

Berrien Co. Record.

THURSDAY MORNING, OCT. 11, 1877.

To Advertisers. The "Record" is the best Advertising Medium in South-western Michigan, having the largest circulation of any other paper in this part of the State.

Geo. F. Rowell & Co., 41 Park Row, N. Y., S. M. Pettigill, 37 Park Row, N. Y., and Rowell & Oleson, St. Louis, Missouri, are authorized agents to contract for advertising, at our lowest rates, for the columns of the BERRIEN COUNTY RECORD.

NOBLE

Has the largest stock of

BOOTS! SHOES!

HATS! CAPS!

Ready-Made Clothing!

Gents' Furnishing Goods!

ever brought to Buchanan, and he will sell them for cash very cheap.

Look at the Bargains

he can give you before you buy, as it will cost you nothing to look.

W-W-W-W-W! Where is that overcoat.

THIS to take care of those winter apples if you have any.

The pesky house fly will now give us a rest of a few months.

The rubber boot market will be open for a while.

A LITTLE rainy weather is a fine thing to have in this season.

The Berrien Springs Journal tells of a red clover root being five feet and one inch long.

A new coat of paint is a very handy thing to the looks of some of the business fronts on Front Street.

MISS MINNIE WHEELER of Dexter, Mich., is visiting with relatives in this place and Dayton the last week.

It will soon be in season for the regular southern flight of the migratory songsters, such as the wild goose.

HAVING the teams on Front Street again gave the streets a lively appearance last Saturday.

Will M. Carleton has been on a lecturing tour in Illinois the last few weeks.

Newton Foster, law partner of Frank Muzzy, of Niles, died very suddenly at Decatur last Sunday.

MARVIN CARTACANT has taken up his residence in New Carlisle, removing his household goods last Saturday.

THE buckwheat crop is being gathered now, but in many places is quite light.

WITH the long evenings comes an increase in social gatherings of young folks and merry times.

REV. J. W. R. LISTER is having a well of the Smith & Halsted patent driven at his residence, near the depot.

AND now the prophets are predicting an open winter, because of the low water in streams.

We are now prepared to take orders for all kinds of book binding, for one of the best binderies in the State.

A party of young folks went out to call on Mr. and Mrs. Clarence White last Saturday evening and enjoy a good time.

The first frost was seen last Friday morning. There were a few flakes of snow seen during the day but not enough for sleighing.

A PART of the stock of goods to occupy the Redden & Graham building have arrived, in form of about one hundred market baskets, more or less.

LOOK HERE! Post no more bills on the front of this building as we do not wish to be bothered with tearing them down. Please don't forget it.

THE most of the boys have laid in a good supply of walnuts and butternuts, for the long winter evenings, as their black hands will testify.

QUITE a company of the farmers of Weesaw and Lake townships went to Chicago last week on an excursion to the Exposition and to see other sights of the city.

THE most of the merchants have taken advantage of the privilege granted by the common council and have erected new hitching posts and railings along Front Street.

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AMONG our exchanges for the coming year will be the Chicago Post. We are authorized to offer the weekly Post with the Record for \$2.25 cash in advance. The Post will be enlarged in a short time and they offer the most good reading for the least money of any paper in the west.

JACKSON is to have a greenback paper. It will be born into this world of sorrow about the last of next week, probably. Price 150 cents per annum, payable in greenbacks or gold or potatoes—or any other medium of exchange.—Evening News.

THEY ALL DO IT.—This is the title of the Danbury Newsman's book lately published by Lee and Shepard of Boston. The life of the Migges in Danbury is the groundwork and forms a very good rest in leisure hours. Price 50 cents.

W. E. SMITH, of South Bend is gathering statistics for a directory of Berrien County to contain about 500 pages. There is considerable of a task connected with this sort of work but it will do well to furnish a valuable work for all business men.

THE Berrien County Agricultural Society, after figuring up their expenses and receipts for the year, conclude that they are about \$408.98 ahead, in consequence of the fair.

THE Benton Harbor Times says a little daughter of Wm. Mike, living near St. Joseph, by some accident arising from the carelessness of a servant girl, had her back bone broken entirely in two. No particulars are given.

A STIFF breeze made it a little lively for the boats on Lake Michigan, on Wednesday last week. The two boats at the mouth of the river were detained from their regular trips, and several other boats ran into the harbor for safety.

SEVERAL of the boys on the excursion, last Monday, lost their hats while passing from one car to another, and the first place of amusement they steered for upon reaching the city was a hat store.

SEVERAL of "the boys" got on a drunk Tuesday night, and raised considerable of a rumpus on the train coming from Chicago. There must have been a great want for stamina on the part of the conductor, or he would have deposited the whole posse by the side of the track long before they had gone this far.

HARRY HASKINS of Royalton township fell dead while sitting at the refreshment table at the Niles fair last Friday afternoon. He was in appearance a good deal of the vigor of youth, and he was in charge of the running Stallion, "Star of the West" that was one of the competitors for the prizes.

JOHN C. DUNCAN, son of the editor of the Niles Republican, fell from a train near Hastings on Tuesday, breaking an arm and leg and receiving other injuries.—Three Oaks Independent.

How's this Major? Arise and explain.

Remainder in the Post Office at Buchanan, Wed. Oct. 10th, 1877.

Conway, Millie Mrs. Pearce, J. B. Chipman, Walter Shop, Abraham Kent, Margaret Miss Shepp, Elsie Ladesta, Adeline.

This list is published free for the information of the readers of the Record, therefore there is no charge for delivery of letters advertised herein. Persons will, however, in claiming any of the above, call for "advertisers' letters." N. H. MERRILL, P. M.

A BOLD attempt was made to rob the National Bank at Cassopolis, one night last week. The two men who were sleeping in the Bank were gagged and fastened to the floor by the would be robbers, who at once set to work to blow open the safe. They succeeded in getting the first door open, but before any further progress could be made they were frightened away, and did not succeed in securing any booty.

THE excursion to Chicago last Monday was one of the grand occasions of the season. The prospect in the morning was not the most flattering as a quite heavy rain was falling at the time of starting. After leaving Michigan City a count was made of those on board the train when it was found that 1,286 persons not including the regular train hands had turned out, filling fifteen coaches to crowding.

THE Berrien Springs people are making a move toward grading and raising the road leading from the bridge on the east side, so that when high waters shall have come, in the spring of the year, the road may be passable. Several of the leading men of the place have agreed to meet there on the 16th inst. and work to that end. That is an improvement that is badly needed, and cannot be commenced too soon.

IN the village of Dexter they have the gutters on the side of the street built with the side next the walk about eight feet wide and the other narrow. By this arrangement a horse may stand in the gutter and not be obliged to hold the weight of a loaded wagon from running against him as the fore wheels come in the lowest part of the gutter and thus are blocked from running farther. This appeared to us as rather a sensible arrangement but not practicable in a narrow street.

OUR TAXES.—The amount of State taxes apportioned to this county by the Auditor General, September 27th last are: For new State capital, \$2,408.88; for university purposes, \$1,458.00; for normal school, \$1,205.15; for agricultural college, \$987.47; for State public school, \$1,282.32; for State reform school, \$674.07; for house of correction, \$1,812.55; for State prison, \$801.95; for asylum for the insane, \$2,980.55; for asylum for deaf, dumb and blind, \$1,210.73; for military fund, \$808.74; fish commission, \$178.08; general purposes, \$11,446.48; total, \$27,243.04. The county was already in debt to the State \$2,782.14. Making full amount of taxes to be raised, \$29,975.18. The assessed valuation of the county, as estimated by the State Board of Equalization at their last meeting, is \$18,025,000. The amount of taxes apportioned to Cass county is \$25,600.61, with an assessed valuation of \$15,000,000.

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PETER NOLAN, of Dayton, has entered complaint against one Wilford Stratton, of the same place, setting forth that said Stratton had maliciously and with evil intent, amputated a certain dog, from the tail naturally appertaining thereto, which said dog was and is the property of said Peter Nolan, and asking for damages. Peter does not complain of the injury done the beauty of the dog but that the stub is so very short that it makes the dog cross-eyed. The trial will come off next Saturday.

RUNAWAY.—Last Saturday, J. F. Hahn, John Hamilton and Miss Huldah Hahn, went to the country driving Mr. Hahn's colt to his buggy, and when near Fred. Andrews' place about a mile west of town, the colt became frightened and started to run. At the start John, who sat in the lines, was thrown out, taking the lines with him, but did not succeed in stopping the colt. Mr. Hahn took Huldah in his arms and jumped to the ground. The colt ran as far as Dr. Seely's and was stopped. John complained a few days, of having a sore back and neck but had no bones broken. Huldah received a few scratches but was not badly hurt, and Mr. Hahn came out of the fracas safe and sound.

HORRIBLE.—On Friday morning last, Willie Claire, a fourteen year old brother of Michael Claire of Dayton, intended to ride to Niles on an extra freight train that was standing a few rods west of the station, at Dayton, and accordingly, stepped on one of the coaches that were attached but after the train started, concluded to get on farther back but in getting on he was thrown under the wheels and his left leg and arm cut off. The leg was cut so close to the body as to allow the bowels to protrude from the wound. Word was immediately sent to Niles and Mrs. Bonine and Belknap were taken to the scene of the accident by the switch engine but found the boy dying and soon returned. He lived but a few hours after. A few years since a boy of about the same age was cut in two while trying to catch on a moving train within a few rods of this same place. This should be a thorough warning to boys who make a practice of jumping on trains while in motion for they do not know at what moment their life may pay the forfeit for their fun.

Monthly Report of the Buchanan Union School.

W. W. RAY, Supt.—I herewith submit the report of the Buchanan Union School giving the average standing, department, number of half days absent, number of times tardy; also showing the position each scholar occupies in the class, according to the scholarship.

Pupils who were absent during the examination are not reported.

SENIORS.

Name	Age	Standing	Days Absent	Times Tardy
Maria Wells	8.3	10		
Eva Chamberlain	8.5	10	18	
Rosa White	8.25	10		
Asa Ham	8.1	10		
Jennie Michael	6.1	10	4	

JUNIORS.

Name	Age	Standing	Days Absent	Times Tardy
Ed. Bartmess	9.6	10		
Lon Van Riper	9.6	10		
Eva Roe	9.5	10		
Clara Goodenough	9.4	10		
Olivia Glover	9.3	10		
Olivia Harding	9.3	10	10	
Seth Starr	9.16	10		
Belle Ashbrook	9.13	10		
Sylvester Burrus	9.12	10		
Mary Bainton	9.10	10		
Ella Howe	8.9	10	2	
Frank Beardsley	8.9	9		
Emma Harper	8.8	10		
Kate DeArmond	8.7	7		
Nina Briggs	8.6	9	2	
Edgar Willard	8.56	10	18	
Cora Mansfield	8.55	7	8	
Chas. Fox	8.5	8		
Nellie Post	8.4	10	1	
Nellie Papsen	8.3	8		
Howard Manchester	8.25	8	1	
Alice Black	8.2	8	6	
Nettie Treat	8.2	8		

FRESHMANS.

Name	Age	Standing	Days Absent	Times Tardy
Fred Howe	9.8	10	2	
Nellie Jones	9.1	9		
Millie Hahn	9.07	10		
Della Alexander	8.9	9	8	
Louella Howe	8.9	8		
John Ham	8.8	7.5		
Hattie Hahn	8.7	8		
Kath Hathaway	8.2	8		
Viola Main	8	8		
Mattie Smith	7.8	8	1	
Belle Rouse	7.7	8	1	
Bolla Roe	7.7	7	1	
Lucy Simmons	7.6	7	10	1
Frank Mansfield	7.4	8	1	
Hattie Richards	7.2	9	4	
Nannie Binns	7.07	7	2	
Dora Eaton	7.07	9	8	
Annie Estes	7	10		
Ella Roe	7	7	1	
Nellie Slater	7	8	1	
Rennie Treat	6.8	7		
Clara Main	6.6	7	1	
Floyd Beardsley	6.5	7		
Salome Beardsley	6.5	7		
Lena Roe	6.5	7	1	
Schuyler Hinman	6.37	10		
Harry Pierce	6.38	8		
Kitty Plimpton	5.55	7	8	1

ANNIE W. QUAMING, Preceptress.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE FOR SEPT.

Number of pupils enrolled, 376.

Increase over last year's Sept. enrollment, 119.

Per cent. of attendance, 87.

Number neither absent nor tardy, 170.

The names of pupils who stand at the head of their respective classes can be seen by referring to the Preceptress' report.

W. W. RAY, Supt.

CHARLES J. PETERSON has prepared a new and fine engraving, 20x24 inches, for a premium to be given with the Peterson's Lady's Magazine for 1878. The Peterson will, during the coming year, be accompanied by a monthly supplement, containing a full sized paper pattern for ladies' or child's dress. Subscriptions will be received at this office. When taken with the Record, for \$3.15 for both papers.

FROM DAYTON. October 10th, 1877. There are hopes of Mary Bartow's recovery, and Fred is not a widower yet. Mr. Jakway promises us two sermons a day every other Sabbath, and an effort to have the pulpit supplied every Sabbath. Sixty-eight tickets were sold in this place for the excursion to Chicago, Monday last, 1280 was the number of the throng when the train reached its destination. Friday morning, Oct. 5th, about fifteen minutes past eight, Willie Claire with two other boys, of about the same age, (Miller and Lamb, by name) came to Dayton to get on No. 3 and go to the fair at Niles. Spying a freight train which had stopped about half a mile west of the station to pack a truck box on the engine, they, with a lot of the town boys, started for the scene of action, but before they reached the train it had started and as they have been in the habit of doing, commenced jumping on and off the train. A baggage car near the center of the train afforded a good place for them to "practise," as they call it. Willie Claire, although not in the habit of foiling around moving trains, was trying to perform the same feat, that the rest of the boys were doing, when he stumbled and fell under the cruel wheels. His left limb, hip and arm, were terribly mangled, and he lived but two hours after he fell. His poor suffering, mangled body was carried to his brother, Michael Claire, where he lived his friends good bye. Asst. Sup. B. C. Brown sent Dr. Bonine, of Niles, down on a switch engine, (the Dr. said they came down in nine minutes, eleven miles) but could do nothing for the boy. An inquest was held the next day in which the jury rendered a verdict of accidental death, exonerating the train men and recommending parents to compel their children to keep away from moving trains. THE DUKE.

Two hundred Lumber Wagons, best make and finish, for \$50 each, at Day & Rough's Buchanan Wagon Factory. For sale by J. J. VAN RIPER, Receiver.

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Ladies, see Fox's new stock of dress goods and trimmings before buying. Also cloaks, cloaks, cloaks, at lowest prices.

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Get your boots and shoes at the Grange Store.

Better underwear and cheaper than last year at Higgs for Ladies and Gents.

Domestic goods of all kinds at wholesale prices, at T. M. Fulton & Co's Famous Chicago Cheap Store, Buchanan, Mich.

Noble says: Look at his \$7.00 suits.

" " 8.00 "

" " 9.00 "

" " 10.00 "

" " 12.00 "

" " 14.00 "

" " 16.00 "

before you buy and he will save you money.

Cloaks! Cloaks! Cloaks! New stock of cloaks just received direct from manufacturers, which will be sold at very low prices, at T. M. Fulton & Co's. Call and see for yourselves.

Boots and Shoes repaired at the Grange Store.

Trade where you can find the cheapest goods and the most of them, and that is at T. M. Fulton & Co's.

We make bargains in everything in Dry Goods and Domestic Goods, at High's.

Plaid and stripe dress goods, at T. M. Fulton & Co's, cheaper than the cheapest.

SHAWLS! SHAWLS!—T. M. Fulton & Co. are sole agents for the famous "Badger State" shawls, which are selling at unusual low prices.

TRUNKS! TRUNKS! TRUNKS! by the car-load, at T. M. Fulton & Co's, where they are sold at lower prices than any other place in Michigan.

Good dark prints for 5 cents, at T. M. Fulton & Co's.

All persons who want to save money by buying plaid and plain flannels, will find the heaviest and that which has been shrunken, at High's.

See black cashmeres from 50 cents up at T. M. Fulton & Co's, before buying. Best bargains ever offered.

Parties who are thinking of buying Cassimeres, will find goods from the following popular mills—"Waukesha," "Hanover," "Beaver Dam," "Laporte," and other novelties, at High's.

Yarns 5 cents per pound cheaper than any other house in the country, at the Grange Store.

Lowest living prices on groceries and crockery, at S. & W. W. Smith's.

New stock of fall and winter cassimeres just received, at T. M. Fulton & Co's.

A good domestic Sulphur Bath can be instantly prepared by taking of GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP into the bath tub. Such an expedient will, to use a slang phrase, "knock the spots off" any victim of cutaneous blemishes. Sold by all Druggists 25 cents.

Hill's Hair & Whisker Dye, black or brown, 50 cts.

'Good teas from 80 cents to \$1, at Smith & Son's.

Cashmere, in black and colors, best line and lowest prices on them in city, at High's.

From the Casopole [Mich] Vigilant.

"During all the years that Dr. Price has made his visits, we have never heard a complaint affecting his character as a man, or skill as a physician. He does not propose to work supernatural wonders, or cure everybody and every disease, but adding to the knowledge he has acquired by careful study, the experience of many years practice, and by making a specialty of prescribing for chronic complaints, he has attained much skill in these cases, and is therefore able to help some that a more general and equally able and honest practitioner might not benefit. His skill is available for the class of sufferers who seek him."

The best kid gloves in the market are sold for 75 cents and \$1.00 at T. M. Fulton & Co's.

Those new Fall and Winter goods have come, at Hilton & Rogan's.

MILLINERY.—Mrs. Dunning wishes to inform the ladies of Buchanan and vicinity that she has just returned from Chicago, and is now able to furnish her patrons with hats, plumes, flowers and ornaments of every design, at the lowest possible prices. Has also for sale Mrs. De Baum's Reform Corset. Thanking her patrons for their liberal patronage, she hopes by the aid of her long experience to merit its continuance.

Noble has no old Overcoats. All are new—bought this fall during the great decline in prices.

For a good lunch look to Smith & Son's.

ACROSTIC.

Misery and malice, your attention now please. Robins and blackbirds are leaving the trees; Summertime is ended, the harvest is past. Don't you want a new hat? The old one won't last. Under the daisies then lay it away. No need you mourn—be calm right this way. No better hats for the price can be found. At all Buchanan or the region around. Now fold up this paper, after reading our sonnet—Give us a call and get that "love of a bonnet."

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