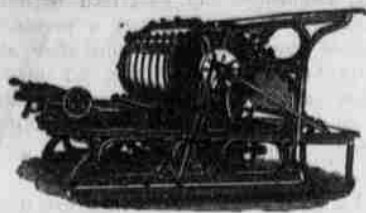


The Bloomfield Times.
NEW BLOOMFIELD, PENN'A.
Tuesday, October 21, 1873.



For Two Dollars and Twenty-Five Cents
We will furnish Woods Magazine and The Bloomfield Times for one year, together with THE SPLENDID CHROMO YO SEMITE.

Those who are already subscribers to The Times, can by sending us \$1, have the Magazine and the Chromo. This chromo is the finest picture that has been offered by any publication and will be an ornament to any house in the land. Its size is 14x20, and is valued at \$6.

GOLD has reached the lowest point during the past week that it has touched since 1863. On Friday last it was quoted at 107 3/4, but went up again to 108 3/4.

ELECTIONS.

In this State the Republicans have elected the State Treasurer by about 35,000 majority, and the Judge of the Supreme Court by about 35,000. The result as to the local candidates throughout the whole state has developed the fact that voters have refused to be bound by caucus nominations in the choice of these offices.

OHIO.

From Ohio the returns come in slowly and are as yet of a very unsatisfactory character, and it is impossible to state definitely who will be the next Governor. The Democratic State Committee, from their returns received from eighty-two counties official, and guesses as to the other counties, now claim Allen's election by 869 majority. There is considerable doubt as to the balance of the ticket, but the chairman of the Democratic Committee is of opinion that the Democrats have also elected the State ticket, with the exception of White for Supreme Judge and Wilson for Comptroller. They also claim sixteen on joint ballot in the General Assembly. The Republicans do not give up as yet, and claim that nothing but full official returns can definitely decide the question as to who is elected.

IOWA.

The Republican State Central Committee says that in sixty-six counties heard from Governor Carpenter has a net majority of 12,417. In the same counties last year Grant had a majority of 43,000. The counties yet to be heard from will undoubtedly increase Carpenter's majority not less than 6,000.

CALIFORNIA.

In California the tickets have been scratched beyond all precedent and it is probable that McKinstry, independent candidate for Supreme Judge, is elected by about 5,000 majority. These figures will not be materially changed by the returns to come in.

Thanksgiving Proclamation.

The President of the United States has issued the following:
The approaching close of another year brings with it the occasion for renewed thanksgiving and acknowledgement to the Almighty Ruler of the universe for the unnumbered mercies which he has bestowed upon us. Abundant harvests have been the rewards of industry, with local exceptions; health has been among the blessings enjoyed, tranquillity at home and peace with other nations have prevailed, frugal industry is regaining its merited recognition, and its merited rewards. Gradually, but, under the providence of God, surely as we trust the nation is recovering from the lingering results of a dreadful civil strife; for these and all the other mercies vouchsafe it becomes us, as a people, to return our heartfelt and grateful acknowledgement, and with our thanksgiving for blessings we may unite our prayers for the cessation of local and temporary sufferings. I, therefore, recommend that on THURSDAY, the 27th of NOVEMBER, the people meet in their respective places of worship to make their acknowledgement to Almighty God for his bounties and his protection, and to offer to Him prayers for their continuance.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed. Done at the City of Washington this 14th day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three, and of the Independence of the United States, the ninety-seventh.
[Signed] U. S. GRANT.
By the President:
HAMILTON FISH, Secretary of the State.

The steamer A. D. Valentine, of the Cornell towing line, brought down two canal boats from Albany to New York on Sunday evening. On arriving at Hoboken, the tide running very strong, the two collided with the German bark Christine, which lay at anchor. One canal boat, the Ritchie, immediately sank, but the occupants saved themselves by swimming. The Buddington, which came next, was raked for fore and aft by a hawser fastened to the sunken boat. The captain, his wife and two children were swept off the deck into the water. When taken out only one was alive—a boy. The family belonged to Ulster county, New York.

PERRY COUNTY OFFICIAL.
Returns of the vote polled October 14th, 1873, also the Governor's vote of 1872:

DISTRICTS.	Gov. 1872.				State Treas'r. S. J. Judge.			
	Hartmann, R.	Bookshaver, D.	H. H. Johnson, D.	H. W. Madock, R.	J. E. Lathrop, D.	J. G. Gordon, R.	J. E. Lathrop, D.	J. E. Lathrop, D.
Bloomfield,	85	55	92	82	53	83		
Buffalo twp.,	80	55	73	69	70	66		
Carroll,	158	96	78	144	78	145		
Centre,	193	105	91	115	91	116		
Duncannon,	176	92	51	130	39	139		
Greenwood,	103	65	63	85	63	85		
Howe,	38	35	39	39	30	33		
Jackson,	95	106	151	60	150	60		
Junata,	73	105	95	53	95	53		
Landisburg,	54	26	27	48	29	47		
Liverpool B.,	75	105	87	62	86	62		
Liverpool twp.,	68	103	74	43	77	44		
Madison,	102	73	61	64	61	64		
Marysville,	115	83	78	65	78	65		
Miller,	38	41	48	18	48	18		
Millerstown,	106	83	81	90	81	90		
New Buffalo B.,	25	27	29	14	29	15		
Newport,	159	111	112	109	103	119		
Oliver,	78	57	64	47	63	48		
Penn.,	235	88	81	161	76	174		
Rye,	70	77	80	35	80	85		
Sandy Hill,	91	51	42	71	42	71		
Spring,	129	182	149	105	148	108		
Spring,	84	214	195	49	190	52		
Tobyne,	53	125	99	51	101	50		
Tuscarora,	81	85	54	56	54	57		
Tyrone,	147	139	118	133	117	135		
Watts,	17	79	58	9	58	9		
Wheatfield,	90	75	75	53	74	53		
Totals,	2752	2514	2346	2053	2313	2096		
Majorities,	238	193	117					

SENATE ASSEMBLY.

DISTRICTS.	Senate.		Assembly.	
	Wagner, R.	S. Markel, D.	W. J. Smith, D.	W. R. Wilson, D.
Bloomfield,	53	82	55	49
Buffalo twp.,	71	71	73	73
Carroll,	77	146	77	146
Centre,	91	116	87	91
Duncannon,	42	140	42	137
Greenwood,	55	80	55	80
Howe,	31	31	36	36
Jackson,	159	59	152	159
Junata,	95	73	91	95
Landisburg,	28	48	25	24
Liverpool B.,	86	63	82	86
Liverpool twp.,	77	44	77	76
Madison,	61	64	69	61
Marysville,	78	64	79	77
Miller,	47	48	47	46
Millerstown,	95	95	91	99
New Buffalo B.,	29	15	27	29
Newport,	162	119	161	162
Oliver,	64	47	63	61
Penn.,	81	170	82	165
Rye,	83	31	80	80
Sandy Hill,	42	71	38	42
Spring,	148	108	148	148
Spring,	132	80	120	121
Tobyne,	101	59	129	101
Tuscarora,	53	78	52	53
Tyrone,	124	129	102	115
Watts,	58	9	58	27
Wheatfield,	74	53	72	74
Totals,	2222	2096	2205	2242
Dill's majority 126; Markel's majority over Shueley, 218; Smith's majority over Allen, 106; Wilson's majority over Fortenbaugh, 147.				

PROTHONOTARY, COMMISSIONER, TREASURER, DIRECTOR OF THE POOR.

DISTRICTS.	Prothy.		Com'r.		Treas'r.		D. of P'r	
	Spaenberger, D.	S. Dock, R.	Wm. Brooks, D.	J. R. Holden, R.	Geo. Spahr, D.	Thos. Smith, R.	John Moore, D.	W. J. Gishman, R.
Bloomfield,	53	82	56	79	71	62	62	80
Buffalo twp.,	95	49	72	71	62	79	72	70
Carroll,	75	147	74	159	74	148	74	149
Centre,	91	115	101	116	101	116	91	118
Duncannon,	42	140	42	137	42	137	42	137
Greenwood,	55	80	55	80	55	80	55	80
Howe,	31	31	36	36	36	36	36	36
Jackson,	159	59	152	159	152	159	152	159
Junata,	95	73	91	95	91	95	91	95
Landisburg,	28	48	25	24	25	24	25	24
Liverpool B.,	86	63	82	86	82	86	82	86
Liverpool twp.,	77	44	77	76	77	76	77	76
Madison,	61	64	69	61	64	64	64	65
Marysville,	78	64	79	77	77	74	74	75
Miller,	47	48	47	46	47	46	47	46
Millerstown,	95	95	91	99	91	99	91	99
New Buffalo B.,	29	15	27	29	27	29	27	29
Newport,	162	119	161	162	161	162	161	162
Oliver,	64	47	63	61	63	61	63	61
Penn.,	81	170	82	165	81	165	81	165
Rye,	83	31	80	80	80	80	80	80
Sandy Hill,	42	71	38	42	42	42	42	42
Spring,	148	108	148	148	148	148	148	148
Spring,	132	80	120	121	120	121	120	121
Tobyne,	101	59	129	101	111	49	57	50
Tuscarora,	53	78	52	53	54	59	57	50
Tyrone,	124	129	102	115	108	113	107	107
Watts,	58	9	58	27	27	27	27	27
Wheatfield,	74	53	72	74	74	74	74	74
Totals,	2222	2096	2205	2242	1957	2106	2096	

JURY COMMISSIONER, CORONER, AUDITOR.

DISTRICTS.	J. Com.		Coroner.		Auditor.	
	J. M. Mitchell, D.	H. Foulk, R.	A. H. Ziegler, Ind.	G. W. Zimm, D.	C. W. Clemens, R.	H. L. Croft, R.
Bloomfield,	50	83	00	50	84	51
Buffalo twp.,	67	70	5	72	70	72
Carroll,	54	25	144	78	146	77
Centre,	91	116	00	90	115	91
Duncannon,	40	142	3	42	145	42
Greenwood,	78	61	00	61	84	63
Howe,	16	29	18	31	30	33
Jackson,	145	44	21	150	60	150
Junata,	90	29	23	98	51	95
Landisburg,	26	36	12	30	46	37
Liverpool B.,	86	61	2	85	64	86
Liverpool twp.,	81	29	10	76	44	76
Madison,	61	63	00	61	64	61
Marysville,	73	48	21	77	65	80
Miller,	48	18	0	43	18	43
Millerstown,	91	0	59	91	30	91
New Buffalo, twp.,	11	6	29	15	29	15
Newport,	102	105	13	101	109	103
Oliver,	63	39	9	61	43	60
Penn.,	76	179	0	77	173	77
Rye,	27	29	49	28	35	39
Sandy Hill,	42	40	25	43	71	43
Spring,	146	108	0	148	108	143
Spring,	185	58	8	192	51	192
Tobyne,	80	6	65	101	50	101
Tuscarora,	54	87	00	56	51	87
Tyrone,	80	106	67	119	114	118
Watts,	58	5	6	58	9	58
Wheatfield,	74	50	3	73	53	74
Totals,	9051	1748	510	9211	3078	9315
Majorities				133		

A Kansas Elopement.

A few days ago the citizens of Brashear, were startled by the rumor that the wife of a well-known Baptist preacher had gone to Texas with her husband's hired man. She had previously bore a good reputation, had lived with her husband fifteen years, and was the mother of three children, aged, respectively thirteen, six and four years.

Her husband became aware that all was not right, and a few months ago paid off and dismissed the man who was the cause of his domestic unhappiness; and he went, but only to a place near by, where he procured a new wagon. Then he bought a horse of his former employer, and with another horse, procured somewhere else, he rigged an outfit for Texas, as he said. When he was all ready the lady coolly informed her husband that she loved George better than herself or children, and that she was going with him.

The husband remonstrated, and told her that when the reaction came, which surely would come, she would be most miserable; but nothing would induce her to be separated from George. She thrust away her little children who clung about her neck, and her husband with a heavy heart, divided his household goods with her, giving her and her paramour half of such things as they could carry with them.

He also told her that she could take some books from his library if she chose. She took only her Bible and hymn book. Her husband expressed the hope that she might read the Bible and profit thereby.

At 10 o'clock, or thereabouts, in the darkness of the night, the sloping pair started off, piously requesting the deserted husband to pray that they might have a safe and prosperous journey.

A Quaint Letter.

The following is an exact copy of a letter received by the Pension officer a few days since. We never remember to have met with its equal in point of "dutch literary hash."

To the Honorable Commissioner of Pensions of J. H. Baker:

Dear Sir: Please excuse me for to wrote you a few lines my Dear Honor I hope and pray bein' so kind and help me out of my trouble I am crippled for my life now and I am not fit for any Labor and I am not receive any pension not yet If I was received my pension I would not never come do you my dear Honor and so my Wife she is verry sick in Bed and she can work not now for the present time whilst she is awful sick and my dear Honor I cant do you if you please bec so kind and help me out of some money then I can get some foot for my Family I have no employment for Earning some Money and I am in awful in need for to get Grocery and Wood for mine Family and if I wash Crippled and my Wife she not wash Sick I would not never come to you my Dear honorable for to help me hope and pray these will meet you in good favor, for I was wounded 4 times in my left arm and hand
Your obt vnt
New Jersey

Western Arithmetic.

A man from Illinois came over to Fort Madison the other day with sweet potatoes to sell. His early education had been somewhat defective in arithmetic, for he offered to sell his entire wagon load at 60 cents per half bushel, or \$2 per bushel. Baskets and sacks were begged or borrowed, and every one was buying potatoes at 60 cents per half bushel. The man did not see it until the last half bushel was sold. He persisted in selling at 60 cents per half bushel, thinking doubtless that there were four half bushels in a bushel. Another said he would take three half bushels. A third took two half bushels. Before the man commenced the retail business, a grocer bought two bushels for his own use at \$2 a bushel. He offered \$1.96 a bushel for the whole load, in order to sell again, but was refused. When the man saw his blunder, he held up both hands and exclaimed, "Oh! thunder!"

A Collision.