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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1888.

## Republican National Ticket.

FOR PRESIDENT,  
BENJAMIN HARRISON,  
OF INDIANA.FOR VICE PRESIDENT,  
LEVI P. MORTON,  
OF NEW YORK.

For Electors.

At Large—R. A. ALGER, of Wayne, and  
ISAAC CAPRON, of Kent.  
First District—EDWARD BURK.  
Second District—JAMES E. DEAN.  
Third District—EDWARD KIRKMAN.  
Fourth District—J. W. FERRIS.  
Fifth District—J. L. LEATHERS.  
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Seventh District—JOHN S. THOMPSON.  
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Ninth District—WILLIAM W. CUMMER.  
Tenth District—HARRY P. MERRILL.  
Eleventh District—FERRY HANNAH.

## Republican State Ticket.

For Governor,  
CYRUS K. LUCE, of Branch.  
For Lieutenant Governor,  
JAMES H. McDONALD, of Delta.  
For Secretary of State,  
GIL R. OSUM, of Wayne.  
For State Treasurer,  
GEORGE L. MALLITZ, of Alpena.  
For Auditor General,  
HENRY H. APLIN, of Bay.  
For Commissioner of State Land Office,  
ROBERT D. DIX, of Berrien.  
For Attorney General,  
STEPHEN V. R. TROWBRIDGE, of Ionia.  
For Superintendent of Public Instruction,  
JOSEPH ESTABROOK, of Eaton.  
For Member State Board Education,  
PARRY F. POWERS, of Wexford.

## Republican Congress—Fourth Dist.

JULIUS C. BURROWS.

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For Sheriff,  
BENTON R. STERNES, of Gallen.  
For Judge of Probate,  
DAVID E. HINMAN.  
For County Clerk,  
HERBERT L. POTTER, of Weesaw.  
For Treasurer,  
EDMUND B. STORMS, of Niles.  
For Recorder of Deeds,  
WASHINGTON P. HARMAN.  
For Prosecuting Attorney,  
GEORGE W. BRIDGMAN.  
For Surveyor,  
WASHBURN W. GRAVES.  
For Circuit Court Commissioners,  
JOHN A. WATSON.  
ZIRHIL L. COOPER.  
For Coroners,  
NEDDIE L. MILLER.  
ALEXANDER WILBURN.  
For Fish Inspector,  
THEODORE P. LUTZ.

## MAINE ELECTION.

The election in Maine, last Tuesday, resulted in a great Republican victory. The majorities are estimated from 10,000 to 21,000 in the state, when not over 15,000 was expected. It is believed that the State Senate will be solid by Republican, and the House four-fifths Republican. Every county has gone Republican, the Democrats only electing here and there a county officer, and a few members of the Legislature. The Republican Congressmen are elected by larger majorities than they ever received before. The elections so far held are indications of how the country will go in November. Oregon, Vermont and Maine have each increased their majorities, and every other Northern state will do the same in November. Our Democrat friends might as well begin now to pack their grips for the sail up salt river.

The sixteenth year of the Chicago Interstate exposition opened Sept. 5, and will close Oct. 20.

Hon. James G. Blaine will speak in this State at a few of the prominent points, in October, beginning at Detroit on the tenth.

At the Senatorial Convention in Do-  
wagiac, Hon. W. I. Babcock was nomi-  
nated to succeed himself in the State  
Senate. The best choice that could  
have been made.

Yesterday, Gov. Hill, of New York,  
was renominated by the Democratic  
State Convention, and in Massachusetts  
Gen. Ames was renominated by the  
Republican State Convention.

A vote taken on a train going to the  
Columbus encampment, between An-  
derson, Ind., and Galion, O., showed  
291 for Harrison, 58 for Cleveland and  
20 for Tisk, which shows that a large  
majority of the old veterans vote as  
they shot, for the stars and stripes in-  
stead of the rose-wipe.

Arkansas has gone democratic by  
about 15,000, though the democrats  
had to steal several ballot boxes and  
shoot down the men guarding them to  
make the figures so large. Two  
years ago the democratic majority in  
that state was 36,585. We believe that  
an honest ballot now would not show  
the state to be democratic.

Hardly a day passes but reports  
come of flagrant violation of the postal  
regulation, by democratic postmasters  
in getting the party documents before  
the public, but we hear of no case in  
which the offending party is molested  
for the violation. "Turn the rascals out."

The full returns of the Vermont  
election give Dillingham (Rep.) 43,380;  
Shurtlett (Dem.) 10,420; Seely (Pro.)  
1,269 and scattering 6. Dillingham's  
plurality is 32,954, and his majority  
over all 27,650. This is the largest re-  
publican majority ever given in the  
state, and the net gain, as compared  
with 1884, is 5,600.

In every community there are those  
who do not understand the main ques-  
tion in this campaign, the tariff, as  
they wish, and are calling for  
reading matter on the subject. It is  
the duty of the republican committee  
to see that all are supplied with good  
literature on this question, as this will  
go farther to establish correct Ameri-  
can ideas than to listen to stump  
speeches. Nothing is so good for the  
republican party as well posted voters,  
and it is a fact that when a man will  
read and think for himself he almost  
always votes the republican ticket.

At the Cass county republican con-  
vention about forty men were present  
as delegates who voted for Cleveland  
four years ago, but support the whole  
republican ticket this year. Now let an-  
other batch of repentant sinners come  
forward and receive the blessings of  
divine inspiration and the benefits of  
a new life of righteousness, and the work  
goes on while the quire sings, "Come  
ye sinners poor and needy."

The Niles Star thinks that Wm.  
Shakespeare, of Kalamazoo, can get  
more votes against Hon. J. C. Burrows  
than any other man in the district.  
We can promise Mr. S. the nomination  
in advance of the convention if he  
wants it. There are no aspirants for  
the honor of standing up to be knocked  
down this year, and he can relieve the  
democrat convention which meets at  
Dowagiac on the 20th, by expressing a  
willingness to be defeated.

A novel mass meeting was held at  
Paw Paw last Saturday. It was a  
meeting of the republican kids of Van  
Buren county, attended with a picnic,  
speaking, music, a grand parade and  
the raising of a Harrison and Morton  
pole 75 feet high. Delegations of ju-  
veniles were present from several of  
the neighboring towns. One of the fea-  
tures of the parade was a wagon con-  
taining 65 children too small to march,  
each waving the emblem of our coun-  
try.

One of the largest and most notable  
gatherings of the country is the meet-  
ing of the Union veterans at Columbus,  
Ohio, this week. They are flocking to  
that city from every part of the north  
by the train load. These meetings are  
productive of much good in renewing  
old acquaintances, and talking over  
the past dark days of our country.  
When they thus gather, the eyes of  
the "old boys" brighten, the step be-  
comes more elastic and it seems as if  
youth is renewed. May they all live  
to gather together for many more an-  
niversaries.

President Cleveland's letter of accep-  
tance was given to the country in the  
Monday morning papers, and is re-  
ceived with conflicting opinions. It is  
a reiteration of most of his message of  
nine months ago, but on the question of  
free trade, he tries to hedge by taking  
back some of his former sayings and  
substituting others. Upon one point in  
his first letter he does not touch, his  
declaration that a person should not  
accept a second term. He forgot that.  
He has much more to say about civil  
service reform than he practices, evi-  
dently believing that to be a much bet-  
ter question to preach about than to  
practice, but he will fail to bamboozle  
the country with that cry this year.

The third party prohibitionists  
have been holding tent meetings in  
Benton Harbor. In its report of one  
of them the Palladium says:  
"The meeting was addressed by five  
speakers, all of whom spoke on the  
merits of temperance in general  
and others on the political attitude of  
their party in particular. The last  
speaker, Rev. Mr. Crozier, was singularly  
frank and outspoken in his views,  
and if all speakers were like him no  
one could complain of being deceived  
as to the object of the third party.  
He said he was born and raised a Demo-  
crat but that he was now a Prohi-  
bitionist; that their object was to  
attack the republican party and kill it  
off because, in his opinion, it was the  
party nearest to them."

Gen Harrison's letter of acceptance  
was given to the country in yesterday's  
papers. It is a masterly effort and  
deals with the issues of the day, in  
a candid and straightforward man-  
ner. Owing to its length, which is  
not so great as that of Mr. Cleve-  
land's, however, we are unable to pub-  
lish it this week, but will do so in  
our next issue. The Chicago Inter-  
Ocean of yesterday, in commenting on  
the letter, says:

General Harrison presents the real  
issue of this campaign with a direct-  
ness and practical force which cannot  
fail to have great influence with the  
voters of the country. He is particu-  
larly felicitous when he characterizes  
the advocates of free trade theories as  
"students of maxims and not of mar-  
kets." That is precisely where the  
false step is made, following the light  
of the question in New York. The  
policy of giving a few favorite  
banks the advantage of enormous gov-  
ernment deposits is justly condemned.  
The Chinese question in particular,  
and the immigration question in gen-  
eral, are both discussed in a way to  
leave no room for misunderstanding  
the position occupied by the Republi-  
can party and its standard-bearer. In-  
stead of a few slushy generalizations  
General Harrison is explicit and thor-  
ough, precluding the possibility of suc-  
cessful misrepresentation. The case  
of the Southern colored Republicans  
denied the right of suffrage is also  
clearly and correctly put. The sub-  
ject, in fact, is given its due proportion  
of attention, and in no instance does  
the trumpet give an uncertain sound.  
From first to last the document has  
the ring of good statesmanship and the  
loyalty of patriotism.

These figures eloquently tell their  
own story:  
For starving Ireland, Levi P. Morton  
gave..... \$50,000  
For suffering Charleston, Grover Cleve-  
land gave..... 20  
For my re-election, Grover Cleveland  
gave..... \$10,000

"The main question at issue [in  
America] is England free trade against  
the continental system of protection.  
\* \* \* The American election is in-  
finitely more important to Englishmen  
than their own internal politics just at  
this juncture. \* \* \* The result of the  
American election will help to decide  
many important issues in Great Brit-  
ain."—London Sunday Times, July 15,  
1888.

## The Old Roman Killed.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 10.—A dispatch  
from New York states that Thurman  
has been made very angry at having  
been elected by Cleveland for a specta-  
cular defeat in New York. The  
dispatch says: "If there is a madder  
in the sense of anger, man in the  
United States to-day than Allen G.  
Thurman he is a fit subject for re-  
straint. The Old Roman feels that he  
has been humiliated to make a Cleve-  
land holiday, and he is hot in the col-  
dard about it. In the first place, he did  
not want to leave his comfortable home  
in Columbus and come here to speak.  
The shaking up that was given to  
man while on his way East disturbed  
him greatly, and soured his temper as  
well as his stomach. He said in sub-  
stance: 'This is the roughest treatment  
I have ever had. I did not go on the  
ticket to save New York, if Cleveland  
had any more trips of this kind he  
will have to make them himself  
for by the way—it's the last time they'll  
have Allen G. Thurman around the  
country in this trip. It's Cleveland's  
place to save his own State, and not  
mine. I care a hundred times more  
about my standing in my own State  
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clerk's office and stole ten ballot boxes.

The Kalamazoo Gazette, Democratic  
party organ, in its issue of Saturday,  
says: "There is no more sense in the  
organization known as the Sons of Vet-  
erans than there would be in an organi-  
zation known as the Sons of Green  
cheese. It is simply perpetuating a  
class distinction that is detrimental  
to the good of society." That is dis-  
tinctly Democratic opinion. The "class  
distinction" that the Sons of Veterans  
perpetuate are simply the distinctions  
between the men who fought to save  
the Union, and the men who fought  
and voted against saving it—the dis-  
tinction between patriots and those  
who were not patriots. They perpetu-  
ate the memory of Union soldiers.

In addition to voting for presiden-  
tial electors, state officers, congressmen  
and local officers this fall, the voters in  
Michigan have two other questions.  
One is an amendment to the consti-  
tution relative to the mode of electing  
provides for the election of more than  
one circuit judge in the Detroit and  
Saginaw circuits, and authorizes boards  
of supervisors in Saginaw, Wayne and  
the upper peninsula, in addition to  
that fixed by the constitution as may  
be determined upon by such boards.  
The new general banking law to be  
submitted to the people at act No. 305  
of the laws of 1887, beginning on page  
223 and ending on page 242. Under  
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Knock-down Argument Every Time.

During the period preceding the  
adoption of the Constitution we had  
free trade, and the years from 1783 to  
1789 were years of the most wretched  
this country pass into the possession  
of British manufacturers, while our  
own industries were suspended, our  
manufacturers ruined, our laborers  
beggared and our farmers unable to  
gather enough money to pay taxes.  
Bankruptcies, auctions, were the order  
of the day. Free trade was more cru-  
el than war. Our imports from Great  
Britain were \$500,000,000, while our  
exports were only \$50,000,000. This  
drained us of our last dollar, and the  
circulating medium was so scarce  
that business could not be properly  
transacted. The adoption of the Con-  
stitution was immediately accompa-  
nied by protection or high tariff legisla-  
tion, and the result was a revival of  
industries, while the people became  
contented and prosperous. The tariff  
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purposes, greatly for the benefit of  
home industries and the farming in-  
dustries of the whole country. In 1816  
the Democratic party repealed the  
tariff of 1812, and in 1819 the tariff was  
only being allowed. Henry Clay de-  
clared that the average decrease in the  
value of property in this period was  
not less than 50 per cent. In 1824  
the tariff was reduced to a protective  
tariff. At once great financial pros-  
perity set in. So helpful was the tar-  
iff that in 1826 the duties were increas-  
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pay his grocery bills, all on a salary of  
\$10,000 a year, the only wonder is that  
he eats at all.—Chicago News.

P. D. Beckwith is still hammering  
away at the Dowagiac gas well.

One of the most accomplished young  
ladies in Jackson is a confirmed som-  
nambulist, and the other night she  
arose, removed a heavy table and three  
chairs that had been piled against the  
door, drew an intricate bolt which had  
been attached to the door for her ben-  
efit, walked four blocks to the barn,  
fed the family horse and returned to  
her apartment without waking up.—  
Detroit News.

## Five Harvest Excursions.

The Burlington Route, C. B. & Q. R.,  
will sell on Tuesdays, Sept. 26th, and Oct.  
and 29th, Harvest Excursion Tickets at  
Half Rates to the Farming Regions  
of the West, South-west, North-west,  
Limit, thirty days. For circular giv-  
ing details concerning tickets, rates,  
time of train, etc., and for descriptive  
land folder, call on your Ticket Agent,  
or address P. S. Buntis, Gen'l Pass. and  
Ticket Agent C. B. & Q. R. K., Chicago

## Direct from the Front.

KNOXVILLE, TENN., July 2, 1888.  
The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.:  
Gentlemen—I can clearly and truth-  
fully say that S. S. S. is the greatest blood  
purifier on earth. In 1884 I contracted  
blood poisoning. Physicians treated me with  
no good result. I took a half dozen dif-  
ferent kinds of blood purifiers without  
receiving any permanent relief. I was in-  
duced to try S. S. S. I began the first  
bottle with the gravest doubts of success.  
I had been so often deceived. But im-  
provement came, and I continued its use  
until perfectly well. I have since married,  
and have a healthy family. No trace of  
disease is seen. Swift's Specific did all  
this for me, and I am grateful. Yours  
truly,  
J. S. STRADER,  
118 Dole Ave.

## KEMP, TEXAS, June 23, 1888.

The Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga.:  
Gentlemen—A sixteen-year-old son of  
mine was afflicted with blood and broke  
out with an eruption on various parts of his  
body. I put him to taking S. S. S., and a  
few bottles cured him entirely. I live at  
Lone Oak, but my postoffice is at Kemp.  
Yours truly,  
W. S. ROBINSON.

## Three books mailed free on application.

All druggists sell S. S. S.  
THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.,  
Drawers 3, Atlanta, Ga.  
New York, 755 Broadway.

## PHACTS AND PHYSIC.

Girls are wearing solid silver belts  
with their white flannel blouses.

## Professional Ignorance.

Nothing is more common, nor less  
true, than for physicians to tell pa-  
tients in the first stages of heart dis-  
ease, that the trouble is only nervous,  
etc., of no account. A little knowl-  
edge is a dangerous thing as shown by  
the great number of people who die of  
heart disease when its existence is not  
suspected. Take warning. Don't neg-  
lect the first symptoms, and if you  
would avoid sudden death, angina pec-  
toris, etc., take Dr. Miles' New Cure  
before it is too late. Sold at W. H.  
Keeler's Drug Store.

In this weather soda water and gin-  
ger pop are fizzy necessities.

## The surprising manner in which the

country is being swept by the discov-  
ery of Dr. Mills for curing many dis-  
eases that originate in the nerves is  
astounding all who knew the facts.  
The Restorative Nervine, a brain and  
nervous food, sold by W. H. Keeler, cures  
weakness, want of appetite, exhaus-  
tion, debility from overwork, care,  
worry and dissipation. It takes the  
place of stimulants, opiates, chloral,  
etc., and restores the nervous system.  
It contains no morphine, opium or dan-  
gerous drugs.

## Laundries in France clean linen

without soap by rubbing it with boiled  
potatoes.

There is no denying the fact that Dr.  
Jones' Red Clover Tonic is the most  
successful blood purifier ever put on  
the market. Its wonderful cures in  
itching, skin and liver troubles has  
brought out many imitations. It re-  
stores debilitated nerve tissues, restor-  
ing the force lost by sickness, mental  
work, or excessive use of liquor, opium  
and tobacco. W. F. Runner will sup-  
ply the genuine at 50 cents per bottle.  
Three.

## Contentment is better than riches,

but few of us can make advances about  
the matter either way, nowadays.

Do you feel languid, low spirited,  
lifeless and miserable, both physically  
and mentally, have poor appetite, fre-  
quent headaches, bitter or bad taste in  
the mouth, nervous prostration, and do  
you know that the matter lies? You  
have torpid liver, associated with in-  
digestion. You need Dr. Jones' Red  
Clover Tonic. You need it to-day.  
Buy of W. F. Runner. An ever prompt  
cure for headache, constipation, pim-  
ples, rheumatism, indigestion, dyspepsia  
and all blood disorders. Three.

Woman's whirl—her dancing part-  
ner.



**TRENBETH,**  
Merchant Tailor

constantly in stock the largest stock and most desirable

**FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC SUITINGS,**

For Gentlemen's Wear,

to be found in Berrien county at the lowest living prices for good work.

**Fall and Winter Stock**

now in, of which

**An Inspection is Solicited.**

**Buchanan Markets.**  
Hay—\$5 @ \$10 per ton.  
Butter—15c.  
Eggs—12c.  
Lard—10c.  
Potatoes, new—35c.  
Salt, retail—\$1.00.  
Flour—\$3.00 @ \$5.20 per bbl., retail.  
Honey—15.  
Live poultry—6 @ 7c.  
Wheat—90c.  
Oats—55c.  
Corn—30c.  
Beans—25c.  
Buckwheat flour—\$3.00.  
Dressed pork—\$6.00 per cwt.  
Wool—16c @ 20.  
Live Hogs—5c.

**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.

THE St. Joseph schools employ fifteen teachers.

Geo. F. WEIDMAN, Niles, has his pension increased.

Go and hear Col. W. V. Berry, at Rough's opera house, Monday evening.

BENTON HARBOR fair this week and that at Niles next week. Going?

S. J. EVANS Benton Harbor, pensioned.

Ed. WOODCOCK's English mastiff took first prize in Toledo.

THE Democratic Congressional Convention is to be held in Dowagiac September 20.

HI STRONG was in town last Friday and Saturday, visiting his numerous friends.

JOHN ROGERS and Clint McGlinsey, of South Bend, were visiting their relatives in this place, Sunday.

Mrs. B. E. BINNS, of Sedan, Kan., is in Buchanan, called here by the death of her mother, Mrs. A. C. Day.

MR. HORACE BLACK is quite materially improving his property on Front street, and expects to move into it before winter.

J. L. RICHARDS is raising and otherwise improving his Front street residence before moving into it.

MR. ELI HELMICK gave the teachers of our schools a ride in his new wagonette, yesterday afternoon.

NILES does the chain gang act on tramps. A good way to get cheap street work.

THE school census of this district shows 540 pupils, which is 22 less than last year, when there were 562.

REV. H. V. WARREN attended the Kalamazoo Presbytery at Decatur this week.

FREEMAN FRANKLIN spoke to a crowded hall in Pipestone last Saturday evening, on the tariff issue.

E. L. HARPER of Cassopolis was in Buchanan from Saturday to Monday evening, calling upon old friends.

Mrs. M. L. COX has gone to Rankin, Ill., for a month's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Emma Hayes.

MR. T. M. FULTON, of Hyde Park, Ill., was in town visiting his mother and sisters, Tuesday.

WM SHINGLEDECKER is the musical name under which an Eau Claireite sails.

EVERYBODY go to the Fair at Niles next week. Both of the candidates for Governor of this state are expected to be there.

W. J. RICHARDSON threshed one acre of oats for M. D. Franklin, near Lakeside, in Chikaming township, which yielded 73 bushels.

THE St. Joseph Herald has commenced the publication of that interesting (to the publisher) story, entitled, Sale of State Tax Lands. It will continue four weeks, and grow in interest each week.

MR. GEORGE WECKESSER, of Dayton, O., is visiting his sister, Mrs. John Morris, this week.

MRS. EDITH C. O'NEIL, of Burlington, Iowa, arrived yesterday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Crawford.

"The Bridge of Redemption" will be the subject of discourse by the pastor of the Christian church next Sunday morning.

MISS CORA PECK is canvassing for the sale of Gen. Lew Wallace's biography of Gen. Harrison, the Republican nominee for President.

TCM BARNES struck his hand against the whittler in the Furniture factory Friday morning, making a ragged wound in the ball of the thumb.

Mrs. DEVERE, who has been visiting her mother in this place for some weeks, returned to her home in Clinton, N. Y., Tuesday morning.

FARMERS have commenced cutting up corn. On sandy soil the crop has been somewhat lightened by the dry weather.

REV. LEVI TARR, who was pastor of the M. E. Church in this place several years ago, died recently in Los Angeles, Cal.

THE Senatorial district committee for this district, comprising Cass and Berrien counties, is C. W. Clisbee, of Cassopolis; L. C. Fyfe, St. Joseph; Z. L. Cooper, Niles.

MISS Annie Treat and Lizzie Strauss left for Ypsilanti last Friday. It is their intention to take at least one year's course in the State Normal School.

CONSIDERABLE wheat has already been sown. Early enough, surely, for the best accommodation of the Russian fly, which does on early sown wheat.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK MUNSON of this place attended the 50th wedding anniversary of the parents of Mrs. Munson, in Lake township, last Sunday.

THE next union service will be held at the Christian church next Sunday evening. Rev. J. N. Martin will address the meeting. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to attend.

MR. HENRY WATERMAN stuck an adze into the calf of his leg, while doing some carpentering at his home, Saturday. It required a couple of stitches to close the wound.

MR. AND MRS. H. N. MOWREY and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Emerson have taken advantage of the cheap rate to Columbus, Ohio, to visit their friends in that direction.

THE men in the finishing department of the Buchanan Manufacturing Company's factory quit work, on Tuesday of last week, on account of a dissatisfaction regarding their pay. They are again at work.

CORRECTION.—Mrs. Jannette Burris, whose death was noted in the Record last week, was 73 years of age instead of 62 as was stated, and her death occurred one day earlier than was stated.

W. H. & M. J. MORLEY will sell a lot of horses, cattle and other personal property at the W. S. Morley farm, three miles north of Galien, on Friday, Sept. 21. John A. Babcock will wield the hammer.

MR. ELI HELMICK has purchased a new carry-all, which he proposes to run for the accommodation of picnics and other parties. The new enterprise meets with the unbiased disapproval of lively men.

CHARLES SCHWARTZ, employed in the bridge gang on the Michigan Central, struck an adze into the top of his foot, severing the tendons to one of his toes and making an ugly cut. He is not building bridges this week.

MISS CORA and MR. GRANT PECK gave a fruit party at the home of their father, Capt. John Peck, Tuesday evening, which was attended by a large number of their friends, and a social time enjoyed.

MR. W. W. GRAVES, county surveyor, and republican candidate for election, has moved from Berrien Springs to this place, and taken up his residence at the Helmick house. We are glad to welcome him back to Buchanan.

THE Buchanan Windmill Co. are receiving orders for their mills from foreign countries. They have four ready to ship to South America, two to Cuba, and have orders for others to go to Australia.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Sept. 12: Mrs. Fannie Bosner, Miss Libby Page, Mrs. Edgar Boil. Mr. J. R. Bowers, Peter Johnson.

J. G. MANSFIELD, P. M.

THE Sunday School entertainment at the Christian church last Sunday evening was truly an enjoyable one. A packed house of apparently well pleased hearers were present, and those taking part in the exercises acquitted themselves very creditably.

THE county fair, which will be held in Niles next week, commencing on the 18th, promises to be a good one. For the speed department there are said to be several good horses entered, and races are promised to be interesting. Other departments promise to be better than ever before.

THE Gerber girl, who was arrested last week on charge of pilfering from the Helmick house, was released by Esquire Dick, Friday, he becoming convinced that the girl was not wholly to blame for the goods being in her trunk. Her father was here to take her in charge, and she went with him to their home in Laporte, Ind.

WE are told the Niles Star has sent out postal cards to all the candidates for office in this county, offering to publish their announcements until day of election, and throw in a good puff, for \$5. We have noticed only one as yet who has accepted this liberal offer.

THE RECORD office is prepared to furnish election slips in any quantity desired at low rates. They are warranted to elect any candidate using them, if he succeeds in having enough of them pasted over the other fellow's name.

DIED.—Charles McCoy died Tuesday evening, after an illness of several weeks with typhoid fever, aged about 26 years. As Charley was born here, and spent nearly all his life in this village, he was well known, and to his immediate circle of friends his demise will be a sad blow.

COL. W. W. BERRY, of Quincy, Ill., who is said to be an eloquent speaker will address the citizens of this vicinity at Rough's opera house, next Monday evening, from a republican standpoint. Let everybody, and especially every republican, attend.

THERE will be a peach and cream and ice-cream social, at the residence of Mrs. Geyer's to-morrow (Friday), evening, by the ladies of the Presbyterian church. Arrangements are completed for a grand good time. Go and see.

THE gas discovered above Niles has been tested by Mr. Kirkham and proven to not be marsh gas, and the flow too is steady in quantity and force. The people in that place are fully convinced that a bonanza is within their grasp, and will do all that is necessary to develop it. May their prospect not be proven a phantom.

ALL members of the Chataqua Circle are requested to meet in the Y. M. C. A. hall, next Monday evening, at 7:30 o'clock, to elect officers, make arrangements for the purchase of books, and plan for the work of the year. A cordial invitation is extended to all who are not members to be present and join the circle.

BENTON HARBOR promises to be well supplied with newspapers in the future. There is the staunch old republican Palladium, daily and weekly; the Gazette, which has heretofore been democratic, but now comes out for the republican ticket, and now comes the Hartford News, democratic, which will move to that place this week.

Marriage Licenses.

323 Robert Krump, St. Joseph.  
324 Caroline Mutchall, St. Joseph.  
325 John F. Lister, Buchanan.  
326 Nettie E. Marsh,  
327 Jasper A. Wall, Stevensville.  
328 Nellie Stieb,  
329 Frank Ott, Stevensville.  
330 Edith Maganda,  
331 Chas. M. King, Sodus.  
332 Letha Hogue,  
333 Richard Gross, Bainbridge.  
334 Jennie Kuzmann, Pipestone.

DIED.—Bert Kinney, who had been very low with typhoid fever for several days, died Tuesday evening, aged about 28 years. He leaves a wife and one child. The funeral will be under the auspices of the fire department, of which he had long been a member. The fire and hose companies are requested to meet at Engine House No. 1, promptly at 9:30, Friday morning.

TWO of our citizens got into a street political argument, Tuesday, when words becoming very hot, one slapped the other in the face. An assault and battery suit was averted by the payment to the injured man, by the other fellow, of one dollar. This was probably the best way to settle the matter, but it was pretty tough on the lawyers and justice who are thus cheated out of their fee.

ORANGE JUDD, the agricultural editor whose name is known in all the United States from his connection with the leading agricultural papers of the country for the past thirty-five years, has commenced the publication of a first-class Agricultural paper in Chicago, viz: the Orange Judd Farmer, with the subscription at \$1 per year. Send for a sample, free.

B. D. HARPER, Wm. Roe and Peter Weese were elected on the economy issue.—Enterprise.

How about John E. Barnes, who pays more school tax than all of the rest of the school board, and was elected at the same time as B. D. Harper? Was it not expected that he would be economical? Mr. H. Rogers was elected by the same meeting that elected Mr. Roe. How is it that one of these two men was elected "on the economy issue" and the other was not?

MARTIN KELLOGG, the oldest citizen of Huron County, Ohio, who will be 102 years the 21st of September, voted for Harrison in 1840. Of late years he has voted with the Prohibition and Greenback parties. If he lives to go to the polls in November he will return to his first love and vote the republican ticket.—Ex.

Mr. Kellogg is the great uncle of L. N. Batchelor of this place and is said to be as hale and hearty as many men of half his age. He also shows that "his head is level" by deciding to vote for Gen. Harrison next November.

TENT MEETING.—The third party prohibitionists will have speaking in a large tent on the Ross lot, corner of Front and Oak streets, on Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 22 and 23, conducted by Geo. F. Blanchard, of Alma, assisted by Geo. F. Cummings, of St. Joseph, candidate for congress, and Jacob Montgomery, candidate for superintendent of Public Instruction. We are told the meetings on Sunday will be gospel meetings and non-political. Speaking at 2:30 and 7:30 p. m.

THE following persons from Buchanan and vicinity took the train at Niles, Monday morning, to attend the soldiers' encampment, at Columbus, O.: John Perrott, Aaron Miller, J. W. Beistle, Theodore Thomas, John Jackson, Lee L. Bunker, Amos Evans, Wm. Burrus, Ira Sparks, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Mowrey, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Emerson, H. H. Juday, W. J. Jones, Adam Kern, D. W. Swann. We learn the G. A. R. post at Galien furnished fifteen passengers.

THE amount of money to be raised for school purposes in this district this year will be about \$1,000 less than last year. Of this reduction \$370 will be on teachers' wages, \$200 interest, and the following sums which were raised last year and not needed this year: Repairs, \$100; apparatus, \$75, and cistern, \$150. This will make a reduction which will be noticeable to every taxpayer when he looks at his tax receipt next winter.

THE Democrats had a good meeting here Saturday evening, with a torch-light procession, 91 torches being carried by many democrats. The speaker was Dr. Rockwell of Benton Harbor. The main part of the crowd, who came out to witness the procession, however, did not make their appearance in the hall, yet a good sized audience was present, the hall being nearly filled.

"Have you heard from Maine? Greenback meeting at the Town Hall, Friday evening, Sept. 13, 1878! Good speakers!"

THE above are the words of a conspicuous poster which appeared in Three Oaks ten years ago, put up by Henry Chamberlain, Jr. The original poster now re-appears with the following addition:

"Yes, we have heard from Maine. Sept. 12, 1888. Have you?"

A LARGE and enthusiastic republican meeting was held at the residence of Mr. James Scott, in Bertram township, last evening, which was ably addressed by Hon. Geo. F. Edwards and Senator W. L. Babcock, of Niles. The Niles band and club were present and furnished good music. A Harrison and Morton club of over forty members was formed. Mr. Freeman Franklin was expected to address the meeting, but owing to illness was not able to attend.

DIED.—Florence Ethel Brocous, daughter of Henry and Lydia Brocous, died of diphtheria, near Buchanan, Sept. 11, 1888, aged four years and twenty-eight days. Little Florence was the joy and pride of a happy christian household; but suddenly she departed to live with God and be with the angels. The family will long miss her at the hearthstone. But her ministry was well done, having helped to sanctify and lift heavenward the very hearts that broke at her farewell. She leaves to the family a lingering fragrance of untarnished innocence.

THE Star makes a great wail for the bill poster who was fined here last week for covering fair bills, and promises great vengeance if it knew particulars. The particulars are that the fellow had been nearly all over the county making a special point to cover every fair bill he could find, that word was sent here from Eau Claire to that effect and to look out for him, that he performed his same antics here; that W. A. Palmer arrested him in Niles, brought him here before Justice Dick who fined \$1, and costs, and that he knows better than to do that kind of business any more. Now let us have the Star "rite up."

FIRST NATIONAL BANK.—The organization of a national bank in this place was effected Monday morning with a paid capital of \$50,000, divided among the following stockholders: John Reynolds, E. W. Saunders, L. L. Redden, J. H. Roe, Wm. M. Roe, Scott Whitman, and John F. Reynolds. These stockholders elected the following officers: John Reynolds, President; E. W. Saunders, Vice President; John F. Reynolds, Cashier; these officers, with L. L. Redden and J. H. Roe are the directors. As soon as the papers can go to Washington and return the bank will be ready to commence business. The Record predicts a prosperous business for the investors in this enterprise.

ONE of the most contemptible newspaper squibs we have seen for some time is the following from the Niles Mirror. The man who wrote it must think very much of himself, but much less for his reputation as a truth-teller: "The Berrien County Mutual Fire Insurance Company, it is believed, is now being run in the interests of the Republican party. All its officers, except two, are rank Republicans, and no Democrat need apply. One of the funniest is now the general office-seeker, Freeman Franklin, who is their secretary. Such men will run matters ashore."

FROM the crop report for September, issued by the Secretary of State, we learn that of wheat, there was threshed in this county in August 5,527 acres, yielding 109,723 bushels, an average of 19.85 bushels per acre. At this average it is expected the crop will be 753,540 bushels. Of oats there were reported 2,019 acres, yielding 73,091 bushels, an average of 35.67 bushels. The average yield of wheat in this county is larger than that of any other county in the state, except Cass, which has an average of 20.31 bushels.

MR. FRED CARLISLE arrived from South Bend Tuesday, where he has been for two weeks in the interest of the Indiana & Lake Michigan railroad. In reply to the question how the project was moving, he says there is no longer any doubt of the building of the road.—St. Joseph Republican.

MR. CARLISLE was here for a short time Saturday evening. We are given indirectly to understand that he will expect Buchanan to donate right-of-way for track and depot grounds for the new road, should he conclude to come this way.

THEREY entered the barn of E. L. Rauff Wednesday night and stole a horse, buggy and harness. Early on Thursday morning Mr. Rauff made the discovery and succeeded in tracing the rig some distance beyond the city where it was stopped to make inquiry he saw his horse returning, having been abandoned by the thieves. A new whip was left in the buggy, and Mr. Rauff is now trying to find out where the whip was purchased by whom. It was not bought here.—Niles Democrat.

The rig was brought to the river bridge at this place, and as the bridge was not in a passable condition and the thief did not know about the ford, he abandoned it with the above result.

THE Free-Will Baptists of this and Berrien county will hold their quarterly meeting at the Baptist church in Brownsville, on Friday, Sept. 14th. Rev. Mr. Ford, state agent, will officiate. All are cordially invited.—Cass Democrat.

DIED.—Another of the pioneers of this section passed away at Franklin, N. Y., on the evening of September 6, 1888, in the person of Mrs. Betsey Day, widow of the late Andrew C. Day. Mrs. Day, whose maiden name was Betsey Spoor, was born in Franklin, N. Y., in 1809, and was married to Mr. Day, in the town of her birth, on June 12, 1828. They came west in 1836 and settled in Buchanan, and had continuously resided here since that date. A few weeks since, desiring to visit her two sisters at her old home, she started in company with her granddaughter, Mrs. Hall, standing the journey well, and was in her ordinary health and good spirits until only a few minutes before her death, which was easy and painless. Her disease was said to be heart trouble. The remains were brought to Buchanan, arriving Sunday evening, and the interment made on Tuesday afternoon. Two daughters survive her, Mrs. J. M. Mathews, of this place, and Mrs. B. E. Binns, of Sedan, Kansas. The funeral discourse was preached by Dr. F. H. Berriek, at her late residence, there being a large company of the neighbors and friends present to attest the esteem in which she was held by them. Mrs. Day was a woman of sterling integrity, and had a kind and generous heart. In her domestic relations, she was a faithful wife, an affectionate and indulgent mother, a kind neighbor, and good to the poor, by whom she will be greatly missed.

M. E. APPOINTMENTS.—The following are the appointments of the M. E. Church Conference of this district:

REV. W. L. COGSWELL, P. E.  
Bangor—W. H. Parsons.  
Benton Harbor—E. B. Patterson.  
Berrien Springs—W. Gosling.  
Breedsville—S. Trevin.  
Buchanan—L. Hamilton.  
Cassopolis—J. Wilson.  
Coloma and Waterliet—G. A. Buell.  
Decatur—W. W. Lamport.  
Dowagiac—G. C. Thomas.  
Eau Claire and Pipestone—W. J. Wilson.  
Edwardsburg—H. C. Chamberlain.  
Galien and Dayton—F. H. Nix.  
Hartford—William Trout.  
Keeler and Silver Creek—O. F. Hutchinson.  
Lawrence—W. N. Younglove.  
Lawton—E. H. Day.  
Marcellus—W. L. Stinchcomb.  
Mattawan—S. S. Slyter.  
New Buffalo and Three Oaks—Uri Mason.  
Niles—George L. Haight.  
Paw Paw—W. J. Hathaway.  
Pokagon—E. Tench.  
St. Joseph—J. W. H. Carlisle.  
Stevensville—J. E. Arney.  
Vandalia and Motville—C. H. Fox.

THE M. C. R. Co. will sell tickets from Buchanan to Chicago and return on the following dates at \$2.50, including admission to Exposition:

Tuesday, Sept. 11, good for return until Monday, Sept. 17, inclusive.  
Tuesday, Sept. 18, good for return until Monday, Sept. 24, inclusive.  
Tuesday, Sept. 25, good for return until Monday, Oct. 1, inclusive.  
Tuesday, Oct. 2, good for return until Monday, Oct. 8, inclusive.  
Tuesday, Oct. 9, good for return until Monday, Oct. 15, inclusive.  
Tuesday, Oct. 16, good for return until Monday, Oct. 22, inclusive.  
Tickets will be good going only on train No. 11 (Mail) and No. 13 (Kalamazoo Accommodation) and returning on train No. 4 (Mail) and No. 8 (Kalamazoo Accommodation).

A. F. PEACOCK.

**Locals.**

GRAPES CHEAP.  
I will sell you grapes in any quantity for 3c per lb. Leave orders at residence or with Roe Bros.

ELI J. ROE.

First Fall Millinery Opening Friday and Saturday, Sept. 14 and 15, at MAY TREMMEL'S.

Rooms to rent on Berrien street. Enquire of Mrs. S. E. JOHNSON.

FOR RENT.—One of the best located Store rooms in Buchanan, just refitted, painted, papered, &c. Inquire of J. M. ROE.

Get your Seeds at the Seed Emporium of BISHOP & KENT.

You could scarcely ask for a finer assortment of School and Writing Tablets than we keep.

P. O. NEWS DEPOT.

Handsome Shades of Wool Dress Goods in City found at CHARLIE HIGHT'S.

Hot Hot how is this for low prices. Dress flannels 1 1/2 yds wide only 50c at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

Ladies, you are cordially invited to see our Fall Millinery which has been selected with much care and expense.

MAY TREMMEL.

The Seed Emporium is located at BISHOP & KENT'S.

Staley Yarns always in Stock at CHARLIE HIGHT'S.

Nobby hats and Novel Millinery will be displayed at MAY TREMMEL'S Friday and Saturday, Sept. 14 and 15.

Look at the Broadcloths and learn prices, we have all shades at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

Flannel Skirting now for sale at CHARLIE HIGHT'S.

It is no mistake, we show the best line of Dress Goods in town.

BOYLE & BAKER.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. All persons are hereby warned against trusting my wife Libbie Price, on my account, as I shall pay no debts of her contracting after this date, as she has left my bed and board without just cause or provocation.

September 8, 1888. THOMAS PRICE.

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**C. A. SIMONDS & CO.,**  
**BOOTS & SHOES,**

43 MAIN STREET, - NILES, MICH.

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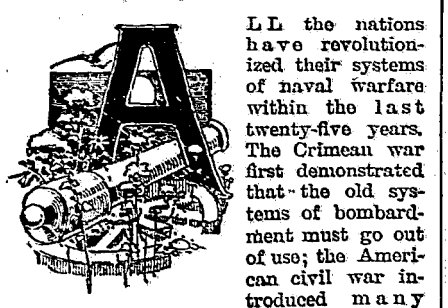
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It is the nations navy, revolutionized their systems of naval warfare within the last few years. The Grimsby war first demonstrated that the old system of bombardment must give way to the use of the American civil war in 1861-62, and since that time the construction of sea going ironclads to an extent undreamed of in 1860. In 1865 the United States stopped improving its navy, and according to the naval engineers, made no advance whatever for eighteen years; \$65,000,000 were wasted in patching old wooden vessels, and in 1888 the department decided that the entire navy was practically obsolete.

In the meantime England and France were running a race in the improvement of ironclads, and in 1884 the French navy was following as fast as their means would permit. Even China has supplied herself with immense ironclads, varying in length from 200 to 300 feet, and in tonnage from 1,000 to 10,000 tons, and in armament from 10 to 20 guns, and of these the latter is the thickness of twenty-five inches.

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Mr. Quay traces his ancestry back to the Scotch-Irish who left the north of the Emerald Isle early in the eighteenth century to get rid of the excise and the distractions of the Scotch-Irish. He was born in 1825, at Dillsburg, York county, Pa., his grandfather Quay being an active business man and his grandmother a daughter of George Patton, who was made a good record at the head of his company in the Revolutionary war. His father, Anderson D. Quay, was a Presbyterian preacher.

Some amusing stories are told of the boy in early life, and his success in business. He was a very successful business man, and his success in business was due to his energy and his ability to get on with his friends, both in politics and business. But he was a very successful business man, and his success in business was due to his energy and his ability to get on with his friends, both in politics and business.

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