

BUCHANAN RECORD.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 25, 1887.

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

W. TRENBETH, THE TAILOR.

Has just received the finest stock of

Foreign and Domestic

Fall and Winter Goods

For Gentlemen's Wear,

ever brought to Berrien county, and is prepared to make up the same in the latest styles, at the lowest living prices.

An Inspection is Solicited.

Buchanan Markets.

Hay—\$5 @ \$10 per ton.
Butter—10c.
Eggs—10c.
Lard—8c.
Potatoes new—75c.
Onions—90 @ \$1.00.
Salt, retail—\$1.10.
Flour—\$3.00 @ \$5.00 per bbl.
Honey—15.
Live poultry—4 @ 6c.
Wheat—70c.
Oats—25.
Corn—firm, 45c.
Beans—\$1.75.
Clover seed—\$4.25.
Buckwheat—40 @ 45c.
Buckwheat flour—\$2.25.
Dressed pork—\$6.00 per cwt.
Wool, washed, 28 @ 34.
Wool, unwashed, 17 @ 26.

The Star has been enlarged again.

The grape market opened at ten cents per pound.

FRANCIS G. RICE, of Benton Harbor, has been granted a pension.

ROBERT GRAHAM died at Benton Harbor Thursday evening, aged 76.

READ Trenbeth's new proclamation in the north-west corner of this page.

DR. MCCLIN, formerly of this place, is now quite sick in Huntington, Ind.

OUR neighbor, the Independent, is twelve years old this week.

A FRUIT drying establishment is being put up in Watervliet.

NEW BUFFALO has been investing in a new fire engine.

LAWN mowers have come from their hiding places since the rains.

STEVEN ATWOOD and family have moved to Three Rivers.

MRS. S. P. HIGHT has returned from her Indiana visit.

TEACHERS' examination, special, in Berrien Springs to-morrow, Friday.

FOR RENT.—We have for rent 25 Mering Sheep. Call at this office.

CHAS. C. SHERILL, of Niles, and Mrs. E. N. Bovee, of Cassopolis, were married, August 7.

The fire company is requested to be out Saturday afternoon to try the machinery.

DIRECTORS of Niles fair are making a number of valuable improvements in the grounds this year.

GENTLE STRONG has gone to St. Joseph to assist his father in his boot and shoe store.

MR. J. H. JONES, of Coloma, was here Tuesday distributing Benton Harbor Fair advertising.

PROF. BUCK returned yesterday from his home, ready for school business to commence.

The Journal suggests a Berrien County Press Association. That's a good idea. Suppose you try it.

The past two or three days has reminded us that Autumn weather is near at hand.

GEO. H. MURDOCK, Jr., has hung out his shingle as an attorney at law, in Niles.

HAYING failed twice, St. Joseph proposes to try once more on the bridge question August 29.

MRS. GEO. I. BLOWERS is in Deatur for a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterrett.

MR. AND MRS. C. C. HIGH went to visit Charlie's sister, Mrs. Aggie Howard, at Frankfort, Ind., Monday.

GEORGE F. ANDERSON, formerly of this place, has sold his harness shop in Berrien Springs and gone hence.

KINYON H. ROLLINS is the name of a 9-pound Coloradoan, born August 14, whose parents are well-known here.

F. D. SHERMAN, of Grand Rapids, takes Prof. Kelley's place in Berrien Springs school this year, at \$750 salary.

MISS ROSSA WESSE returned, Monday, from her summer visit with her aunt, in Springfield, Ill.

SEPTEMBER 10 is the date for the opening of the State Fair at Jackson this year.

A DAUGHTER makes happy the home of Elmer Butts of Niles township, since Saturday.

DAIRY fed, country killed and farm cured salt pork is the shingle a Coloma butcher shoves over the sidewalk.

THE Corner drug and book store has a change of advertisement in this issue, telling something about school books.

THE meeting of Buchanan Grange No. 40 will be held at their hall, next Saturday. A full attendance is requested.

WATER in the St. Joseph is up to the floating stage for the May Grange, and once more she runs to Berrien Springs.

ALL members of the A. O. U. W. Lodge are requested to be present at the next meeting, first Friday of September. There is sport ahead.

THOMAS DAKER, of Bridgman, had his arm nearly twisted off by having it pass around a pulley in Blakeman's mill, while trying to throw off a belt.

THERE should be a cistern built or some other means supplied for furnishing a supply of water, to be used in case of fire, near the school house.

BERRIEN SPRINGS business men display their signs at the rear of their stores. This does not indicate that all of their business is done backyards.

SQUIRE VINTON having secured steady employment at New Buffalo, moved his family to that place this week.

THE new Benton Harbor canning works put up 1,008 cans of tomatoes in two hours as a trial before opening for business.

By offering free land, free water, and natural gas, Marion, Ind., secures the removal of the Blackmar paper mill from St. Joseph to that place.

THE Lake Side anti-horse theft association will hold its annual meeting at Edward's Grove, Lakeside, on Tuesday, August 30.

PEOPLE living along the St. Joseph river thought last week the stream was going entirely dry. Plenty of water thereabout now.

DES MOINES, Iowa, people are looking for Jessie Bartlett, aged 22. She was last seen in Benton Harbor preparing to go to Chicago.

MR. WM. BURRUS, who has been ailing a number of weeks, was taken suddenly worse Sunday afternoon, and is reported in a serious condition.

THE story is being told of a Niles girl whose beauty attracted a fine black bass so that he jumped into the boat with her, when she was out boating.

NOTICE.—The ladies of the M. E. Church, of Dayton, will have a variety supper, in the Marble store building, on Friday evening, Sept. 2. Everybody invited.

M. STRYKER, Sec.

THERE was a quite heavy hail storm north of Gallien, through Veesaw township, Monday afternoon. Reports of broken windows, dead chickens and other minor damages follow the storm. It gave us a heavy rain.

ONE week from next Monday will gather the town urchins into the schools. They should all be there on the first day prepared for work from the first steps.

POTATOES that were within two or three inches of the surface, during the July drought, were wilted by the hot weather and since the rain have commenced to rot.

BERRIEN SPRINGS people all know their future now. A band of Gipsies have been camping there. There will probably follow a boom for the B. S. matrimonial bureau.

ORDER factories are getting ready for a large business this fall. Those at Berrien Springs and Benton Harbor have been enlarged and those in Niles are being rebuilt.

A Business Men's Protective association has been formed in Three Oaks, as a protection against dead beats. No report of any organization of the dead beats has yet been received.

So long a time has elapsed since there has been an entertainment in the Opera House, that people have almost forgotten how the inside of the room appears.

A FUND has just been raised by the friends of those buried in the Baker town cemetery for the purpose of giving that lot a good cleaning of underbrush and weeds.

THE village sexton informs us that he has Oak Ridge cemetery all cleaned up in good shape once more. Work is now being done to place the old cemetery in like condition.

MR. VAN LEW of Dayton expects to harvest about 400 bushels of onions from his patch and at present is getting \$1 per bushel for them. They are of good size, notwithstanding the drought.

A DRUNKEN molder named Russ succeeded in disgusting those who happened to be on Front street, Monday afternoon, by trying to scare up a fight. If he could see himself as others saw him, he would move out.

THE Benton Harbor Palladium has treated itself to a new six-horse power engine. A move the RECORD will be obliged to make soon, and meantime we have a good four-horse engine for sale.

THERE are very positive assurances that the railroad north from this city to St. Joseph, Mich., will be in operation within a year. It cannot be in operation any too soon.—South Bend Times.

RUNAWAY.—L. L. Redden's delivery horse ran away with the delivery wagon, yesterday morning, smashing up the wagon and breaking his own leg. It was a colt belonging to Will Treat, and was in the hands of a careless boy. The colt was shot.

MR. CHARLES F. HOWE has taken the meteorological instruments belonging to the state weather bureau that have been in charge of Mr. V. E. David, as Mr. David found he could not afford the time required to attend to the observations. The flags will still remain in town.

A PUBLIC meeting is called to be held in this place Saturday afternoon for the purpose of discussing the various phases of the bridge question. There should be a good attendance of those interested, and that means nearly every body in the vicinity.

JOHN HANOVER has been enjoying a visit this week, the first since the close of the war, by his old comrade, Chas. Renard, from Iowa, the man who carried John off from the battle field when he was shot in the arm. They had not met since.

THE K. of L. lodge has bought the furniture of the old Masonic hall and will make that their headquarters henceforth. The S. O. V. got the old K. of L. quarters and will soon occupy that. This gives the Salvation army an opportunity to seek other quarters, as their meetings will be held there but a little longer.

A MEETING of the Burlingame Turnpike Company was held at this place yesterday and among other business transacted, the location of the shops at Edwardsburg was decided upon.—Harrison Springs Era.

The company wanted to locate here, but as no one appeared to take any interest in it we do not get that plum.

REV. S. L. HAMILTON was called to Albion last Saturday to attend the funeral of a nephew, which occurred Sunday afternoon. In his absence Rev. W. W. Wells preached in the M. E. Church Sunday, both morning and evening.

THE case of Mrs. Vandernoof who is serving a life sentence in Detroit House of Correction for murdering her husband in Gallien has gotten her case before the Supreme court for review and if she lives long enough may get released before her term expires.

A PARTY of about twenty-five ladies, on pleasure bent, went to Notre Dame this morning. They took baskets well filled with "grub", intending to make an all day's picnic of it. How lonesome they will be, with no men to cheer their company.

BERRIEN, Cass, Van Buren and St. Joseph county representatives of the Pattawatomie Indian tribe, numbering over 150, are now holding a grand pow-wow in Hartford. They are discussing their claim of \$200,000 against the government.

FRANK TUCKER's Metropolitan will be in this place in September with East Lynne. This company has given a number of good entertainments in Buchanan, and as there has been nothing of the kind here for some time, should do a good business.

THE M. C. R. R. Co. will run an excursion train from Michigan City to Diamond Lake, on Aug. 31, leaving Buchanan at 8:32 A. M., arriving at Diamond Lake at 9:15 A. M. Returning, leave Diamond Lake at 4 P. M. Round trip tickets will be sold from Buchanan for 50 cts; children, 25 cts. A. F. PEACOCK.

LIST of letters remaining unclaimed for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Aug. 25: Mr. S. H. Anderson, Miss Ida Diehl, Mrs. Sarah Hamilton, Miss Anna Noe, Mattie Kettlewell, Mr. J. W. Otto, Mr. Harry Page, Miss Jennie Smith, G. W. Wolfe, Mr. Cyrus Wilson. J. L. RICHARDS, P. M.

DEPUTY SHERIFF KENNEDY, of Benton Harbor, arrested Charles Banks, the book agent in Cass county, on charge of obtaining money, \$50, under false pretenses. He borrowed the money of a loan broker and obtained security by representing to be the owner of a mortgage. The security paid the note and caused the arrest. Banks paid up and was released.

THE time for Postmaster Richard's departure draws near, and the question of appointment of his successor up to the time Congress meets, is becoming interesting. Candidates are not wanting in number. So far as they have shown up, our list includes: John C. Dick, John Mansfield, Wm. Osborn, Wm. Welch, John W. Beistle and Tom Cox.

THE WEATHER.—Following is our record of the temperature, as shown by our self-registering thermometer, for the week ending at 6:30 this morning:

	Max.	Min.	6:30
Friday	80	58	58
Saturday	82	58	58
Sunday	85	58	58
Monday	78	50	58
Tuesday	82	51	51
Wednesday	81	51	51
Thursday	87	45	48

TABOR GRANGE HALL, 6 miles north of this place, was burned between 12 and 1 o'clock Sunday morning, being a total loss of hall and barn and their contents, amounting to between \$1,200 and \$1,500. There is no clue to the origin of the fire. The Grange had a dinner party there during Saturday, and had a fire in the stove, and as the fire was in the upper story first is supposed to come from a faulty chimney. The Farmers' Mutual had \$500 insurance on building and \$100 on contents.

In the Witter trial, last Thursday, a Mr. Cadwell, a druggist in Denver, swore that on June 4, Mrs. Witter bought of him ten grains of arsenic, and three days later bought an ounce more, saying each time that she wanted it for killing rats. A letter from her father states that the testimony is absolutely false, as she can prove that she was not down town on the days mentioned, and that she never wore such a dress as Cadwell swore she had on at the time.

If you take along a good lantern these dark nights, you may be able to discover that street lamps are planted along some of the streets. There might be more of them without serious injury to the town. Some of the young folks appear to like them best as they are.

A COLLECTION has been gathered in this place to defray the expenses of a foot passage across the break in the river bridge and the work is being done on the "bee" plan, by those who expect to use it most. There should be a first class iron or steel bridge built there at the earliest convenient moment and this periodical trouble stopped. The towns can not afford to be building a new bridge every three or four years.

THE WAR between South Bend citizens and the telephone company is on in earnest. The street commissioner commenced to take down the poles when an injunction was served upon him. The company then put up a pole in front of a business house to repair the damage done by the commissioner when the owner of the property immediately chopped it down. It looks as if South Bend was "dead again" the Bell Telephone Company, and the Bell must go.

THE Penn. Bridge Company, it was, who built the bridges across the river at this place and Bertrand, three years ago, both down now. Supervisor Alexander has written them to make suggestions, as practical bridge builders, as to the most feasible method of repairing the one here, but for some reason does not hear from them. Perhaps the mail is at fault. Maybe they have no suggestions to spare for such occasions. It might be interesting to know their opinion of three-year bridges.

ENGINEER GRAYES has been at work, in this place, the past week looking for the most feasible route through town for the new railroad. He has thus far run two lines. One going down mid-way between Day's avenue and Portage street extending north to the brick yard, and from there veering west. The other goes on the east side of White Redden's farm and crosses the creek just above Bainton's lower dam. The first will be in town and the second not. He will probably not stop with these two, but if either of these are to be used the first would appear to provide about as great amount of convenience as it were possible to have, as it would come conveniently near the most of the factories, be close to town and an excellent depot ground could be had just south of the express office.

THE farmers in the bend of the river are getting anxious to have some arrangement made by which they can use the bridge across the river, and that soon. Wading the river in high water is not what it is cracked up to be, nor do they enjoy driving around by Niles in order to reach their market. When we get a first-class iron bridge, with good solid abutments, we shall cease to be troubled by such experiences as we have had the past years, and not before. If the tax of such a bridge be too heavy for any single year it can be done by a series of installments and the burden at least bearable, and the present structure used while the work is progressing, but the erection of a bridge that will last as long as the river does and be always safe, cannot be commenced too soon.

THE Detroit Journal of last Friday contained a long article showing the true inwardness of the great "write up" of towns, as they appear in the local papers. The Cassopolis Vigilant contained one two weeks since. Niles Republican is having one gotten up now. The RECORD was bitten by two of these itinerant journalists but takes no more of the bait. As the Journal states, they work to the disadvantages of the paper unless the stranger who does the soliciting be honest, a qualification they do not usually possess, by their making any and all kinds of promises that he may find necessary to secure the order. He has no interest in the future business, for he is gone while the publisher must remain to make good all kinds of promises made by his appointed agent, whom he knows nothing of. Any local paper that is worthy of its patronage gives its town a good writing up every week without the interference of these traveling strangers, and if any business man in the town wants his business written up and have a hundred papers, more or less, to send to his friends, he can have it any time at current rates, and there is no misunderstanding or ill-feeling to be corrected at the publisher's loss after the work is done.

THE NEW HALL.—For more than a month past a committee of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M., has been busy preparing the new hall, in the Redden block, for occupancy by that Lodge, and now pronounces it ready. The Lodge has spared no expense in furnishing the new rooms, and as a result they have what is probably as fine a Masonic hall as can be found in the state, every part, the main hall, ante-room, preparation room and cloak room, all being furnished in first-class style. The walls and ceilings are all papered with the best papers, and the floor covered with the best Brussels carpet. The seating of the hall is probably its most and costliest feature. Ten large walnut sofas and twelve walnut chairs, all upholstered with the best quality of plush, line each side of the room. The other chairs consist of three high chairs in the east end, and one each in the "west" and "south" hall, and finely upholstered, while the stations of all the other officers' chairs are of walnut, also upholstered. All the upholstery is of one color—peacock blue. A handsome twelve-light chandelier will light the main room, while smaller ones will be placed in the other rooms. We learn that between \$1,000 to \$1,500 was expended in furnishing the hall, besides using much of the materials formerly used in the old hall. The first meeting of the Lodge in its new quarters will be on next Monday evening, when there will on doubt be a large attendance.

THE Soldiers' and Sailors' reunion of south-western Michigan is in progress, in Three Rivers, this week, having commenced Tuesday.

THREE OAKS ITEMS.

At least two parties of editorial turn of mind have visited our village, during the past few days, with the idea of locating here and publishing a newspaper in the interest of Three Oaks and vicinity. No definite conclusion has been reached.

The Warren Hall "pleasure excursion" party has been heard from. They report a pleasant trip. Mr. Warren writes a card, mailed at Marquette, Aug. 22, stating that he had confidently expected to write long letters to each of his friends, but finds his plan impracticable. Hence, concludes to do them all up at once, and accordingly addresses his postal to J. H. Hatfield, F. A. Parsons, D. B. Allen, J. H. Ames, J. H. Holden, Charles Phillippy, and Mr. and Mrs. Hebb.

Messrs. McKie & Vincent moved their stock of dry goods into their new store on Monday. They are nicely located, and deserve credit for exhibiting so much enterprise in putting up such a building.

The Warren Featherbone Whip Co. have been obliged to run the factory extra hours, to fill orders. The two companies have secured power and space in the Exhibition Building, at Chicago, and will erect machines there which will be kept in operation during the coming Exhibition.

Mr. Hale Miller, of Lakeside, preached a practical discourse at the M. E. Church, Sunday evening.

Wm. Bommersheim and family, of Philadelphia, are guests at the Woodland House. Mr. B. is the infant brother of our postmaster, and shares his feeling of generous pride for his native city. Fishing and hunting have occupied much of his time since coming here, and his diligence was rewarded, on Wednesday afternoon, when he came in with two wild turkeys. In Philadelphia he has established a reputation for capturing offenders. It now seems that he has ability to capture other kinds of game.

We had a very severe hail and rain storm here Monday afternoon. Fruit and corn were considerably injured. Mrs. Churchill reports thirty-six broken windows in her picture gallery.

The funeral of Mrs. Williams, an aged lady who had lived north of the village, was held at the Congregational church on Monday, at 2 P. M.

Dr. Ullery made a flying trip to Niles on Wednesday.

Prof. Marble, recently of Muskegon high school, is visiting friends in this vicinity. He will take studies at Harvard, next year.

Mr. J. H. Smith, Principal of the schools at Rock Rapids, Iowa, made our town a call during the week.

Our popular music teacher, Miss Adda H. Wilcox, started on Wednesday for a two months' visit with friends at Lockport, N. Y.

GALLEN ITEMS.

Mr. Chevroie has finally returned from France, bringing with him a very fine horse.

The storm on Monday was accompanied by a very hard wind and some hail. West and north from here it was worse, the hail doing much damage to crops and fruit.

Tom Maddux has moved his family to Battle Creek. He has been in the employ of the Grand Trunk R. R. there for some time.

As a certain young man was riding with a certain young lady on Saturday evening a certain constable appeared upon the scene. Although the attachment of the said young man for the said young lady was strong, the legal attachment which said constable had for said young man's horse and buggy was still more binding and the twain were left to wend their way home on foot.

E. H. Prince and family are visiting friends in the eastern part of the state. Miss Jose Roberts was married last week to a Mr. Losier of Ohio. R. B. Wheaton will build an addition to his house this fall. G. A. Blakeslee is building another house on his land in Veesaw.

FROM BERRIEN CENTRE.

Aug. 24, 1887.
Herman Rapp and wife spent a few days very pleasantly last week visiting relatives in Indiana.

Prof. Sneadman spent three or four days in this vicinity, making McKollough House his headquarters.

Messrs. Hopkins & Sheldon are buying and shipping apples from this locality.

Charley Edwards is building him a cottage near the Union Church.

Harry Vanderburgh had the thumb of his left hand badly injured, by coming in too close contact with a circular saw, at the Fairland sawmill.

357 excursionists on Mr. S. W. Bishop's excursion train to Warsaw, on Thursday last. A splendid time was had.

Mr. B. F. Oier, of Oleville Pa., is here for a three weeks' visit.

Jacob Barnhart and wife are visiting friends in Ohio.

E. Murphy is in Indiana looking after some business interests.

This township was almost unanimously represented at the Teachers' Institute, last week.

E. T. Dickson is putting up a new "Eureka" windmill on his home premises.

Several of our neighbors are going into the locality where pendices are plenty, for the purpose of getting a load.

FROM NEW TROY.

Died, Aug. 18, William Tripp, aged 54 years. Mr. Tripp has lived in this community for about thirty years.

Mrs. J. C. Smith has sold her house and lot, for \$200, to the German church, for a parsonage.

C. A. Simonds & Co.

Niles, Mich.

A buisy scene is presented at this

Popular Shoe House.

Once a customer, always a customer is true of this firm.

Best Quality of Goods,

And Entire Satisfaction Guaranteed.

Good Reading at Small Cost.

The Detroit Weekly Tribune was never in its history more prosperous and popular than at the present time. It is recognized as a great Michigan newspaper, with no superior in value for Michigan readers. Every family in this county should take a copy for local news, and in addition a paper that covers the whole state in its news gathering. Therefore, take The RECORD and the Detroit Weekly Tribune. We will supply The Weekly Tribune four months on trial for 25 cents. Send in your orders.

Locals.

Dr. Mrs. ANDERSON can be consulted at her office, in Buchanan, every Wednesday, No. 18, Portage St. 10c.
Mr. E. K. WARREN, of Three Oaks, has several draft and driving horses for sale.

Ladies, don't forget that we now sell all of our 25 cent cotton gloves for 15 cents a pair.

HIGH & DUNCAN.

ALWAYS AT THE FRONT.
E. MORGAN & Co. offer Luster Band and Plain White Queen's Ware, all first class, as cheap as they can be bought in the state. Call and see for yourselves.

Look out for low prices on all summer goods. There are some lines I am bound to close out.

GRAHAM.

Peaches, at BISHOP'S.
TRENBETH has the finest and largest stock of Fall and Winter Goods he has ever brought to Buchanan.

Remember that all of our 40 and 50 cent Ladies' and Gent's Gauze Underwear are closing out for 25 cents.

HIGH & DUNCAN.

Always at your command. Every thing usually kept in a first-class grocery. Cheap for Cash.

E. MORGAN & CO.

Sweet Potatoes, at BISHOP'S.

TRENBETH invites you to call and examine his stock of new Goods for the fall and winter trade. He has never had anything better.

FARMERS, you will not feel the low price of wheat, if you will buy your Goods at GRAHAM'S.

See TRENBETH'S Fall and Winter Suitings.

FOR SALE. A buggy and harness for sale cheap. Enquire of

