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Mrs. Doctor Anderson, OFFICE ANNOUNCEMENT, I have the honor to announce that I have returned to my office and will continue to practice my profession as usual.

Mortgage Sale, DEBTOR having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage...

Poetry, PLAYING SCHOOL, BY GRAM.

What would they ever say to us, Finding school in such a place? Doby Jenny, how is that? D O, G, dear, how is that?

Terrible boy! your face is red— Why will you stand upon your head? Here's spelling, that will do; Here's a lesson for you.

Sweet as pure as the morning sun, Sweet as the morning dew, Sweet is the lesson you impart! Sit in a row on the doorkstep there, Nice little schoolman, prim and fair.

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"Of course Miss Grayle had nothing to do with its disappearance," said Mr. Vavasour.

"Of course not," said his wife, decidedly. "I never thought of suspecting her. I've searched the room over everything thoroughly. I have moved every thing. It isn't here."

"Mr. Vavasour assisted in a third search. The ring was nowhere to be found.

"Some of the servants must have taken it," said he.

"I don't know who to suspect," said his wife. "Let's go down and talk with Bernard about it."

Miss Vere was in the parlor with Bernard Vavasour. Mrs. Vavasour related the story of her loss and asked what to do.

"Search our rooms," suggested Miss Vere. "I'm willing to have mine looked over."

"There's no use in that," said Bernard. "Of course none of our guests have taken it."

"But it would be hardly fair to search the servants' rooms and let ours go unsearched," insisted Miss Vere. "I desire to have you look through mine."

Several other guests announced their willingness to have their rooms investigated.

"Well, we can go through with the ceremony of looking them over," said Mr. Vavasour. "Of course there is not the least bit of use in it. We'll begin with your room, Miss Grayle, if you have no objection."

"None at all," answered Miss Grayle, and they all repaired to the government's room. Miss Vere's face wore a look of coming triumph.

But it wore a strange, baffled expression when Mr. Vavasour announced, laughingly, that nothing was to be found of the ring in Miss Grayle's room. Miss Vere's eyes had a strange look in them. She clutched her hands together nervously as some of them congratulated Miss Grayle on being liked to strange her.

"Miss Vere's room next," said Mr. Vavasour, and led the way thither.

The first thing opened was a little case of drawers, and as Mr. Vavasour drew them out one after another, the sunlight glinted on Miss Vere's jewels.

"I don't see anything of the ring," announced Mr. Vavasour. But as he spoke, from a corner of the last drawer, something rolled out, half wrapped up in a piece of old paper, and fell upon the floor.

It was a ring, and as Mr. Vavasour picked it up, he looked at it with a gasp. It was the ring that had been lost!

"How I would like to be her mistress," hissed Katharine Vere, as she stood there in the shadow and watched the pretty picture. Only she could not appreciate the beauty which other and less jealous eyes might have been able to see.

Miss Vere had come to Vavasour Place on purpose to ensure and marry Bernard Vavasour. She had heard much of the handsome young heir of the Vavasour estates, and had formed a very favorable opinion of him before she met him. He was clever, cultivated and rich. When she met him she resolved at once to make a final conquest, and crown a long series of triumphs by securing the most eligible match of the season.

So when Mrs. John Vavasour, who was wife to Bernard's cousin, and who came to Vavasour Place every summer to do the honors, invited her to spend the summer there, Katharine Vere was ready to accept. And determined on victory Miss Vere entered vigorously on the campaign, and proceeded to lay siege to Bernard Vavasour's heart at once.

And there at Vavasour Place Miss Vere met the woman she hated in the person of Rose Grayle. She was governess to Mrs. John Vavasour's two children; a shy, sweet girl, with the prettiest face imaginable, and a modest, refined manner that stamped her at once as a real lady.

For Rose Grayle stood between Miss Vere and the man she wanted to marry. If she had chosen to exert the influence she held over him Rose Grayle could have kept Bernard Vavasour at her side, and Miss Vere's skillful manoeuvres to secure his attention would have proved failures. But she did not choose to exert that power by her. She treated him with a grave, sweet courtesy, and accepted the attention which she gave her as any other lady might have done.

Miss Vere saw that Rose had only to say the word and Bernard Vavasour was her most loyal subject. She saw too, that she had a pride that was strong and deep, and managed, by a skillful tact which she possessed, to keep the girl reminded of the difference between her position and that in which Bernard Vavasour moved. Consequently Miss Vere grew a sort of reserve which served to keep Mr. Vavasour "from going too far," as Miss Vere congratulated herself.

Sometimes Miss Vere fancied she was gaining ground on the field, and then a word or a look from Miss Grayle would put her in distrust of the advantage she thought to have gained. So easy it was to be deceived, and so hard to win, that she often wondered if she chose to do so. And that was why Miss Vere hated Miss Grayle.

And so, in alternate hope of success, and consciousness of slow if any progress, the weeks slipped by, and at last Miss Vere resolved on a little strategy, on the principle, I suppose, that "all is fair in love and war."

One day Mrs. Vavasour discovered that a valuable diamond ring was missing.

"Where did you have it last?" asked her husband.

"Very sure," answered Mrs. Vavasour.

"Who has been in the room since?" asked her husband.

Miscellaneous, "WAITING AT THE DEPOT," BY LOUISE E. LINDEN.

Waiting at the depot, Isn't it a bore? Among a crowd of people You never saw before! All are so impatient, Waiting for the train, That they look as though As bent out in a rain.

Waiting at the depot, How slow the moments creep: Every one is wishing, Old Time would make a leap To the hour of blessing, For it's surely coming, In the next train.

Waiting at the depot, Isn't it a bore? All the children crying, Making such a pother; The fellows all look stupid, Of the girls who sigh, Can't men do some thing, To pass the time away?

Choosing a Name, What name to give "the baby" has often been a serious question in the family council.

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practice of handing down the names of great men now gone, but I would keep it under some restraint. We are so apt to notice names of this class, and very often we notice, too, a distressing disparity between the names and the named.

I will add but one other caution. Do not cling too fondly to family names.

Because your grandfather was called Thomas, it is not indispensable that your son should bear that name.

These or four Thomases in the same family create confusion. John senior and John junior are perplexing sometimes.

It is natural for a father to wish his eldest son to bear his own name; but I would not adhere slavishly to it. A change is often an advantage.

Too many Abrahams look odd. A succession of Solomons is not always wisdom.

It may be, that parents who read my suggestions will not rigidly observe them. They will, in some cases, doubt my taste; and will, after all, please themselves. By all means do so. Please yourselves, but at the same time try to please others too. In giving names to your children at least avoid oddity, and decay singularity; try to perpetuate good names, and abolish objectionable ones.—Rev. W. Barker.

To Europe by Balloon, It has already been announced in the Bulletin that Professor John Wise, of this city, intends to attempt during the coming summer to cross the Atlantic Ocean in a balloon.

The adventure is one of such boldness, such novelty, and such importance that a representative of this paper called yesterday on Mr. Wise for the purpose of obtaining some information concerning the voyage.

Professor Wise is one of the most experienced aeronauts in the world; and he is also a man of solid ability and general scientific culture; he has achieved during his visits to the upper atmosphere discoveries of enormous value.

He holds at present the position of Secretary of the meteorological section of the Franklin Institute in this city, and he is earnestly devoted to the study of the phenomena which are considered in that department of the institution. Professor Wise is now pretty well advanced in years, but he has, surely, vigorous health, an active brain and inexhaustible energy.

He is as full of enthusiasm over the prospect of his transatlantic voyage as if he were in the very heyday of youth; not because of any pecuniary profit, which may come to him from the enterprise; or from the mere sensations of delight taken in such a wonderful journey; but because he hopes to realize and demonstrate practically the old theory he has held; and he has fought for during a larger portion of his life.

Professor Wise is ready to talk upon the subject with anyone, and to answer with courtesy all questions concerning the preparations for his trip. The following conversation embraces all the topics discussed yesterday.

Reporter—Professor, will you please state to me the present condition of your transatlantic undertaking?

Professor Wise—With pleasure. I propose to start from Boston Common during next July—if possible, upon the 4th of July—for Europe. It will have with me Mr. Donaldson, H. Donaldson, aeronaut; and two scientific gentlemen, who are not yet selected from a number of applicants. The city of Boston has appropriated the sum of \$3,000 to enable me to procure the balloon and the necessary apparatus, provided I can show to the scientific men of that city that my theory is a plausible one.

Reporter—Do you think you can do so?

Professor Wise—I feel sure of it. If I do not prove as clearly as I can without actual experiment that a balloon may travel directly east across the Atlantic Ocean, I do not wish the money.

Reporter—You cannot guide your balloon; how then do you think you will not sail westward?

Professor Wise—I have for years believed that the entire upper atmosphere surrounding the earth constantly moves eastward with the revolution of the earth. Motion in this direction is as rapid as the movement of the terrestrial ball in the case of 100 miles an hour. If I rise into this air with my balloon, the ship will be swept eastward with tremendous velocity. We cannot control the direction of the balloon in any way, and that will not be necessary. All we need do is to let it drift, and sooner or later, if no accident happens, we shall reach Europe.

Reporter—Suppose the balloon falls into the sea?

Professor Wise—We have provided for such an emergency. Beneath the chamber there will be an open platform or balcony, and beneath that one of the French metal life-boats, provided with oars, sails, instruments, food and water, will be suspended, ready at any instant to receive us, should a near approach to the water take place for any reason. This life-boat will have four large chambers, and will be provided with a cabin in which we can be protected from the weather. By means of an ingenious contrivance the center of gravity can be made to reach the bottom of the boat, thus rendering it impossible to upset it. We shall take provisions for thirty days; in order to be ready for the worst, we will have in place in life-bags, which may serve as life-boats also.

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seventy hours, and probably only sixty. It will depend upon the force of the air current. I may as well remark here that this current moves more rapidly after sunset, for the heated air presses forward toward the shadow, where the atmosphere is cooler.

Reporter—At what point do you expect to touch the coast on the other side?

Professor Wise—We shall probably land either in Great Britain or France—in the latter if we do not reach a great altitude. I have always thought, however, that there is an air current following the course of the Gulf Stream, for that heats the atmosphere to the height of 8,000 or 10,000 feet, and makes, I conjecture, a sort of gulf stream in the air. If this is correct, and our balloon strikes that current, we shall go directly to England. Of course I cannot say absolutely that we shall succeed. This voyage is merely experimental. I wish to test the matter; that is all. If the trip can be made now it will be made many times again, and with practice, ability may be acquired to reach London, Paris, or Madrid with unerring certainty. We are merely going to try whether it can really be done or not. I shall leave Boston Common and strike at once for an altitude of about two miles, and stay there if possible until we get across.

Reporter—Will you return in the balloon?

Professor Wise—I think not. We might, though, by dropping into the local trade winds and surface currents, but they are not so reliable. I only claim the ability to go with certainty to the eastward.

Reporter—You speak of a speed of 100 miles an hour. Will not that seem alarming?

Professor Wise—Not at all. In a balloon, no matter how rapid the motion, the voyager is not conscious of it. He seems to stand still. If there is no objection by which the progress he is impressed with the conviction that the balloon is at rest. He is no more conscious of a speed of 100 miles an hour than you are of the revolution of the earth as you sit in that chair. Moreover, there is no fluttering of any of the rigging of the balloon when in equilibrium. A cobweb hanging from the car will seem as free from agitation as if it were suspended in a vacuum. We cannot even tell when we are ascending except by hanging a ribbon over the side and observing it fly upward as we descend and downward as we mount into the air. You can hardly call balloon riding "the poetry of motion," for there appears to be no motion. A blind man in such a ship would be ready to be sworn he was in a condition of perfect rest.

THE BALLOON, Reporter—And now for a description of the balloon in which you make your voyage.

Professor Wise—We propose to construct three balloons, one nearly three times the size of the others, the latter of which will be used to supply the large one with gas as it gradually loses its lifting power. The balloons will hold some 825,000 feet of gas, and will have a lifting capacity of 11,000 pounds besides the weight of the gas chambers themselves, nettings, baskets, life-boat, etc. It will take about 2,700 yards of drilling for the large balloon, but with the aid of sewing machines we think we can get it ready in a month's time. The basket in which we propose to ride will be a comfortable room, with a bed and table, which will serve as a table for the trip. The room will have windows on all sides, a lime stove will give abundant heat for warmth and to cook with, while at night a vacuum tube with platinum wire at each end will furnish abundant light by sending a current of electricity along the wire.

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MASSAGE OF THE MODOC.

White men in the closing scenes of the Modoc campaign have disgraced themselves equally with Captain Jack. On Saturday, as James Fairchild with some others were conveying seventeen Modoc prisoners, among whom were Shacknasty Jim, Bogus Charley, Tee-hee Jack, Pony and Little John, from Fairchild's Ranch to General Davis' headquarters, they were stopped after crossing Lost River, by a band of white men supposed to be Oregon Volunteers. Fairchild was ordered to dismount while a needle gun was placed to his head. This company then proceeded to shoot the Modoc captives...

It brings a blush to the cheek of our boasted civilization to contemplate this murder of defenceless prisoners. What can the whites expect from the Indians, when they pursue fully as barbarous a course as the savages do themselves, and at the same time are constantly boasting and preaching to the red man the superior civilization of the white man. This unprovoked massacre of these Modoc captives cannot be anything but a bad lesson upon other Indian tribes, and soon or late the white soldiers on the borders will suffer therefore.

STOKES.

The Court of Appeals have at last granted Stokes, the Murderer, a new trial. It is said the Court was unanimous in granting the new trial, and that the reasons therefore were substantially as follows: "The charge is held to be erroneous on the point that the law presumes murder from the fact of killing, and calls on the prisoner to justify or mitigate; also, there were errors in excluding the proof of threats by the deceased to kill the prisoner, also an error in permitting Mrs. Morse to contradict Jennie Turner in collateral matter called out on cross-examination of Jennie, namely: 'as to whether she left Mrs. Morse's against her wish, and because the detectives were said to be after her, soon after the homicide.' There were other points discussed, but these are the principal ones."

MILITARY COMMISSION.

The authorities at Washington have telegraphed Gen. Scofield to appoint a Military Commission to try the Modoc prisoners. The Commission will undoubtedly be speedily organized, and the Modocs disposed of according to Military law.

Uniformity of School Books.

EDITORS BERRIEN COUNTY RECORD.—Dear Sirs:—In one of your late numbers I saw that there was an act passed for uniformity of school-books throughout Berrien County, and I am surprised to see that it receives no attention from any of your correspondents throughout the county. It is an act which I think will be of great benefit to scholars, teachers and to the pockets of many parents. It will cause a considerable outlay of money at first, in districts where books have to be exchanged, but in the end it will be a great saving, for after there is a uniformity of books once established then every new teacher will not be asking the scholars to buy a different grammar, speller or reader making the excuse "the one you have is not so good as the one I want you to get," while very likely the true reason of wishing the books changed is, that the teacher is better acquainted with the new, or he or she desires than with the one already in the school. Another reason why it will save in the long run is when the oldest child is done with a book the next one can use it (if not worn out) and not to the expense of buying a new book.

Now it is very often the case when a farmer goes into a book store to buy his child a book and asks for a New American Third Reader, the clerk says I have none on hand, but here is a Sanders' won't this do, and the clerk being a good salesman sells him the book. The farmer returns home probably five or six miles and is told by the child and teacher that the book won't do. Then the farmer says he will bring it back but in the meantime it is soiled and the farmer must either buy a new book, the child go without or the teacher must spend as much time with it alone as he does with the whole class that have books alike. When there is but one kind of text books will keep that kind to sell.

The Committee should then adopt good text books and remember that the cheaper they are the better they will suit those who will have to pay for them or for the greater part of them, viz: the farmer.

I should like very much to hear the opinion of some of the teachers of Berrien County in regard to this bill, through the columns of your paper from time to time.

The County Poor.

BERRIEN, June 10, 1873.

EDITORS RECORD.—Through the kindness of some member of the Legislature, during the last session, I was favored with a copy of a pamphlet issued by the Secretary of State, entitled "Abstract of the annual reports of the County Superintendents of the Poor of the State of Michigan, for the year ending September 30, 1872." I have recently been looking over these reports somewhat carefully, and I find that the expense of taking care of the poor in Berrien County is largely in excess of other Counties in the State having about the same population, with the exception perhaps of Calhoun County. While at the same time there are but two or three Counties that have as good poor farms and buildings as Berrien County. With your permission I desire to lay before the tax-payers of our County a few of the figures contained in these reports with a view of calling attention to the loose and extravagant manner in which this County Poor business is conducted in this county. For a long time the people have felt that the cost of taking care of the poor, while we had one of the best buildings for the purpose in the State, was extravagantly high, and while they have been thus feeling, the expense has been annually increasing, until the people begin to believe that there is a "sore loose" somewhere. Let us now take a few of the older Counties, as near equal to Berrien in population as we can get, and see how the account compares, giving the figures as they appear in this report:

Table with 2 columns: County Name and Amount. Rows include Allegan, Berrien, Cass, Eaton, Genesee, Hillsdale, Ingham, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Kent, Lenawee, Macomb, St. Joseph, Van Buren.

Cost of maintaining Poor House, exclusive of interest on capital invested and labor of paupers:

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Cost per week of maintaining each pauper in the Poor House:

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Amount expended for temporary relief outside the Poor House:

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Whole amount paid from the Poor fund:

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Now, Messrs. Editors, I would like some one to tell why, with one of the best farms, and one of the best buildings in the State, (only four better) it costs so much more to support the poor in Berrien County, in proportion to population, than in other Counties? And again, why should the "best medical attendance" be outside the Poor House, in Berrien, six times what it is in Jackson, or nine times what it is in Saginaw, when the location of those Counties, and the character of their population, they should be ahead of us?

It stands the tax-payers in hand to look carefully at these figures, and ascertain, if they can, at whose door the fault lies, for evidently there is a fault somewhere. Year after year the expenses of taking care of the poor have been increasing; having more than tripled in the last eight years. This item of medical attendance is so very outrageous and abominably extravagant, comparing it with other Counties, and can only be accounted for on the ground that every little quack Doctor is allowed to practice, and then bring in just such bills as they think proper, and the Superintendents have not the courage to cut them down.

I have spoken thus plainly that the attention of the people may be called to this matter, and because I think that justice to the tax-payer demands it. At some future time I may give you a few figures showing in what localities in the County expend and use up the greater amount of this enormous sum of over \$12,000.

Yours truly,

Printers' Mistakes.

The importance of printing the names of candidates correctly is shown in the official canvass of votes for Regents, as it has been shown in almost every previous canvass for State officers. When the Republican State Convention met, February 16th, one of the Detroit reporters gave Mr. Clinie's name as Andrew J. Clinie, and it was so printed in a Detroit daily newspaper, "The Star," the country papers copied the error, and it stuck to it until election day, in spite of numerous published corrections, and circulars from the State Central Committee, and even private letters upon the subject. The consequence was that Mr. Clinie lost 4,487 votes from imperfection, of which 3,895 were given to Andrew J. Clinie.

How it happened that Mr. Fitch, one of the Democratic candidates, lost 6,414 votes is not so plain; but probably from similar carelessness in some newspapers. Had the majority for Mr. Clinie or Mr. Fitch depended on these erroneous votes, it would have been a nice point to settle as to who was elected. The Board of State Canvassers could not go behind the returns, and heavy expense which would have been incurred by bringing the matter into the Supreme Court, and the office pays no salary to justify such action.

May this teach a lesson to the newspapers of both parties upon the importance of accuracy in printing the names of candidates, for we do not want elections to turn upon quibbles and create bad feelings, although the law very properly requires that the ballots be exactly followed, in counting and returning.—Lansing Republican.

Mississippi Correspondence.

Toledo, Miss., June 9, 1873.

DEAR RECORD:—Mention was made in your issue of the 27th inst. of the Mississippi. Contrary to experience in Louisiana, Mississippi representation of her colored people, in her highest court, has been well sustained, and has borne, we believe, only good fruits. The sessions have been amicable, and tended only to establish the best relations between the two races. Of course ill feeling was engendered by such an innovation at the outset, and there would occur occasional outbreaks. But there has been constant improvement. And no one now will pretend that good results have not followed. Better laws, a higher moral status in the government, the introduction of measures which, under the old regime, would not have been entertained for a moment. We have now on our Statute books a good, rigorous temperance law, similar in its provisions to the Michigan law, wholesome if only it can be executed, which, of course, will be better done as moral sentiment improves.

Then it has been discovered that in Mississippi people have rights to be respected, who are not quite up to the sanguine standard of Caucasian purity. But enactments had to be made to enforce those rights. The Legislature, at its last session, passed a "Civil Rights Bill," as it was called, securing to all citizens similar privileges in all public conveyances, hotels, etc. Now it is no longer according to law that well-dressed, good and virtuous women, who have the prescribed but not the proscribed tinge, should take a different car on the railroad, and be pushed into a foul-smelling car, to be surrounded with coarse men free to indulge in obscene jests and vile ribaldry, because she is only a colored woman. And this law is only supposed to have been brought about by accident, as the watchman had visited the mill but a short time before the fire was discovered. The loss is about \$15,000 on which there is no insurance.—Lapeer Clarion.

Mariages.

June 11, 1873, by the Rev. J. P. Barthelemy, at his residence, Buchanan, Michigan, Mrs. J. A. DUTCHER, all Buchanan.

Deaths.

Died, May 26th, 1873, at the residence of her parents, Buchanan Township, Berrien County, Michigan, Mrs. J. A. DUTCHER, aged 13 years, 6 months and 10 days.

On the morning of June 11, in the seventh month of May, Our dear sister Nellie was taken away. Although she was young, happy and gay but yet never murmured, nor wished she could stay.

Stockwell Institute.

The Stockwell Collegiate Institute, Stockwell, Indiana, which has been under the supervision of our former highly esteemed teacher, Prof. J. G. Laird, during the past year, closed May 29th. The school year has been a very prosperous one, and owing to his judicious management the school is in a flourishing condition and presents a very flattering prospect for the future. Stockwell is one of the best places for a school that I have ever seen. Situated twelve miles from LaFayette, it is near enough to enjoy many of the advantages, without suffering from the evil influences of a city. The closing exercises of commencement week took place May 29, and consisted of graduation exercises, Baccalaureate address by the President, distribution of silver stars to a class of twenty, and reunion exercises. Some of the conditions of the regular programme, consisting of the presentation of a beautiful gold star to the Laureate of the College, and to Prof. Laird the administration of a severe, earnest with a splendid gold headed cane. He endured the punishment with a very good grace, expressing his regrets, however, that, in the forty-seventh year of his life, it was deemed necessary to subject him to the painful necessity of being thus publicly punished for his past conduct, and worst of all, by his own students. The year has passed very pleasantly and profitably and all regretted the separation.

The fall term will commence Sept. 8th, and I would say to all my old fellow-students who design leaving home to attend school during the coming year, go to Stockwell. The Professor will be glad to see you, and you will not regret your choice.

State Treasury.

The balance of cash in the State Treasury, May 20th, was \$948,847.04. Receipts for the week ending May 27th were \$28,899.99; payments during same time \$121,860.14, leaving a balance in the Treasury of \$855,886.89; decrease \$92,960.14.—Lansing Republican.

—One of the best wheat fields we have seen in Oakland County, is on the farm of the McKinley Bros., in Commerce. The field comprises fifty or sixty acres, and there is not a yard of bare ground to be seen. The farm of A. McKinley, Sr., adjoining, is also another good illustration of the condition of wheat in this section, and promises more than an average crop.

—Fifteen persons were charged at the Episcopal Court last Sunday, on the Pontiac Bill Poster.

State Items.

—Work on the new Episcopal Church is being rapidly pushed forward, and there is every prospect that it will be ready for dedication in a short time.—Hunt Democrat.

—Three members of the family of Mr. John Struble, of Volinia township, were badly poisoned by eating mushrooms last Friday morning. Through energetic medical treatment, they all escaped after violent sickness. It is thought that the mushrooms became unwholesome and poisonous on account of not being perfectly fresh.—Deatur Republican.

—The locomotives on the M. C. R. R. came out dressed in mourning on Monday morning, on account of the death of the master machinist of the road.—Supervisor Nutting reports for this township during the year 1872, 27 births and 18 deaths. There are four blind persons in the township, and one deaf one.—Deatur Republican.

—The whole number of school children in Kent county is 17,487; total appropriation of the townships \$3,558.83, giving every child of school age 48 cents from said fund this year.—Lansing Journal.

—About midnight last Thursday, the extensive saw mill of H. K. Stiles, in Bliss, was discovered to be on fire, and in a few minutes the entire structure was in ruins. The origin of the fire is not known, but it is supposed to have been caused by accidental causes, as the watchman had visited the mill but a short time before the fire was discovered. The loss is about \$15,000 on which there is no insurance.—Lapeer Clarion.

Administratrix Sale.

IN the matter of the estate of Andrew Adams, deceased, I, the undersigned, hereby give notice of an Order of the Judge of Probate of Berrien County, in the State of Michigan, made on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1873, in relation to the estate of the said deceased, to wit: That the said Adams, deceased, was a resident of the County of Berrien, State of Michigan, and died on the 27th day of June, A. D. 1873, leaving a widow, the said Mrs. Adams, and a son, the said John Adams, and a daughter, the said Mary Adams, and a son, the said William Adams, and a daughter, the said Elizabeth Adams, and a son, the said Charles Adams, and a daughter, the said Sarah Adams, and a son, the said James Adams, and a daughter, the said Ann Adams, and a son, the said George Adams, and a daughter, the said Margaret Adams, and a son, the said Thomas Adams, and a daughter, the said Rebecca Adams, and a son, the said Benjamin Adams, and a daughter, the said Susannah Adams, and a son, the said David Adams, and a daughter, the said Mary Adams, and a son, the said John Adams, and a daughter, the said Elizabeth Adams, and a son, the said James Adams, and a daughter, the said Ann Adams, and a son, the said George Adams, and a daughter, the said Margaret Adams, and a son, the said Thomas Adams, and a daughter, the said Rebecca Adams, and a son, the said Benjamin Adams, and a daughter, the said Susannah Adams, 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A. F. WHITE'S Drug Store

Will be opened for the SPRING TRADE

Paints & Oils

To be found in Berrien County. Many years experience in this line of goods has given facilities for buying and selling these goods...

White and Colored PAINTS,

Dry and in Oil.

Putty, Glass, Varnishes,

And everything in the line. Also, a complete stock of

DRUGS & MEDICINES,

Books and Stationery.

Fancy Goods, &c.

Remember the Place: At the Old Stand, South Side of Front Street.

The Berrien County Record OFFICIAL PAPER OF THE COUNTY.

THURSDAY MORNING, JUNE 12, 1873.

To Advertisers. The "Record" is the best Advertising Medium in South-western Michigan...

Value of Advertising. "Without advertising I should be a poor man to-day." - E. T. Edmond.

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

Trax Notice. Notice is hereby given that the Tax Roll for the village of Buchanan for the year 1873...

Insurance. To all parties interested in sound Insurance Companies, we would say that the Citizens of Hartford, the Old North American, of Philadelphia...

Post-Masters. Will post masters exercise a little care when returning a paper marked, "uncalled for," or "refused," to also mark thereon their post-office.

SEE in another column, advertisement about Iowa and Nebraska Lands.

Get your hats and caps of Noble. Latest styles and cheap for cash.

NOTICE.—Straw and palm leaf hats, the largest stock in the county, on Call and see. C. M. BEARD, (Hills) Corsets.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. Enoch Morgan's Sons Spool. Attention.—A. C. Day. Administrator's Sale.—George Weimer, Adm.

ROLL OF HONOR. Who deserves more honor than the man who subscribes for a paper and pays for it? Received for the week ending May 1, 1873:

Table listing names and amounts for the Roll of Honor, including Henry Vite, Mrs. Lyons, P. S. Plimpton, etc.

ALL subscribers in arrears for one year are now indebted \$2.00 each; but all pay in as advance as far as they are in arrears, shall receive the benefit of advance payment.

ACCIDENT.—Mr. H. O. French, of this village, received quite a severe injury a few days since, by being thrown from his wagon by a young team which became frightened and attempted to get away from him but did not succeed.

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PLenty of ladies' and gents' fine shoes at Noble's, cheap for cash.

Why does everybody go to No. 54 Front Street to buy their Bread and Groceries? Because they always get what they call for, and they do say that baker of A. C. Day's beats the world baking. Try him.

NEW CLOTHING STORE.—Messrs. Cotten & Fox have just brought to Buchanan a brand new stock of the latest styles of men and boys' clothing and furnishing goods.

FORCLOSURES.—No more prompt, reliable and efficient Attorney can be found in Berrien County to attend to foreclosures of mortgages than worthy Putnam, of Berrien Springs.

SCHOOL MONEY.—It is said that through the neglect of our School Director to make proper report to the County Clerk, so as to forward to the Secretary of State in time, Buchanan School District has lost her portion of the public money.

TEA.—It is admitted by all that H. J. Howe has the best tea in the place for the money. He only asks a trifle. 16w2

THE EXCURSION.—On Tuesday A. M. the Buchanan Serenading Group, consisting of Messrs. H. B. Duncan, 1st Violinist; Wm. Cox, 2d Violinist; John Morris, Cornetist; A. O. Howe, Organist; S. Barnore, Olin Woods, Guitarist; J. M. Duncan, Cellist, started on an excursion down the river to St. Joseph and intermediate points.

FOUND.—The subscriber found a lot of papers that are valuable to the owner, which he can have by describing the same and paying for this notice. W. A. PALMER, Buchanan.

RETURNED.—Mr. P. B. Dunning has returned from a short tour to Iowa.

POST-MASTERS.—Will post masters exercise a little care when returning a paper marked, "uncalled for," or "refused," to also mark thereon their post-office.

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TAXES.—Fees for the collection of taxes now allowed the Marshal are just the same as has heretofore been allowed. The old village By-Laws provided that all taxes paid on or before the 20th of October the Marshal should add one per cent. for collecting, and on all paid after that time he should add four per cent. The tax list then was placed in the hands of the Marshal for collection on the first day of September, and sixty days were given for the collection. The list is now placed in the hands of the Marshal to be first Monday in June, instead of the first of September, as heretofore, and sixty days given for the Marshal to collect the taxes. On all all taxes paid prior to July 4th, only one per cent. is added as collection fees and after that four per cent. is added. The only difference being, that the taxes are now collected during the sixty days following the first Monday in June, and the sixty days following the first of September. The fees for collection in both cases are the same.

POLL TAX.—We hear several of our citizens finding fault with the poll tax item in the village assessment for the present year. The new Charter reads as follows on that point, and the Common Council but followed the law in the premises: "Sec. 59. The Common Council shall have power to levy and cause to be collected in each and every year a poll tax upon every male inhabitant of the age of twenty-one years and upwards and not exceeding sixty years, excepting from such poll tax paupers, idiots, lunatics, and others excepted by the provisions of this act and the laws of this State, and all money collected by virtue of this section shall be used and considered a part of the highway fund."

LAWN MOWER.—One of those splendid Lawn Mowers for sale at the Record office.

CONCERT.—The M. E. Sunday School Concert came off on Sunday evening last. The Church was crowded overflowing. Several had to go away for want of room within the Church.

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THANKS to Mary Arthur for that splendid Ice Cream brought into the Record office the other day. All hands appreciated it, and write in saying to all wh want No. 1 Ice Cream, to call at May's, next door west of the Record office, for it.

SULLY for sale, at C. M. Beard's, Hill's Corners. 16f

THE GARDEN HOUSE, at Gallien, Mich., under the management of Dr. W. W. Davis, is what has been long needed in that village. Having put up at this hotel on several occasions we speak from a personal knowledge, and unhesitatingly recommend the house to the traveling public.

REAPER and MOWER.—The new Improved Kirby Reaper and Mower is undoubtedly one of the best machines manufactured. To be fully appreciated the farmer needs but to see them. God send some for sale at George Churchill's, Buchanan. B. Helmick, Agent, Berrien Springs. 16f

HIGHEST market price paid for Butter and Eggs, at C. M. Beard's, Hill's Corners. 16f

VISITING.—Mrs. Robert Hendrick of Kalamazoo, has been visiting at Capt. B. E. Binn's for a few days past. She started for Fond du Lac, Wis., yesterday to spend a month or two upon the parental roof, and visiting other friends.

SALE, Lime and Water Lime constantly on hand at Smith & Sons.

RECEIVING new goods every week at C. M. Beard's, Hill's Corners.

FURNITURE FACTORY.—We took a brief look the other day, through the New Furniture Factory. We were highly pleased to see the way matters were going under the efficient direction of the foreman, Mr. A. Willard, who seems to thoroughly understand his business. We noticed some fine styles of bedsteads, stands, etc., of which the Factory is turning out large quantities. The shipments of the company are increasing, they having shipped in two days last week orders for over \$4,000 worth. Superintendent Osborn has been absent for a week or two looking after the interests of the Company, collecting and soliciting orders, etc. Our people and especially the stock holders in the Furniture Factory, have reasons to be proud that Buchanan boasts such an establishment under such efficient management.

NOTICE.—Any body wishing to purchase a new Cabinet Organ will do well by calling at this office. 17

If YOU WANT good fresh Ove Oysters, good dried Lobsters, good Bologna, good dried Beef, good bread, good pies and all kinds of the first quality of groceries of all kinds, at the lowest prices for cash, just go to A. C. Day's Grocery and Bakery. He keeps the best.

HOT BED.—40,000 Sweet potato plants at S. C. Rose's, west side of Buchanan on the Dayton Road. 17

GALLIEN.—Supervisor Dennison, of Gallien, informs us that the number of births in that township, for the year 1872, was 24, and the number of deaths 28.

NILES TAX.—Some of our Buchanan folks complain at the tax of 60 and 62 1/2 mills on the dollar, but if they lived in Niles it would be 15 mills. So you see Buchanan is a good deal better off than Niles.

BERRIEN SPRINGS, June 10, 1873. The Buchanan Serenading Group arrived here by boat at 5 P. M. today. The boys looked in good trim, and reported a prosperous journey, from your city to this point along the winding course of the "Old St. Jo." A cordial reception was given the company, and a pleasant time indicated during their sojourn at this place. They only propose stopping a short time, enjoying the healthful breezes of the County Seat. Judging from their outfit, and the splendid music which they furnish, and the jolly disposition of all hands, they have started out for a good time, muchly. And it is pretty certain if they don't have it, it will be no fault either of their own, or of the people at the points where they may call, while floating down the raging "canal." Hurrah for the good people thereof for the Serenading party a glorious trip, for the old St. Jo. and a few happy days.

STRAWBERRIES.—The first strawberries of the season were laid on our table on Saturday, by S. C. Rose.

FINGER OFF.—On Tuesday, while working at a circular saw, in the New Furniture Factory, Charles Patonick, a young man, had one of his fingers sawed off.

BOTTLES.—There are a large number of W. E. Plimpton's Mountain Root Beer bottles scattered at various places in town, where parties have got one to three, four or more bottles at a time, and failed to return them. Please hunt up the same and return to his establishment and greatly oblige.

SUPERVISOR Howe of Ononoko was in town the other day. Mr. Howe is Chairman of the Committee on County Buildings.

THE FIRST STRAWBERRIES in the market this week retailed at 25 cents per quart. They were good, but tasted strongly of postal currency.

FESTIVAL.—There will be a Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival at Collins & Weaver's Hall, to-morrow, (Friday) evening, June 13. Proceeds for the benefit of the M. E. Church. A good time is promised, and we hope a large crowd may be in attendance, that the Festival may be eminently successful.

GRADY'S CIRCUS will be in Buchanan on Monday, June 23d.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.—The Presbyterian Sunday School proposes soon to have a concert. They will have a good one we know.

Do not fail to witness the inflation of the mammoth balloon, Excelsior, on the show grounds. Free to all—without money and without price. Come one, come all—only to be seen with Grady's great moral Exposition. Debut, June 19th; Dovesday, June 20th; Berrien, June 21, Buchanan, June 23; South Bend, June 24.

If you want something to eat, Call at Tuttle's down the street. Where you'll find some nice meat, Which is fat, good and sweet. If your children should cry, Get plentiful and make a pie. Get some of his flour and try, As long as you eat you can't die, Eggs, salt and onions to make you cry, Radishes, lettuce and salt pickles to make you dry. And if I am not very much mistaken It's a cheap place to buy your ham and bacon.

Proceedings of the Farmers' Club. EDITORS RECORD.—The Farmers' Club met at their usual place of meeting on Saturday, May 31. Remarks made by the members present on the subject of Fruit Culture. Dr. Roe said there was not any part of the world better adapted to the raising of fruit than Michigan, especially apples, and that they are becoming noted for their excellent flavor and fine qualities. Peaches do well near the lake and are profitable to raise. The best manner to raise apple trees is to get seedlings, and graft them in the pot with choice varieties. In three years they will be ready to set out. Thin sandy soil will produce the best flavored fruit. Care should be taken not to exhaust the soil for when the run down it can never be brought back to its original fertility. One acre of potatoes may be raised in an orchard without injuring the trees, if the soil is rich. In raising fruit, we have many things to contend with, and a great many are destroyed by mice and rabbits, and the bugs, worms and insects that prey upon our fruit and fruit trees are very numerous. The principal enemies to fruit in this section is the New York weevil, the codling moth, the boarer and the tent caterpillar. Hogs should be allowed to run in the orchard in order to eat up the affected fruit as they fall off. The best way to catch the moth is to tack a thickness of paper about ten inches long about the body of the tree. The best varieties of apples to raise are the following: for summer the Red Astrachan for fall the Maiden Blush, for winter the Red Canada, Wagner, Burdett and Baldwin. Senator Sparks of the eastern shore of Lake Michigan was destined to be the fruit gardener of the world, and if they had as fine apples in the world when our first parents were here as are raised by him, he doesn't wonder they ate of them before setting out an orchard a person should consider whether they wish to raise fruit or grain on the ground; if the latter then they had better not set out the trees for many are ruined by blowing around them. The best soil for fruit is a medium between clay and sand. On a heavy soil the trees get larger and are more thrifty but the quality of the fruit is not so good as on a sandy soil. We would suggest in fruit raising we must seek to understand the nature of those insects and

other things that destroy fruit and study how to exterminate them. The best apples are the Greening and Baldwin. All persons who possess a piece of ground, however small, should raise fruit, because it forms the most delicious, health-giving luxury a beneficent Providence has vouchsafed to bestow upon the human family. Mr. Tichenor thinks the soil has much to do with the flavor of fruit. We would prefer a sandy soil to set fruit trees in. The apple called Pound Sweet is an excellent apple and a good keeper. Mr. Broadhurst said during the past winter a number of his fruit trees had frozen to death. The best time to set a tree is when it is two years old. Persons who set out a large variety of apples make a great mistake. A few standard varieties only should be raised. The Seek-no-further and Greening are excellent apples. Mr. Platts has noticed that fruit trees do the best on clay soil. Trees soon die out on sandy soil. Cannot see that hogs do any good by running in the orchard. The best kinds of apples to raise are the American Russet, Baldwin and Greening. Mr. Clark believes the best soil for fruit is one composed of clay, vegetable mold and sand. The best time to prune an orchard is in June. The limbs should be started about three feet from the ground, three in number. The reason trees freeze in the winter is because the wood is not matured in the fall. To straighten a crooked tree out a slit in it on the side in which it crooks. The two best kinds of peaches are Hale's Early and the Crawford. The best apples to raise are the Baldwin, the Greening and the Stark. The Sweet Bover is a fine apple for summer use.

A number of the members of the Club said the heart of the kernels of their seed corn had been eaten out after planting it by a small, slim, yellow worm, one-half inch long. It is thought by the Club that the grub worms which did so much damage to the crops last year, as but few have been seen in plowing the ground this spring. They do the most damage during the first and second years after they get in the ground, or when they are small. They transform into May beetles the third year.

The next meeting of the Club will be on Saturday, June 14. The subject for that occasion is "Hay Making." Let us strive to put our theories into practice. BENJ. CHAMBERLAIN, Sec.

SCHOOL REPORT. EDITORS RECORD.—The following is a report of Spring Creek school for the second month ending June 6th. No. of scholars 24. Average attendance 18.

Those who have been present every day are Alta Savage, Alma Valentine, Ida Love, Rebecca Ryther, Grant Ray, Thadde Ryther.

The following are commended for good deportment: Sarah Starr, Alta Savage, Ella Quick, Mattie Ransom, Kate Ryther, Hattie Ryther, Rebecca Ryther, Alma Valentine, Lincoln Miller.

Those who deserve special mention for rhetorical exercises are Alta Savage, Lincoln Miller, Ella Quick, Freddie Louso, August Louso, Rebecca Ryther, Alma Valentine, Willie Ray.

We are thankful for the visit from our County Superintendent. Come again. A. E. SMITH, Teacher.

THE NILES Democrat says: The highest price yet paid in this market for wool, is 85 cents. Very little has been offered for sale.—The train from this city to South Bend, conveying the Old Fallow excursionists last week, ran over two cows, a few miles above the city.—The twenty-ninth annual commencement of the University of Notre Dame will take place on Wednesday and Thursday, June 25th and 26th.—From Capt. Edwards, Supervisor of First and Fourth wards, we obtain the following number of births and deaths for the past two years: 1872—births, 49; deaths, 18. 1873—births, 73; deaths, 41.—A new remedy for the destruction of the potato bug, it is said, has been discovered in this mandric root. Make a strong decoction of this root by boiling, and then sprinkle on the potato tops. No harm in trying it.

THE NILES Republican says: Decoration Day was not observed as it should have been, although Silver Brook Cemetery was informally visited by a number of persons, many of whom carried with them wreaths, etc., with which the graves of the brave dead were decorated. One appreciative lady alone made fifty bouquets and a number of wreaths that were generally distributed, we hope and believe, that next year the ceremony will be better observed.—Fred Miller, a workman in the service of the Michigan Central Railroad, and employed on the gravel train, was terribly mortally injured on Friday last, near Pokagon. In some way he fell on the track and was run over by the cars, one leg being broken below the knee and the other above the knee. The latter was so terribly crushed that it had to be amputated, the operation being performed by Dr. Bonine, the unfortunate victim of the accident having been brought to this city for professional treatment.—Mr. Miller lives near Three Rivers.—The Rev. J. B. Sailor, formerly of this city, now of Allegha, had his fruit trees girdled by some scoundrels lately. Mr. Sailor is President of the village temperance league, which is doubtless why, etc.

Farmers and Stock Men. Attention! Mr. George H. Martin, late of Indiana, who has been in Ononoko, has secured the following work by Dr. Navin's Stock, which he will offer for sale through Berrien County, canvassing township by township. This work is published in Indianapolis and sold by subscription. No other similar publication sells so well, and its great merit is causing a wide and extensive circulation, and giving the farmer and stockman a full and complete knowledge of the diseases of his animals, and the best means of curing them. It is a most valuable work, and one that every farmer and stockman should possess. It is now published by Dr. Navin, 107 N. 3rd St., Buffalo, N. Y. For maps, time tables, information as to rates, routes, etc., we refer our readers to G. C. Hedges, Northern Passenger Agent, 30 Third St., Buffalo, N. Y. For General Passenger Agent, St. Louis, Mo. See also the following notices: 1. Farmers and Stock Men. Attention! Mr. George H. 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The Texas connection of this road is now completed, and passengers are offered a first class, all-rail route from St. Louis to Texas, via the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, the Rock Island, the Texas and Pacific, the Texas and New Orleans, the Texas and Gulf, the Texas and Indian, the Texas and Louisiana, the Texas and Arkansas, the Texas and Mississippi, the Texas and Alabama, the Texas and Florida, the Texas and Georgia, the Texas and South Carolina, the Texas and North Carolina, the Texas and Virginia, the Texas and Maryland, the Texas and Delaware, the Texas and Pennsylvania, the Texas and New York, the Texas and New Jersey, the Texas and Connecticut, the Texas and Rhode Island, the Texas and Massachusetts, the Texas and Vermont, the Texas and New Hampshire, the Texas and Maine, the Texas and New Brunswick, the Texas and Nova Scotia, the Texas and Prince Edward Island, the Texas and Newfound-land, the Texas and Newfoundland, the Texas and Labrador, the Texas and British Columbia, the 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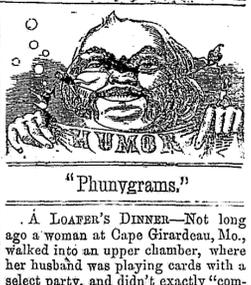
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A little Pennsylvania girl sends this conundrum, which, being original, takes the prize. What is the difference between a deacon in a church and a small boy on the street?

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A physician, on presenting his bill to the executor of the estate of a deceased patient, asked, "Do you wish to have my bill sworn to?"