

Business Directory.

SABBATH SERVICES.
Services are held every Sabbath at 10:30 o'clock A. M. at the Church of the "Larger Hope," also, Sabbath School services immediately after the morning meeting. Prayer and conference meeting every Thursday evening. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

O. O. F.—Buchanan Lodge No. 75 holds its regular meeting at Oak Fellows Hall on Tuesday evening.

P. & A. M.—Buchanan Lodge No. 65 holds its regular meeting on Monday evening on or before the full moon in each month.

P. O. F.—Buchanan Grange No. 40 meets on the second and fourth Saturday of each month, at 8 o'clock P. M.

O. G. T.—Buchanan Lodge No. 556 holds its regular meeting on each Monday evening.

A. O. U. W.—Buchanan Lodge No. 65 holds its regular meeting the 1st and 3rd Friday evening of each month.

A. R. Wm. Perrot Post No. 22. Regular meeting on the first and third Wednesday evening of each month. Visiting comrades always welcome.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS. Wm. Perrot Post No. 22. Meetings held on the first and third Saturday evening of each month.

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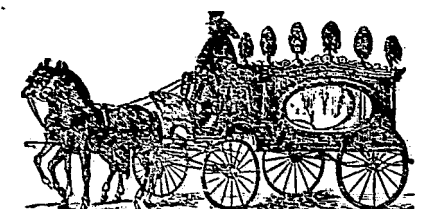
BUCHANAN RECORD.

VOLUME XXII.

BUCHANAN.

BERRIEN COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1888.

NUMBER 22.



JACOB F. HAHN,

THE RELIABLE

UNDERTAKER

Has recently refitted his establishment, and put in a fine stock of

Caskets and Coffins.

Of the latest designs and at the most reasonable prices. Anything not in stock can be prepared in a few hours. Fancy Caskets Covered Caskets a specialty.

BURIAL ROBES

Of many varieties and styles always in stock, and prices warranted as low as anywhere in the State.

A Fine Hearse

Always ready to attend funerals, and furnished on short notice.

Being Village Sexton my time is at the disposal of those wishing to purchase lots in Oak Ridge Cemetery, and at all times ready to assist in locating or showing lots to customers.

Remember that I have over thirty years experience in this business and thoroughly understand it. When in need of anything in my line come and see what I can do for you.

J. F. HAHN.

Oak Street first door south of Engine House.

CARPETS

AND

Upholstery Goods.

March 1, 1888.

GEO. WYMAN & CO.

Are now prepared to show the largest line of Wilton, Moquette, Body and Tapestry Brussels and Wool Carpets ever shown by us. And to draw trade from all our neighboring towns the price must be right, hence the price of the goods regulate the sale. We shall offer during March, April and May, Carpets at the following prices, unless we should conclude to make the price less.

Cotton Chain Ingrain Carpets, 18, 20 and 25 cents.

Union Extras at 35 to 50 cents.

Philadelphia All-Wool Extra Supers, 55 cents.

Ivan, Deliz & Mages Extra Supers, 60 cents.

Lowell Extra Supers, 62 1/2 cents.

Smith's Tapestry Brussels, 60, 65 and 70 cents.

Roxbury Tapestry Brussels, 75 cents.

One of the best makes Five Frame Body Brussels, with Dorders, 85 cents.

Others at 95 cents, \$1 and \$1.15.

Valley Carpets, \$1 and \$1.15.

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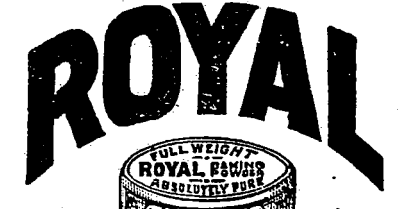
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THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1888.

Entered at the Postoffice at Buchanan, Mich., as second-class matter.

W. TRENBETH, THE TAILOR.

Has just received the finest stock of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Spring 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—\$3 @ \$18 per ton.
Butter—10c.
Eggs—11c.
Lard—9c.
Potatoes—80c.
Salt, retail—\$1.00.
Flour—\$3.00 @ \$3.20 per bbl.
Honey—16.
Live poultry—1 @ 9c.
Wheat—\$2c @ 5c.
Oats—15c.
Corn—50c @ 55c.
Beans—\$2.00.
Clover seed—\$4.00.
Buckwheat flour—\$3.00.
Dressed pork—\$8.00 per cwt.
Wool—10 @ 20.

Wedding Present.

So long as this notice appears in this place, the publisher of the Record will make a wedding present of THE BUCHANAN RECORD one year to any couple who marry and settle in Berrien county, the only requirement being that they apply for it within three months after their marriage. The same will be extended to those who are married within this county and go elsewhere to live, but such will be required to subscribe for one year, upon making application. That is, by paying the price of one year they will be given credit for two years and receive the Record that time.

Taxes Are Now Due.

Notice is hereby given that the Assessment Roll of the village of Buchanan for the year 1888, has been placed in my hands for the collection of taxes, and that I will be and remain in my office, in Engine House, No. 1, in said village, on Saturday of each week during the month of June, from 10 o'clock a. m., until 4 o'clock p. m., and upon taxes being paid to me on such days or at any time before the first day of July, 1888, one per cent will be added for collection fees, and upon all taxes collected after the first day of July four per cent will be added for collection fees.

JOHN STOOK, Marshal.

Mrs. PHILLO SMITH lies very low with dropsy.

Mr. F. H. VINCENT, of Three Oaks, was in town last evening.

It was a pretty damp time yesterday for the circus.

NILES has a circus that stays by them all the week.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN VITE are the proud parents of a boy, born Sunday.

Mrs. FRED WAGNER, of Pullman, Ill., is visiting her people in this vicinity.

The published portraits of Senator Harrison look like A. B. Riford, a former Benton Harbor citizen.

CHAS. LOCKINAW, of Oronoko, lost a valuable cow by becoming entangled in a rope and breaking her neck.

MISS ANNA ESTES is home from her work, as teacher in Grand Rapids schools, for the summer vacation.

DR. AND MRS. J. H. ROYCE were in this place Monday and gave the RECORD a pleasant call. They have the RECORD's wedding present.

WILL BLOWERS, of Grand Rapids, was here for a visit with his relatives in this place, this week.

Mrs. E. E. SIMMONS, of Vermontville, Mich., is visiting her old home, in this place.

REV. E. M. STEPHENSON, of Morgan Park, Ill., has received a call from the Baptist church of Berrien Springs.

WILL SPARKS has a neat little cottage nearly completed on his lot on Portage street. Built for renting purposes.

MR. AND MRS. SQUIRE RUSSELL, from Lyons, Rice county, Kansas, are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Russell.

MR. HENRY ROZELL will sell his personal effects at public auction, one-half mile south of Dayton, Saturday, June 30.

MR. N. H. MERRILL and daughter Grace, from Sedan, Kansas, are here for their first visit in ten years. Norris appears to enjoy it.

MARSHAL SHOOK has his natural beauty considerably marred by a number of Job's comforters. All planted on his face.

The quarterly meeting of the Evangelical church will be held in Rough's opera house Saturday and Sunday, conducted by Rev. G. A. Hettler.

Mrs. W. I. DICK left yesterday for her new home in Marion, Indiana, where Billy is located in the restaurant business.

GEO. MCNEEL visited Marion, Indiana, last week. He was impressed with the business and nastiness of the place. He will not move there.

Front street is greatly improved in appearance by the raising of the east end of it, and filling the gutters, which gives the street a much wider appearance.

SALOON men are not having the easiest time in the world to get their bonds approved in Niles this year. Berrien county will have several less saloons this year than last.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office, at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending June 27: Mrs. Bell Taylor, Simon Lauer.

J. G. MANSFIELD, P. M.

SHERIFF STERN'S was here yesterday looking after the reserve corps of Robbins circus. One of them went into the cooler early in the morning and was out of the wet all day.

MISS MAY HALLER, for the past few years a very efficient teacher in the first primary department of our schools, has gone to spend her summer vacation with her parents in Murray, Iowa.

The Frank Robbins circus gave an entertainment yesterday afternoon, but had no audience, and did not show in the evening. The steady rain all day kept the crowd from town.

The Benton Harbor Argus has made its appearance once more, as the Gazette, after having passed through the mortgage mill. Tom Hurley is chief quill driver.

The sheriff and his deputies followed the thieves who stole Mrs. Donnelly's horse to within a few miles of Chicago, where they lost all trace of them, and have returned, giving up the chase.

Miss EDITH FOX and her class gave a very pleasant entertainment, in Rough's opera house, Friday evening, that was a success in all but finances, the weather being so intolerably hot that the attendance was light.

The ladies of the M. E. church attempted to have an ice cream festival on Ross' corner, Saturday evening, but were stopped by the rain. The festival was held in Rough's building, below the bank.

The Michigan Central will sell tickets from Buchanan to all stations and return, at the rate of one fare for round trip, good going on July 5, and 4, and returning on July 5.

A. F. PEACOCK, Ticket Agent.

The Supreme Court has decided that the law prohibiting insurance companies from combining to keep up the rate of insurance is constitutional. This opens the insurance business to competition. The court also sustains the law taxing mortgages.

It is expected that the first 1,000 shares of the Building and Loan Association stock will be sold before next month shall have passed, but a little over 100 shares remaining unsold. If you have any inclination to subscribe, the time for doing so is now.

ALBERT LOUBARD, of Benton Harbor, fifty years old, suicided by shooting in the head with a rifle, at his home, Saturday evening. He leaves a wife and one child. Temporary insanity is supposed to have been the cause.

ONE of our wool buyers, a Democrat, takes exception to our remark of last week regarding wool and the tariff. He claims the tariff has nothing to do with the price of wool. If that be true why should he and his party be so anxious to remove it? If it does not affect the price it certainly can do no harm to let it remain as it is.

MYSELF and family desire, through the columns of your paper, to express our gratitude to the many who have so untriflingly and kindly aided us in caring for my husband during his sickness and death. Neighbors could not have been kinder—May God reward them.

EDITH FOX, P. M.

THERE are a number of young ladies about sixteen, in this place, who are carrying considerable sail for a small craft, and they may as well make a reef before they find it too late and they turn up a total wreck. Parents of these young ladies will do them a kindness by keeping themselves a little better posted about the whereabouts of their daughters during the late hours.

R. HELMICK & SON have just been putting in a three-story cooking range, with three two-story wings, furnace heating arrangements, hot water in all departments, and all the necessary paraphernalia for doing just as much cooking just as nicely as any hotel in the country, and are giving the Helmick house numerous other improvements that go toward placing the house at the top.

WHILE one of the Davis boys was driving George Bird's day horse, Old Jack, with a load of trunks, yesterday afternoon, he drove over the newly filled gutter, at the front of G. W. Noble's building, made soft by the rain, and Old Jack went down. It was the first case of miring a horse on Front street that has been known in many years.

THE people who live on the west end of Front street have been greatly bored for some time by a thief who picks up small valuables that are left around loose, his great weakness being for wood piles, small fruits, cider, and nearly everything. One of the neighbors has a shot-gun, and we may expect at any time to chronicle the fate of some man living on the west part of town had been to the doctor's and had two or three pounds bird shot removed from his carcass. The people are getting tired of it, and begin to mean business.

THE Enterprise this week devotes nearly a whole column to editorial, the gist of which is that a great many Republicans are going to be dissatisfied this year, and vote the Prohibition ticket, and thus elect the Democratic candidates to office. Will this be true?

MR. W. G. HATHAWAY has sold his threshing engine to E. E. Calvin, of this place, and is now completely out of the threshing business, and out to stay. He likes plenty of hard work, but threshing suits him too well. Mr. Calvin is hatching up some scheme for inaugurating a new manufacturing establishment of some sort in this place, but as his inclination was averse to being interviewed, we refrain from giving particulars until we succeed in getting them.

In reply to our item about the Weaver farmers going to Niles with their wool and wheat, the Niles Democrat remarks:

As Niles buyers were paying higher prices for both wheat and wool it is not impossible that the farmers were attracted by a desire to sell in the cheapest and buy in the cheapest market.

This might be all right if Niles buyers were paying more than those in Buchanan, but it happens that they were not.

THE Prohibitionists met in Berrien Springs, Saturday, and appointed seventeen delegates to the state and district convention to be held in Detroit and Kalamazoo respectively. Short work was made of the convention, when the delegates repaired to Town hall and listened to a speech by A. O. Crozier, of Grand Rapids. There will most likely not be a full attendance of delegates as some of those appointed object to being counted with that crowd this year.

MR. G. G. CALDWELL, employed as clerk in J. F. Runner's drug store the past year, and Miss Nellie Baldwin, for a number of years one of the very efficient teachers in the village schools, were married yesterday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Howe, Rev. W. E. Caldwell, father of the groom, officiating. The new family left for Niles, where they embark for an extended visiting tour before settling in their new home, which is to be in Centreville. They have the congratulations and well-wishes of the entire community.

Marriage Licenses.

204 Theodore W. Munster, Three Oaks.
204 Estelle Thalholt, Same.
205 Herman Newman, Lincoln township.
205 Bertha Dreyer, Same.
206 Charles F. Mullhagen, St. Joseph.
206 Christina S. Sanger, Same.
207 George Penrod, Niles.
208 Emma Winchel, Pokagon.
209 George G. Caldwell, Buchanan.
209 Nellie Baldwin, Same.

THE Rock Rapids, Iowa, Review, of June 6, containing the following resolution, passed by the city school board of that place:

WHEREAS, Prof. J. H. Smith has taught as principal of our schools for the past three years and is now about to go to other fields of labor;
Therefore be it Resolved, by the board of directors that we tender to Prof. Smith our thanks for the successful and efficient work he has done in our schools, and we recommend him as a worthy and competent teacher and educator. That a copy of these resolutions be presented to Prof. Smith.

Prof. Smith is a Berrien county boy, his home having been in New Troy.

THERE is some commotion in Baker-town over one George Sterns. A few weeks since he took a turn at chasing some of the school children, and nearly frightened some of them out of their wits. Sterns is subject to fits, said to have been contracted in the army and either is or pretends the non compos act. A move is now being made to place him in some asylum or the Soldiers' home, where he will not chase little children. There are some symptoms connected with the case that tend to the belief that it is a case of epilepsy, and should be treated as such. He knew his place soon enough when he discovered the presence of a man who was large enough to handle him, and stopped his chase at once and without a word.

THE school board met in the RECORD office Monday evening, and elected Miss Effie Perry as teacher in the same place she filled last year at same wages, and Miss Florence Hartman, in place of Miss Nellie Baldwin, in the third Primary department, Miss Baldwin having other engagements, as will be seen elsewhere in this paper. The board also authorized Director Rogers to prepare a room in the old school building for the accommodation of the third Primary, which will bring all the other departments below the third floor of the Union School building. They also ordered the gymnasium that was established two or three years ago to be removed from the school building, as a nuisance to the building. This completes the corps of teachers, places the three Primary departments in the old school building and removes one of the detractions from the study.

THE gang of sharpers that has been noted in other parts of the state for their robberies, came to this place yesterday, but did not find a congenial climate for their operations. Sheriff Sterns and Deputy Palmer were here. About the first thing in the morning, the Sheriff picked up one of the soap-sharper, put him in the coop, and when he went back after the rest of the gang they had flown. This one was kept dry until the middle of the afternoon, when he was released, when he went the way of his fellows. Just in this connection we cannot fail to remark the way the sympathies of the street crowd tend in such cases. These fellows came here with the intention of bleeding the crowd, were trying to arrange for a team to take them quickly to Niles, in case they got into close quarters. We have had notice of their robberies in other parts of the state, that would have been repeated here had the weather been decent, and the Sheriff not done his duty promptly, but with the crowd the crook gets the sympathy and the officers the cursers.

W. C. STRYKER, of Detroit, Mich., has accepted a clerkship at C. H. Robert's pharmacy. Mr. Stryker is a graduate of Ann Arbor college of pharmacy and gentleman, whom we are glad to welcome to our city.—*Monrovia, Cal., Leader.*

BUSINESS.—There will be a meeting of the Business Men's Association, in S. O. V. Hall, to-morrow (Friday) evening, for special business. The Water works committee will be prepared to report. There should be a full attendance. One or more builders of such improvements will be in attendance.

RUMOR.—Sunday afternoon as J. W. Weaver, with his wife and two children were coming towards town, at the causeway just west of the cemetery, with his team of ponies, the tongue broke about the middle, the end dropping down and turning under the carriage breaking it again, and throwing all of the inmates out, when the team came down town on the run. They were turned up Day's avenue, east on the alley at Spencer & Barnes' finishing room, and stopped straddle of a shade tree on Portage street. In being thrown out, Mr. Weaver escaped without injury, but Mrs. Weaver had her arm and shoulder so badly bruised that she could not use either. Both children were thrown into the ditch by the road side, the baby going into a foot or more of water and mud in such a manner that it would have drowned had Mr. Weaver not taken it out at once. Otherwise no serious damage was done.

DIED.—Buchanan lost one of her most worthy citizens in the death of Mr. Bradley M. Pennell, which occurred Friday morning.

Bradley M. Pennell, son of Aaron and Sallie Pennell, was born in Cayuga county, New York, March 27, 1817. July 10, 1840 he was married to Amanda S. Royce, with whom he lived about eight years. To them was born one son, Levi Door, who died in Sept., 1890, aged six years. He was married to Caroline M. Smith, May 8, 1850, who died Aug. 30, 1874. Of their three children, Ruth, Alice and Day, Alice alone survives him. Nov. 4, 1875, he was married to Elizabeth Calvin, who now mourns his loss.

In 1840 he united with the church of the United Brethren in Christ, at Lake, Berrien county, Mich. He lived a consistent Christian life, and was devoted to the church he loved so well. In 1844 he moved to Berrien county, Mich., in which county he lived until his death, at fifteen minutes to four, on the morning of June 22, 1888, aged 71 years and 85 days.

The funeral services were held from his late residence, Sunday forenoon, under direction of Rev. J. F. Bartmess, and were largely attended by the citizens of Buchanan and vicinity.

GALLEN ITEMS.

Mrs. Proper returned home last Wednesday from the northern part of the peninsula, where she has been visiting relatives for several weeks.

Mrs. J. Warren Wright returned to her home, in Battle Creek, on Thursday, accompanied by Miss Blakeslee, her sister, who intends remaining in the city for a short time.

Bentley & Co's circus was in town the 21st.

A good business is being done in the wool trade, though prices are less than last year, and we believe will continue to decline in price, especially so if the free trade policy prevails.

On Tuesday evening, Miss Wilson returned from Chicago with a new stock of millinery in the latest styles, and will be pleased to show them to her friends. Don't forget to call.

Our merchants report that business is steadily increasing, and sales are much better now than last year at the same time.

Mr. Albert Mann and wife came home last week, after an absence of about four weeks.

During the picnic, on Saturday, for some of the Sabbath school pupils, while engaged in their amusements, one of their number, Dora Shook, fell and sustained a severe bruise in the region of the forehead, causing for a time the suspension of her reasoning faculties. She has fully recovered.

Our friend, Mr. John Reese, who has been engaged as head sawyer for Studebaker Bros. in their mill, at Paoli, Ind., is again to be seen on our streets.

Mr. Jay Jones closed his school in Weesaw, on Friday last, having completed his term of engagement, and we are pleased to hear of success attending his efforts, this being his first pedagogical.

We were well entertained by Mr. E. A. Blakeslee on his return from the Chicago Convention in listening to his narration on the authenticity of the proceedings, and many other incidents noteworthy. He is well impressed with the feeling of unanimity that is now predominant among the Republican party, and thinks the enthusiasm manifested predicts a decided victory.

Mr. E. L. Hamilton, of Niles, addressed the citizens of Gallen and vicinity on the political issues of the day, in the town hall, Tuesday evening, setting forth some facts hard for Democrats to digest.

TELEGRAMS from other parts of the state indicate that liquor dealers will keep open on July 4th in order to test the law regarding holidays. This kind of monkeying will result in the establishment of 362 holidays in a year. *Niles Democrat.*

Berrien Springs Era.
Miss Lillie Howe is at Valparaiso, Ind., attending school. . . W. W. Graves has taken up his headquarters at St. Joseph for a time. Judge O'Brien is on the program for the 4th of July oration at St. Joseph.

Three Oaks Sun.
A few days since Victor Wahl, while working in the field about two miles west of Three Oaks, plowed up a piece of gold coin, minted in South America.

Coloma Courier.
Nearly thirteen hundred crates are Coloma's contribution to this week's fragrant blood-red stream of strawberries flowing into Chicago's mighty maw, and we have only just begun picking the crop, as yet. . . The average wages per month for farm hands in Berrien county is \$17; in Cass county it is \$18.00; in Van Buren county, \$16.30; Without board, Berrien pays \$24.32; Cass pays \$22.65; and Van Buren pays \$23.80. A fraction over 26 cents per day is not on its face a fabulous rate for farm hands. . . The said thermometer indicated 10 degrees in the shade last Sunday, in its shirteeloes. It was nearer 40 in everybody else's.

HENRY RICKETT, about twenty-two years of age, the youngest son of Fred Rickett, a farmer adjoining this village, was accidentally killed Thursday, when attempting to jump a passing train not far from Lake Street. He was at work for the Michigan Central company. When he fell the wheels passed over him, mangle his body and killing him almost instantly. The R. C. Co. sent the body to Three Oaks by the express train Friday; it was taken to the home of the grief-stricken parents; the funeral was held in the afternoon of the same day. Henry was born here and we start this was the first time he had gone from home to work. He was an honest, industrious young man. There is much sympathy in the community for the family who were so suddenly called to the funeral of a loved member.—*Three Oaks Sun.*

St. Joseph Republican.

The excessively hot, dry weather is ripening strawberries rapidly. The largest shipment thus far and probably for the season was Monday night, when 5000 were shipped. Wednesday night about 6000 were shipped. The crop this year will be only about half what it was last year, owing in a great measure to a largely decreased acreage. The farmers who were so suddenly called to the funeral of a loved member, though there were several very narrow escapes. One large piece of the casting went nearly the whole length of the mill, another went through the floor, while still another went through the floor above, cutting a 3x3 joist in two almost as straight as though sawed off. The machine had but recently been placed in the mill and had been operated by several of the hands about the factory. Mr. Wells himself having run it the greater part of Wednesday afternoon. Our readers will remember that Mr. Olla lost his wife several months ago under peculiar and circumstances, they having been married less than a week at the time of her death.

The following conversation, which actually occurred a few days since between a traveling man and a prominent granger of this place, illustrates the folly of Cleveland's free wool policy. The traveling man, who was a free trader, wanted to sell the article he was handling to the granger and the granger wanted to purchase it, but pleaded hard times and inability to spare the necessary amount of funds. The free trader remarked that something should be done to give the people cheaper goods: "Why," said he, "this overcoat that I have on cost me twenty-five dollars; the duty should be removed from wool, so that clothing could be bought for a more reasonable figure; you farmers have been getting rich on wool." "Yes," said the granger, "that is a fine coat, much better than I can afford to wear; by the way, how much wool do you think it took to make it?" "Oh, about five pounds I should think," responded the gentleman. "You are about right," said Mr. Woodman—"we didn't intend to mention his name, but it is written and we will let it stand." "You have evidently been reading up somewhat; and the tariff at ten cents would amount to just half a dollar; the twenty-four dollars and a half represents labor and profit; the woolmen have been doing a large share of the labor and receiving but a very small portion of the profit and yet, for the purpose of getting a cheaper coat, you woolmen have been getting rich on wool." "Yes," said the granger, "that is a fine coat, much better than I can afford to wear; by the way, how much wool do you think it took to make it?" "Oh, about five pounds I should think," responded the gentleman. "You are about right," said Mr. Woodman—"we didn't intend to mention his name, but it is written and we will let it stand." 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