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W. TRENBETH, Merchant Tailor

Has moved into his new brick building on Front street, foot of Day's ave., and has the largest stock of new

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC SUITINGS, For Gentlemen's Wear,

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

NEW STOCK

now arriving, of which An Inspection is Solicited.

Buchanan Markets.

- Corrected weekly by Bishop & Kent. Hay—\$6 @ \$8 per ton. Butter—14c. Eggs—20c. Lard—8c. Salt, retail—\$1.00. Flour—\$5.20 @ \$6.00 per bbl., retail. Honey—12c. Live poultry—5c. Wheat—90c. Oats—40c. Corn—50c. Beans—\$2.00. Live Hogs—\$3.00.

SCHOOL MEETING TOMORROW EVENING.

MISS MINNIE CHURCH has gone to Aion to spend the winter.

WILLIAM H. KESSELER, of Galien, has had his pension increased.

The four-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith died Saturday afternoon.

It is a matter of business for you to attend the school meeting to-morrow evening.

Mrs. LILLIE STARNETT, of Chicago, is in Buchanan for a visit with her parents.

SELA EKENBERGER, of Decatur, was in this place over Sunday with the family of Dr. Brodriek.

The inspirator on the St. Joseph Valley engine is away for repairs, and no trains run for the present.

The Buchanan Acme Orchestre will give a vocal concert in Thres Oaks, to-morrow evening.

MERCURY reached ten above Sunday night, the coldest of the season up to that date.

WATERVILLE has a comedy company, and there are those who think the whole town a comedy.

"Universalism Examined," by Rev. Brickert of the Christian church, next Sunday, at 7:00 o'clock p. m.

GEO. WYMAN & Co. invite you to come and take a look at the store and see the crowd. See their advertisement.

L. M. WINANS and Charles Young are building a \$10,500 cold storage building at Benton Harbor for fruits.

The finest calendar it has been our fortune to ever receive, has just come to us from Lee & Shepard, Boston.

The Berrien County Horticultural Society will meet in Benton Harbor, Saturday, Dec. 13.

ABOUT forty of the young friends of Viola Conrad gave her a surprise party Tuesday evening.

An eleven pound boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Mitten, at 8:30 o'clock on Tuesday evening.

TALK of electric light in Niles has brought gas bills down twenty-five per cent. Wonder how the same would effect our street lamps?

GEORGE STEVENS, of St. Joseph, is credited with the ownership of seventy-six dogs. He must have a howling time of it.

It is now expected that the new wheel for the Rough gristmill will be here and be put into its place next week.

DR. Wm. BRADLEY, formerly with Dr. Henderson, is said to be doing a good business in his new location, Braceville, Ill.

An operation, under ether, was performed on Mrs. Riley Hague (one-half mile west of Wm. Burrus' farm), for abscess of neck.

IRA BRADLEY, whose right thigh was broken two weeks ago, is getting along finely. He has no pain and it is thought his limb will not be shortened.

Mrs. SMITH, daughter of J. Godfrey, of this place, visited him this week and was taken sick with sore throat while here.

LOOKOUT for a general rattling of dry bones soon. The grand jury for this county is ordered to be convened before Christmas. It will also be in order to watch for croakers about expense to the county.

Mr. H. G. FRENCH, of Cassopolis, has been dangerously ill the past few weeks, but is now able to be about again.

Mrs. E. BALENGEE leaves today for Hopkins Co., Ky., where she spent her early childhood, to remain during the winter among relatives.

NILES must wait another year for electric lights. They have spent all of the money their charter allows them to spend this year, hence the wait.

The Novelty Social of the Presbyterian ladies, announced for tomorrow evening, has been postponed to Friday evening, Dec. 19, at the residence of Wm. Peats.

A FEW in this vicinity tried sleighing last week, but found it rather gritty business. The roads are as smooth as a floor and but little snow would be required to make good sleighing.

It seems to be necessary for this town to have a poker room for our young 'bloods, and we move that the village build one of stone and put iron grating at the doors and windows.

Mr. H. L. BEST had the misfortune to lose one of his valuable stallions last Friday. This is the second \$2,000 horse he has had die within the past few years. No insurance.

We wish to express our heart-felt thanks to our friends and neighbors for their kindness shown us in our sad bereavement.

MR. AND MRS. J. A. SMITH.

CHARLES COX, of Royaltown township, shot himself to death, Dec. 2. He was twenty-eight years old, and leaves a widow and a child 4 months old. No cause known.

MISS ANNA SIMMONS, teacher in the third grade of our schools, was laid up with a sore throat on Saturday and Sunday, but is attending to her duties again.

HARVEY MOORE, of Niles, is under arrest for buying liquor for an habitual drunkard. Failure to prosecute such cases, is the worst phase of the liquor regulations in this place.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

1267 Nathan C. Harding, Buchanan. Alma Vary, New Troy. 1268 Robt. E. Keller, John M. Miller, Royaltown. 1280 Mamie Scott.

MR. TABOR Grange held its anniversary meeting on Thursday last and was largely attended. Freeman Franklin delivered the anniversary address, and Mrs. J. H. Royce and Mrs. Tabor read papers. And last, but not least, was the dinner, gotten up in fine style and enjoyed by all.

CAPT. JAMES PROOKS has been appointed postmaster in St. Joseph, upon the recommendation of Congressman Burrows. There are a few words appointed men there who think this appointment not quite as good as might have been made.

The case of Jerome Chamberlain, mentioned some time since as having been condemned to be hanged this month by the United States court in Texas, charged with murdering in a Kansas riot, is to have a hearing by the United States Supreme court, at Washington, Dec. 17.

COMPLAINT comes to the RECORD of the presence of a pile of stable cleanings that are being thrown upon Front street. To the Marshal is the proper place to make such complaints. Meanwhile to the owner of the offending rubbish should have pride enough to remove it.

LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Dec. 8, '00: Thad Allen, Mr. Ed. Bourdon, Mr. Peter V. Gray, Rev. J. N. Masters, Mrs. J. C. Williams, Mr. Ando Himes. Call for letters advertised.

JOHN GRAHAM, P. M.

THERE was a well attended meeting of citizens in Roe's hall, Monday evening, for the purpose of considering the Compass, Stone & Stell matter. A committee, consisting of A. O. Koontz, A. C. Roe and G. B. Treat, was appointed to confer with the gentlemen, and report at a meeting to be held in the same place next Monday evening.

Mrs. L. S. LAMBERT has been very sick. Three weeks since a surgeon from Chicago operated upon her for the removal of a tumor. She was apparently doing finely until last week, when symptoms of blood poisoning appeared, and since that time she has been very low. Yesterday there were signs of improvement.

O. L. BLAKE, of Niles township, moved to this place this week, and it is said he has been promised the office of Deputy Sheriff. Buchanan Democrats are wondering why it is necessary to import a deputy for this place from Niles, especially while there are so many of them so anxious to step into W. A. Palmer's shoes, on Jan. 1.

The chap who is passing himself off as a brother of Buffalo Bill is in hard luck. In Niles he was arrested for making a too free display of the blunderbuss he carried in his belt, and in Dowagiac he was taken in and made to put up an overcoat as collateral for his board bill. He and his partner made very little display of his wild west manners in this place.

At the regular meeting of Buchanan Engine Co., held last evening, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year: Frank F. Barnes, Foreman. Wm. Koons, 1st Asst. David Austin, 2d Asst. Milt. Fuller, Sec. Byron Allen, Treas.

On a vote of the Company, LeRoy Dodd was recommended for Chief of the Department.

There is many in this vicinity that would like to see two or three months good sleighing, as there is hundreds of cords of wood thousands of feet of logs to be delivered to this village between now and spring—Columbia Courier.

COASTING on the sidewalks is a favorite pastime with the youngsters since the fall of snow. It is probably not more fully appreciated by any than by the old people who attempt to walk the ice path. It has not been customary in past years for the Marshal to allow the use of sidewalks for coasting purposes, and the youngsters are not slow to take advantage of the new order of things.

CLYDE BAKER put a new Beek with furnace into the basement of his house, a few weeks since, in such a way that the smoke pipe runs about six inches below the pine joists of the floor. Sunday night about 11 o'clock Mrs. Baker discovered fire in the register directly above the furnace, and for a time the family and two of the neighbors had a sharp fight, but saved the house, being damaged only about fifty dollars.

SOUTH BEND has been figuring some time on a \$500,000 hotel scheme, but it is likely to fail because property owners in the vicinity do not want to sell at prices to suit the builders of the hotel, and they are receiving all manners of abuse for the stand they have taken. One of the beauties of this country is that there is no law to make any man sell out unless he wants to or for less than he wants, with the single exception of for railroad building.

Don't forget the school meeting, to-morrow evening. The school board want to know whether they shall have to buy fuel for the old stoves next winter or for some new heating arrangement. There is no question what ought to be done in this change is necessary, but it will be for the meeting to decide between the several propositions which will be presented and explained at the meeting. Every taxpayer should be out and take part. The present arrangement for heating the school rooms is an abomination that should be tolerated only so long as it is absolutely necessary.

THREE OAKS capitalists are forming a stock company for the manufacture of cheap furniture. Some subscribing cash, others lumber, and others any old machinery they have on hand. They have appointed a committee to spend a week studying the furniture trade, learning the business. That committee can strike a bonanza in information on stock furniture companies by interviewing members of the Buchanan Manufacturing Company. They may get pointers here that will be valuable to them in after years.

CHAUTAUQUA C.R.L.M.—The next meeting of the C. R. L. M. will be held at the home of Mrs. Alex. Emery, Dec. 21. Roll call—Respond with questions, from Henry VIII. History of England, Chapter X, conducted by Mrs. Smith; from Chaucer to Tension, first chapter, conducted by Mrs. Emery. Class exercises—Name three persons in the 15th century that did the most good for the world. Name the Monarchs of the House of Tudor; special marriages of the children of Henry VII. Required reading—Religious history of England. Silver questions in New. Chautauqua, conducted by Mrs. Whitman.

"TODD DAVIS has a grievance. Last week he started to go into Niles township for some Cattle for Frank Merson, expecting to return in time to butcher for next day's market in South Bend. He obtained permission to go by way of Bertin Springs to see "Xau", who is bonding with the Sheriff. He went down to the Valley road, was admitted to the jail by deputy Whitcomb, but after a few minutes talk, when he wanted to get out and go about his business, Whitcomb would not let him out, but kept him there until the middle of the afternoon, so he could not get around with his work in time, and the entire business was spoiled. "Tiger" has a case of false imprisonment, and Frank another for damages, and they both talk strongly of prosecution.

TAX NOTICE.—For the collection of the taxes of Berrien township, I will be at the First National Bank, Buchanan, on Saturday, Dec. 15, 20 and 27; at Dayton on Monday, Dec. 22 and 29; at First National Bank, Niles, on each Tuesday in December.

CHARLES P. BENNINGER, Treas.

Election Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the regular meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Buchanan for the election of Directors, will be held at their office, in the village of Buchanan, on the second Tuesday in January, 1891.

JOHN F. REYNOLDS, Cashier.

Locals.

I am over-stocked in Albums and Dolls. The bottom will fall out this week. Come early, while the stock is complete.

MORRIS, THE FAIR. Plush Sets, Toilet, Manicure and Shaving, at all prices, at BARMORE'S.

SEE OUR HANGING LAMPS BEFORE BUYING. MORGAN & CO.

You can see a nice line of men's Slippers for the Holiday trade at J. Imhoff's cheap for cash. Call before buying. J. IMHOFF.

Shelled Corn, at BISHOP & KENT'S.

Hand Paintings for Xmas gifts, at Mrs. BERRICK'S.

AL HUNT has a fine line of Rockers of all kinds and prices.

Now is the time to buy a Plush Cloak. We sell them at greatly reduced prices. S. P. HIGH.

We have the largest stock of Holiday Goods ever brought to this market. MORRIS, THE FAIR.

Good Dressing Cases in both Leather, Plush and Celluloid, at BARMORE'S.

A nice assortment of Silk Handkerchiefs and Mufflers for the Holiday trade. Call and see them, at J. IMHOFF'S.

Santa Claus' Head-quarters THE FAIR.

One Car Load of Holiday Goods.

Just arrived, and we invite everybody, old and young, big and little, rich and poor, to call where your money will go the farthest, and where you are sure to find just what you want. A few articles we mention:

Plush Goods, Toys, Books, Dolls, Jewelry, Cutlery, Musical Instruments, Hobby Horses, Sleds, Scrap Books, China Ware, Neckties, Pocket Books, Confectionery, Fruits, Nuts, Novelties, Notions, Handkerchiefs,

And a thousand other articles which you will see by calling at Santa Claus' Headquarters. FREE SHOW EVERY DAY. JOHN MORRIS, Proprietor.

H. E. LOUGH, JEWELER.

Has the largest stock of Watches, Jewelry, Clocks and Plated Ware, ever carried in Buchanan.

I buy for cash from the largest manufacturers in this country, and can give customers the benefit of it.

Old Santa Claus will be on the street next week Saturday, and will make his headquarters at MORRIS THE FAIR.

Dr. Cutting a specialty. Call and see me. MRS. T. C. LORD. Cur. 4th and Postage.

Albums, from 25c to \$6.50, at BARMORE'S.

I have one more of those Fischer Pianos, in burr walnut case, that I want to sell this week. It is brand new, made less than six weeks ago.

J. G. HOLMES. A large assortment of Towels and Linen of all kinds, found at MORRIS THE FAIR.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY! Five hundred cords of second-growth Hickory Elm, or Rock Elm, 4 1/2 to 8 inches in diameter, and from 4 to 12 feet long, delivered in South Bend, Ind. For further particulars address, STUDEBAKER BROS. MFG. CO. South Bend, Ind.

See our fine line of Gift Books, at all prices. BARMORE'S. HOLIDAY PRESENTS, Books, Toilet Sets, Plush Paperies, Cuff & Collar Boxes, Albums, Pocket Books, Toy and Juvenile Books, Games, Etc., Etc., at H. BINNS' Opp. Hotel.

The cheapest place to buy your Cloaks is at MRS. HOWARD SMITH'S. A fine line of Bibles, at BARMORE'S.

Now, right now, is your time to make your selections for Christmas. I am going to close out my entire stock during the next 60 days.

Silk Mufflers, Cashmere Mufflers, Handsome patterns found at CHARLIE HIGHS.

I have the finest line of Confectionery ever brought to this market. MARRIS, THE FAIR.

Finest line of Baldwin's Ode Cases, filled, in town, at BARMORE'S.

The Wirt Fountain Pen, made of gold and hard rubber, makes a very nice Xmas present. See them at H. BINNS' Opp. Hotel.

Get your dress-making done at MRS. HOWARD SMITH'S.

When you want a Silk Muffler or Handkerchief, go to H. B. DUNCAN'S.

Handsomeness Handkerchiefs are found with us. Always look at CHARLIE HIGHS.

New Goods for Holiday Presents, at H. BINNS' Opp. Hotel.

Always look at CHARLIE HIGHS for Christmas presents.

Don't forget that you can buy the BEST TEA YOU EVER DRANK, at 50c per pound. MORGAN & CO.

A quarter ream of good Writing Paper; makes a very desirable present for any one who can write. Buy one of H. BINNS' Opp. Hotel.

Come in and buy Flannel for Shirts and Skirts, of CHARLIE HIGHS.

Stamping done at MRS. BERRICK'S.

A 50c Corset that leads them all. Look at CHARLIE HIGHS.

The finest line of Silk Mufflers and Handkerchiefs in town, for the least money. Come and see before buying. S. P. HIGH.

The great secret, how to save money. Buy your Dry Goods and Notions, at S. P. HIGHS.

A benefit for the people. The lowest prices on Dry Goods of any house in town. Try us and we will surely please you. S. P. HIGH.

Good Bedroom Suit for \$15.00, at M. T. YOUNG'S.

I shall have the Papsion house, on Day's avenue, in first-class tenable condition in about four weeks, weather permitting, when the property will be for rent or sale. J. G. HOLMES.

Good Wood Stove for sale cheap, at H. B. DUNCAN'S.

JAKE BAKER wants to sell you a Whip. He has an elegant assortment. His stock of Robes and Blankets is something immense, also. Germ Grits, Granola Carbon Crackers, Oat Meal Biscuit, at BISHOP & KENT'S.

BOYLE & BAKER'S

Great Sale takes in the balance of this month and all of next month. We have decided to reduce our stock and do it in the next sixty days, and the only way we can do this is to sell you goods for less than you can buy them anywhere else, so we intend to do a retail business and give you wholesale prices. Now we don't intend to make a leader of just one item and charge you full price on all other goods. We put everything out as leaders, and make you prices so that if you are in need of anything in the dry goods line you will trade with us.

Our Cloak Department. Is not broke up as bad as we would like to have it, and to make a clean sweep of them we offer an \$18.00 Plush Wrap for \$10.00. 25.00 " " 14.00. 28.00 " " 15.00. Cloth Wrap worth \$15.00, now \$5.00. Ladies all wool Scarlet Vest 85 cents. Gents' natural wool Shirts and Drawers for \$1.00, worth \$1.25. Great bargain in Hosiery.

Our Millinery Department. Is crowded with all the latest styles of Hats and Bonnets, and as it is getting late, and we don't want to carry any over, we will cut, carve, quarter and halve price, and take what we can get and let them slide. Now, don't wait until next spring to buy this stuff, as you can buy it cheaper now. Remember this month and next. Yours, BOYLE & BAKER'S.

Dr. William's Headache Cure is the surest relief for sick and nervous headaches on the market. Try a box. Price 25c. Sold only at BARMORE'S.

An elegant line of ladies' and misses' Mittens, to be found at S. P. HIGHS.

Just look at the 54-inch Dress Flannel, at S. P. HIGHS.

If you would have your clothes that delicate cast white, so desirable, use Russ' Bleaching Blue. Sold by all grocers.

Ladies, you will find the largest stock of Millinery Goods at BOYLE & BAKER'S.

The lowest price on everything, at S. P. HIGHS.

For low prices in Millinery go to BOYLE & BAKER'S. An elegant line to select from.

Ladies, to know what we have in Cloaks you must come and see. We are making some very low prices. BOYLE & BAKER.

A Ladies' Vest, worth 50c any day, you can buy while they last at 25c. Come early, at CHARLIE HIGHS.

See BOYLE & BAKER for low prices on Dry Goods.

Do you want a small Engine? I have one four-horse power, vertical Engine and Boiler, in good order, and am willing to sell it at a bargain. The inside or exposed parts of the boiler are new. J. G. HOLMES.

Ladies, try the Lillie Bloom for the complexion. Six ounce bottle 50c, at BARMORE'S.

Buy the OAK-LEAF SOAP, at BOARDMAN & WEBERLE'S.

BOARDMAN & WEBERLE has an immense run on the OAK-LEAF SOAP. Try it and you will know why. 35c per Best and cheapest ladies' Underwear is found at CHARLEY HIGHS.

Handsome Corsets you ever saw at 50c, at CHARLEY HIGHS.

For the best 50 cent Corset, go to S. P. HIGHS.

Dry Goods for Big and Little. Old and Young, at SAM HIGHS.

Home made Bread. Made from our Liquid Yeast. Try it. TREAT BROS. & CO.

I am always ready to make you the Lowest Prices, quality considered. S. P. HIGH.

Go straight to S. P. High's, the Fair and Square place to buy. Best Cotton Bats, found at H. B. DUNCAN'S, only 10 cents.

Send your OAK-LEAF SOAP wrappers to Gowans & Stover, Buffalo, N. Y., and get fine pictures free in return for them.

Don't you forget it. I have the best Underwear in town. S. P. HIGH.

Pure Buckwheat Flour, at TREAT BROS. & CO.

Famous Bissell Carpet Sweeper cheap, at M. T. YOUNG'S.

Plush Balls, Brass Ornaments, Silk Ornaments for Fancy Work, found at CHARLIE HIGHS.

Ladies, call and see Underwear, especially the Union Suit, at S. P. HIGHS.

H. B. DUNCAN'S is the place to buy Dry Goods. Don't forget that I still sell Pianos and Organs. If you contemplate buying either, see me before buying. J. G. HOLMES.

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ANDERSONVILLE! FREE! Our new picture of Andersonville Prison is now ready. It is a splendid Ologram in eight color...

PLEASE BEAR IN MIND! WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF GOLD COIN

COOK AND HEATING STOVES, THE BEST IN THE MARKET.

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MERRY CHRISTMAS! Only three weeks before Christmas. In the meantime I invite you to call and look over my fine stock of Presents for old and young, as follows:

Plush Albums, Toilet, Manicure and Shaving Sets, Books and Booklets, finely illustrated, Bibles, large and small, Plush Odor cases, Scrap and Autograph Albums, Dolls, Banks, Everything for Everyone.

Our store will be open evenings the week preceding Christmas.

COME AND SEE US. GEO. WYMAN & CO. South Bend, Ind.

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