Pierce, Allie I. Engle, of Allegan, have been in town this week, being called here by the death of their father, C. H. pears to be epidemic.

Dr. R.N. Dunnington was at Waterv-The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred liet Thursday where he performed an operation for the removal of a tumor for been victims of these diseases. The Mrs. Joseph Clauser. He was assisted universal indisposition has affected the by Dr.O.M. Vaughan of Covert.

Mrs. Anna Malone, of Hopkins Stagood home this week being called here by the serious illness of her sister,

Mrs. Frank Ward, of Bridgman, was a guest of her mother, Mrs. M. L. Os- vigoration is something of a mystery wald, last tweek. Mrs. Ward states that her son, Rex Ward, will soon go erous quantities was revealed by the from the Ferris Institute at Big Rapids | hilariousness of some of the devotees of to Alpena to accept a position as a

J F. Nichols has his new laundry in the Academy of Music block ready to He has installed a complete equipment of new and modern machinery and will have an up-to-date plant. The laundry will be known as the Hartford City Laundry, and will be opened

John Corwin has built a substantial car formerly owned by M.O.Oppenheim and which was wrecked last summer o an accident near Lawrence. When everticuled it was found that the machinery of the car was but slightly demaged and Mr. Corwin has made a serviceshie machine of it.

opened a fruit store in the Academy of

Homer Merrifield, of Hart, and Mrs. Bessie Benson, of Coloma, were guests at the Dr. R.R.Lawrence home Friday. Through the Teitsworth & Richter real estate agency, Mrs. Elva Kelly

A number of members of Benevolence chapter, O.E.S., were guests of the chapter at Coloma last Friday evening and report the enjoyment of royal

The ladies of the Christian chruch will serve their annual Easter Supper on Friday, April 2, in the Ladies Library rooms. Supper will be served from 5:30 until all are served.

Leroy McCain and family, of Bendon, Mich., have moved into the T.A. Doyle house in the northwest part of the village. Mr. McCain will be employed at the W.H. Dunbar meat market.

T.T. Bratton and family have returned from a two years residence in Kalamazoo and bave moved into their resihis home.

Charles R. Jones of Chicago, a specal representative of the Lincoln Chautauqua system, was in Hartford yesterday conferring with the local chautauqua officers relative to the Hartford chautauqua to be held from August 7

Mr. and Mrs. George Mutchler, who recently sold their residence on north Mich., formely Miss Milrrded Leach Center street, left yesterday for Cale- of Hartford, also spent ther childrhood donia, Mich, where they will make in Mr. Engle's family, and was regardtheir future home. R. B. Jackson and ed by him with the affection of a parfamily of Alma Center, Wis., who re- ent. cently purchased the Mutchler property, are taking possession this week.

ing, were married at Battle Creek on in everything pertaining to the moral March 22, the groom's father, Rev. M. and intellectual welfore of the com-Claypool, officiating. The groom is a munity, he wielded an influence which former Hartford boy and well known has left its imprint on the village be here. At present he is employed at helped to build and upon the generathe Michigan Agricultural college.

Chester Spaulding, who has served as his long and active life. and Mrs. Chas. Spaulding. He has ac- cemetery on west Main street. cepted the same position for the coming year, and has also been retained as agricultural instructor for the Boys' Agricultural clubs of the county during (

Frank Bailey and Wm. Day have just sold and shipped four registered Short Horn calves to Montcalm county. The breeders in that section have ofganized the Central Michigan Short Horn Breeders' association, with a view to building up their herds and making Montcalm county the center of the registered cattle industry of Michigan. leans and will spend several weeks buy- C.W.Crum, secretary of the associaing early fruits and vegetables in the tion, came to Hartford last week and selected three caives at the Bailey farm The many friends of Mrs. John Dones- and one from the herd at the Day farm. ing to ship them out of this section.

A. Z. Perry, who recently sold his interest in the Tedrick & Dowd clothing purchased the grocery stock of M.I. & N.B. Conaway, and will take possession of the store today. During the past enjoyed an excellent grocery trade, and have built up a good business. Perry has been in the mercantile business in Hartford for the past nine years and is well knwon to local people. The sale of the grocery business was made through the real estate firm of Teitsworth & Richter.

According to the reports of a local physicians, an unusul amount of sickness is still prevalent about Hartford. They report few of their patients critically ill, although an unusual number of people are suffering from minor ailments-principally lagrippe which ap-Mumps and measles have also contributed to the sum of human woe, having seriously interfered with attendance at the schools. A number of older people have also attendance at all public gatherings, and the churches have felt the influence of

A decided "dampness" characterized the dancing party at the town hall last Friday evening. The source of the apparently bountiful stream of liquid inbut that liquor was in evidence in gen the terpsichorean art. It was likewise attested the next morning by the profusion of bottles strewn about the ball and around the exterior of the building. During the progress of the dance seve ral automobiles stood in front of the hall, and the frequent trips which the dancers made to the cars indicated that they contained a part of the stock of stimulants The cars and a majority of the dancers were from out of town, many of them hailing from Benton Hurmotor truck from the Jackson touring bor. The dance was promoted by Benton Harbor young men, and was patronised by but few Bartford people. The management of the affair may not have seen responsible for the orgy, but any "tanglefoot" affairs in the

Frank Quintieri, of Paw Paw bas Hartford Stores Ready for Spring Opening Tomorrow

Tomorrow, April I, is the date Hartford merchants have set saide for their spring opening, and the people of the entire countryside are being invited to visit the village, to enjoy Hartford's has sold four acres of the Beeney place hospitality and profit by a day devoted southwest of the village to Charles to the depiction of the newest fashions and creations for spring as well as to bargain giving.

The full page announcement of the merchants, published in the Day Spring of last week, has aroused interest in the event. Many of the business houses have announced special inducements which will afford a money-saving opportunity for their patrons, and in addition they have planned to give away a lady's rocking chair and a set of dishes as a special inducement for the day's trade.

A feature of the day will be 5the opportunity afforded by the Gem theatre to see the first authentic European war pictures shown in this section of the Supt. B. E. Smith of the Hartford country. The pictures are those taken schools left yesterday for Ann Arbor at the battle front and showing the where he will spend the balance of the actual progress of the fighting. The week in attendance at the meeting of pictures will start at noon, running all the state association of school superin- of the afternoon and has into the night as the crowd demands.

The new Hartford band will furnish music for the day, and if the weather man postpones the inclemency of the dence on South street. Mr. Bratton is weather which often accompanies the preparing to open a cigar factory at advent of April, Hartford's formal spring opening promises to prove an important commercial event.

### C. H. Engle, Pioneer of Hartford, Is Dead

(Continued from page 1.) leaves one step-son, Robert L. Webb,

a business man of Sturgis. Mrs. Mildred Lawrence of St. Louis,

Few men were more highly esteemed or commanded the respect of their fel-

Judson E. Claypool, of Battle Creek, lows in greater measure than C. H. and Miss Ethel B. Woodard, of Lans Engle. Maintaining an active interest tions that have known him throughout

instructor in agriculture and manual Funeral services for him will be held training in the high school at Marshall at the home at two o'clock Friday afduring the past year, was at home over ternoon, Rev. F. L. Niles officiating, and Sunday, the guest of his parents, Mr. interment will be made at the old

Hartford Woman's Club.

calendar, always stands for something musually good, and the expectations of the guests last evening were surely fulfilled, for Mrs. Ella Anderson, the retiring president, planned as fine a program as was ever given in the club

Miss Agnes Mitchell, reader, and Miss Grace Penels, soloist, both of Kalamazoo, were the principal entertainers, and these artists with the High School orchestra, furnished an evening's program well worthy a place en a lecture course.

As a setting for this the hall was beauifully decorated with the club colors, green, pink and white, and carnations, the club flower; the color scheme was even carried out in the dainty refreshments that were served during the social hour which followed.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the assistance given three years the Misses Conaway have during the illness and death of our dear husband and father, also to the singers and for the beautiful floral tributes. Mrs. Dwight Foster and Children.

> Mrs. Charlotte Andrews and son, John Andrews, desire to "express their appreciation to all those who contributed to the fund solicited by Tone Martin and Jay Williams to aid Mr. Andrews in his serious iliness.

An error was made in the names in the card of thanks published last week relative to the winning of a prize. The names should have appeared as Baby Delta Messer and her mother, Mrs Florence Messer.

See our Specials for Opening Day. .H. Myera Furniture Store.

An old fashioned dancing party will be given at Miller's opera house in Bangor on Friday evening, April Music by Dean's orchestra; dancing 50 cents, with supper extra.

NOTICE OF SCHOOL MEETING.

NOTICE-A special meeting of the legal voters of School District No. 7 in

the Township of Hartford, called by the district board, will be held at the school building on the 6th day of April, A.D. 1915, at 8 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of determining the advisability of calling election to bond said district for school building purposes John D. Stewart.

FOR SALE-Cow, Jersey and Duram, fresh last of April. Inquire of Louis Wilson.

> JUNE CLOVER SEED -Grown by-HENRY DRULLINGER

-For Sale by-C. D. OLDS & SONE

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Banker

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## ——Specials For Saturday———

"Our Boy" Tomatoes, 4 cans for ..... 25c "Our Boy" Brand Peas, 4 cans for .... 25c 

"None Such" Mince Meat, 4 pkgs....30c

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# SPRING

The winter of 1914-15 is gone never to return. We gladly welcome Spring. The season of the year when the woman of the house Does Things, and the good man finds an excuse to leave his bappy home for a few days.

With house cleaning comes a demand for new rugs, carpets, linoleums, mattings, oil cloths, etc., for the floor.

Lace curtains nets, scrims, drapes and shades for the windows. Couch covers, velours and uphalstery goods for the furniture. Bed spreads, blankets and linen for the beds. We are prepared to care for your wants and would be pleased to show you these goods at attractive prices.

## The New Spring Styles

Also, it will be necessary on account of the change in styles to get busy with some new clothes. Our spring and summer line is complete with the new weaves and shades, Poplins, Gaberdines, Serges and Covert Cloths are among the most used in the new wool goods for suits and skirts. You will have to see the beauty of the new sheer, thin goods for summer dresses to appreciate them.

Just received a full line of the popular Kabo corsets. There is a style to fit every figure.

Have you seen the late styles in SHOES? Come in and look our general line over and we will do our best to please you.

Do not forget our grocery department. Every thing fresh and prices as low as the lowest, quality considered.

> Highest prices paid for produce. Bring in your butter and eggs.

F. W. HUBBARD

INUAL ITEMIZED STATEMENT	L. H. Collins, primary election, Rawson sink hole, huard meet-		Floyd Taplin, work on Miles bridge	1 .75	Frank DeHaven, drawing gravel ( George LaPort "	6 00 13 00		SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 8, FR
	J. H. Stocum, election and board	1	Koy nogmire, work on miles 🗼 🦠	3 50	Anchana DaPanana ahamalina	7 00	Nov. 28, Ray Borst, drawing	HARTFURD. Receipts.
the Township of Hartford for the Fiscal Year Ending	Stephen Doyle, clection clerk	3 00		3 50	Marion Kelly, working on dump	3 50	Dec. 1. E.R. Smith, tile and	May 9, 1914, Hartford township, dog fund division \$ Nov. 27, Tax roll, one mill
March 23. 1915.	George Borst, telephone bill 1	18 50	Miles bridge Feo. 27, Ed. Williams, timber for	8 00	Mrs. Gorge Yore, gravel Aug. 1, Geo. Yore, drawing	56 90	Dec. 3, Mrs. Geo Yore, gravel 2 60	Tax roll, voted
nual Itemized Statement of the Township Board for the Township	John Carter, vatekeeper	2 00	Rawson sink hole	5 00	gravel Azur Sweet, drawing gravel	24 00 22 00		Total receipts 3
of Hartford, County of Van Buren,	Village of Hartford, balf of	.	March 4, Roy Hogmire, ditching March 5, Walter Minshall, grave 1	4 00	Ray Borat ""	11 75	Dec. 5, High & Thompson, tile 35.76 Blashfield & Son, posts for sink	May 9, 1914, Treas of district,
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ending March 23, 1915: tal amount of cash on hand	L'OCB TON	31 75 3 00	William Smith, work on Meach-	5 25	Aug. 6, Mortimer & Hickey,	,	Dec. 7 Dan Lightner, labor	
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nol Districts fund 2067.16	Sept. 19, " 25	50 00	Cyrus Hupp, drawing gravel	9 75	High Smith Milo Wolcott, drawing dirt	8 95 20 40	Dec. 21, Warren Benrett, gravel 64 8	May, 9, 1914, Treas. of district,
\$4114.05 CONTINGENT FUND	Dec., Tax roll, voted tax 150	00 00	M. F. Hoover, repair work	5 80	D. H. Nelson Aug. 21, James Carpenter, shove	-	Dec. 24, Ray Borst, drawing timber and breaking road 8 0	Nov.27, Tax roll voted
Receipts ch 24, 1914, Amount on	Total receipts \$267		Azur sweet, dressing roads William Nelson, shoveling gravel	6 00 5 <b>25</b>	Aug. 22, Frank Wigent, shovel-		Jan. 2, 1915, Ray Borst drawing tim- ber, and breaking road 10 6	Total disbursements
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d interest 40 57 20, County Treas., taxes	George Borst, team work	7 50 10 00		79 79	George Yore, cleaning out pit	20 00 11 00	drawing gravel 7 5 Ray Borst, drawing plank and	Receipts.
d interest S9 S8	April 1. Clarence DeHaven, overseer 3	33 <b>0</b> 0			Azur Sweet, drawing clay and grading	24 00	The Coloma Hardware Co	March 24, 1914, Amount on hand \$
	April 2, Lewis Warren, patching roads	2 00	HIGHWAY IMPROVEMENT FU Receipts.		Ray Borst, drawing clay and grading	24 00	Jan. 11, C.G. Warren & Co., plow	May 9, Hartford township dog fund division
1700 00		15 00	April 19, Olney National Bank,		High Smith, working on dump Harvey Haines, drawing clay	5 25	repairs 1 6 Jan. 12. Engle & Woolsey.	July 11, County treasurer, pri- mary
Stocum, to apply on coal 2 00	April 9 Roy Osborn, dragging	1 40	June 6, Olney National Bank,		Aug 29, Azur Sweet, drawing		bridge brushes 2 1 Jan. 14. Harold Gleason, shovel	Nov.27, Tax roll Hartford, one mill
ss of roll voted 61. 26	April 18, Olney National Bank 25 April 25, Ray Borst, dragging	58 75	loan June 19, Olrey National Bank,		Eugene Duffey, team on grade Allie Tuttle	15.00		Tax roil, voted Feb.25, T.D. Morehouse, tax
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ner, 1:50r 45 00 3, 1914, May Stowell,	George Yore " " 19	19 00   15,00	pit Anthony DeFreeze, working on	3 50	Dan Lightner, work on sink hole E.M. Havens	16 00 7 00	Chas. Float, loss on sheep 6 0 Leonard Dade, loss on sheep 25 0	TIONAL HARROND AND
ction suppers 1 75	July 14, C. Wilcox, repairing road 3 July 25, Ray Borst, repairing	3 00	gravel pit Hiram Smith, working on	3 50	Alvey Notting " " " " " "	7 00 7 00	April 10, Newton Tripp, loss on sheep 1 0	Pogointe
Anderson, B.M., trip to	road, Aug. 1, Anthony DeFreeze,	0 60		1 75	Azur Sweet " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	16 00	May 9, Treas. School Dist. No. 1, Fract., Bangor and Hartford 2 0	hand \$
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nen Doyle, election clerk 6 00 Merriman, board of review 19 50	Clarence DeHaven, overseer		Floyd Lammon, drawing gravel and grading 1 Azur Sweet, drawing gravel	2 88	Dan Lightner " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	16 00 10 50	Treas. School Dist. No 1, Fract., H.W.B. and Keeler 6 0	March 9, 1915, C.E. Robinson, Lawrence treas., mill and
rson Bros., lights 9 40	Aug. 5, Dan Lightner, work on		and grading 1	6 00	Bion Smith " " "	20 00 10 50	Treas. School Dist. No. 2. Hart-	voted tax
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r Slade, Labor 1 00	Bion Smith, drawing gravel		June 8, Mrs. George Yore,	i	June Gay, drawing gravel H. Butcher, work on sink hole	8 00 38 00	Treas. School Dist. No. 7, Hart- ford 106 50	Total receipts \$
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me. & Hickey, padlock 25	Sept. 12, Clare Lamb, patching roads	4 00	Frank DeHaven "" 2 Ray Borst "" 2	24 00 21 00	John Ating, team on sink hole Frank De Haven, work on sink	8 38	Hartford 12 70 Treas. School Dist. No. 10,	SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 4
30, Chas. E. Ashley, County in Comm'r 30 10	Azur Sweet, patching roads Ray Borst, drawing gravel 2	20 00 22 00	Floyd Lammon " " 1 June Gay " 1	2 00	hole H.L.Glesson, work on sink hole	22 00 46 80	Hartford 9 83 March 23, Township treasurer,	Receipts
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rcles 78 labarty, ballot box 1 65	Sept. 17. John Hamill, drawing gravel	6 00	lames Neville, shoveling gravel High Smith, on dump	7 88		51 75	Balance on hand, March, 23,	May 9, Hartford Township, dog fund tax division
E. Anderson, spreading \$100, board meetings and	Sept. 19, H.W.Rath, cutting brush	1 50	June 15, Mrs. George Yore, gravel 4		sink hole Nov. 2, Clare Lamb, work on	8 75	1915, 322 59	July 15, county treas, primary 19 Nov. 27, Tax roll, one mill
ry, \$11.25,	Mrs. George Yore, gravel 3		June 17, Clare Lamb, drawing		county line bridge Nov. 7, George LaPort, drawing	6 13		Tax roll, voted
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e Borst, 91 days highway	grave 2	2 00	John Burbank, bridge plank 2	1 90	Nov. 10, William Kelley, spreading gravel	8 75	Disbursements. May 9, 1914, Treas. of district,	band
2, 1915, Henry E. Shafer,	Charles Van Woert, drawing gravel 22	2 00	Biram Smith, shoveling gravel 1	0 50	Charles Emke, shoveling grave! Bion Smith	4 00	dog tax division \$2 00 March, 4, 1915, Chas. Wood,	\$6
23, George E. Borst, high-	Oct. 31, Olney National Bank, loan 10	1 25	W.B.Lepper "" 1 June 22, Mrs. Geo. Yore, gravel 4	0 50 8 00	Guy Congdon " " Henry Hutchins "	3 50 3 50	Bangor treasurer, 171 83	minute of D.
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March 23, 1915. Balance on

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April 29, Harry F. Graham,

May 27, Joseph McCain, lot 15,

June 13, Mary Valentine, lot 14.

July 3. Adam Ressette, lot 24,

Aug. 29, Wm. P. Smith and Chas.

Sept. 3, Mrs. Rebecca Conaway,

Sept. 15, Dr. John D. Stewart,

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MAPLE HILL CEMETERY FUND.

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**ELECTION NOTICES** 

GENERAL ELECTION AND AN-

Chas. E. Anderson,

NUAL TOWNSHIP MEETING. Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Township of Hart- be in the following form ford, County of "Van Buren, State of \$899 84 Michigan, that the next ensuing General Election and Annual Township Meeting will be held at the Town Hall with- adopt Chapter I wenty-five of the Highin said township on Monday, April 5, A.D. 1915, for the purpose of electing

as beinafter indicated, viz. : STATE-Two Justices of the Supreme Court; two Regents of the University of Michigan; one Superintendent of Public Instruction; one Member of the State Board of Education and two Members of the State Board of Agriculture.

COUNTY-One County Commissioner of Schools.

TOWNSHIP—One Supervisor; one Township Clerk; one Township Treasurer; one Highway Commissioner; one Justice of the Peace, full term; one Member Board of Review, full term, one Member Board of Review, to fill authorizing drainage districts to issue vacancy; one Overseer of Highways, four Constables.

WOMEN ELECTORS. Iln accordance with the Constitution of the State of Michigan, and the statutes of said state relating thereto, should there be any proposition or propositions Mich., this 22nd day of March, in the to vote upon at said election involving the direct expenditure of public money or the issue of bonds, every woman who possesses the qualifications of male electors and owns property assessed for taxes or owns property subject to taxation jointly with her husband or with any other person, or who owns property on contract and pays taxes thereon, all such property being located somewhere sleeping porch or the open bedroom. within the district or territory to be Next to that comes the cold sponge affected by the result of said election. will be entitled to vote upon such proposition or propositions, provided her name is daly registered in the voting

fecinet above designated. The polis of said election will be open at 7 o'clock a.m. and will remain open until & o'clock p.m. of said day of election unless the Board of Election Inspectors shall, in their discretion, ad thing in Job Printing.

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LIBRARY FUND.

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Democratic Candidate for Justice of the Supreme Court of Michigan-Election April 5, 1915.



tended the Manchester high school, tal in 1913.

He graduated from the University However the duties of a justice of versity and until January 1892 he was with the seaves of either State or Naan assistant to the law firm of Lehmn tional party politics Bros. & Cavanaugh, at Ann Arbor.

In January 1892 he associatted himself with Osborn & Mills of Kalamazoo and took charge of a branch office life. which was opened at Paw Paw, Michi-53 67 gan, under the name of Mills, Osborn 322 59 & Cavanaugh until 1895 when the firm 29 02 was dissolved and the business taken over and continued by him.

> He has been connected with some of the most important litigation in South-Court, the court of appeals and the should be supported unanimously. United States Supreme Court.

Mr. Cavanaugh was born September! He has been and is prominent in dem-, 1866, on a farm in Sharon township, ocratic polities in Michigan and was ap-Washtenaw county, Michigan, where he pointed by Governor Ferris one of the spent his boyhood days. He later at trustees of the Kalamazoo State Hospi-

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For Commissioner of

Schools of Van Buren

County

Is seeking the office on the grounds

of Qualifications and Efficiency, only.

She is well qualified for the position.

Sixteen women in the state of Michi-

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If you believe a woman should have

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"I wish I knew how to get rid of

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Alligators' Teeth.

Ivory from alligators' teeth is as rich

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There is work on God's wide earth

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KEEP YOUR BOWELS REGULAR.

As everyone knows, the bowels are

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per and they will correct the disorder.

Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

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hands and hearts.-Carlyle.

journ the polls at 12 o'clock noon for one hour.

Royal E. Decker, County Clerk. John McLean, Township Clerk Dated March 15, 1915.

ELECTION NOTICE. -

Whereas, a written demand therefor, signed by twelve freeholders of the Township of Hartford, County of Van Buren and State of Michigan, was filed in my office on the 19th day of March, A.D. 1915, notice is hereby given that at the annual Township Meeting to be held in said township on the 5th day of April, A.D. 1915, the question of the adoption by said township of Chapter Iwenty-Five of the Highway Laws of the State of Michigan, the same being Act. No. 266 of the Public Acts of 1913, will be submitted to a vote. Only, the qualified electors of said township who do not reside within the corporate limits of the Village of Hartford will be entitled to vote on said proposition.

The ballot upon such proposition shall "Shall the Township of Hartford adopt Chapter Twenty-Five of the Highway Laws? Yes. ( )

Shall the Township of Hartford way Lawe? No. ( )." Said election shall be held at the riolling place in the town hall within said the following officers and also for the township, and the polls thereof will be open from seven o'clock in the forenoon until five o'cleck in the 'afternoon of said day, unless the board of election inspectors shall in their discretion adjourn the same at twelve o'clock noon for one hour. Dated at Hartford, Michigan, this

22nd day of March A. D. 1915. John McLean, Clerk of the Township of Hartford.

ELECTION NOTICE.

To the Clerk of Hartford Township: You are hereby notified that an a chance put an X in front of her name amendment to Article VIII of the Con- on election day. stitution of this State, relative to bonds for drainage purposes, will be submitted to the qualified electors of your Township on Monday, April fifth, nineteen hundred fifteen. In witness whereof, I have hereto

affixed my signature at Paw Paw, year nineteen hundred fifteen. Gladstone R. Beattie. Sheriff VanBuren County.

A SPECIFIC AGAINST COLDS

"If there is such a thing as a specific against cold, it is to be found in the sleeping porch or the open bedroom. bath in the morning," says the Youths Campanion. Be as careful as you can you will occasionally take cold and when von do vou will find Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a great help in enabling you to get rid of it. Try it. Obtainable everywhere. Adv.

Patronize the Day Spring for every

Mortgage Sale.

WHEREAS, Default having been made in the payment of the moneys secared by a mortgage dated the 13th day of January, in the year A. D., 1910, executed by Mariette Kellogg to Juan McKeyes & Co., which said mortgage was recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of the county of Van Buren, in Liber 91 of Mortgages on page 156, on the 19th day of March, A. D. 1910 at 8 o'clock a.m., and whereas the said mortgage has been duly assigned by the said Juan McKeyes & Co. to Eugene Hoppe by assignment bearing date the 22nd day of March, A.D. 1915, and recorded in the Office of the Register of Deeds of said county of Van Buren on the 22nd day of March, A.D. 1915, at 1:30 o'clock p m., in Liber 102 of mortgages on page 285 and the same is now owned by him, and

Whereas the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of \$596.00 of principal and interest and the further sum of \$25.00 as an attorney's fee stipulated for in said mortgage and which is the whole amount claimed to be unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, therefore, notice is bereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will he foreclosed by sale of the premuses therein described at public auction. to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Paw Paw, in said county of Van Buren on the 18th day of June A.D. 1915, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, which said premises are described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the Southwest corner of Block Seven (7) Bitely's Addition to the Village of Lawton, and running North along Fremont street Twelve (12) rods; thence east Eight (8) rods; thence South Twelve (12) rods to Wash ington street; therce West to beginning, according to the recorded plat of the Village of Lawton, Van Buren county, Michigan.

Dated March 22nd, A.D. 1915. Eugene Hoppe, Assignee.

W. J. Barnard. Attorney for Assignee. Businese Address: Paw Paw, Michigan.

Mortgage Sale.

DEFAULT has been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Carl Cetti and wife, Tilli Cetti to Nina Clark Skinner and Alberta H. Merwin, dated Dec. 4, 1907, and recorded Dec. 28, 1907 in the office of Register of Deeds of Van Buren County. State of Michigan, in Liber 90 of Mortgages, page 144-5, and assigned by said mortgagees to T. L. Wilkinson, on May 29, 1911, assignment recorded Feb. 29, 1912, | 8 p. m. in Liber 81 of Mortgages, page 604 in said register's office. There is claim-In the course of his practice he has ed due at this date per principal, interattached a large clientele and circle of lest and taxes paid by mortgagee, Three Hundred and Six Dollars, and no profriends who are urging his election ceedings at law have been instituted to recover same.

Now therefore by virtue of the power 10 o'clock a. m. at the front door of the Van Buren County, Michigan, the parties to rent. May E. Deane will be said at public auction, to satisfy amount then due, with costs and attorney fee, to-wit, the following describ ed premises in the township of Covert, Phone 808 W. County of Van Euren, State of Michi-

East haif of west half of South East guarter of Northeast quarter of Section UNION BANK seventeen west, ten acres

Dated, St. Joseph, Mich, Feb. 20, 1915.

T. L. Wilkinson. Mortgagee St. Joseph, Michigan.

R. E. Barr, Attorney. Mortgage Sale.

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain merigage made by Abnet L. Stockwell and Maria S. Stockwell to Jennie Merriman, dated the 5th day of January, A. D. 1906, and recycled in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Van Baren and State of Michigan, on the 18th day of January, A. D. 1905, in Liber 55, of Mortgages, on page 464 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Three Hundred and Eleven Dollars, as provided for incidence for Bifteen Bollars, as provided for incidence that an analysis of the provided for incidence that the sum of the provided the provided that the provided the provided the provided that the provided the provided that the provided the provide for in said mortgage, and no sait or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by all mortgage, or any part

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained us aid mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Friday, the 18th day of June, A. D 1515, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will at o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Paw Paw, Michigan, that being the place where the Creuit Court for the County of Van Buren is held, sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent. interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, to-wit: Commencing at the South East corzer of Block One (1) of Allen, Huntley and Stickney's Addition to the Village of Hartford, Michigan, thence West on the North line of Shepard street four (4) rods, thence South to beginning, being a part of Block One (1) of Allen, Huntley and Stickney's Addition.

Dated, March 19, 1915.

Dated, March 19, 1915.

JENNIE MERRIMAN, Mortgagee.
G. W. MERRIMAN. Attorney for Mortgagee.
(First insertion March 24, 1915.)

Order for Publication STATE OF MICHIGAN

County of Van Buren
At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Paw Paw, in said county, on the 16th day of March, 'A. D. 1915
Present, Hon. William Killefer, Judge of Pro-

In the matter of the estate of Philena Kemp deceased, George W. Merriman, having filed in said court his petition, praying for dicense to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described. It is ordered, that the 12th day of Abril, A.D.

It is ordered, that the 12th day of April, A.D. 1915, 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 insaid real estate bould not be granted. tate should not be granted.
It is further ordered, that public notice thereof

be given by publication of a copy of this order for three suc essive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Hartford Day. Spring a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. WM, KILLEFER. Judge of Probate

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Margaret M. Southworth, Clerk of Probate.
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Interesting Items Culled From About the Court House.

New Suits.

Peope vs. Edward J. Higgins, of Decatur, violation of the local option law. Laverne Goodrode vs. Jesse W. Goodrode, bill for divorce.

Cricuit Court.

The chancery suit of E.E. Moore, et every cross roads grocery in this counonly the small charge of five cents per al. vs. T.F. Spellman, et al., was again only the small charge of five cents per al. vs. T.F. Spellman, et al., was again able verdict. It is in the country where acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners of Improved and Un-im- taken up and occupied the attention (of the man expects to receive full value acre to owners). proved farm lands to register their the court all day Friday and Saturday, for his money that this remdey is most farm property for sale with a reliable the arguments of counsel were not all appreciated. Obtainable everywhere agency. in the event of this agency in and the case was further adjourned Adv.

The cases for trial this week are arranged as follows at this date, changes

N. Amster vs. Thos. F. Dodge, et al. essumpsit; T. J. Cavanaugh appearing for plaintiff and W.J. Barnard for de-

Garrett R. Troff vs. Michigan Fruit Exchange, assumpsit: Milo R. Bennett

Lydia Shafer vs. Arthur Crawford

Lettie Estel Brown vs. Marian Craig, Lorenzo R. Lull vs. Edwin J. Loehr,

Wallace & Lockwood Co. vs. Inde-

Marriage Licenses. Claude Spiller, 25, Lawrence; Flora

Charles E. Harper, 44, Bangor; Mary Stewart, 19, Fountain, Mich.

Charles Buck, of Breedsville, Englishman, has taken out his second set of

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Most of the messles cases are down

A. Richmond delivered hay in Watervliet Thureday.

C. L. Jenninge' children have the whooping cough.

Mrs. E.W. Irey visited her mother in Harlford Monday.

Deane Richmond was a guest at the Irey home Sunday.

Mrs. Luella Vanderlyn is quite ill with throat trouble.

Jake Geisler was severely bitten by a motor bug last week.

Jake Geisler has traded one of his prize teams for an auto. He took an Overland.

E. W. Irey took a few days off the fore part of the week attending a severe case of grippe. Ward Irey left Monday night for St.

Paul, Minn., where he has a job with the State University. Miss Luella Easton, of Benton Harbor, was the guest of her cousin, Flor-

PINERY.

ence Irey, the first of the week.

E. H. Phalen is eick in Chicago but is reported on the gain.

Does any merchant offer an automobile with a twenty-five cent can of bak

Roy Richardson, known to many here, has returned to the service of the United States and is now on the island of the Pacific coast. He is a lieuten-

Shall we vote as our conscience dictates, is our road going to be built up, is wheat coming down or potatoes going up? These are questions we want

Talk of signs of spring. Here's a sign of summer. A picnic is already being planned and Ruth Richarson, chairman of the committee in charge, will be ready for suggestion.

Mrs. Henry Smith entertained the West End club on Tuesday. A large number contributed to the program and reported a pleasant as well as intructive afternoon. Refreshments were served Arrangements were made for an observance of Mother's Day in May and an Easter program planned for the next meeting, April 6, at Mrs. Cush-

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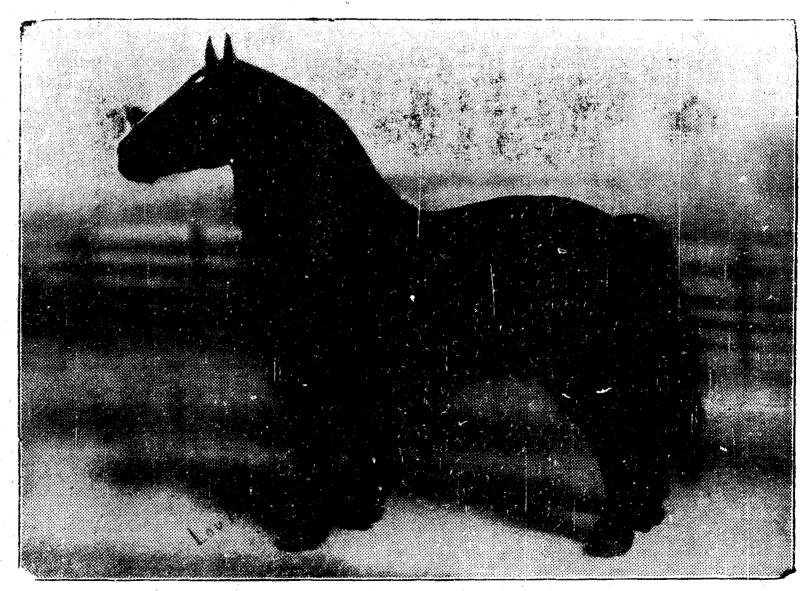
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