

Berrien Co. Record.

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Are in stock, bought for cash, and will be

SOLD AT ROCK BOTTOM PRICES.

LOOK AT OUTLINE OF

MEN'S FINE SHOES,

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Boots and Walking Shoes.

G. W. NOBLE.

Assessor's Notice.

To the Tax-Payers of the Village of Buchanan.

Notice is hereby given, that the assessment of and for the village of Buchanan, for the year 1880, is completed, and that on Saturday, May 1, 1880, between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon, I, the Assessor of said village of Buchanan, and two members of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan, will be appointed for that purpose, will be at the Common Council room, in said village, and review the assessment roll; and any person feeling himself or herself aggrieved by such assessment, may be heard at that place and time.

HOWEL F. STRONG, Assessor of the Village of Buchanan.

DEVOTION DAY will soon be here.

EAT pork and greens and grow fat.

T. M. FULTON was in town yesterday.

COUNCIL proceedings in another column.

LINEN dusters and straw hats are becoming fashionable.

WHOOPING cough still agitates the youngsters of this place.

PRETTY rough weather has been the complaint on the lake the past week or two.

BENTON HARBOR is having her streets numbered and signs placed at the corners.

"HOD" STRONG talks of going into the show business. He has a four-legged chicken.

SATURDAY was a busy day in Buchanan. Hardly a place for hitching that was occupied.

SARLET FEVER has been in Berrien Springs to such an extent as to interfere with their schools.

ONE of the heaviest rain storms, accompanied by hail, of the season, fell in this place Saturday night.

Thomas W. Palmer, of Detroit, appears to have the lead in this State in the race for Governor this far.

THE Buchanan Cornet Band went to Michigan City last Friday to play for the Joshua Whitcomb combination.

ADDITIONAL steamboat facilities are to be added to Diamond lake accommodations for the coming pleasure season.

MR. S. A. VALENTINE, of Thayer, Kansas, formerly of this place, has been spending a few days among his friends here.

A HORSE and large lot, with an abundance of fruit, on Front street, can be had at a bargain. Apply at this office for particulars.

If you believe there is luck in a horse-shoe, just hang one at the door of your pocket and keep some of that cash from slipping out.

MR. F. F. CLARK has bought the right to make and use the patent gate that appears on Oak street, opposite Rough's block.

MR. ALVIN ROE, formerly of this place, now in the employ of the Michigan Central Company is back for a few days. On the sick list.

REV. J. WHITE will deliver a temperance lecture in the M. E. Church, next Sunday evening, in place of the religious sermon. All are invited.

ALL of the tax-payers of the village of Buchanan are interested in the financial report of the officers, published in another column of this paper.

The knitting business must be a profitable one. In St. Joseph a third factory of this kind is soon to be started, two large ones being already in operation.

The Misses Conant have opened a millinery store at their home, on the west side of Main street, two doors north of Severson's drug store.

If we are to have any more cold weather this spring now is when it will be the most acceptable, before fruit buds get out too far for safety.

BLAOK & WILLARD shut down their shop Monday forenoon on account of the high wind that was blowing, increasing the danger from fire.

New advertisements for T. M. Fulton & Co. and J. M. Bernard's Arcade Clothing Store appears in this issue. Read and profit thereby.

ONE of the most severe rain and wind storms that have visited this place for a long time, blew last Sunday night. We learn of several buildings being somewhat damaged by the heavy wind.

PEACH blossoms are coming out at a rapid rate, and in abundant quantities. The prospect for other kinds of fruit is equally good.

H. C. HEBB, township treasurer of Weesaw, reports that he was robbed of \$695 Thursday night. The money was taken from his bureau drawer, and the loss was not discovered until Friday.

It is wonderful how the growing wheat has started up during the past few days of warm weather. The prospect now is favorable for an enormous yield in this vicinity.

THE civil engineer estimates the cost of grading Moccasin bluff, a distance of 1,200 feet at \$21,000. How does that sound for the river route?

A GOOD cure of where you throw your slops, as the warm weather approaches, may save you a good doctor's bill. There is a fruitful source of sickness when deposited near the house.

A partial directory of the business institutions in this place may be seen on the first page of this paper. We shall add to it as fast as possible until we make it a perfect directory.

O. S. TOURNE bought a large black otter of Mr. Koons, Monday forenoon. It was caught about five miles north of this place. These animals are becoming rather scarce in this part of the country.

ASSESSOR STRONG has completed the work of taking the valuation assessment, and finds a total valuation of \$322,250 real estate and \$139,191 personal property, making a total of \$461,441.

THE first barefoot boy appeared on the streets Tuesday. Haven't heard since whether the cold he caught killed him or not.

THE Lakeside Horse Thief Association of Berrien Co., Mich., will convene in Village Hall, Bridgman, on Tuesday, April 27, 1880, at 10 o'clock a. m.

WILDER M. WOOSTER, of Decatur, will give a temperance lecture in Kinyon's Hall on Friday evening. Lecture free. All are invited. He will treat the subject in a new manner.

DRAIN Commissioner Dennis Clark informs the Niles Republican that the bridge at Bertrand is positively unsafe, and that persons with teams run a big risk in crossing on it. The bridge was condemned some months ago.

NEVER has the RECORD office job rooms been so crowded with work and so steady as thus far this year. We find that this rush is not confined to the printing business, for everybody who will has all he can do.

THERE was a surprise party at the residence of Mr. D. C. Nash last Thursday evening, the occasion of Mr. Nash's birthday. It was a large company, and they all enjoyed the occasion hugely.

SALE.—Mr. Frank Fox will sell his personal property, consisting of household furniture, live stock, farm implements and grain, at public sale, on the farm owned by L. P. Fox, on the Berrien road, April 22. This is preliminary to a move to South-western Missouri.

SERVICES as usual at the Advent Christian Church next Sunday. Subject for the morning sermon, "The Lord's Jewels." Text Mat. 3: 10-17. Evening sermon, "The Service of Christ and its Reward." Text John 12: 26. All are cordially invited.

A LITTLE girl in Patterson, N. J., recently died of cerebro-spinal meningitis, caused by excessively jumping the rope. We have noticed that there are several in Buchanan who do but little else, and there may serious injury arise from it as is shown from this.

THE season for big eggs has come. Mr. C. B. Churchill has left one at this office that measured 6½ by 8 inches in circumference, and Mr. John Searls left six that weighed 21 ounces. Both want to hear from somebody's hens that can beat that.

THE Illustrated History of Berrien and Van Buren counties, published by D. W. Ensing & Co., is now ready for delivery. The work has been prepared at great expense, and is really a valuable work. Mr. Patterson, the delivery agent, is here. We hope the people will be prepared for its reception and pay for it promptly.

SUNDAY night a wild breeze passed in a strip about eighty rods wide through this township, playing some lively antics in its path. It carried away the chimney from the brick school house in District No. 30, scattered fences and other loose property as it passed along, and carried off the roof from a large hayshed on John Searls' place north of town.

WONG CHIN Foo gave a lecture in Rough's opera house, Tuesday evening, on the subject of "Religions of the Orient." Mr. Foo was Imperial Linguist to the Emperor of China for four years, but left the country to prevent having his head chopped off for being in a conspiracy to interfere with the government.

WE were slightly in error in last week's RECORD in giving to Dr. Van Ripper the full credit of his wonderful success in the case of James Maitland, whereas it was a partnership job in which Drs. Van Ripper and Baker were equally interested. Maitland was so far recovered as to allow of being moved from the hotel to his home Tuesday.

THE Niles people feel proud of the steamer Hanley that is now doing a legitimate business in carrying up and down the river from near this place to Niles, but when they talk about playing her between that place and St. Joseph they are on the wrong track for profit. There is about a mile of rapids just below this place where they will have to have a span of mules to draw her down stream.

A case of foolish drunkenness, that sadly needed the attention of the Marshal, was about Oak and Front streets Saturday afternoon. The team, women and children who appeared to be under the control of the "critter" were truly objects of pity.

NEXT Saturday is the day set for the convention of pathmasters and highway commissioners, at the Court House in Berrien Springs. The matter under consideration is one of great importance to the county at large, and there should be a full attendance of all holding those offices.

MR. GEORGE RICHARDS, who was injured a short time since in the wagon factory blacksmith shop, has so far recovered as to be able to go to the doctor's office instead of the doctor going to see him. He will retain the sight of the eye that was injured.

WE learn that a petition is to be circulated in this place, asking the Common Council to raise the amount of the liquor tax from \$100 to \$200. That is not the very best thing to do, and there is good reason to believe that the Common Council will do nothing of the kind.

THERE is a general demand for the Common Council to take some steps towards prohibiting cows from run at large in the street, but the question of letting the children running at large on the streets is never thought of. That would be a blessing to both those who have business on the streets, and to the children.

WHILE digging a ditch on his 40 acres, the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section 32, in this township, last week, Mr. Enos Holmes found some poles at a depth of about four feet under ground, that had the appearance of having been cut by a dull hatchet, or the teeth of a beaver. Which ever it was, the work was done a long time ago.

THE Eclectic Medical and Surgical Society of Berrien county, Michigan will convene at the Court House, in Berrien Springs, Thursday, April 29, 1880. All physicians who favor LIBERAL Medicine or are opposed to the Black Cork are invited to be present. Delegates will be elected to represent the Society at Detroit in State Society, to convene May 26, 1880, at 10 o'clock A. M. Other business of importance will be before the Society.

BY ORDER OF COMMITTEE.

A SPECIAL meeting of the Board of Supervisors was held at Berrien Springs Monday, twenty members being present. The prime object of the meeting was to determine whether the various township assessments would be made on the basis of the true cash value, which course it was decided to follow. The other business of the meeting was to appoint Samuel Van Camp as permanent chairman for the year; B. R. Stens, J. Crocker Brown and S. P. Marshall as committee on claims, and to elect Mr. B. F. Rounds, as one of the Superintendents of Poor, vice E. C. Palmer, who has left the county.

List of Letters.
Remaining in the Post Office at Buchanan, Wednesday, April 22, 1880.
Clark, Miss Alice. McAlberty, Maggie.
Case, Clara. Powers, Miss.
Dunn, J. W. Wilson, C. G.
Dunn, J. F. FORTY CLASS.
Edwards, Eliza. E. Clapp & Son.
Forrester, Harry C. Dr.
H. W. H. W. Mary. Lingo, Miss Mary.
Hudson, N. J. Gimmans, Mrs. R.

This list is published free for the information of the readers of the RECORD, therefore there is no charge for delivery of letters addressed herein. Persons will, however, be claiming any of the above, call for "admitted letters." L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M.

THE Benton Harbor Palladium has a long winded article on the county seat question, proposing now to move it to the mouth of the river, either to Benton Harbor or St. Joseph, and doesn't ask the Board of Supervisors to submit it to a second vote of the people, but says that unless they do, "We will submit it ourselves." Well, that sounds finely, but we mistrust that the citizens of the county do not care to be bothered with any more such nonsense.

BERRIEN county has been divided into twenty-two census districts as follows: 1, Bainbridge; 2, Benton; 3, Berrien; 4, Bertrand; 5, Buchanan; 6, Chickaming; 7, Galien; 8, Haggar; 9, Lake; 10, Lincoln; 11, New Buffalo; 12, Niles township; 13, First and Fourth wards, Niles city; 14, Second and Third wards, Niles city; 15, Oronoko; 16, Pipestone; 17, Royalton; 18, Sodas; 19, St. Joseph; 20, Three Oaks; 21, Watervliet; 22, Weesaw.

AN accident occurred to Mr. Joseph Clout, Jr., on Monday afternoon, while at work upon the elevator in the wagon shop. It appears that the elevator refused to work, and he had gone to the attic to attend to the same.

While making the necessary examination, considerable slack was given to the wire rope, and the elevator started suddenly downward he was precipitated to the floor of the paint room.

A serious gash was cut in his head and his right wrist dislocated. His injuries were dressed by Dr. Dodd.

MOVING.—Considerable moving of offices is going on among professional men in this place. Dr. Myers moves to the room next west of the Tremont building which has recently been fitted up for an office, Dr. J. W. Beistle moves to the room next south of the one formerly occupied by him, in Rough's block, and the two rooms vacated by them are to be occupied by Van Ripper & Worthington as a law office. Mr. Kinyon contemplates tearing out the office rooms on the second floor of his building and arranging the upper two stories of the building into a public hall with a gallery, but has not yet decided upon this move.

ITEMS FROM BRIDGMAN.

April 14, 1880.
Our town was thrown into quite a commotion, on last Friday morning, by the statement of Thomas G. Hebb, township treasurer, that some one had entered his house the night before, and stolen from his bureau drawer the township funds, about \$700. Mr. Hebb was elected treasurer one year ago and was re-elected this year. He had set

the money with the town board, but the money was not counted by them as the law requires. He had bondsman last year, and had qualified this year, but the bonds had not yet been made out, although the ten day's grace had expired. It is generally thought that, as the property of Mr. Hebb is in his wife's name, and owing to the slipshod manner in which the town board has attended to their duty, the loss will fall to the township. Mr. Hebb has resigned, and the board has appointed Mr. Phillip Myer to fill the vacancy.

School closed for one week here and in the adjoining district of California, on account of diphtheria. O. M. Smith lost a little girl from that disease last Saturday. No other severe cases.

A man from Chicago is erecting a building 25x50 for the manufacture of cigar and other small boxes.

Joshua Whitten and Daniel Brown are both happy "dads" again. S. S.

LOCALS.

TREES.—I have a few fruit trees of standard varieties, true to name, at my nursery which I offer to the public at low prices. Come early to get the best selection. C. S. BLACK.

Drive Wells! Drive Wells!

I, the undersigned, hereby notify all persons who are contemplating having drive wells that I have the exclusive right in Berrien county for the principle of suspending the screen below the main tube, or in other words the arrangement by which the screen is inserted at the bottom of the well, so that it may be taken out and replaced without removing the main pipe. I purchased the right of said invention from the inventors, it being fully secured to them by letters patent. Hence all persons buying wells screened in this manner from all other parties (who are fraudulently offering them for sale) and using the same in Berrien county will be subject to a royalty or will have to abandon the use of the well.

I am prepared to put in the best tubular well now in use at very low figures.

Also prepared to repair all kinds of drive wells and pumps. Deep wells a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed in every particular.

DAVID LLOYD, Buchanan, Mich.

NEW FIRM.

A. AND E. CONANT, MILLINERS.
Hats, Silks, Laces, Ribbons, Flowers, Feathers, and all millinery articles of the latest style, and entirely new. We invite all to call and examine our stock, and be convinced that we can sell at reasonable prices, and trust by good work and fair dealings to give good satisfaction.

Remember the place. West side of Main street, two doors north of Mr. Severson's Drug Store.

MISSISS CONANT.

SOMETHING NEW.—Ladies, please call and see those beautiful flowers just received. Also those Cashmere plumes and tips, cheaper than ever sold before. Mrs. M. FRAME.

The best 50c Syrup is at SMITH'S.

Those choice yellow Peaches at Kinyon's are going fast. Take them while you can.

1,000 HATS. 25 STYLES.
Will be opened this day. Prices from 10 cents up to \$2.50. Most nobby styles in Straw goods at WEAVER & Co.

\$300 worth of elegant parasols to arrive at High's. Don't buy until you see them.

Ladies, Mrs. Dunning has just been to Chicago and selected a stock of spring and summer styles of Millinery Goods. You should see them before you buy.

Something new at Kinyon's. 50c Tobacco for 40 cents. Try it.

Come and see us. High's can show you nice dress goods.

Head quarters for Carpets and Oil Cloth is at FULTON'S.

Come in and see our new patterns of Glassware. Something entirely new. BARMORE BROS.

Gents, we can sell you a suit made up nobby. Ask Charlie about it.

A new broom sweeps clean. Try one of KINYON'S.

50 pails of "CANT BE BEAT" Tobacco will arrive at Fulton's tomorrow.

Bargains every day in Boots & Shoes, at WAITE & WOODS'.

Have you tried Kinyon's roasted Coffee? If not try it.

50 cts. buys, at the Grange Store, one gallon of the best Syrup ever offered in Buchanan.

T. M. Fulton & Co. sell Wall Paper cheap.

We are receiving new goods every day. BARMORE BROS.

When looking for your friends, always go to High's store.

A good Tea at Fulton's for 25 cts. per pound.

Get your Garden Seeds of Kinyon either in bulk or package.

5 cashmere Dresses sold this week at Grange Store. People begin to ascertain where they can always find the bargains.

Fresh Oranges and Lemons, at BARMORE BROS.

Now go to High's for novelties in spring Dress Goods.

Lace Curtains that beats them all found at High's.

New and fresh Caramels. PLIMPTON'S.

NEW NEW NEW Goods at T. M. FULTON & Co.

Kinyon has piles of new goods at bottom prices.

Choice new pure Maple Sugar at KINYON'S.

The celebrated Robinson Shoes sold only by WAITE & WOODS.

NEW THING for WALL PAPER, only at HIGHS'.

Don't pay cash for Groceries until you price them at Kinyon's CASH STORE.

For the best 50c Tea go to SMITH'S.

Have Me, a good smoking tobacco, only 10c per ½ pound, found at BARMORE BROS.

Boys Shoes at Noble's for \$1.50 to \$2.00. Tip-top goods.

Cotton Pants and Overalls, at old prices, at NOBLE'S.

A new line of Walking Shoes, both in tie and button, at G. W. NOBLE'S.

We have the finest 22 cent coffee in the market. Come and see for yourself. BARMORE BROS.

FURNITURE.—Those wanting Furniture will do well to call on M. Barnes & Co. They have a nice assortment of anything kept in a first class furniture store.

LARGEST WALL PAPER STOCK in the city, at HIGHS'.

New arrival of Fine Toilet Soap, at DODDS'.

To save money buy your canned goods of S. & W. W. SMITH.

They say Barmore Bros. sell the best Teas in the market for the money.

14 doz. new Silk Handkerchiefs at Fulton's Chicago Cheap Store.

The Chicago Store beats all on low prices.

Cheapest and best line of trimmings, Silks, Satins and Velvets in the city, at the GRANGE STORE.

See the children's Carriages at M. BARNES & Co.

Try our new 50c Cheating. PLIMPTON'S.

Now is the time to buy Furniture, as indications are that by May 15 prices will be 10 per cent. higher. M. BARNES & Co.

Bulk Garden Seeds at BARMORE BROS.

HOSIERY.—We have the cheapest line in the city. HIGHS'.

Our roasted coffee is always fresh as we roast every day. BARMORE BROS.

An entire new stock of fine and common Furniture, such as Walnut Chamber Suits, Parlor Sets, Bureaus, Easy Chairs, Upholstered Lounges, and in fact nearly every kind of Furniture. Call and see for yourself, at M. BARNES & Co.

Our trade is still increasing on our 50c Tea. BARMORE BROS.

The best 50c Cheating Tobacco is found at BARMORE Bros'.

The Cheap Chicago Store. See the goods.

When visiting Niles, if you have any old jewelry, take it to J. Crocker Brown, one door east of the Citizens' National Bank, with W. G. Blish, and have it worked over into new.

FINEST AND HANDSOMEST RUSHING you ever saw, at HIGHS'.

All kinds of agricultural implements at Rough Bros. Hardware.

Have you seen those new Glass Sets at SMITH'S.

Kinyon has just received an immense stock of choice Candies. Call and see them.

Ladies' Congress Gaiters, at Noble's for \$1.00.

Smoke two for a nickel at KINYON'S.

New spring Hats just received at Mrs. Frame's. Ladies, don't forget to call.

New stock Cigars at KINYON'S.

Cash wine at KINYON'S.

Spring Goods, a fine line, at NOBLE'S.

The best calf Boot for the least money has just been opened at Noble's. See it before you buy.

It PAYS to TRADE at HIGHS'.

A large lot of those 25c Web Slips at WAITE & WOODS'.

The best Lemons and Oranges in the market are to be found at KINYON'S.

Whitewash Brushes at BARMORE BROS'.

A bargain at High's. 1.00 new Corset beats them all.

Woman's 4 button Walking Shoe at Noble's, the best for \$1.00.

A new line of Table Cutlery at BARMORE BROS'.

All goods at Noble's store are selling for cash.

All kinds of builders' supplies at Rough Bros' hardware.

Some nobby suits are for sale at Noble's, cheap for cash.

The Oliver Chilled Plow is the best, for sale at Rough Bros. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Buy your Corn Planters at Rough Bros.

Still we have more new styles of Glassware just arrived. BARMORE BROS.

A very large assortment of Picture frame moulding, all new patterns, stocked by an experienced hand. Now is the time to get your pictures framed, at M. BARNES & Co.

A LARGE SUPPLY OF**DYE STUFFS**

FOR THE SPRING TRADE,

JUST RECEIVED

BY

W. A. SEVERSON,

Practical Druggist,

