

THE ELECTIONS!

THE RASCALS KICKED OUT!

Congress will be Democratic by a greatly reduced majority. The country has decided that they do not want free trade, by dropping the three most prominent advocates of that doctrine out. Morrison, of Illinois, has been horizontally laid out. Carlisle, of Tennessee, and Hurd, of Ohio, have received the same treatment, thus expressing a strong reproof of this folly.

Michigan has elected the entire Republican ticket by good majorities, and will have six Republican and five Democratic Congressmen, while two years ago the Democrats elected seven and the Republicans four. In the first district, the Democratic majority has been reduced from 6,000 to about 1,000. Hon. J. C. Burrows is re-elected by a plurality, ranging from 1,500 to 2,000, against 352, in 1884. In the Legislature, the Republicans will have a substantial majority in both houses, thus ensuring the return of a Republican in place of U. S. Senator Conger.

This Senatorial district elects Babcock, by about 600 plurality. In this Representative district, the Democratic majority is reduced from 356, in 1884, to 46, with same candidates. In the first district of this county, Baker, Republican, is elected by 520 majority.

The entire Republican county ticket is elected, the majorities for the county are: Luce, for Governor, 489; Dix, 873; Burrows, 528; Babcock, 437; Sterns, 487; Potter, 488; Storms, 307; Harman, 386; Bridgman, 67, and the balance of the ticket by from 300 to 500.

Following is the full vote by townships so far as we have been able to gather the returns:

BUCHANAN TOWNSHIP.

For Governor.

Cyrus G. Luce, R.....305

Geo. L. Yapple, D.....238

Samuel Dickie, R.....02

Lieutenant Governor.

James MacDonald, R.....303

Solomon S. Curry, D.....230

Charles Mosher, R.....04

Secretary of State.

Gilbert R. Osmun, R.....303

Philip B. Wachtel, D.....230

John Evans, R.....04

State Treasurer.

George L. Malitz, R.....285

William G. Beard, D.....271

Aaron C. Fisher, R.....70

Auditor General.

Henry H. Applin, R.....271

Judson S. Farrar, D.....185

Stewart B. Williams, R.....90

Commissioner of the State Land Office.

Roscoe D. Dix, R.....314

Alonso T. Frisbee, D.....220

Charles L. Fraser, R.....04

Attorney General.

Moses Taggart, R.....301

John C. Donnelly, D.....236

James R. Loring, R.....01

Supt. of Public Instruction.

Joseph Estabrook, R.....203

David Parsons, D.....186

David Bemiss, P.....157

Member of State Board of Education.

Samuel S. Babcock, R.....800

William W. Turner, D.....239

Orreine E. Downing, P.....05

Representative in Congress.

Julius C. Burrows, R.....313

Harvey C. Sherwood, D.....247

Jesse S. Boyden, P.....75

State Senator.

W. Irving Babcock, R.....287

J. Boyd Thomas, D.....276

John B. Sweetland, P.....73

Representative in Legislature.

John M. Glavin, R.....335

James L. McKie, D.....215

William M. Roe, P.....82

Sheriff.

Benton R. Sterns, R.....303

Wallace Peck, D.....180

George F. Comings, P.....152

Clerk.

Herbert L. Potter, R.....307

Thomas O'Hara, D.....194

Clement A. White, P.....74

Treasurer.

Edmund B. Storms, R.....297

Irving W. Conkey, D.....256

Charles S. Sherrill, P.....80

Register of Deeds.

Washington P. Harman, R.....288

Augustus B. Bisbee, D.....204

George R. Harding, P.....84

Prosecuting Attorney.

George W. Bridgman, R.....207

Alison C. Roe, R.....400

Circuit Court Commissioners.

John A. Watson, R.....311

Zimri L. Cooper, R.....301

Edward King, D.....243

George A. Lambert, D.....248

Surveyor.

Washburn W. Graves, R.....307

Albert L. Drew, D.....230

Charles W. Crossman, P.....94

Coroners.

Needham Miller, R.....308

Alexander Winburn, R.....301

Napoleon G. Mallory, D.....238

William H. Merrifield, D.....280

DeWitt C. Guy, P.....93

Chris. Harris, P.....93

Fish Inspector.

Theodore Lutz, R.....303

Henry Risto, D.....238

R. Watson Plumb, R.....83

BERTRAND.

Governor, Luce, R., 115; Yapple, D., 189; Dickie, P., 10. Congressman, Burrows, R., 110; Sherwood, D., 143; Boyden, P., 9. Senator, Babcock, R., 118; Thomas, D., 188; Sweetland, P., 11. Representative, Glavin, R., 109; McKie, D., 146; Roe, P., 11. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 183; Peck, D., 122; Comings, P., 9; Clerk, Potter, R., 128; O'Hara, D., 184; White, P., 11. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 112; Bisbee, D., 143; Harding, P., 11. Treasurer, Storms, R., 110; Conkey, D., 188; Sherrill, P., 9. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 124; Roe, fusio, 138. Circuit Court Commissioners, R., 113; D., 143. Balance of ticket, R., 113; D., 143. P., 11.

BENTON.

Governor, Luce, R., 602; Yapple, D., 834; Dickie, P., 4. Congressman, Burrows, R., 604; Sherwood, D., 859; Boyden, P., 8. Senator, Babcock, R., 601; Thomas, D., 835; Sweetland, P., 4. Representative, Baker, R., 578; Jarvis,

d., 357; Lee, P., 46. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 588; Peck, D., 384; Comings, P., 63. Clerk, Potter, R., 610; O'Hara, D., 325; White, P., 44. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 507; Bisbee, D., 370; Harding, P., 38; Treasurer, Storms, R., 488; Conkey, D., 445; Sherrill, P., 40. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 600; Roe, fus., 344. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 614; Cooper, R., 607; King, D., 322; Lambert, 324; Surveyor, Graves, R., 600; Drew, D., 322; Crossman, P., 48. Balance of ticket, R., 607; D., 326; P., 4. The "Boy from Wee-saw" had the second highest vote in the township.

BERTRAND.

Governor, Luce, R., 175; Yapple, D., 130; Dickie, P., 39. Congressman, Burrows, R., 175; Sherwood, D., 133; Boyden, P., 38. Senator, Babcock, R., 164; Thomas, D., 143; Sweetland, P., 51. Representative, Baker, R., 171; Jarvis, D., 147; Lee, P., 46. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 147; Peck, D., 157; Comings, P., 43. Clerk, Potter, R., 171; O'Hara, D., 150; White, P., 41. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 191; Bisbee, D., 137; Harding, P., 35. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 180; Roe, D., 192. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 173; Cooper, R., 172; King, D., 143; Lambert, D., 148. Surveyor, Graves, R., 171; Drew, D., 146; Crossman, P., 46. Coroners, Miller, R., 170; Winburn, R., 170; Mallory, D., 147; Merrifield, D., 147; Guy, P., 47; Harris, P., 47. Fish Inspector, Lutz, R., 170; Risto, D., 147; Plumb, P., 47.

CHIKAMING.

Governor, Luce, R., 80; Yapple, D., 76; Dickie, P., 17. Congressman, Burrows, R., 88; Sherwood, D., 68; Boyden, P., 17. Senator, Babcock, R., 87; Thomas, D., 50; Sweetland, P., 17. Representative, Glavin, R., 82; McKie, D., 70; Roe, P., 17. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 75; Peck, D., 70; Comings, P., 27. Clerk, Potter, R., 100; O'Hara, D., 55; White, P., 17. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 73; Bisbee, D., 81; Harding, P., 17. Treasurer, Storms, R., 70; Conkey, D., 80; Sherrill, P., 17. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 103; Roe, fus., 61. Surveyor, Graves, R., 85; Drew, D., 70; Crossman, P., 13. Coroners, rep., 80; dem., 70. Fish Inspector, Lutz, R., 80; Risto, D., 76.

GALLEN.

Governor, Luce, R., 164; Yapple, D., 128; Dickie, P., 4. Commissioner of State Land Office, Dix, R., 164; Frisbee, D., 128; Fraser, P., 4. Congressman, Burrows, R., 164; Sherwood, D., 126; Boyden, P., 4. Senator, Babcock, R., 157; Thomas, D., 133; Sweetland, P., 4. Representative, Glavin, R., 153; McKie, D., 130; Roe, P., 4. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 240; Peck, D., 52; Comings, P., 3. Clerk, Potter, R., 175; O'Hara, D., 117. Treasurer, Storms, R., 105; Conkey, D., 126; Sherrill, P., 4. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 101; Bisbee, D., 120; Harding, P., 4. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 150; Roe, D., 138. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 163; Cooper, R., 163; King, D., 120; Lambert, D., 136. Surveyor, Graves, R., 102; Drew, D., 136; Crossman, P., 4. Fish Inspector, Lutz, R., 103; Risto, D., 120; Plumb, P., 4.

GALLEN.

Governor, Luce, R., 136; Yapple, D., 50. Congressman, Burrows, R., 134; Sherwood, D., 60. Senator, Babcock, R., 153; Thomas, D., 58. Representative, Baker, R., 130; Jarvis, D., 58. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 130; Peck, D., 58. Clerk, Potter, R., 135; O'Hara, D., 125. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 142; Bisbee, D., 55. Treasurer, Storms, R., 130; Conkey, D., 65. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 181; Roe, D., 67. Circuit Court Commissioners, Rep., 130; Dem., 58. Balance of ticket, Rep., 130; Dem., 58. The Prohibitionists cast 12 votes.

LAKE.

Governor, Luce, R., 138; Yapple, D., 131. Congressman, Burrows, R., 132; Sherwood, D., 117. Senator, Babcock, R., 140; Thomas, D., 128. Representative, Glavin, R., 142; McKie, D., 128. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 130; Peck, D., 110; Comings, P., 17; Clerk, Potter, R., 145; O'Hara, D., 128. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 131; Bisbee, D., 137. Treasurer, Storms, R., 123; Conkey, D., 143. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 140; Roe, fus., 103. Surveyor, Graves, R., 127; Drew, D., 142. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 145; Cooper, R., 146; King, D., 137; Lambert, D., 132. Three Prohibition votes were cast excepting on Sheriff.

NILES TOWNSHIP.

Governor, Luce, R., 157; Yapple, D., 171; Dickie, P., 10. Congressman, Burrows, R., 157; Sherwood, D., 108; Boyden, P., 23. Senator, Babcock, R., 158; Thomas, D., 163; Sweetland, P., 22. Representative, Glavin, R., 154; McKie, D., 170; Roe, P., 28. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 143; Peck, D., 170; Comings, P., 25. Clerk, Potter, R., 163; O'Hara, D., 174; White, P., 21. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 157; Bisbee, D., 163; Harding, P., 25. Treasurer, Storms, R., 211; Conkey, D., 173; Sherrill, P., 28. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 188; Roe, D., 168. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 164; Cooper, R., 158; King, D., 168; Lambert, D., 168. Surveyor, Graves, R., 155; Drew, D., 160; Crossman, P., 23. Coroners, Miller, R., 150; Winburn, R., 155; Mallory, D., 160; Merrifield, D., 160; Guy, P., 23; Harris, P., 23. Fish Inspector, Lutz, R., 150; Risto, D., 100; Plumb, P., 23.

NILES CITY.

Governor, Luce, R., 453; Yapple, D., 575. Congressman, Burrows, R., 420; Sherwood, D., 571. Senator, Babcock, R., 478; Thomas, D., 457. Representative, Glavin, R., 457; McKie, D., 571. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 308; Peck, D., 701. Clerk, Potter, R., 432; O'Hara, D., 508. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 447; Bisbee, D., 583. Treasurer, Storms, R., 583; Conkey, D., 491; Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 471; Roe, fus., 574.

NEW BUFFALO.

Governor, Luce, R., 115; Yapple, D., 148; Dickie, P., 4. Congressman, Burrows, R., 101; Sherwood, D., 100; Boyden, P., 8. Senator, Babcock, R., 100; Thomas, D., 153; Sweetland, P., 3. Representative, Glavin, R., 107; McKie, D., 107; Roe, P., 6. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 84; Peck, D., 109; Comings, P., 17. Clerk, Potter, R., 128; O'Hara, D., 150; White, P., 7. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 85; Bisbee, D., 177; Harding, P., 3. Treasurer, Storms, R., 81; Conkey, D., 181; Sherrill, P., 7. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 111; Roe, fus., 152. Surveyor, Graves, R., 90; Drew, D., 160; Crossman, P., 10.

ORONOCO.

Governor, Luce, R., 140; Yapple, D., 200; Dickie, P., 39. Congressman, Burrows, R., 150; Sherwood, D., 278; Boyden, P., 38. Senator, Babcock, R., 135; Thomas, D., 295; Sweetland, P., 39. Representative, Baker, R., 153; Jarvis, D., 280; Lee, P., 33. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 133; Peck, D., 297; Comings, P., 41. Clerk, Potter, R., 94; O'Hara, D., 344; White, P., 33. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 211; Bisbee, 230; Harding, P., 23. Treasurer, Storms, R., 108; Conkey, D., 382; Sherrill, P., 30. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 120; Roe, D., 319. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 147; Cooper, R., 137; King, D., 283; Lambert, D., 292. Surveyor, Graves, R., 174; Drew, D., 290; Crossman, P., 40. Balance of ticket, R., 139; D., 292; P., 40.

ST. JOSEPH.

Governor, Luce, R., 383; Yapple, D., 288; Dickie, P., 82. Congressman, Burrows, R., 382; Sherwood, D., 300; Boyden, P., 171. Senator, Babcock, R., 304; Thomas, D., 277; Sweetland, P., 83. Representative, Baker, R., 378; Jarvis, D., 294; Lee, P., 48. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 355; Peck, D., 285; Comings, P., 112. Clerk, Potter, R., 325; O'Hara, D., 308; White, P., 60. Treasurer, Storms, R., 370; Conkey, D., 300; Sherrill, P., 81. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 370; Bisbee, D., 292; Harding, P., 81. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 380; Roe, D., 312. Surveyor, Graves, R., 384; Drew, D., 281; Crossman, P., 85. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 405; Cooper, R., 378; King, D., 304; Lambert, D., 270. Coroners, Miller, R., 331; Winburn, R., 335; Mallory, D., 283; Merrifield, D., 284; Guy, P., 85; Harris, P., 85. Fish Inspector, Lutz, R., 400; Risto, D., 362; Plumb, P., 84.

SODUS.

Governor, Luce, R., 152; Yapple, D., 60; Dickie, P., 13. Congressman, Burrows, R., 153; Sherwood, D., 60; Boyden, P., 10. Senator, Babcock, R., 152; Thomas, D., 60; Sweetland, P., 13. Representative, Baker, R., 153; Jarvis, D., 60; Lee, P., 12. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 153; Peck, D., 65; Comings, P., 13. Clerk, Potter, R., 152; O'Hara, D., 70; White, P., 11. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 154; Bisbee, D., 68; Harding, P., 12. Treasurer, Storms, R., 150; Conkey, D., 72; Sherrill, P., 12. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 152; Roe, D., 70. Circuit Court Commissioners, Watson, R., 163; Cooper, R., 132; King, D., 68; Lambert, D., 60. Surveyor, Graves, R., 151; Drew, D., 70; Crossman, P., 13. Balance of ticket, Republican, 152; Democratic, 60; Prohibition, 13.

TREES OAKS.

Governor, Luce, R., 191; Yapple, D., 125; Dickie, P., 13. Congressman, Burrows, R., 187; Sherwood, D., 130; Boyden, P., 10. Senator, Babcock, R., 170; Thomas, D., 134; Sweetland, P., 10. Representative, Glavin, R., 144; McKie, D., 177; Roe, P., 10. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 180; Peck, D., 123; Comings, P., 10. Clerk, Potter, R., 180; O'Hara, D., 177; White, P., 14. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 190; Bisbee, D., 127; Harding, P., 14. Treasurer, Storms, R., 181; Conkey, D., 134; Sherrill, P., 10. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 160; Roe, fus., 155. Balance of ticket, R., 182; D., 138; P., 14.

WESMAN.

Governor, Luce, R., 107; Yapple, D., 140. Congressman, Burrows, R., 114; Sherwood, D., 139. Senator, Babcock, R., 112; Thomas, D., 146. Representative, Glavin, R., 107; McKie, D., 152. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 100; Peck, D., 80. Clerk, Potter, R., 133; O'Hara, D., 70. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 98; Bisbee, D., 150. Treasurer, Storms, R., 104; Conkey, D., 139. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 97; Roe, D., 152. Circuit Court Commissioners, R., 103, D., 140. Surveyor, Graves, R., 132; Drew, D., 114. Balance of ticket, R., 103; D., 140. Prohibitionists cast 10 votes for Governor, 12 for Congressman, 10 for Sheriff, 11 for Treasurer, 12 for Fish Ins., and one each for Clerk and State Senator.

WATERVILLE.

Governor, Luce, R., 273; Yapple, D., 222. Congressman, Burrows, R., 250; Sherwood, D., 246. Senator, Babcock, R., 282; Thomas, D., 210. Representative, Baker, R., 280; Jarvis, D., 212. Sheriff, Sterns, R., 231; Peck, D., 214. Clerk, Potter, R., 274; O'Hara, D., 224. Register of Deeds, Harman, R., 270; Bisbee, D., 221. Treasurer, Storms, R., 274; Conkey, D., 226. Prosecuting Attorney, Bridgman, R., 274; Roe, D., 223. Circuit Court Commissioners, R., 271; D., 224. Surveyor, Graves, R., 271; Drew, D., 224. Prohibition vote, 18.

Wonder if the administration has heard anything?

The turning out of Union soldiers and replacing them with confederates has had its effect.

Chestnuts about barbers refusing to shave Democrats are in order once more.

It is now being gravely published to the world that John L. Sullivan has kept sober eighteen weeks.

The people have spoken their sentiments about the appointment of horse-thieves and jail-birds to government offices.

We "take it all back," about Hon. J. C. Burrows being unable to carry this district. Things appear to have changed "since John died."

Mrs. Emma Malloy, unsavory notorious by the Graham murder, who was last heard from in an attempt at suicide at South Bend, is being treated in the Sanitarium, at Battle Creek.

A new counterfeit \$5 gold piece is said to be in circulation. It can be detected by observing that the "n" in "United" is upside down.

The Adams express robbery at St. Louis, mentioned last week, now proves to have aggregated over \$100,000. The company has discovered a clue to the robber, and is after him.

The Czar of Russia is still talking peace and making preparations for war. He is now accused of wanting to add Constantinople and its contingent to his domain, and to all appearances he will do so despite the objections of the other European powers. He can do nothing but watch each other while the Czar gobbles what territory he wants.

What a grand endorsement of the Democratic administration: was the election of Tuesday. If there ever was a rebuke administered by a disgusted country it was this.

State Items.

Alma is to have a \$6,000 Episcopal church.

Calhoun county contains 10 widow pensioners of the war of 1812.

Tecumseh's skating rink has been converted into fruit evaporating works.

Ben Burgess' nine-year-old son was run over and killed by

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 1886.

Entered at the Post-Office at Buchanan, Mich., as Second-Class Matter.

W. TRENBETH, THE TAILOR.

HAS A FINE STOCK OF

Foreign and Domestic

Cloths and Suitings,

And will make them up in the latest styles at very low prices.

Come and Examine.

Mrs. ALMENDINGER, of Benton Harbor, died Friday, aged 24 years.

A Berrien Springs firm is engaged in the manufacture of apple jelly.

THE RECORD extends its thanks to those who have kindly responded to our request to send in the election returns.

SPECIFICATIONS for a new basket factory in Benton Harbor are in the hands of contractors for bids.

STILL no one appears to give any clue to the identity of the stranger killed here a few weeks since.

SIXTY-SEVEN new names were placed on the poll list of this township, Saturday.

THANKSGIVING comes on November 25, this year. The President's Proclamation appears in this paper.

A SERIES of elegantly mounted outline maps has been added to the school supplies by the school board.

THE ticket sales for the Wendling lecture lacked \$8.00 of covering the expenses.

MR. AND MRS. W. T. MARTIN, of Dayton, will celebrate the twelfth anniversary of their wedding to-morrow.

THE lecture by Mr. Wendling, Saturday, was in advance of all anticipations of those who heard it, and was listened to by a large audience.

WINTER apples will be scarce after Christmas. The warm weather has so ripened them that but a short time will pass before they will be all rotted.

THE Niles Mirror office has been supplied with a power press. The next important move will be to learn how to use it.

WE had Republican weather for election day. The returns show that far less than a full vote was cast in all parts of the county.

THE publishers of Peterson's Magazine is, as usual, giving an elegant steel engraving as a premium for 1887 subscribers. It is an elegant picture.

MR. CURTIS LAMB is giving his store building in Dayton a general rebuilding and greatly improving it both in appearance and in utility.

MARRIED, on the 3d inst., by Elder Wm. M. Roe, at his residence in this village, Mr. Van Buren Glendenen and Mrs. Mary E. Keniston, both of Buchanan, Mich.

MR. AND MRS. ALDRICH wish to publicly express their gratitude for the many kindnesses shown them during the sickness and at the death of their children.

BENTON HARBOR fruit growers are still shipping ripe raspberries to market in Chicago. November Michigan raspberries is a rarity not commonly indulged in.

THE examination of Hadley, for the murder of Taylor, at Eau Claire, was commenced on Monday of last week and is being continued at Berrien Springs to-day, Nov. 4.

MR. JOSEPH BURCH is very greatly improving his property, on Front-street, by erecting an elegant house thereon, which he expects to have ready for occupation before winter.

IF every section of the county has been shipping sheep to the slaughter as rapidly as this, there will be a marked increase in the price of wool without reference to tariff.

THE Star notes the fact that Hon. H. C. Sherwood donated \$5 toward furnishing the hose house of Fearless Hose Company in that place. Such liberality is hard to account for.

THE last from W. O. Churchill and his traveling companion was from Wilmington, Ill. They are progressing in the trip to the land of summer quite finely.

SEVEN Buchanan hunters spent six days on the Kankakee, last week, and captured forty-two ducks. One each per day. The longest man in the company got no ducks.

NOW that election is over, you may go and apologize to the fellow you helped to defeat and make good all breaches of etiquette occasioned by the campaign, wishing that the country might live prospering and be happy without ever having another one. All will be quiet now for two years.

THE Democratic candidates are surprised. Just a little. McKie must feel lonesome.

SUBSCRIPTIONS for the Western Rural will be received at this office. This excellent farm paper is too well and favorably known among farmers of this vicinity to need any recommendation from us.

HATFIELD, who was sent from this county, Jan. 14, 1881, to Jackson State Prison on fifteen years' sentence, for assault with intent to rob, being armed with a dangerous weapon, has applied to the advisory board for a pardon.

A COPY of The New South is a new monthly illustrated journal devoted to the advancement of the South in general, and of Birmingham Ala., in particular, and right well does it do its work, has been received at this office.

LOST.—A red leather covered memorandum book containing several private accounts and a few postage stamps. The finder will greatly oblige by returning it to V. E. David, the owner.

THERE was talk of the pretty free use of bottles in this place, Tuesday, for political purposes. Some of it was placed where it failed to "do the most good," as the dollars went one way and the votes the other.

A FEW mornings since, one of the ladies of the McCumber family, upon going to the yard early in the morning, discovered an accommodating neighbor coming from the barn with a sack of corn, to which he had helped himself. No arrest.

A COTTAGE of drunken loots, from New Carlisle, who were in this place Saturday night, ought to be in state prison or some other harmless quarters. We do not publish their names because we are unable to learn them.

MESSRS. CLINTON, BLISS AND ARTHUR HARPER, two well-known and highly respected young men of this place will open a bakery and restaurant in Three Oaks. Their many friends here wish the boys an abundance of success in their new enterprise.

LAST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Nov. 4: Mr. Milo A. Jennings, Miss Rita Marrs, Rev. A. D. Newton, Mr. W. K. Frank and J. L. Richards, P. M.

THERE will be a donation for Elder A. P. Moore, Pastor of the Oak Street Advent Christian Church, at his residence on Oak street, on Wednesday evening, Nov. 10, 1886. All are cordially invited to attend. There will be music and a recitation to interest you.

REV. P. W. PERRY, of Dowagiac, will preach at the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning and evening. Citizens and strangers not attending church with regularly elsewhere are invited to attend these services.

MISS O'NEAL, who was shot by her cousin, John Hemenstall, is improving and is said to be in a fair way to recover. The Niles Star says the reward offered for the capture of Hemenstall will be presented to the wounded lady.

DIPHTHERIA.—This dreaded disease broke out in the family of Wm. Aldrich, on Portage street, on Tuesday of last week, and on Sunday two of his children died, one in the morning and one in the evening. One other, the baby, and Mrs. Aldrich are now suffering from the same complaint. They were Parris and Gladie, aged respectively 3 and 7 years.

HARRY RICHARDS moved his household goods to Niles, Tuesday morning, and now considers himself fully located in that city.—Buchanan Record. If Buchanan has any more such gentlemen to spare send them over. Niles will be only too glad to welcome them.—Niles Democrat.

We didn't have Harry to spare, but he went, all the same.

JUST keep a watch for a drove of those who have office-seeking aspirations, to seek admission to the Knights of Labor lodge, since some idea of how their votes are cast, has been ascertained by the election of Tuesday. It seems that Boyd Thomas had some idea of how the bird would fly, and as soon as he received the nomination for State Senator, made all possible haste to join.

THE mail route between this place and Berrien Springs was discontinued last week, and as this was the cream of the business, Frank Lister has discontinued his wagon trips over the same route. Thus has the last vestige of the narrow gauge railroad business vanished. Jesse Ford finds an occasional load of freights for his team, but the business is rapidly seeking other routes.

DIED.—Mrs. Mary Davidson, for a number of years a resident of Portage Prairie, died at her home near Dayton, Monday, at the advanced age of 91 years. Mrs. Davidson has numerous relatives in this vicinity. The funeral services were held at the Portage Prairie German Baptist church, yesterday.

IT seems somewhat peculiar that no entertainment, even to a lecture, can be had in the hall in this place without being interrupted by one or more hoodlums, who have no place among people of decent habits. The lecture by Mr. Wendling was disturbed by one fellow, who demonstrated himself unfit associate with decent swine, and merited being pitched head-first down stairs.

HONESTY, as reviewed by different persons is a vastly different article. Some people when they agree to do anything will do so even at a heavy loss to themselves, while the country is full of people who do not consider such promises of any importance, unless there is an iron clad mortgage behind it, or some financial gain connected with it. Hardly a day passes but that instances of both views are presented in a most forcible manner.

ATTENTION of farmers is called to the advertisement of Farm's Field and Stockman in this paper. Fine books or seeds offered with subscriptions are either worth the subscription price.

THIS vicinity has for the past few weeks been enjoying the finest of weather, and as the result, fruit trees are blooming, and small fruit ripening. Reports from the vicinity of New Troy are that ripe strawberries have been indulged in there for some time. Saturday, Eld. Wm. Roe presented the Record with a twig of red raspberries that contained ripe berries, green berries and blossoms.

WHILE the Mirrors' long winded comments regarding our remarks on the publication of the premiums lists bristles with truths, yet there is nothing about them to change what we had to say, which was a plain statement of facts. The principal reason the Record did not publish the list for nothing is because we were not specially interested in the donation business at that time.

IN the fall of 1881 Dexter Fisher's little boy, Delwin, had two ewe lambs given him. He has sold \$38.42 worth of wool and mutton and two fleeces have been used in the family and he has left nine sheep worth \$8 per head.—Erie.

A gentleman in this place received a similar present when twelve years of age and at twenty-one, the net result was \$650 cash and a good horse.

THIS office contains the unpaid accounts of something like two or three hundred persons who have been furnished reading matter, for various periods. Some of the parties are unable to pay; some are able, but neglect it; while others are able, but will not, nor did they intend to pay when they contracted the debt. We have been seriously contemplating publishing a list of the last two classes, with the amounts due, but perhaps it would do no good as none of the parties are now receiving credit here, nor can they. We shall keep the accounts, to keep away the blues. They invoice as so much wealth earned and permanently invested.

WELL, Tom, you have our sympathy. You have been a genial fellow, and made a first-class clerk, and the only fault we find with you is that you belong to the party that is under a ban with that people, that always has been and always will be, and the only way to treat the party is to keep it out—every member of it. After two terms of service, you will please step down, and allow the "Boy from Weesaw" to try to be as good a clerk. The balance of your party will follow in two years more, and the most sensible thing you can do is to come in out of the general smashup. The advice of a friend will help you to do it.

NILES, Mich., Nov. 3d 1886. TO THE REPUBLICANS OF BERRIEN CO.: Your County Committee congratulates you on the result of yesterday's elections. "We have met the enemy and they are ours." The solid phalanx of our Grand Old Party, backed by its grand record and honest principles has marched once more against the hosts of the triple alliance of spoils seekers and rascals, and in camp and field, this great victory, showing the faith of the people in the integrity of our party and the wisdom of its administration is a fitting rebuke to the tongue of slander, and insures our continued success. The Committee congratulates all who have aided in bringing about these results, and counseling continued vigilance, returns thanks, many thanks to all who share the victory.

L. A. DUNCAN, Chairman. T. L. WILKINSON, Secretary.

The Taxes.

The Committee on Finance of the Supervisors recommended that the following amounts be raised by tax upon the county:

State Tax Fund	\$21,015.00
Rejected Tax	621.88
General Expense	20,000.00
County Poor	3,500.00
Jury	4,000.00
Stenographer	800.00
Officers' salaries	5,300.00
Asylum Fund	2,900.00
Indebtedness of township for support of Township Poor by county	662.44
Total by county	\$39,030.22

All of which was ordered.

The tax for the ensuing year will be levied upon the different townships and the city of Niles, as follows, details omitted:

Townships	Valuation	Total Tax
Bainbridge	\$47,795	\$4,697.83
Bertrand	1,016,137	\$4,446.26
Berrien	824,339	9,972.47
Benton	1,079,295	19,224.09
Buchanan	1,060,762	18,105.21
Chikaming	212,137	\$6,614.47
Gallen	325,378	\$4,308.43
Hagar	196,740	\$3,045.53
Lake	357,155	\$9,306.47
Lincoln	11,230,440	\$11,230.44
New Buffalo	241,207	\$9,902.25
Niles township	1,051,531	\$25,370.28
Niles City		
Wards 1 and 2	653,219	12,634.00
" 3 and 4	1,101,409	14,839.27
Oronoko	912,259	11,022.52
Pikeston	597,423	7,098.14
Royalton	325,570	\$4,892.24
St. Joseph	738,900	29,410.35
Sodus	229,416	\$3,806.04
Three Oaks	429,406	\$6,045.07
Watervliet	506,675	\$7,738.50
Weesaw	460,710	\$5,668.23
Total	\$18,297,533	\$227,905.34

[Niles Republican.]

Heroism certainly is not confined to man, as was demonstrated last Sunday in the case of Mrs. E. P. Baker, who was coming to the city on the Berrien road, and driving a usually quiet team of horses, which, for some unaccountable reason became frightened and ran away. Mrs. Baker, lost her grasp on the reins, which fell beneath the animals' feet. Matters assumed a serious aspect for the lady, but not losing her presence of mind, and while the horses were dashing away in their uncontrollable fury, she boldly stepped over the dashboard, thence out on the buggy tongue, almost to the animals' heads, and gathering up the lines returned in safety, as she had come, to her seat. Then, with almost superhuman strength, she checked the team in their maddened speed. Those who witnessed the incident, speak highly in praise of the lady's courage, intimating as much that no man would have dared evince such pluck, under like circumstances.

IRA WISE, of Bainbridge, brought to Benton Harbor to-day, the largest mammoth of the season. Mammoth of name and mammoth by nature. It weighed 171 pounds and measured about eight feet in circumference.—Palladium.

THE Democratic party has two more years of Presidency. No more.

Nov. 3, 1886.

Mr. R. Alcott traded his mules for a fine (2) span of horses, and has taken them to Wisconsin for his son.

Mrs. Landas, of New Troy, was buried at Gallen Monday.

Mr. Comings' speech at the Town Hall, last Thursday evening, would have had more weight if he had stuck to his own party and showed up some of its fine qualities, as it was he lost the respect of nearly every one that ever was a Republican, for his talk was simply a baraque against the Republican party.

This morning reports shows our townsman B. R. Sterns, to be elected by from three to five hundred majority, he received 240 votes out of 296 cast in his own town. U. NO.

FROM BERRIEN CENTRE.

Nov. 3, 1886.

Election passed off very quietly. A full vote polled in all parties.

Temperance ladies worked hard for prohibition.

Harry L. and Edwin D. Butler, sons of Benj. H. Butler, expect to attend the Normal Institute, at Benton Harbor, the coming winter.

Dist. Lodge I. O. G. T. met at Berrien Centre, Oct. 23, with delegates representing three subordinate lodges in the county. A very pleasant opening was held in the evening.

Mrs. Mary Lineweaver spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Becker.

S. H. Brenner and family Sundayed at Berrien Centre.

Miss Emily Snow closed her school west of Niles, on Friday last.

Miss Cora Peck, who is teaching in Dist. No. 5, of Berrien, closes her school the coming Friday. Mr. G. B. Groat teaches the same school the coming winter.

Mr. W. E. Peck commences his school at Maple Grove, on Monday next. A. C. Palmer continues at Berrien Centre, during the winter.

Rev. J. G. Knotts, of Buchanan, with his wife and babe, are visiting friends in this neighborhood.

Silas Sink, of Kankakee, Ind., is visiting friends at Berrien Centre.

The hunters who went to the northern part of the state for deer, do not report very flattering success.

The Berrien Centre band attended the political meeting at Benton Harbor and St. Joseph, on Monday night last.

The workmen are pushing the new church rapidly along to completion.

Farmers are improving the fine opportunity for corn-husking.

Two carloads of swine and sheep were shipped from this station, on Monday last, by Brenner & Co.

Isaac M. Smith sold 29 head of hogs to the above company, weighing in the aggregate 9050 pounds.

Martin L. Becker has rented the Blish farm, on the town-line road, four miles west of Dowagiac, and will move there next week. We very much regret to lose so useful a citizen.

[St. Joseph Republican.]

Fishing is good. Campbell & Lutz had 900 pounds of trout last Saturday.—Messrs. E. A. Graham & Co. have bought the dock property between the grist mill and Wells & Co's factory and will erect a mammoth warehouse thereon.

S. A. GLIDDEN brought to this office on Monday a curiosity in the shape of a second growth Sweet Dough apple. It is perfectly ripe, and had not the blossoms been picked off when the tree bloomed for a second time this season, Mr. Glidden would probably have had quite a quantity of them.—Coloma Courier.

A GOOD part of the large quantity of potatoes shipped to Chicago by grocers recently have yielded very small returns. One shipper realized \$5.00 for 123 crates not including the cost of packages, and other similar returns have been received.—B. H. Palladium.

MR. AUGUST TILSTROM brought a potato of his own raising into the market today for exhibition that weighed seven pounds. The potato is reported on heavy potatoes in this section. The specimen was purchased by Mr. Bunker, of Chicago, who will exhibit it on South Water street.—Palladium.

Thanksgiving Day.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 31.—The following is President Cleveland's proclamation designating Thursday, Nov. 25, as a day of thanksgiving and prayer:

A PROCLAMATION.

By the President of the United States:

It has long been the custom of the people of the United States on a day in each year especially to regard the day as a day of thanksgiving and prayer, to acknowledge the goodness and mercy of God and to invoke His continued care and protection.

In observance of such custom I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States, do hereby designate and set apart the 25th day of November, instant, to be observed and kept as a day of thanksgiving and prayer.

On that day let all our people forget their accustomed employment and assemble in their usual places of worship to give thanks to the ruler of the universe for our continued enjoyment of the blessings of a free government, for a renewal of business prosperity throughout our land, for the return which we owe to the ruler of the universe who till the soil and for our progress as a people in all that makes a nation great.

And while we contemplate the infinite power of God in earthquake, flood and storm let the grateful hearts of those who have been sheltered from harm through His mercy be turned in sympathy and kindness toward His visitations.

Let us also in the midst of our thanksgiving remember the poor and needy with cheerful gifts and aims so that our service may, by deeds of charity, be made acceptable in the sight of the Lord.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the city of Washington, this 1st day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred eighty-six, and of the independence of the United States of America the one hundred and eleventh.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

[L. S.] By the President.

T. F. BAYARD, Secretary of State.

Grand California Excursion.

The Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway announces three grand first-class excursions to the Pacific coast, leaving Chicago Nov. 9th, Nov. 16th, and Dec. 7th, at extremely low rates. For additional information, tickets, sleeping car accommodations, etc., apply to nearest ticket agent, or address E. A. Holbrook, G. T. & P. A., C. R. I. & P. Ry., Chicago, Ill.

The Democratic party has two more years of Presidency. No more.

Mecosta county has an extra allowance of chicken thieves she wants to get rid of.

Locals.

AMOS EVANS has a Round Oak stove that he offers to sell cheap.

From this date on, Coal will be worth \$7.00 per ton delivered.

ROE & KINGERY.

Finest assortment of Honespyn Dress Goods, are found at

C. C. HIGHS.

Just see my Dishes. Finest line in Berrien county.

C. BISHOP.

ELECTION IS OVER.

And we will get down to business, by offering you Flannels, Blankets, Hosiery, Cloaks, Jackets, Jerseys, in fact all goods as low as they can be sold in Berrien county.

GRAHAM.

New-bound books, Dickens, Scott, and other popular authors, at 50c a volume.

KEELER'S.

A job lot of Corsets to be closed out at 50c worth 75. A big bargain for you at

BOYLE & BAKER'S.

See my nice Chamber Sets, at

C. BISHOP'S.

CARPETS.

Anyone wanting a Carpet can buy for just what they cost at wholesale in Chicago, until they are closed out.

MEACH & HUNT.

More Feather Trimming and new Fur Ball Trimming, Push Beaver Trimming, at

C. C. HIGHS.

See my Tea Sets.

C. BISHOP.

Wall paper cheap, to make room for spring stock, at

KEELER'S.

Look out for Bargains, at

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Your choice for 25c—look at

BOYLE & BAKER'S.

Silk Handkerchiefs, found at C. C. HIGHS, only 12 1/2c.

Defiance Yarns, the best in the market, at

GRAHAM'S.

We show the best Cotton Batts in town, for 10c.

BOYLE & BAKER.

White Bed Blankets are very cheap.

C. C. HIGHS.

For all kinds of Musical Merchandise, such as Musical Instruments of all description, Music Paper, Racks, Folios, Books, and all kinds of Repairs Strings, &c., call at Buchanan Music School. Agency for the famous Mason & Hamlin Pianos and Organs for Berrien county.

FOR RENT.—A house and lot on Berrien street. Will accommodate two small families.

Mrs. N. JOHNSON.

A very fine assortment of Dress Buttons, now at

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The lowest prices on Flannels, Blankets, Underwear and Yarns, in fact everything in the Dry Goods line. We mean business, and don't you forget it.

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Scarlet Underwear for only 50 cents, at

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