









## The Berrien County Record

THURSDAY MORNING, JULY 22, 1875.

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## Buchanan Church Directory.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. A. J. Russell, Pastor. Services begin promptly at 10 o'clock, and close at 12:30. Sunday School commences at 10 o'clock, and at 1 P. M. Evening service begins at 6 o'clock, closes at 7:30, to be usually followed by a social service of 40 minutes. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening, at 7 o'clock and close at 8:15.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN CHURCH. D. Matthews, Pastor. Services at 10:15 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 12:30 P. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. W. W. Wells, Pastor. Services at 10:15 A. M. and 7 P. M. Sabbath School after morning service. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

OLD METHODIST CHURCH. J. W. B. Lester, Pastor. Meeting every Sunday at 10 o'clock A. M.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH. W. P. Russell, Pastor. Services Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. Sabbath School at 10:15 o'clock. P. M. Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

UNITED BRETHREN CHURCH. J. V. Tensler, Pastor. Services every alternate Sabbath morning, at 10 o'clock. Prayer meeting every Thursday evening.

SOME new wheat will be ready for market this week.

It is now time to plant buckwheat cakes.

We have several juvenile velocipedists in Buchanan.

They are now dieting on sweet potatoes in South Carolina.

CHRISTMAS will come this year on Saturday.

The days have decreased in length over ten minutes.

The most popular business place in town is Ross' Croquet Ground!!!!

NEW HAY is coming to market and is a made a good price.

TWENTY \$500 has been fixed at \$3,000,000.

The village pound is being well patronized now-a-days.

JULY 16 the thermometer stood at 95° in the shade and 122° in the sun in this place.

KINYON & VINCENT keep the best line of Cigars in town. New Stock. Oil and see them.

The regular meeting of the Village Board will be held on Thursday evening of next week.

AN unusual number of drunken men in town on Saturday last. As usual no arrests were made.

A LARGE number of emigrants passed over the M. C. R. R. during the past week.

WHEAT ripened very unevenly this season, and plenty of time was given to cut all in good condition.

The headquarters of the National Grange has been changed from Washington to Louisville, Ky.

ANN ARBOR charges the saloons \$100 license, double the state license. This makes trouble.

SOME considerable noise on our streets on Saturday evening last. Use: spell murder backwards.

Who wants a job? Barnum offers 10 to any tug that will find the feet of the missing emigrants.

The Good Templars meet every day evening. Their meetings are well attended and a growing interest manifested.

Is very strange how many people are, and adjoining States, see balloons nowadays. A man in this place saw one, last Sunday evening.

RELIGIOUS.—The Methodist camp-meeting on the old camp ground near Portage will commence this year on the 15th day of August.

A. J. BANGROFF, of Niles, had his pockets picked while attending Barnum's show at Chicago. We believe the loss was \$86.

It is reported that the railroad companies talk of adopting the plan of issuing chronos to passengers in the place of half fare tickets.

Is the farmers don't bring in some butter, the citizens of our quiet village will send to Hill's Corners for a car-load.

Wm. FRANKS is making a decided improvement to the appearance of his residence on Front street, by having the walls tuck-pointed.

His best is well high over. The weather has been remarkably favorable this year for this work. We have not heard of any sun strokes or of any hands "bushing."

Several cases of Cholera Infantum reported during the past week. Parents should use discrimination in the selection of food for children at this season of the year.

Our fire engine is undergoing a thorough and long needed repairing and when completed will be something of a pride to the boys and the public generally.

Our young friend Frank Plimpton "succeeds" John Dick as check and shipping clerk in the Buchanan Mfg. Co's shop, John assuming the responsibilities of Morris in the Pad Factory.

Wm. HARRY was again before Justice Alexander last week, for drunkenness, fined ten dollars and costs, and went home after paying it, getting drunk and feeling sorrowful.

OLD PRONABILITIES states that we may have "slightly warmer weather, clearer, partly cloudy and possibly occasional rain."

THE most noticeable advancement in the curriculum of many of our Colleges the past year, has been in the boat-racing and ball-playing departments.

MR. SILAS IRELAND, of Berrien township, has been appointed agent for the county for the charitable, penal and reformatory institutions of the state. The appointment is a good one.

AN advertisement of a South Bend hardware merchant occupies one-half of a column and reads: "Tin whistles at one cent a piece and other goods in proportion."

CANNING fruit is now in order. There is nothing more wholesome than nice fruit, and its liberal use is strongly recommended by our best physicians.

We have received some Chinese coins from Mr. C. W. Ganiard, of Marysville, California. The coins are made of brass and are valued at one mill each.

JOHNIE has received valuable acquisitions to his menagerie in the shape of two more "snakes"—one not yet having "peeled," and is attracting many curiosity seekers.

Those twins of Mrs. L. Leno, that weighed 7½ pounds each at birth, today, July 20th, weigh just 26½ pounds, to a notch. We consider this remarkable inasmuch as they are now nearly three years old.

MR. HENRY JOHNSON has one of the nicest dry wagons that has ever been used in our village. It was manufactured by Day & Rough, and like all the work of their manufacture, is first-class.

READ the notice of the lecture, to be given at the M. E. Church on Sunday evening next, in another column. We understand that services will not be held at the other churches, to give all a chance to attend the lecture.

Do not fail to read the advertisement in this issue of the Roanoke Classical Seminary, at Roanoke, Ind. Rev. G. S. Sackhouse, formerly of this village, is agent for this institution. Any desired information can be obtained by addressing him as directed in the advertisement.

The Berrien Springs Journal pours a volley of hot shot into the prospective editor and "affiliators" of a new paper to be started in that village. If the new editor is of retreating disposition they will have an interesting time of it.

A GUTTER is being built on the west side of Day's Avenue to conduct the water to the creek when it rains. If properly constructed it will no doubt prove effectual as there is plenty of fall the entire distance. It will be quite a desirable improvement.

THE Whortle berry crop in this vicinity will be very light the present season. This is a favorite fruit with many, but raspberries will have to be substituted for them to a great extent this year, which, by the way, is the best substitute that could be afforded.

THERE is considerable excitement over recent discoveries of gold and silver mines in the northern part of this state, near Boyne Falls. It is believed that silver is deposited in abundance in that vicinity. Thorough investigations are being made by reliable parties and the result will be given to the public shortly.

PETERSON'S, for August, is a superb number. This magazine commenced a new volume with the July number under very favorable circumstances. Its contributors in every department are the best in the country, and it will continue to be one of the best ladies' magazines published. Terms \$2 per year. Record and Peterson's a year for \$3.10 in advance.

THE State Board of Health have ordered a new edition of 20,000 pamphlets and 5,000 printed cards on the "Treatment of the Drowned." Physicians report that many lives could be saved if those who are suddenly called upon to care for the bodies of persons taken from the water and apparently dead, were acquainted with the proper methods of treatment.

QUITE a large number of harvest hands came to town Saturday night and spent a large share of their hard-earned wages at our saloons. Some of them declared that the wheat might rot in the ground before they would work another day for less than three dollars per week. If these men would work for \$2.00 and get their liquor at wholesale prices, they would come out as well at the end of the year and "enjoy" life just the same.

This report is that we are to have two new papers in this county: the Berrien County Record and the Berrien Springs Sentinel. Nothing that can be said or done will deter men from investing their means in such very hazardous undertakings. If any influence could be exerted over the rising generation, more than one thousand publishers of country journals would to-day be tempted to go out and commit suicide.

THE Excelsior Manufacturing Company moved to Chicago this week. We recommend this company to the public generally, and while we exceedingly regret their leaving Buchanan, we trust the change they have made will result in every way beneficially to them. Under the present circumstances their removal to Chicago is perhaps necessary and wise, but we hope that in the near future these reasons will no longer exist and that they may then decide to return again to this place.

SENATOR CHRISTIANCY, of Michigan, is one of the few political men who talk sense, without regard for party, in speaking of public affairs. If both parties had more such men for leaders and fewer rascals, the country would be better for it.—South Bend Daily Tribune.

LARGE numbers of foreign laborers are returning to their former homes, not having found the paradise they expected when they came to this country.

OUR readers will see by the advertisement elsewhere in this issue, that J. Brown & Sons have their new shop on Portage Street in running order and are prepared to do planing, scroll sawing, carpenter work and job work generally, on short notice.

THE picnic of the Musical Normal, on Saturday last, proved rather a damp affair to all parties, and especially to the Professor and wife and Miss Dearborn, who, while near the shore on their outward bound trip, where water was four and a half feet deep, got somewhat excited and in their efforts to keep the boat in position made matters worse and all were capsized. No lives lost, but a fearful amount of sighing done. The rain then came on and the party returned to town, having been gone about three hours or more. Thus ended the great Musical Normal.

THERE was more "talk" of harvesting on the streets last Saturday night than has been done in any harvest to date. Some parties averring that they could cut more wheat than any other in the county, others that they could take more up, or do both, and some even stating that they could outtake the whole posse. Fortunately the rains prevented any physical demonstration of their ability in either of their spheres, but rather induced them to imbibe of that "Chicago ale" freely.

MR. JACOB WEAVER miraculously escaped from more severe injuries while cutting his wheat. He was driving up the hill of his wheat field on Sunday last, and the weight being thrown back of the balance was too much of a strain on the fastening of the lever that holds the seat and platform in position and in consequence it became disconnected, he falling backwards, and as the lines were fastened to his seat it tended to back the team and machine. Mr. Weaver fell out and was caught under the wheel, receiving a severe contusion over the left eye and a bad bruise on the hip. He was properly cared for and at last report was doing as well as could be expected.

THE publisher of the Benton Harbor Palladium informs that the Record endorses the sentiments of the Chicago Tribune on the finance question because we have published articles from that paper. Our aim is to publish well-written articles on both sides of all controverted questions. We are responsible for the views contained only in the editorial department of the paper. We have no particular paper which we follow, but will say that while we consider some of the suggestions and arguments of the Tribune on the currency question sound and practical, the *Inter Ocean*, in the main has more nearly reflected our views on the financial problem.

GLASS FACTORY.—There is some talk of establishing a glass factory in this place. Parties acquainted with the business have declared that better advantages are afforded here for a factory of this kind, than at any other point they ever visited. Plenty of the very best quality of sand near by, and a stream of water running through it that can be used for washing purposes, boxes for shipping can be furnished at low prices, and everything throughout favorable. An institution of the kind contemplated would furnish steady employment for about sixty hands. If there are advantages afforded here that are claimed, we trust that some of our monied men will be induced to take hold and help to secure an enterprise of this kind. There is a good profit on glassware of all descriptions, and it is an article that is in constant demand.

We welcome to our exchange list the Benton Harbor Times, a new paper published at Benton Harbor, Hurly Bros. Publishers. The Times is published wholly at home, and if its first number is a fair representation of what the paper will be in its succeeding numbers, the people in the northern end of the county will certainly give it a liberal support. It will certainly merit their patronage. We wish the Times a pleasant and prosperous future.

On Monday, July 19, Judge Colledge sentenced the following named persons who had been tried, or pleaded guilty of the various offenses with which they had been informed against, at the present June term of the Circuit Court for the County of Berrien:

Frank Dillon, James Kennedy and Jos. Hogan, charged with larceny—each 1 year and 6 months at Jackson. W. Edmondson, charged with stealing a horse, 3 years at Jackson. States Prison. Wm. Johnson, charged with petit larceny, 10 days in County jail.

Upon the application for preemptory mandamus requiring the County Treasurer to pay the money to J. W. Weimer in the Bunbury case as per resolution of Board of Supervisors, upon both sides of the case, the Court allowed the writ. Counsel for County Treasurer asked for and obtained 15 days to take the case to the Supreme Court if it was thought best so to do. After some other business was transacted the court adjourned to Aug. 9, 10 A. M.

PERSONAL. Hon. J. C. Burrows has gone to California to take part in the political canvass of the State. The following complimentary notice we take from the Chicago Inter Ocean July 18:

"The Hon. J. C. Burrows, of Kalamazoo, Mich., leaves Chicago this morning for California, to take part in the political canvass in that State, by invitation of its Republican State Central Committee. He will remain in California until about the 1st of September, and will then proceed to Ohio, and take the stump for the Republican ticket there. Mr. Burrows is comparatively a young man, but he is recognized as one of the most popular speakers in the country. He was comparatively unknown until, in a couple of speeches in the House of

Representatives of the Forty-third Congress in defense of the Civil Rights and Force bills, he demonstrated his right to occupy a front rank as an orator.

The little folks will give a concert at Roe's Hall, on Wednesday evening of next week. Our experience of late has made us hesitate in advising people to attend concerts, but those who attended the little folks' concert last year, however, will be glad to know that they have another opportunity of witnessing a similar entertainment. These little folks should be encouraged in every way in a matter that affords them so much financial support and that tends decidedly to their benefit. Remember the time, Wednesday evening, July 28th, at Roe's Hall. Admission 10 cents.

The Closing Concert of the Normal Musical Institute was given as advertised last.

Taking into consideration the inducements held forth, the Concert did not come up to the standard that it should have done, neither did it meet the expectations of the audience. Whether intentional or otherwise on the part of the manager, the home talent of this place was most beautifully snubbed, and in the quartets where they might, and would have done credit to themselves and the town, the parts were so assigned as to render success impossible. To very many of the citizens of this place it appears as though injustice were done to our singers.

The effort of Miss Dearborn was a success, and was well received, that lady being the principal feature of the entertainment.

The selections generally did not meet with the approbation of the public, and were decidedly inferior to those given at the entertainment one week previous. Taking the Concert on the whole, with that which the public had been led to anticipate, it was decidedly thin.

It is said that Mr. Straub was informed (and by a competent judge) that his arrangement would not meet with the approval of the citizens of this place, that the selections and classifications would be objectionable; this information was notified that he, Mr. S., had run one concert for the benefit of the people of this place, and he proposed to run this one to suit himself. Perhaps Mr. S. was suited, but the audience were not.

In good time our singers will retrieve themselves from this misfortune and rise above any stigma that may have been attached to them through the failure on Friday evening last.

SCRIBNER FOR AUGUST.—The publishers of Scribner call attention to the series of articles by Col. Waring, now being published in that magazine, under the title of "A Farmer's Vacation." These papers are claimed to be among the most amusing as well as practically valuable illustrated articles which have appeared for some time past. Col. Waring is well known as an engineer and a farmer, as well as a graceful and entertaining writer. In his recent European travels he was naturally attracted not only by picturesque phases—quaint scenes, and quaint people—but also by the various agricultural customs and devices. George W. Cable, of New Orleans, has a story entitled "Madam Delicieux," which is thought by some to be his best work. It will have a very foreign smack to Northern readers, but they will find it none the less graphic, witty, and charming for that. Dr. Holland, in this number of "Scribner," celebrates a wedding in that rural neighborhood. There is a solid essay by G. F. Magoun, on "Education and Free Thought," and a number of other articles from its best contributors, presenting as usual a variety of the very choicest reading.

Births and Deaths. The following statement shows the number of births and deaths in this county in the year 1874, as reported by the Supervisors of the several townships:

	Births.	Deaths.
Buchanan	59	27
Bainbridge	18	28
Benton	11	11
Bertrand	23	18
Berkley	24	12
Chickaming	31	22
Galion	27	17
Hager	21	11
Lake	22	24
Lincoln	13	10
New Buffalo	13	5
Niles township	45	28
Niles, 1st and 4th wards	34	17
"2d and 3d "	22	21
Oronoko	25	14
Pipestone	40	21
Royalton	22	7
Sodus	16	11
St. Joseph	38	52
Three Oaks	18	20
Wessau	13	22
Watervliet	19	15

Total 549 404  
Total No. in 1873 844 466  
Of the deaths in this township four were caused by accidents.

The Normal Musical Institute which has been in session at this place under the management of Prof. S. W. Straub, of Chicago, closed by giving a concert at the Oak street chapel, on Friday evening last. The superior ability and efficiency of Prof. Straub as a teacher of vocal music and voice culture are well established and everywhere recognized. The assistance he employed at this place was the best that could be obtained. We wish especially to make mention of Miss Bell F. Dearborn, of Boston, who made the very best impression on our citizens, and we commend her excellence as a singer and an accomplished lady.

Of the closing concert we can only say that the selections and assignment of parts were unfortunately bad, and the singing, therefore, inferior. At least it was not such as is calculated to interest a promiscuous audience, or suitable for a public entertainment. Our home singers think they were not properly considered, and that the failure of this concert to compare with previous concerts given in this place cannot be attributed to any fault on their part.

The 29th of June the Rev. Samuel Reeves and wife celebrated their crystal wedding. A house full, and more, of their friends did honor to the occasion. All enjoyed it heartily. With the numerous relatives came the bride's mother, Mrs. Abner Clark, seventy-nine—accompanied by her eldest daughter, Mrs. J. Spaulding, with her eldest daughter, Mrs. LeRoy, and her eldest daughter, a little fairy of two years, making the four generations complete. And all residents of Buchanan, but none from elsewhere, since it became a township, now nearly twenty years.

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The Sabbath School picnic in the grove, on the 3d, was a sorry affair, owing to the rain. Great preparations were made, and undoubtedly a large crowd would have been present had not the weather prevented. The steam saw mill at Wilkinson, owned by J. Gibson, has been purchased by a gentleman from New Buffalo and removed there. The one belonging to R. M. Goodwin & Co. is still in operation. The handle factory has stopped to rest for a time. The Hawkins still makes her regular trips to Union Pier. Haying was commenced by some quite early, consequently considerable hay has gone into the barns badly bleached. Corn and wheat look well. Potatoes—thanks to Paris green—never better. Fruit, with the exception of strawberries, will not yield half a crop. Potatoes that occupied the April frost have been stung by the curculio and are dropping off. When excepting strawberries, grapes should have been included. They are struggling about in the way and heavily loaded, as usual, and as usual, will probably have little or no market value. SUIRO.

Business Locals. The second number of Wide Awake (D. Lathrop & Co., Boston) surpasses the initial number. Rosier Johnson, the compiler of Osgood's "Little Classics," has an excellent story. Three D. D.'s represented by contributors. The serials grow in interest, and there is evidently first-class work on every page.

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For first class cigars, tobacco, collars, soap, oil, and perfumery, call on Cheney, at the Barber Shop.

NOTICE. Four or five good farms for sale reasonable, to wit: the Wilkerson Colvin farm, 137-20-100 acres, over 100 acres in cultivation, 2 good orchards on it. Three good farms near G. F. Pennell's saw mill, 540 acres in all; also the Lawson Watson farm near Buchanan, 200 acres and over, a fine dwelling house, and good barn, good orchard, some 120 acres in a good state of cultivation. All will be sold reasonable. A part paid down, balance on easy payments. Inquire of B. Ballenger, Buchanan, Mich.

July 16, 1875. 22nd. Dr. SARTIS has removed to his new residence, north side of Galien, where he will be happy to see all his old friends and customers and as many new ones as see fit to favor him with a call, either socially or professionally. 22nd.

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Wm. H. Fox will sell bills of \$20, and upwards at and below cost for four months note, without interest. Large and choice line of Best Prints reduced to 75c a yard to close. 2v.

Go to Kinyon & Vincent's for splendid New York Cream Cheese.

KINYON & VINCENT have the best and cheapest stock of White Fish and Mackerel in Berrien County.

300 all-wool vests to be sold regardless of cost, at S. L. ESTES'.

Try Smith Bros & Co's 75 cent Japan Tea.

EXTRA COPIES of the RECORD can be had at the news depot of J. H. Roe.

FOR SALE.—The undersigned has about 25 tons of Marsh Hay which he will sell at a reasonable price. Hay is of the first quality and situated at head of Cranberry Meadow, in Lake township.

9th. C. PLETCHER.

NOTICE.—The only place in the county to get your Solid Jewelry made to order, is at Lapierre & Brown's, Niles, Mich. 14th.

EXTRA COPIES of the RECORD can be had at the news depot of J. H. Roe, in Union Block.

The People Want Proof. There is no medicine prescribed by physicians or sold by druggists that carries such evidence of its success and superior virtue, as Boschee's German Syrup, for severe Coughs, Colds settled on the breast, Consumption, or any disease of the Throat and Lungs. A proof of that fact that any person afflicted can get a sample bottle for 10 cents and try its superior effect before buying the regular size at 75 cents. It has lately been introduced in this country from Germany, and its wonderful cures are astonishing all that use it. Three doses will relieve any case. Try it. Sold by O. B. Woods & Co., Buchanan, or A. Bennett, New Buffalo.

NOTICE.—We have some fifty large lithograph pictures of Buchanan, in colors, showing every building and the surroundings. These are what were left of a lot that retailed for \$3 each. We sell these for the low price of 50 cents each. They are nice to frame, and are a shame on that they can be got by mail to friends who would value them very highly. Call early, before they are all sold. 11th.

FROM CHICKAMING. LAKESIDE, July 14, 1875. MESSRS. BROWN & SONS: I am a stranger once accepted a simple old woman (the traditional "old woman" I suspect) with a request to be directed to a neighbor's dwelling. Staring at him in stupid amazement, she replied, "Don't you know the way there?" My little Scipio knows the way there! But, as the dog and the woman knew and the stranger had to be told here, sic.

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