

The Berrien County Record. P. A. WAGNER, Editor. W. D. KENNERLY, Editor. THURSDAY MORNING, JAN. 4, 1872.

The New Year dawned upon the world with smiling face and full of promise. Well it is for humanity that the end from the beginning cannot be discerned by mortal ken. If such were the case, the woes of coming days would cloud long seasons of joy and happiness. What the present year, which comes so full of promise, may bring to each family, community, State and nation of earth none but Eternal Wisdom can tell. What wars, famines, earthquakes and pestilence may visit the earth and spread consternation and dismay among its inhabitants none can tell. What great political revolutions may transpire, and what kingdoms, empires and governments may be overthrown is hid in the secret Councils of the Almighty to be revealed only in due time.

Much of good, it is hoped, will result to our own country and people during the present year, politically, judging from the moves that characterized the close of 1871. Corruption in official circles is being hunted out, and dishonest officers are made to tremble with fear. To all these moves to purify the administration of every public trust, from the smallest to the highest in the nation, all the people say, Amen. There will undoubtedly be much corruption uncerthed and many guilty ones made to suffer. The people are fearfully in earnest on this subject, and will give their public servants no rest till a radical purification has taken place.

In the Old World some changes seem almost certain, among which, undoubtedly, will be the re-establishment of some kind of a monarchical government in France. The present Republic certainly cannot last long. It seems already to be crumbling to pieces. The present indications point to a Orleans Prince as the future ruler, for a time, at least, of unhappy and unstable France. But it will not do to enter too largely into prophetic declarations, as results depend on too many unforeseen circumstances.

We however anticipate important events will transpire the present year affecting England, Russia, Germany, Austria and France in the Old World, and Mexico on our own continent. The peace of Mexico, the internal strife and contentions, as well as the American interests, will demand some action on the part of the United States, either during the present year or early in the administration of General Grant's second term, if he be re-elected, which now seems altogether probable.

During the year now upon us all the old and unsettled difficulties between Great Britain and the United States, will, without any doubt, receive a peaceful solution. A solution much to be desired, and one that seems to be a time almost beyond hope. The better judgment and wisdom of the two nations have prevailed, and bright winged Peace will crown their work.

With prospects full of hope as a nation and people we enter upon the New Year, and with individual hopes filled with good, may our hopes only be realized to the interest of a great nation and the well-being of all her inhabitants.

THE ONE TERM PRINCIPLE. For the purpose of showing our readers the views of some of our most distinguished men on this subject, we give the following quotations: Andrew Jackson, in speaking of the people to Republican institutions from the temptations acting upon the President in yielding the vast patronage of his office to secure his re-election, says, in his message to Congress, "The agent most likely to contravene the design of the Constitution is the President. That this appointment may, as far as possible, be placed beyond any improper influence, in order that he may approach the solemn responsibilities of the highest office in the gift of the people, uncommitted to any other course than a strict constitutional one, it is deemed expedient that the President should be elected for one term only." Benjamin F. Wade says, "I have derived the strong impression which I entertain on the subject from a very careful observation of the working of the Government. I believe it has been very rare that we have been able to elect a President who has not been tempted to use the power entrusted to him to advance his re-election. That there are defects in the Constitution, and that this is the most glaring, all men have seen."

McIvor on the Old and New Year. Extract from my Correspondence. Published by Amosel Verdon. BERREIN SPRINGS, Mich., Dec. 29, 1871. MY DEAR D. C.—You desire me to write you something about the Old and New Year, to read at your leisure at home. I don't think I can do it. It would be "writing a composition" on an old and worn-out subject. The theme is "played out"; the fount of thought has become thirty. Prose, poetry, talking, and even preaching on that subject are vain. Words and thoughts have been turned over and round, till they have become smoother than an old Am. gun. And then, hearts of men are told every year on this theme. Just as though the wheels of Old Time ever become loose in the gudgeons, and need new boxing yearly. Just as though the year got tired "swinging round the circle" of the sun; or as though Father Time became out of breath, faint and weary, sick and sore, when he arrives at the New Year's Station, the 1st day of Jan., A. D.; giving up the ghost at that Depot, and leaving mauling poets to whine dirges over his mortal carcass.

This is all wrong; all a humbug; a stupendous hallucination. Time is just as spry as he ever was, and I know it. He is just as agile as when the morning stars sang together, notwithstanding, he is older than a hundred Methuselahs. He will come right up to the scratch on Jan. 1st, gay as a lark, kick up his heels, and away he will career with this earth on his back, at the rate of 68,000 miles per hour; while the R. R. train, on which you ride, will tug and jiggle and wheeze and blow and sweat to make about 20 miles in the same time. That is doing pretty well for an old gentleman, who has the mortals' time, die (according to usage) only an hour before (I) I go to to one on Father Time yet.

No, my dear D. C., you can never make me believe that a year, just born, can "get up and get" in harness and perform so miraculous and stupendous a feat as the foregoing—tell it not in Gath—it is a bare-faced lie. I partly originate the following: TRUTHFUL POETRY. Hail! Father Time, with my rhyms and rhyme, And a musical chime, I meet thee and greet thee, for no one can beat thee — In this wonderful chime. "Thou dost potentate; The earth did incubate; And the incubate became the incubator;" And the incubate became the incubator. I would wish the incubator close, for time is going, and the mail is coming. To you and yours be great peace and loving kindness during the ensuing year. Ever Thine, McIvor.

News of the Week. The Henry County, (Ill.), Chronicle announces the marriage of Joel W. Martin, aged 24, and Providence Baker, aged 75. The Illinois Central has completed its new line of road from Aurora to Forreston, and the new rolling stock to be put upon it is nearly completed, so that the company confidently asserts that it will be put in operation during January.

Bureau County, Ill., is becoming famous for large families. A Mrs. Spratt, in Bureau township, is the mother of twenty-six children; and John T. Petty, near Wynant, has sixteen children, and the eldest only became of age in June last. Of this number, eleven are boys and five are girls. Three pair of twins are also included in the number, and the parents bid fair to live many years to enjoy the benefits of their farms and the blessing of dutiful children. Mr. Petty is 43, and his wife 42. The family moved to the county from New Jersey in 1847.

The body of a man was found, a few days since, in an alley in Mercedosia, Ill., by a resident of the place. The body was that of some stranger, and, up to latest accounts, had not been identified. A man at Davenport, Iowa, named DeJoy, with one of his boys, lives in one part of his house, nicely furnished, and feeds on the fat of the land. He makes his wife and the rest of the children live in an unfinished part of the dwelling, and won't provide for them the necessities of life. This, too, when his wife has a child only a few days old.

The Davenport, (Iowa) Gazette says that Justice Peters, of that city, is the "great marrier of the State." He has been Justice seven years, and has united 993 couples, and is devoutly praying for two more to make the round thousand.

The Door County, (Wis.) Advocate says great difficulty is experienced in distributing the relief supplies to the poor of Brussels, on account of the scarcity of teams. During the last six months, Wabash College, at Crawfordsville, Ind., has come into possession of its part of the estate of the late John C. Baldwin, of Orange, N. J., amounting to \$28,000. This money is now at interest in secure investments, and by direction of the testator, its income is to be used in assisting promising young men who are struggling against poverty to get an education in Wabash College; the recipients being, by the terms of the will, members of some Evangelical church that holds the divinity of Christ as taught in the Presbyterian Church of the United States.

Within three months a lively town of some 500 inhabitants has sprung up on the Red River, Minn., at the point where the Northern Pacific crosses, and which has been named Moorhead, in honor of one of the firm of Jay Cooke & Co. Between thirty and forty school houses have been erected in Washington, Kan., and Republic Counties this season. The eighth annual convention of the Ohio Daymen's Association, will be held in Wellington, Ohio, Jan. 24 and 25, 1872.

The buildings in which the International Exhibition is to be held at Vienna in 1873 is to be 3,000 feet long, 600 feet wide, and is to have a cupola 330 feet in diameter. A separate building will be provided for exhibiting machinery, and another for works of art. On the 19th ult., in New Orleans, while the circus of John Robinson was parading the streets, a gray collied with a cast of the top of which was a royal tiger. The animal was so greatly frightened by the accident that it ruptured a blood vessel and died in a few minutes. The income of Harvard College, last year, was \$829,149, and \$68,325 less than its expenses. The deficiency has been made up by a private donation. There are 115 officers of instruction and government, against 60 last year. The total number of students is 1,031, against 1,189 last year. Of the students 610 are undergraduates.

The New York Historical Society decides that the proper way to pronounce Nashua is Nashuwa.

A South Leavenworth girl came blushing into the parlor, the other night, and told her father, when he noticed her bloom, that she had been enjoying unsexed happiness. The old gentleman supposed she had been praying, and was glad as he is a pious man; but instead, the wicked lass had been kissed by her lover in the unlighted hall.

A piece of sassafras wood was found twenty-six feet from the surface of the prairie, while digging the well for a water-tank at Templeton Station, on the Lafayette, Muncie, & Bloomington Railroad, one day last week. It was about five feet long, and perhaps half an inch square. It was firmly imbedded in the midst of the hardest kind of hard pan, and shows evidences of having been buried for many scores of years.

The Fort Wayne woman who sued her husband for pay for fourteen years' service in his household, on the ground that there was a flaw in the marriage ceremony, has been awarded \$1.165 by the Allen Circuit Court.

Miss Carrie Cain is Acting Adjutant General of Kansas.

Trouton, N. J., has the largest circular saw in the world. It is twenty-two feet in circumference.

State Items. —A girl of some eleven or twelve years of age, was last week arrested for larceny, and tried before Justice Baker, jury trial. The attorney for the defendant in summing up the case, made such a display of forensic eloquence and legal learning, as to quite alarm the court and jury, but to the infinite delight of his auditors, the substance of which is as follows: "May it please the court and gentlemen of the jury. If you send this young lady to the house of Correction, the next time you see her will be in a house of ill-fame, and the next time you meet her will be in hell."—Holly Cor. Pontiac Jacksonian.

About half past 5 o'clock last evening, the dwelling house on the northeast corner of Mechanic and Ganson streets, occupied by Mrs. S. C. Crowell, was discovered to be in flames. Before the flames were subdued, the building was pretty effectually used up, together with a greater part of the furniture. There was an insurance of \$1,000 on the building, in the Pacific, but none on the furniture.—Jackson Citizen.

The Mead school house, in the township of Lafayette, was burnt at about three o'clock p. m. on the 21st inst. The fire originated in the roof, in the vicinity of the chimney.—There are but six pupils in the Poor House.—Grand Journal.

The small pox has broken out in the town of Erin, in this county, and two deaths have occurred within the past week.—M. Clemens Monitor.

Last Tuesday morning about five o'clock a small house on Lake Street, occupied by Mrs. McCoy, was burned with nearly all its contents. It seems that a fire had been started in the stove and kindling wood or something left near it which caught fire after the boy that had built it had gone back to bed.—Lexington Jeffersonian.

Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria, are prevailing in many of our neighboring towns. Thus far our city has escaped all these dreaded diseases.—Paw Paw Press.

On Monday evening of last week, about six o'clock, Mr. Charles M. Hovey, Insurance Agent of this City, was robbed of about \$250, by three men, who stopped his cutter, and one held a pistol to his head, while another searched his pockets. Mr. Hovey being unarmed, he could make no effective resistance. The robbery took place near Lacey's corner, on the Genesee river road, about two miles north of the City. The highwaymen had a light sleigh and team, and drove off in a northerly direction.—Several burglaries were committed in this City on Saturday night last. Holman & Farrar's Hardware Store was entered through the back window and articles amounting in value to perhaps \$20, taken therefrom. Wood & Hubbard's was also entered the same way, and \$80 in cash, a gold pen, a diamond watch, a pair of glasses, and several other articles taken. On the same night, an attempt, with less success, was made on the Crapo store in First Ward.—Kint Citizen.

The demand for laboring men still continues. Wages from \$85 to \$40 per month and board.—Bay City Chronicle.

A Musical History. Ascending the Scale—Notes that are Never Protested—Though Bass, yet Honorable.

Now that Toledo is in complete possession of facilities which will surely attract to herself the best musical and dramatic talent of the country, it seems a fitting time to speak of the musical history of our city. And in so doing, nothing could be more appropriate than that we should allude to those who in past years have exerted so great an influence in developing the musical taste of Toledo. This has been especially notable and creditable in the case of our most prominent musical firm, because these gentlemen have found their energies fully occupied in the large and increasing business which has found its way to their hands. They have worked out with untiring zeal, building up a trade which cannot be surpassed in this country, and which, in the territory of Northwestern Ohio, Indiana, and other portions of the west, while they were not neglectful of the general musical culture of the public. That "business is business" is a well known axiom of trade, but there are certain kinds of business which require more tact and skillful management than others. The experience of the past few years has shown conclusively that these men of whom we speak are amply qualified to conduct to a successful issue the work of supplying the country with first-class musical instruments. Their dealing and industrious application to business will work wonders, and crowd from the pathway of success the obstacles that seem at times to render it almost impassable.

Messrs. Whitney & Currier, the gentlemen to whom we have alluded, and whose names we do not care to conceal, afford a fair dealing and industrious application to business will work wonders, and crowd from the pathway of success the obstacles that seem at times to render it almost impassable.

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In the year now about to close, these gentlemen have had a wholesale and retail trade in instruments, at Indianapolis, Fort Wayne, Elkhart and Lafayette, at Springfield and Peoria, Illinois; at Clermont, Columbus, Dayton, Xenia, Springfield, Newark, Mansfield, all hosts of other places within our own State. In short, there are few places reached by the railroads or rivers of the States named, where goods of the first quality are not sold. The goods of the firm are already in the hands of two hundred and ten pianos, and seven hundred and seventeen organs, besides an unusually large trade in smaller instruments and sheet music, which can be found all over the country. The aggregate value of these sales, placing the average value of the piano at \$400 and the organ at \$125 each, is about \$175,000. We must be allowed to express a doubt whether any other firm in the city can make any better proportionate showing than this. The coming year will find the goods of the firm more in demand, and they have engaged 300 pianos and 1,000 organs, which 1872 will scatter over nearly every State in the Union. We sincerely trust that the reputation of the house may bring them a year as successful as the past, and that we may not doubt that it will result in a proportionate increase of their already widely extended business.—Toledo Blade.

Deaths. Died Dec. 14th, 1871, RUTH, wife of Jeremiah Smith, of this county, aged 72 years.

Mrs. Slater was born in Bedford County, Pennsylvania, in 1798. Her father, Joseph Moore, emigrated to Knox County, Ohio, in 1808, where he soon died, leaving the support of the family on Mrs. Slater and her mother. She was married to Mr. Slater in 1818, and continued to reside in Knox County, Ohio, till 1838, when they removed to Michigan, and settled near Buchanan. She was a devoted wife, mother and friend, and was well respected in the community and vicinity ever since. For forty years they lived together, rearing a family of ten children, seven sons and three daughters. These, together with a large stock of land, she was a loving and industrious mother. She died on the 14th inst. at 7 o'clock, and was buried in the cemetery on the 15th inst. Her husband was 82 years of age, and she was 73 years of age at the time of her death. She was a member of the Methodist Church, and was a devoted Christian.

BUCHANAN PRICES CURRENT. Wheat, per bushel, 1.25; Corn, do, 1.00; Oats, do, .75; Rye, do, .80; Barley, do, .90; Potatoes, per bushel, .40; Apples, per bushel, .50; Peaches, per bushel, .60; Pears, per bushel, .50; Plums, per bushel, .40; Cherries, per bushel, .50; Strawberries, per bushel, .60; Raspberries, per bushel, .50; Blackberries, per bushel, .40; Currants, per bushel, .30; Grapes, per bushel, .40; Figs, per bushel, .50; Dates, per bushel, .60; Olives, per bushel, .70; Walnuts, per bushel, .80; Almonds, per bushel, .90; Pistachios, per bushel, 1.00; Pecans, per bushel, .80; Chestnuts, per bushel, .70; Hazelnuts, per bushel, .60; Walnuts, per bushel, .80; Almonds, per bushel, .90; Pistachios, per bushel, 1.00; Pecans, per bushel, .80; Chestnuts, per bushel, .70; Hazelnuts, per bushel, .60.

Social Notices. MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD. On and after Monday, Nov. 13, 1871, all trains on the Michigan Central Railroad excepting the Washington and Detroit, will run as follows: TRAINS WESTWARD. Kalamazoo Accom., (daily), 7:15 A. M.; Detroit, (daily except Sundays), 8:22 A. M.; Way Freight, (daily except Sundays), 9:06 A. M.; H. S. BARNETT, Gen'l Supt.

CHICAGO & MICH. L. SHORE R. R. On and after Monday, May 15, 1871, trains will run as follows: LEAVE NEW HOPKINS—NORTH. Mail, (daily), 6:15 A. M.; Accommodation, (daily), 7:00 A. M.; Chicago Express, (daily), 7:30 A. M.; LEAVE ST. JOSEPH—NORTH. Mail, (daily), 6:15 A. M.; Accommodation, (daily), 7:00 A. M.; Chicago Express, (daily), 7:30 A. M.; LEAVE ST. JOSEPH—SOUTH. Mail, (daily), 6:15 A. M.; Accommodation, (daily), 7:00 A. M.; Chicago Express, (daily), 7:30 A. M.

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Notice: Having sold all of my interest in Buchanan.

Settle Up: William H. Fox wishes to settle with all his customers.

Fire Insurance: No man should be without insurance on his buildings.

To Tax Payers: Notice is hereby given that the Tax Roll for 1872 is now in my hands.

Who deserves more honor than the man who subscribes for a paper and pays for it?

- List of names and amounts: James Ross, \$2.00; H. Vincent, \$2.00; Thomas Miller, \$2.00; Mrs. L. Bates, \$2.00; Samuel Miller, \$2.00; Monroe Rogers, \$2.00; Henry & Co., \$2.00; Oliver Spaulding, \$2.00; H. A. Jones, \$2.00; Frederick Weisgarber, \$2.00; Joseph Bich, \$2.00; L. Brown, \$2.00; Riley W. ... \$2.00; Henry Miller, \$2.00; Charles Clark, \$2.00; S. B. Patten, \$2.00; Ben Peck, \$2.00; Mrs. W. G. Smith, \$2.00; W. H. ... \$2.00; J. W. ... \$2.00; W. T. ... \$2.00; S. R. ... \$2.00; S. L. ... \$2.00; E. B. ... \$2.00; Miles ... \$2.00; O. W. ... \$2.00; J. M. ... \$2.00; Jacob ... \$2.00; Wm. ... \$2.00; Jas. A. ... \$2.00.

SLIGHTING.—The sleighing during the Holidays wasn't very "superb."

ERROR.—The Buchanan School commences on Monday, the 8th of January, instead of the 7th as was announced in last week's paper.

MEETING.—The next meeting of the Michigan State Poultry Association will be held at Grand Rapids, Jan. 25th.

GET YOUR MEAT OF A. J. Hatfield. He sells at reasonable prices, and visits his Buchanan on Wednesday and Saturday of each week.

Buy your envelopes at the RECORD office, already printed.

WRITING CLASS.—Mr. B. L. Ward intends organizing a Writing School at the Union School House on Thursday evening of next week, Jan 11th.

AUSTIN'S AGUE DROPS warranted to cure Ague.

NOT DEAD.—Old Mr. Harris who was reported as missing, has been found in St. Joseph, where he seemed to be anxious to avoid all society.—Benton Harbor Palladium.

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ACCIDENT.—Another railroad accident happened last Friday between Three Oaks and New Buffalo. By a defective rail some sixteen cars of a freight train were thrown off the track.

WARREN'S Picture Gallery, at Three Oaks, is now in good running order.

CADETSHIP.—We are informed that Charles Foster, of Dowagiac, has been recommended to Gen. Stoughton, by the Board of Examiners, for the appointment at West Point Military Academy.

A FULL stock of School books and Stationery at the Post Office building.

GAME LAW.—The law of this State for the protection of game prohibits the killing of deer, turkeys or ducks, save only during the months of October, November and December in each year.

We take Austin's Ague Drops for Ague.

JUST THE THING.—At the beginning of the year merchants use a great amount of bill paper in drawing off accounts. Send to the RECORD office and get a nice bill head printed.

A SPECIFIC FOR SMALL POX.—The Chicago Journal of Commerce says Salt Petre is a specific for Small Pox. A case is given where the use of a piece of nitre as large as a bean, crushed and taken in a teaspoonful of water, cured an attack of Small Pox; and other members of the same family, affected with the premonitory symptoms, and afterwards many of the neighbors, were cured by similar treatment. It is at least simple and easy of trial.

CHILLED Sleigh shoes only four cents per pound at the Star Foundry.

DEDICATION.—The formal dedication of the new School House will take place on Wednesday afternoon, Jan. 10th. Hon. O. Horsford, State Superintendent, is expected to deliver the address on the occasion. Let the citizens of Buchanan and vicinity show their appreciation of the educational facilities now afforded them by being present at the opening exercises.

CHEAP READING.—The subscriber having on hand a large number of back volumes of magazines of all descriptions, Literary, Scientific, Agricultural and Juvenile, will sell them almost at your own price. They contain a vast amount of the best, most valuable and entertaining reading. Call at RECORD office.

PENNY READINGS.—Penny Readings at Baptist Hall on Monday evening next week, under the management of the Vice President Leroy Dodd, Rev. H. H. Budge, President of the Society having resigned.

POSTPONED.—The drawing of Luther & Son's Gift Enterprise is postponed for the present. A great many names are yet to be heard from. Will endeavor to give full particulars next week.

TAX RECEIPTS, the best in the county. Only 75 cts per hundred. Order at once from the RECORD office.

STATE OFFICERS.—The convention to nominate State officers will meet this year at Lansing.

FLORAL GUIDE.—We have received Vick's tenth annual Catalogue and Floral Guide. It is elegantly printed in two colors on fine tinted paper 112 pages, and illustrated with two colored plates and over three hundred engravings of flowers and vegetables. It contains thorough directions for the culture of flowers and vegetables, ornamental grounds, making walks, &c. Sent by mail on receipt of ten cents. Address James Vick, Rochester, N. Y.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.—Good village property for sale or exchange for good Kansas lands. Enquire at, or address, the RECORD Office, Buchanan, Mich.

ANN ARBOR BUSINESS COLLEGE AND TELEMICHO INSTITUTE.—The best place in the State to get a good business education is at Ann Arbor, Mich. Hundreds of students from this excellent Institution are now filling most responsible and lucrative positions in all parts of the country.

A LIBRARY IN ONE VOLUME.—Among the mountains of Virginia, sometime since, the writer of this, met a man on horseback, behind him and attached to his saddle, was a large package, which he seemed to guard with peculiar care. "You appear to have a great treasure attached to your saddle," we remarked. "Yes, sir," was the response—"Yes, sir, I have been over to Richmond and bought myself a library." "An entire library on horseback?" "Yes, sir, I have WEBSTER'S UNABRIDGED DICTIONARY in this package, and it is a whole library in itself. I always get the best!"—Towa Tribune

HOES.—E. Holmes brought fourteen hogs to market last week which weighed in the aggregate 5,500 pounds—a trifle less than 4,000 pieces. They were the nicest lot of hogs that have been brought to Buchanan this year of which we have had any account.

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BIRTH-DAY RECEPTION AND ANNIVERSARY.—On last Tuesday evening, Jan. 2, 1872, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ross gave a reception at their residence in honor of the 70th anniversary of Mr. R.'s birth-day. There were present on the occasion not less, we should judge, than one hundred and fifty persons. The large and spacious rooms of their residence were filled to overflowing with invited guests, among whom were many friends and acquaintances of a quarter of a century or more. General sociability and good feeling prevailed, all seeming to drink deep into the spirit of the occasion and heartily wishing Mr. and Mrs. R. many long and pleasant years yet in our midst. Social converse, plays and music constituted the order of the evening, and was participated in with a hearty good will by all, none seeming, however, to enjoy themselves more than did Mr. Ross himself. Indeed, he seemed young again, being all life and animation. After a season of social intercourse refreshments were announced, consisting of all the good things imaginable, which were properly attended to by all parties concerned. In short the occasion was one long to be remembered, and to which the memory will ever revert with pleasant associations.

It may not be out of place here to add that Mr. Ross has been identified with the interest of Buchanan from the year 1847 to the present day, and that it is here he has arisen to competence and wealth, by a close application to business. None, in our midst, has ever taken wider and more comprehensive views of the needs of our village, or rejoiced more over her prosperity than has Mr. Ross. And now, in his declining years, it is gratifying for his friends to know that he enjoys the hearty good will and esteem of the people among whom he has lived so long.

NEW CORN.—The other day we were shown a new kind of corn, which, if it will produce its kind true to sample, will be a most valuable acquisition to the farmer. There were from three to seven well formed ears on a stalk. This corn was originated by E. O. Judson of Cuba, New York, and is said to be the result of hybridization, and crossing on the Egyptian stalk. Samuel Smith is the agent for Berrien and Van Buren Counties, Michigan, of whom packages of this corn can be obtained.

Rubber boots and Buffalo lined goods at G. W. Noble's.

FARMERS' CLUB.—We are requested to announce that a meeting will be held at the office of T. Ballinger, Esq., on Saturday, Jan. 6th, at one o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of organizing a Farmers' Club. All the farmers in the surrounding country, as well as all interested in agriculture, are requested to be present. Those who are taking hold of this enterprise are determined to make it succeed. We trust a good attendance will be had, as frequent interchange of ideas among farmers, on the best manner of raising crops, stock, &c., are of the greatest interest to our agricultural producers.

Buy your boots of Young & Son, Dayton. Only \$3.00 a pair.

THANKS TO HON. A. H. MORRISON for the favor extended by his road to the senior Editor of the RECORD.

THE ODD FELLOWS of Buchanan Lodge No. 75, hold their annual social and supper on Wednesday evening of next week. We know they will have a pleasant time.

NOTICE.—We frequently hear of occurrences that would have furnished a good item for publication at the time, but through the neglect of parties in sending us the information we could not furnish the news to our readers. Will our friends please make it a rule to send us the facts in regard to every thing of interest that transpires within their respective neighborhoods? We do not ask of you to write the articles ready for publication unless you have a desire to do so, but send us the facts and we will dress them up for insertion in the paper.

Young & Son, of Dayton, are selling good tea for 75 cents per pound.

HARPER'S MONTHLY.—It is unnecessary to us to say a single word in favor of Harper's publications, as the whole country know them and understand well their merits. Suffice it to say they are acknowledged by all people to be first class publications. Read the prospectus of the Monthly in this issue.

THE NEW YORK EVENING POST for 1872 promises to be in interest superior to any former year. The subscription price is reduced, and the Post will undoubtedly give full and ample satisfaction to every subscriber. If you want to see what kind of a paper it is, send for a specimen, and the publishers will forward to you a number free. Read the prospectus in this paper.

THE EVENING WISCONSIN is one of the most readable papers published in the west, gotten up in good style, and will be a decidedly welcome visitor to every family that takes it. Don't fail to read the prospectus found in another column, and if you want to get the greatest amount of interesting reading for the smallest amount of money, we say, subscribe for the Weekly Wisconsin. Try it and you will find our prediction true.

Get your job work done at the RECORD office.

REMOVED.—Rev. B. P. Russell has removed to White Pigeon, to take charge of the Baptist Church in that place. We regret that the Church here was unable to retain the services of Mr. Russell for his entire term, and hence that it was necessary for him to accept of another charge. Our best wishes, and those of a host of friends that he has made in his short stay among us, will follow him to his new field of labor.

BARGAINS in heavy goods at Cotter's.

Austin's Ague Drops, purely vegetable.

EXPORTS AND IMPORTS.—We are indebted to Mr. W. H. Smith, Night Watch at the M. C. R. R., for the following statistics:

Table with columns: Last Six Months, Full Year. Items include Sugar, Syrup, Oil, Salt, Stone Lime, Water, Tea, Coffee, Lard, Cheese, Soap, Tobacco.

Statements showing the amounts of some of the principal articles imported as freight at Buchanan Station for the six months ending Dec. 31st, 1871. Also, showing their amounts for the full year.

Table with columns: Last Six Months, Full Year. Items include Apples, Flour, Meal, Wheat, Lumber, Beeswax, Bonsteads, Live Hogs.

HAY SCARCITY.—There seems to be a scarcity of hay. We hear of good timothy hay bringing at public sale as high as \$18 and \$20 per ton.

SLIPPERY.—For several days our sidewalks have been covered with a coating of ice so that parties, when meeting the ladies in the streets, could not exchange the usual salutations with any degree of safety. We have seen it tried, and know how it is ourselves.

AN OLD PAPER.—Mrs. M. J. Dutson left in the RECORD office the other day a copy of the Utter County Gazette, published at Kingston, New York, on the 4th of Jan., A. D. 1800, making it just seventy-two years old today. The sheet on which this paper is printed is 18x28 inches. The inside of the paper is dressed in mourning, and contains a full account of the death of Washington. Also the address delivered by Gen. Marshall in the House of Representatives on the 19th of Dec., 1799. A full account is contained of the funeral obsequies of the illustrious Father of his country, as well as many other things of interest.

LEAP YEAR.—On the very first day of the year one of our gallant clerks was met face to face by a beautiful young damsel, who, feeling no inclination to lose any time in exercising the acknowledged prerogative of the year to those of her sex, asked the young gent if he wouldn't accept her as a companion for life, to share his joys and sorrows, and was accepted by him, as thousands of others would have done had they the opportunity offered them. The lady proposed that they should go at once to the parson's office and have the nuptials. To this the young hero agreed, but thinking to baffle the young lady in her arrangements, refused to go unless she would procure a livery. She cheerfully took on her part the preliminary expenses, and then our brave fellow was excused. Can't our village Board do something for the protection of our timid and nervous young men?

SOME TURKEY.—Not long since H. R. Pike, of Three Oaks, brought down a wild turkey which weighed 28 1/2 pounds.

LOCAL ADVERTISEMENTS.—Some people feel disposed to grumble at the cost of advertisements in the local columns. They acknowledge that it is the best way to advertise but don't like to pay more than the cost of advertisements elsewhere in the paper. There would be just as much consistency in a merchant asking one price for all grades of sugar, or different qualities of broadcloth. If you want cheap advertising put your advertisements where they belong. If you must occupy space among the reading matter of the paper you ought to be willing to pay a reasonable price for the same.

THE PAPER.—The Holiday advertisements are now out, and we shall be able to furnish more reading matter in the paper hereafter.

NOTICE EXTRAORDINARY.—The editor of the Laporte Herald is sensible as is shown by the following notice which we take from a December number of that excellent journal: "After the first day of January next, we will insert no notice whatever for Festivals, Socials, Religious Meetings, or other similar purposes, or pulls, as they are called, for business houses, without a reasonable compensation. We have been doing hundreds of dollars worth of this kind of work, yearly—much of it for parties that never patronized us otherwise—and the time has come when duty to ourselves and all concerned demands that we should make this change."

ODD FELLOWS.—The Odd Fellows of this State, during the past year, have organized 27 new lodges, and donated \$8,000 to Michigan sufferers from the fire.

TWO SIDES.—A postmaster in St. Joseph county undertook to suppress the distributing of a newspaper that didn't exactly accord with his views. The U. S. Grand Jury didn't "see the thing in that light."

FOUND, by the son of S. B. Potter, a pocket book containing a small amount of money. The owner can have the same by calling at the RECORD office, describing property and paying for this notice.

Job.—Quite a large amount of ice has been put up the past week for cooling purposes next summer.

ROAD TAX.—In printing the tax receipts the item of taxes usually headed "Highway Tax" is now headed "Road Tax." For a few years past all persons in the township who did not work their "road tax," as they call it, after being duly warned, have had to walk up to the Captain's office and pay cash for their delinquency. Hence they are becoming more careful to work their "road tax" out, and the first thing they notice on their receipt is whether there is any "road tax" charged to them. Finding there is, they suppose it is because the Highway Commissioners have returned their road tax paper as not worked out, and the Commissioners come in for an awful cursing. This cursing is so general I thought I would ask you to explain. As soon as we tell them the "Road Tax" item means all their highway taxes for roads and bridges in the township, they say "All right, I voted for that."

Mr. Simmons (of the firm of Eaton & Simmons) manifests his extreme liberality by giving each of his customers a can of oysters. Several cans left and his friends should make it a point to call on him at once.

PUBLIC DEBT.—The national debt was reduced over eighty-six millions during '71.

STATE CONVENTION.—The Republican Committee have designated Jackson as the place for holding the State Convention to choose delegates to the next Republican National Convention. The chairman is authorized to fix the date after the call of the National Convention has been made.

THE STATE TREASURER paid off \$28,000 of the War Bonds of the State during December, at par with accruing interest.

DELIRIUM TREMENS.—For some time back a man named Robert Wilson, between forty and fifty years of age, has been driving a meat-wagon for Mr. Boyne. He was without relatives here, and is reported to have had no intimate friends except a black bottle which he patronized so extensively, that last week he was attacked with delirium tremens. Another man in the employ of Mr. Boyne took the best care of him he possibly could, but on Friday evening last, when he had been worn out with watching, he fell into a short sleep, which the sick man took advantage of and ran away. All efforts to find him that night were unavailing, but in the morning he was discovered lying with his legs around a post, on the river bank near Brooks & Forbes' livery stable, dead. From the appearance of the body it was inferred that he must have run down there in one of his paroxysms, and coming in contact with the post he had a battle with it, and finally fell down exhausted, and was chilled to death. It appeared at the inquest held by Esquire Brewer, that he had succeeded in getting away once before, and although half naked and crazed, he found a rum-mill whose proprietor was mean enough to supply him with more vile food to feed his fame. The poor old man has passed away from the reach of those who have catered to his morbid appetite, and no matter where he has gone, he will meet no madder companions than those who have hastened his steps to eternity with their baneful fluids.—St. J. Traveller.

FROM ONONOK TOWNSHIP.—Report of the school taught in District No. 3, Ononok Township, for the two months ending December 22d, 1871.

Number of teachers enrolled at the beginning of the term, 40. Number enrolled and attending school at the close of the term, 61. Average attendance, 28. Average number of pupils attending school each day, 49. Department of scholars good.

The following scholars received the highest average marking for the term: Barbara Young, Rhoda Andrews, Lottie Bachtel, Mary Ewald, Hattie Bidson, Frances Bidson, Maggie Lyon, Nettie Sylvester, John Grandall, Fremont Nichols, Alice Whetstone, Eva Young, Benjamin Sylvester, Wm. Sylvester, ISAAC ROGERS, Teacher. BERRIE SPRINGS, Dec. 28, 1871.

FROM BERTRAND TOWNSHIP.—Eds. RECORD.—The following is a monthly report for the school taught in District No. 20, of Bertrand, for the month ending Dec. 22d, 1871:

The number of scholars enrolled at the beginning of the month was fifty-eight, the number at the close was sixty. The average daily attendance was forty-two.

The following scholars are commended for their punctuality in attendance, not one of them having been absent from school a day during the month: Marion Burrus, John Hamilton, Almada Morley, John Burrus, Lincoln Burrus, Alanson Hamilton, Nelson Spore, Arvilla Burrus, Minnie Burrus, Arthur Allen, Lockwood Best, Henry Ho mes.

The District is about four miles long, and the majority of the scholars have over a mile to travel, yet they seem anxious to weather the storm and never be absent from school.

We had a visit from our worthy Superintendent, E. L. Kingsland, who commended our school very highly, for which he has our sincere thanks. Our writing school is yet in progress, and much improvement in the art of writing is being made by its members.

An invitation is extended to parents and friends of education generally, to visit our school whenever it is practicable for them to do so.

W. J. JONES, Teacher.

The Alliance Publishers complain that their business is destroyed by A. J. A. American Almanac. The people prefer to any other, the Farmers', Western, Southern, or the numerous local almanacs when they can get A. J. A. It supplies the best astronomical data, weather, and jokes of them all, and above all medical advice which is invaluable for every day. It is supplied gratis by the druggists, and should be prepared for constant reference and use. We are sure that no good housekeeper or grandmother goes without it. Anti-Slavery Standard, N. Y.

TRADED.—Mr. H. Marhoff has traded his interest in the Planning Mill, Sash and Door Factory of Marhoff & Warner, and also his residence on Oak street, to Mr. J. P. Warner, farmer of E. A. Warner, for a farm near Jackson.

He Said.—One morning recently when the body of George Kirk, a notorious rascal, was lying at Wilson and Brown's undertaking establishment on B street, a man who appeared to be a stranger in the city, seeing something of a crowd at the door, approached and looked in at the body lying in the coffin.

"Man dead?" asked he of a person standing near.

"Yes, sir," shortly answered he who was questioned.

"Fighting a little, the stranger tried it again.

"How did he die?"

"Hung," was the laconic reply.

"Hung! Ah hung himself?"

"No, he was hung by the Vigilant Committee."

"Stranger again—"What did they hang him for?"

"He had been notified to leave the town and he came back."

"When a man has been notified to leave can't he never come back again and stay?"

"Yes, sir."

"Then how is this?"

"Well, he came back, and"—pointing to the coffin—"you see he said."

Burlington.—Leaving the East and arriving at Chicago or Indianapolis, how shall we reach the West? The best line is acknowledged to be the C. & O., joined together with the B. & M. Reached by the Iron Bridge at Burlington, and called the BURLINGTON ROUTE.

The main line of the Route running to Omaha, connects with the great Pacific Route, and forms to-day the leading route to California. The Middle Branch, entering Nebraska at Plattsmouth, passes through Lincoln, the State Capital, and will this year be finished to Port Kearney, forming the shortest route across the Continent by over 100 miles.

Another branch of the B. M., diverging at Red Oak, falls into a line running down the Missouri through St. Joe to Kansas City, and all Kansas. Passengers by this route to Kansas see Illinois, Southern Iowa, and Missouri, and, by a slight divergence, can see Nebraska also.

Lovers of fine views should remember the Burlington Route, for its towers "high-gleaming from afar"—its tree-fringed streams—its rough bluffs and quarries—its corn-occasional stretching over the prairie further than the eye can reach.

Land-buyers will be sure to remember it, for they have friends among the two thousand who have already bought farms from Geo. S. Harris, the Land Commissioner of the B. & M. R. R. at Burlington, Iowa, or among the four thousand homesteaders and acre-owners who last year filed claims in the Lincoln land office, where "Uncle Sam" is rich enough to give us all a farm.

The finest flavor imaginable is imparted to fish when served at the table by the use of the famous Halford Leicester-style Table Sauce. If you will test this standard article you will be satisfied with the result.

Four Evils.—Who ever habitually uses any alcoholic beverage will be likely to suffer from four evils, viz: an overplus of food in the stomach, impaired ability to digest it, the power of generation and the power of assimilation of the food, impaired, the liver and bowels, purified the blood, and, instead of existing four evils, confers four inestimable benefits.

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