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Our County Represented

Charlevoix County Now a Member of the West Michigan Development Bureau.

County Clerk D. S. Payton went last week to Frankfort to attend the meeting of above organization. He presented Charlevoix County's application for membership and same was accepted. The object of the meeting was to provide means to have an exhibit at the U. S. Land and Irrigation Exposition at Chicago, Nov. 20 to Dec. 4th.

As a result, George H. Rowe of Grand Rapids, a member of the executive board of the Michigan State Horticultural Society was appointed to visit the different counties soliciting funds. In company with Mr. Payton he visited Charlevoix, Boyne City and East Jordan—coming here Monday evening and meeting with our Board of Trade. The Board pledged its share toward the exhibit.

Objects of The Bureau.

The Western Michigan Development Bureau was organized Friday, March 26, 1909. The meeting for preliminary organization included representatives from four counties and an invitation was immediately extended to seven other counties to join in the movement. Accordingly the following counties are now considered as the field of operations for the Bureau: Muskegon, Newago, Oceana, Mason, Lake, Manistee, Benzie, Wexford, Grand Traverse, Leelanau, Antrim, Charlevoix.

The explanation of the origin of the Western Michigan Development Bureau is to be found in the similarity of conditions prevailing throughout the region specified. In climate, soil, crops, industries, and in point of unique opportunity for growth an obvious community of interest impelled a united effort for development.

It is a well known fact that the early tide of immigration was turned from Michigan as a state by stories that the country was largely swamp and that it was diverted into other states beyond and further west. Similarly other stories equally false regarding the soil of northern Michigan, its barrenness and unproductiveness, and the climate, its extremes of cold, have retarded the growth of that part of the state sought to be developed by the Bureau. It largely for the correction of these misapprehensions that the Bureau came into existence.

The work of the Bureau will consist largely in informing the public of the great opportunities to be found in Western Michigan; the great profit in fruit growing; the advantages of diversified farming here over the single crop system of lands farther west; the nearness to market; the industrial opportunities; the equableness of climate; the attractiveness of the summer resorts. In short, the Bureau will state the case and plead the cause of Western Michigan. But it will not confine its efforts to talk. Home seekers excursions will be run, people will be brought and shown that Western Michigan has fairer prospects and larger opportunities than the much touted regions of the far west and southwest which it totally eclipses.

WILL SHOW AT CHICAGO

Western Michigan Development Bureau Plans Big Advertisement.

The directors of the Western Michigan Development Bureau held a meeting Friday at Frankfort, and discussed the possibilities of taking space at the Land and Irrigation Exposition to be held in Chicago the last week in November. The object of the show is to exhibit the soil products of the country, a sort of big country fair, and also to demonstrate the opportunities for profitable agriculture and horticulture. The Western Michigan Development Bureau wishes to avail itself of this chance to show the superior advantages of this part of Michigan.

In view of the fact that a creditable showing of the products of western Michigan will cost not less than \$7,000 the directors were confronted

with a big question. The various transportation companies of western Michigan agreed to subscribe \$3,500 and Geo. E. Rowe was appointed to canvass the counties represented in the Bureau for the remainder of the sum necessary. Mr. Rowe will report to a meeting of the executive committee at Grand Rapids next Monday and at that time will be decided whether or not the Bureau will be represented at the Exposition.

This was the most important single piece of business transacted at Frankfort but from the tone of the meeting it was easy to see that the Western Michigan Development Bureau is destined to be a tremendous factor in the growth of western Michigan. It will be recalled that the Bureau includes in its field of operation Muskegon, Oceana, Lake, Newago, Mason, Manistee, Benzie, Leelanau, Grand Traverse and Antrim counties, that it was organized only last March, that it plans to colonize, advertise and in every possible way promote the growth and development of the counties named. Charlevoix county at the Frankfort meeting applied for membership and is now included with the counties named in the benefits of the Bureau.

Ball Games Next Week.

The Base Ball Bug struck East Jordan last week when a bunch of our ex-players got together and went over to Elk Rapids for a game. The score was 10 to 7 in favor of Elk Rapids, but considering the fact that our boys have had no practice and the Elk Rapids team is seasoned—being the Old Mission team that tied with Boyne's professional bunch a few weeks ago, the result was satisfactory.

Arrangements have been made with the Mortouk Indian Club for a couple of games here next Wednesday and Thursday. A. B. Nicholas, Jr. is manager of the locals and the lineup of the team is about as follows. Potter, c; Sedgman, p; Bennett, p; Bert Dole, 1st; Williams, 2nd; Hank Bennett, 3rd; Shorty Bennett, s; Billy Taylor, McIntyre and Beckman, fielders.

Go to Madison's Drug Store for bargains in Patent Medicine and Toilet Articles.

"I haven't got a limousine, or any aeroplane, I haven't got a coach and six, not even a special train. I haven't got a bicycle, nor yet a horse and team; I git along all right, by jinks, 't'bout gaserline or steam. I travel just by shank's mare an' never have no fear but what I'll reach my stoppin' place the same day in the year; no artificial rigs fur me, no busted tires or bones; no landin' all up in a heap upon the highway stones I may be slow a-gittin' round, an' cause the world to stare, but I will git there by an' by, all right side up with care."

Of Interest To Women.

To such women as are not seriously out of health, but who have exacting duties to perform, either in the way of household cares or in social duties and functions which seriously tax their strength, as well as to nursing mothers, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has proved a most valuable supporting tonic and invigorating nerve. By its timely use, much serious sickness and suffering may be avoided. The operating table and the surgeon's knife would, it is believed, seldom have to be employed if this most valuable woman's remedy were resorted to in good time. The "Favorite Prescription" has proven a great boon to expectant mothers by preparing the system for the coming of baby, thereby rendering childbirth safe, easy, and almost painless.

Bear in mind, please that Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is not a secret or patent medicine, against which the most intelligent people are quite naturally averse, because of the uncertainty as to their composition and harmless character, but is a MEDICINE OF KNOWN COMPOSITION, a full list of all its ingredients being printed, in plain English, on every bottle wrapper. An examination of this list of ingredients will disclose the fact that it is non-alcoholic in its composition, chemically pure, triple-refined glycerine taking the place of the commonly used alcohol, in its make-up. In this connection it may not be out of place to state that the "Favorite Prescription" of Dr. Pierce is the only medicine put up for the cure of a woman's peculiar weaknesses and ailments, and sold through druggists, all the ingredients of which have the unanimous endorsement of all the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice, and that too as remedies for the ailments for which "Favorite Prescription" is recommended.

A little book of these endorsements will be sent to any address, post-paid, and absolutely free if you request same by postal card, or letter, of Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure constipation. Constipation is the cause of many diseases. Cure the cause and you cure the disease. Easy to take as candy.

Bountiful Harvest

Praise God From Whom All Blessings Flow.

The song of the reaper is heard today in Texas and Oklahoma. It will move north gradually until the whole nation will resound with the clatter of knives bowing the bursting heads of grain.

Again the nation is bountifully blessed by the God that rules the elements; crop reports are favorable, and unless some unforeseen disaster comes there will be bread for all. The farmer who has plowed deep, seeded well, nourished his land, rests in the evening stroked by the contenting hand of achievement. It is for such moments as these that men live and strive. For hard toil, long hours of toil, the "slave of the wheel of labor" is compensated by the realization of splendid accomplishment.

Each year the American farmer adds ciphers to the bewildering totals of bushels of grain. This year, if all continues well, the splendid land that Providence gave into our keeping will produce more than two and a half billion bushels of corn, some 700,000,000 bushels of wheat, 800,000,000 bushels of oats, 170,000,000 bushels of barley. These with all other farm products will have a value of nearly or quite \$8,000,000,000.

We hear much these days about the increased cost of living, and every housewife and salaried father knows what that means. While we listen to the song of the reaper this year let us remember that it is the trust, standing between the farmer and the consumer, which makes life a burden for the wage earner of the cities. God blesses our lands—a few greedy men intervene and prevent the acceptance of the full blessing.

That must not be forgotten, but let us be thankful that nature is for the poor again this year—there will be no famine, though prices may remain high.

Bobby Burns' words seem pat:
Some hae meat, and canna eat,
And some wad eat that want it;
But we hae meat, and we can eat,
And aae the Lord be thankit.

Trout Season Closes Aug. 15th.

The trout season will close this year just the same as it did last, on August 15. Furthermore, it will stay closed until the first day of next May and anyone fishing in the mean time will get into trouble.

Because it has been published repeatedly that the season would close on August 15 and then through a vagary of the law, open on Sept. 1 for another 15 days, State Deputy Game Warden Stanford of Boyne City got into communication with the game warden's department. He received the assurance from Mr. Pierce that there was a mistake. If the sportsmen thought they could fish 15 days after Sept. 1, as they could not, that the season closed on August 15 and stayed closed.

Those who have been planning otherwise, should make a change in their arrangements.

Sprinkling Lawns.

Persons sprinkling lawns are required to use water for that purpose only during the hours of 6:00 to 8:00 a. m. and 6:00 to 8:00 p. m. standard time, each day.

By order Village Water Com.

Land for Sale.

We have desirable large VILLAGE Lots for sale, also Land by the acre. Will sell on time to suit purchasers. Enquire of ALDRICH TOWNSEND, East Jordan, Mich. 27-4

Piano For Sale.

Story & Clark. Price is low. I am selling all my goods. Going away. MITCHELL LA LONDE, Boyne Falls, Mich.

Cordwood Choppers Wanted.

Wanted Cordwood Choppers to cut Chemical Wood. \$1.00 per cord. THE I. STEPHANSON CO., Wells, Mich.

Cut Flowers For Sale.

Parties desiring to purchase Cut Flowers can procure same by applying to Mrs. James Howard, Fifth-st.

New Religious Sect at Boyne.

(From Boyne Journal.)

The "Unknown Tongue" is a new branch of religion as expounded by several worshippers at the home of Mrs. John Iry, of Bailey street. Only a few of them are located in Boyne City. The idea was brought here last fall by one of the sisters named Holmes, from Chicago, where a number of followers who claim to be close students of the Bible and simply follow up its teachings, are located, and they claim that they are among the chosen few of whom the Bible speaks where it says "For many are called and but few are chosen."

The followers here believe that they are the chosen few and also claim that they are frequently filled with the Holy Spirit and during these occasions are able to speak in foreign tongues which are unknown to them, but would be understood by persons who would be present during the trance-like state which they enter almost daily. According to theory, a considerable portion of those people living in the neighborhood are not among those chosen few ones. The neighbors claim that this particular kind of religion is so noisy that it disturbs them and on one occasion the Chief of Police was called in to see about it. The ceremonies consist of shouting in unknown tongues and in the pounding of heads on the floor and other things of a similar noisy nature. The law provides that people may worship in their own way in this country and so long as they do not disturb others too much they will likely be allowed to bump their heads as much as they please.

A book on Rheumatism, by Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wis. tells some plain truths, and in a plain and practical way. Get this booklet and a free trial treatment of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy for some disheartened sufferer in your vicinity. Make a grateful and appreciative friend of some one who is discouraged because of the failures of others to help him. Help me to make this test and I'll certainly help your suffering friend. James Gidley.

Copy of an Order Received from an Old Customer for Shoes—

Monsieur: Please put some shoe on my leetle family like dis, and send by Sam de carrier.

One man, Jean St. Jean, 39 year, Me; one woman, Sophie St. Jean, she; Hermedes and Lenore, 19 year; Honore, 18 year; Celena, 17 Year; Narcisse, Octavia and Phillas, 16; Batiste, 15; Celeste, 14; Phillipa, 13; Emile and George, 12; Babette, 11; Madore, 10; Pierre, 9; Eugene, We lose him; Paul, 7; Alphonso 6; Gaston, 5; Armanda, 4; Maurice, 3; Edward, 2; Muriel, 1 year; Hilare, He go barefoot; How much cost.

This is a rather large family, but we were able to fill the order complete, with our large stock of The Brown Shoe Co. *5* Shoes.

You can get them only of

CHAS. A. HUDSON
"THE LITTLE WHITE SHOE STORE."



East Jordan Planing Mills Co.,

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Manufacturers and Dealers in

Doors, Windows and Glass, Siding, Ceiling and Flooring, Mouldings, Turned Work, and Scroll Sawing.

FINISHED LUMBER, FRAMES, CASINGS



Specialties at Boosinger's During the Months of July and August.

There are always hundreds of things in a store like ours that are sold way below their real value. The reason why they are sold in this way is because space must be made for new fall goods. That you may not go amiss in this, we call your attention to our splendid assortment of the well known Clarendon Shirts—the great \$1.50 Shirt that we are selling for \$1.00.

The well-known Peninsular Shirts, Overalls, and Workingmen's Goods. No doubt these garments are the very best that are shown in Michigan as every garment is absolutely guaranteed. Hand Made—Union Made—fully guaranteed in every way.

We are sole agents for the well-known PINGREE and RINDGE Shoes. There is no doubt that these are the very best shoes that can be made from leather. Hardly a day passes but that we are told by sincere and reliable people that they have worn one pair of shoes for a full year. These kind of shoes you can buy in men's wear at from \$2.75 to \$4.00 according to the style and material. A full line of oxfords for men, women and boys at the most reasonable prices.



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E. M. C. Dress Goods at a discount of 25 per cent.

This is certainly an opportunity that should be missed by no one.

Remember, we will give you the very highest prices for Butter and Eggs and all that you have. Bring them in, we will take them all.

For convenience, call earlier in the week to avoid the rush of Saturday, but if you can not come until Saturday, we will do our very best.

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