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Business Directory.

SABBATH SERVICES. SERVICES are held every Sabbath at 10:30 o'clock A. M. at the Church of the Larger Hope, 214 North Second Street...

DRESS GOODS.

We are satisfied that every lady who looks at our Spring Dress Goods will pronounce them very handsome. We have all the latest novelties in French and Scotch Goods...

THE OFFER OF THE AGE!

Given Away Free With Every \$25.00 Cash Purchase. These Irons are indispensable to every household. Besides being ornamental they are a labor-saving device...

COURTESHIP OR MARRIAGE?

Marriage is an ordered garden; Courtship, a sweet tangled wood; Marriage is the sober summer; Courtship, spring, in its wayward mood...

An Honest Ghost.

A young man, Mr. A., one night left London to take a trip into the north of England, and had for a companion in the railway carriage but one man, a stranger.

Characteristics of Prison Birds.

John Sullivan, a contractor at the Missouri Penitentiary, has made something of a study of convicts. There are some observations given by a reporter of the St. Louis Globe...

An Honest King.

Whoever reads the following must own to a feeling of respect as well as like an honest man. King Frederick VI. of Denmark, while traveling through Jutland...

BEST BUILDING BRICK, TILING.

Having recently erected an Improved Brick and Tiling kiln I am now prepared to furnish the Best Brick the market affords...

Rose & Ellsworth.

South Bend, Ind. Open every Wednesday and Saturday evening. We are showing a large line of Iron frame Grenadines in brocades and colored figures.

Sparks & Hathaway.

DEALERS IN Groceries, Provisions, Feed and Bakery Goods, Buchanan, Mich.

HEREAFTER WHAT?

Genesis iii, 19. "Dust thou art and unto dust shalt thou return." Physically speaking this is absolutely correct, and literally true.

Modern Uses of Wire.

It is remarkable to what extent wire and wire rope are displacing hemp and cotton ropes, once so much in vogue.

How to Wear Shoes.

"Do you know there isn't one man in five hundred who knows how to wear shoes?" remarked a shoe dealer.

Why and How We Laugh.

Laughing is caused by the very opposite influence that produces sighing. The nervous system is highly excited...

Great Reduction.

Manufacturers' Sale Room of Boots and Shoes. A complete stock of all kinds of Boots, Shoes and Rubbers.

Dr. J. T. Salter.

World famous the citizens of Buchanan and surrounding country that all who want his PAIN SUBDUER, LIVER PILLS, and POSITIVELY SAVE MONEY.

P. T. Henderson, Undertaker.

Have a fine Hearse and a full stock of Caskets and everything else needed in this business.

H. E. Lough, Watchmaker and Jeweler.

Repairing Gold Spectacles a Specialty. Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure.

HEART DISEASE.

In the first place, the pregnant female lays her eggs in due course the larva or worm is hatched and after a while the caterpillar is hatched...

Origin of Electrical Terms.

Electricians use many odd terms in their technical conversation, which are but component parts of a dead language...

Traffic of the Great Lakes.

A recent census bulletin shows that for the year ending June 30, 1889, freight was carried as follows:

Manufacturers' Sale Room.

127 W. Washington St., Old Tribune Room. - South Bend, Ind. DIX & WILKINSON, Law and Abstract Office.

D. H. Baker & Bro., South Bend, Ind.

N. B. Always look for our advertisement in every issue of the Record. We propose to keep you posted, regarding the prices of shoes.

SAVE YOUR STRENGTH.

By Using ALLEN BRADSHAW'S GOOD CHEER SOAP. LATEST AND BEST INVENTION - LITTLE NO RUBBING OF CLOTHES REQUIRED - ASK YOUR GROCER FOR IT - FOLLOW DIRECTIONS CLOSELY.

SHILOH'S CONSUMPTION CURE.

The success of this Great Cough Cure is without a parallel in the history of medicine. All druggists are authorized to sell it on a positive guarantee.

St. Joseph Valley Railway.

On and after Sunday, Dec. 14, 1890, trains will run as follows: Leave Buchanan, 10:30 A. M. Arrive Buchanan, 1:30 P. M.

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Mince Pie Without Apples.

One bowl of lean meat - kipped beef, best preferred; 1/2 cup butter; 1/2 cup chopped very fine sugar and raisins; 1/2 cup molasses; 1/2 cup corn meal; 1/2 cup flour; 1/2 cup baking powder; 1/2 cup salt.

BUY AND SELL REAL ESTATE. MONEY TO LOAN.

Large or small sums; at low rates, on improved farms only. COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING. BERRIEN SPRINGS MICH. \$3000 A YEAR!

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This tale arrives from New Zealand. The government being anxious to accustom the people to order to secure this laudable object, asked the parliament for a vote of one hundred and fifty pounds. When the vote came up for discussion an honorable member said indignantly:

"I should like to hear from the government exactly what these 'sham' money are. I am told that they are a cross between a pig and a sheep."

"There is a book about them in the library," politely replied the member on the other side of the house. "I'll go and fetch it for you."

The query, touched by this act of courtesy, graciously received the volume and began reading out in a pompous voice, the passage pointed out to him—a famous passage from one of the works of that eminent naturalist, Mark Twain. The member quickly realized the joke, so he said:

"When he came to the statement that the 'chamois is no bigger than a mustard seed,' he stopped and subsided into his seat."

An Honest King. Whoever reads the following must own to a feeling of respect as well as like an honest man.

King Frederick VI. of Denmark, while traveling through Jutland, one day entered a village school, and found the children lively and intelligent and quick.

"Well, youngsters," he said, "what are the names of the greatest kings of Denmark?"

"With one accord they cried out: 'The great King, Waldemar and King Christian IV.'"

Just then a little girl to whom the schoolmaster had whispered something stood up and raised her hand. "You know another?" asked the king.

"Yes, Frederick IV." "What great act did he perform?" "The girl hung her head and stammered: "I don't know."

"Be comforted, my child," said the king; "I don't know, either."

Convicts in the United States. A census bulletin gives statistics of penitentiary convicts in each state in proportion to population.

In 1880, out of a total population of 39,000,000, a portion of convicts was 709 to each 1,000,000 of population.

In 1890 the proportion was 723 to the 1,000,000. This shows that the number of convicts has increased 2.42 per cent faster in a decade than the population.

In 1880 there were 27.38 per cent more convicts than in 1850. This shows that the number of convicts has increased 67.53 per cent, and the colored 32.47 percent.

Promoted for Telling the Truth. Probably the most quaint character that ever occupied a prominent position was Judge Joslyn.

The Judge would curse like a trooper when he was angry, and even the presence of a lady would not stop him.

Alaskan Mosquitoes. Moss, shrubs and berries grow in great profusion on the mountains of the Tay.







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

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.

- Hay—\$3 @ \$10 per ton. Butter—20c. Eggs—10c. Lard—8c. Salt, retail—\$1.00. Flour—\$3.20 @ \$6.00 per bbl., retail. Honey—14c. Live poultry—6c. Wheat—\$1.05. Oats—45c. Corn—70c. Beans—\$2.00. Live Hogs—\$3.50 @ \$4.25.

STRAWBERRIES are in bloom. THE wheat market is climbing up.

SINCE John Mansfield moved to St. Joseph, Three Oaks is without a dentist

MISS MARY REYNOLDS will leave tomorrow to enter college at Angola, Ind.

BERT SMITH is confined to his bed by inflammatory rheumatism.

BERDMAN advertises for a good physician.

FRUIT BUDS are coming forward pretty rapidly for their own safety.

GARDEN making is the excitement of the hour about town.

THIS vicinity was treated to a heavy wind and rain Tuesday afternoon.

MR. JOHN V. HESS, of Three Oaks, was buried Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. T. C. ELSON is very sick with a cancerous difficulty in the stomach.

FRANK BROWN is at home for a short visit.

CISCO have commenced to bite at St. Joseph.

THE project of a ferry across the St. Joseph river near Eau Claire is coming to the surface once more.

PEACH trees are blossoming. We shall hope that no freeze shall nip them later.

SKINKWILER is the name of an Ononko woodchuck hunter. Is there nothing in a name?

Mrs. ALFRED RICHARDS has gone to South Bend while her husband is on the road for Spencer & Barnes.

THE Christian and Presbyterian churches in this place are without pastors.

CHILLAS, ADLER & CORLE, of South Bend Boston Store, have a new advertisement in this paper.

ST. JOSEPH is to have a coffee factory, for putting up roasted coffee in packages for market.

QUARTERLY meeting will be held at the M. E. church next Sunday. Presiding Elder Masters will preach.

REV. W. M. BELL, of Elkhart, and Rev. J. F. Bartness will exchange pulpits next Sunday.

SEVERAL barefooted boys have appeared on the street this week. It is pretty early for good health.

ORVILLE GLOVER returned to Cleveland, Ohio, Monday, after a two weeks' visit in Buchanan.

ARNER SPAULDING, of Sawyer, was killed by an express train on the West Michigan road near New Buffalo, Friday.

Mrs. W. J. DICK, of Marion, Ind., and her sister, Mrs. Hattie Blacker, of Manistee, are in Buchanan for a few days' visit with relatives.

W. C. HICKS has been appointed circuit court commissioner in place of Thomas Flood, whose death was announced last week.

WILL VANMETTER, who has been employed in Rockford, Ill., has returned to Buchanan, and is carrying for Kompass, Stone & Stoll.

A PARTY of four were over from South Bend Saturday for a fishing excursion. They carried their minnows in a long necked bottle.

F. R. HARDING has a hen on his premises which lays eggs 6 1/4 by 7 1/2 inches circumference. At least he found one of that dimension.

THE Buchanan Camp of Modern Woodmen has doubled in membership since the first of February. This speaks well for it as an insurance organization. The next meeting is the 1st of May.

The "Temple of Fame," through unavoidable causes, has been postponed until Friday, May 8, at which time it will certainly be rendered.

THE Palladium announces that a young man from Battle Creek has concluded to open a Sanitarium in St. Joseph.

Mr. Wm. OSBORN will close his watch repairing shop and go to work for Spencer & Barnes until they get ready to move.

THE question of publishing their proceedings has been talked of by the present Common Council. Some others have not done that well.

THE most extensively quoted local paper in Michigan is the Coloma Boomer. The news which flow from the pen of that editor are appreciated by the entire world.

CASSIUS VAN RIVER has been admitted at Berrien Springs to practice law in this state. He has been living in Jackson, but will return to Niles and practice in partnership with his father.

Mrs. B. M. PENNELL has bought a portion of the J. J. Roe lot on Third street, opposite the Christian church, and is erecting a neat cottage there, to be her home.

ED. STATLER, of Niles, died in Omaha last week of consumption. He disposed of his business in Niles and went west for his health, but did not start soon enough. He was 32 years of age.

East St. Joe Harbor! That's a dandy name, now, isn't it!—Palladium. And thus the angel of peace will flop her wings over the newly consolidated, but not alight.

THERE is a young lady in Chikaming, weight nine pounds, who in later years will answer to the name of Minta En Nor Wagner and will call her "Pa." Born April 16.

MARRIED, on the 17th inst., at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Abram Stephens, of Chicago, Ill., and Miss Helen M. Weaver, of Buchanan, Mich. Elder Wm. M. Roe officiating.

THE Independent has ex-County Treasurer Samuel Hess, of Three Oaks, dead. Mr. Hess was here this morning attending to business in a pretty lively manner for a corpse.

IN Niles they take horseradish for a gripe, and in Benton Harbor they feed the victims dynamite, but Benton Harbor is a more ambitious town than Niles.

MINNIE BUSBY, the colored girl who took French leave from the jail in January, returned to her home in St. Joseph last week, and was brought back to jail by the St. Joseph deputy sheriff.

Last of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending April 20, 1891: Miss Libbie Horner, Mrs. F. C. Mitchell, Geo. A. Stearns.

Call for letters advertised. JOHN GRAHAM, P. M.

MR. BEARDSLEY arrived from Illinois Monday evening, and County Surveyor Bacon Tuesday morning, and they are at work making surveys and plans for the dam, preparatory to asking for the franchise of the Board of Supervisors at their June meeting.

MR. J. M. STETTINER, of this place, has applied for a patent on a cheap and simple device for holding a spectacle case into the pocket. It is a small metal point which is attached to the case, is cheap, handy, and does the work to perfection.

THE great desire of the Democrats to grander this state is likely to be balked by the E. of I. members of the state senate, and there is a probability of the legislature adjourning without changing the present arrangement of congressional districts.

Berrien Co. Teachers' Association. The meeting of the Teachers' Association, which was appointed for the first Saturday in May, at Berrien Springs, has been postponed. Due notice will be given of next meeting. CHAIRMAN OF EX. COAL.

LAST Friday when Jacob E. Miller, of Hill's Corners, came home from church, he found his house filled with people who had been invited by his children to remind him that he and his good wife had been living as one family fifty years. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all present.

BENTON HARBOR experienced a severe pain in the innards last week, because the legislative committee had decided to call the new conglomeration St. Joseph Harbor. If the committee should conclude to omit the last word, the state would hardly be large enough to hold the wrath of the enterprising annex.

NILES people are prepared to apply for quarters in the Kalamazoo asylum for all Buchanan, because we are proposing to build a better dam in the St. Joseph than theirs, for less money than one year's interest on the cost of the Niles dam. Well, if we fail it will not be their fault.

A POOR but dishonest artist gained admission to Mr. Dana's room in Niles, last week, by a confidence game on Mr. Dana's landlady, and carried off something like \$100 worth of valuables. He has been arrested in Chicago and brought back to Niles to explain.

Mrs. K. W. NOBLES asks the Common Council of Niles to either appoint a special officer to keep order in Peak hall, or not charge license for entertainments which come there, and asks for the appointment herself. She is as well calculated to keep order among the gallery flenders as anyone in Niles.

THE product of the RECORD job rooms for this month will foot up more dollars by over 200 than any month in the history of the office. The largest output for any previous month was in March, 1889, when the amount was \$882.22.

GEORGE POWERS, colored, of Niles, is under \$500 bail to appear at next term of court, to answer the charge of threatening to shoot those who were expected to testify against him in an assault and battery case, in case they told what they knew.

AN enterprising Ononko man has discovered that, with proper manipulation, yellow dog skins make first-class woodchuck scalps, which will pass in the hands of an expert. The Era says he has applied for a patent and is likely to establish an extensive industry, if Ononko continues to pay ten cents bounty for them.

LAST summer a lady in this place had her leg broken by being caught in a rope where a cow was picketed to browse on the streets. There is complaint that the same way of pasturing cows is being indulged in now, and measures should be taken to effectually stop it. Hire a pasture or don't keep a cow.

THE Kalamazoo Gazette, giving an account of the meetings held there by Gov. Ira Chase, adds the following: One of the leading features if these meetings is the music. They have secured the services of Mr. J. J. Roe and daughter, of Buchanan, to conduct the singing. Mr. Roe is one of the best singers in Michigan. He is an efficient leader of congregational singing and a very effective solo singer. He and his daughter render some very fine duets. Don't fail to hear these sweet singers.

EDSON STONE, of Buchanan, was in the city to-day and thinks he will come here to live. We will have all of Buchanan's population before another year.—Detroit Journal.

Edson Stone is a Niles man who came here three or four years ago to get employment. He is a good blacksmith.

A BERRIEN SPRINGS gentleman didn't understand the complex booth system, but he was bound to vote and so assumed a horizontal attitude and crawled under the booth doors. While he wasn't particularly well pleased with the new-fangled system, still he got there just the same.—Dowagiac Times.

Yes, he wanted to vote the Democrat ticket but couldn't read, and voted a cigar advertisement that had been dropped in the booth by an enterprising dealer.

THERE appears to be a sentiment hovering about the Common Council, that a twelve foot dam is all that should be thought of for the river at this place. It is the opinion of the RECORD that if they stop short of the highest point possible to build, the town will be sorry for it in later years. If the banks be high enough to back water to the mouth of Dowagiac creek, that is what we shall expect to want, if the amount of country to be flooded by it be within reason.

Mrs. MATHIEU HAMMET with a serious accident, Friday, a short time before noon. In their kitchen a trap door is cut leading to the cellar, and in a dark corner where one with an old pair of eyes cannot tell plainly whether the door is open or not. Some one had left the door up, and in her work about dinner she fell to the bottom of the cellar. As no one was about was the house she laid there in a helpless and semi-conscious condition, until discovered by Mrs. Stoll who lives next door. She was quite badly bruised, but is likely to recover. This is the second fall she has had in that place.

MARRIAGE Licenses. No. 1406 A. Olmstead, Benton Harbor. 1407 Harry Hubbs, Berrien Springs. 1408 Chas E. Tittle, South Bend. 1409 Agnes Terry, " 1410 Abner Stephens, Chicago. 1411 Helen M. Weaver, Buchanan. 1412 Irving H. Evans, Athens, Ill. 1413 Jennie Crobb, Benton Harbor. 1414 Chas. Johnson, St. Joseph. 1415 Minnie Stark, " 1416 Simon F. McCarty, Berrien Centre. 1417 Lizzie Phillips, Stevensville. 1418 John Williams, Niles. 1419 Elizabeth Phillips, Dowagiac. 1420 James Webster, Berrien Tp. 1421 Binnie L. Weaver, Niles.

SOME ONE appears to have been aggrieved because of the purchase of the baling machines mentioned by the RECORD last week, and has tried to destroy the one on Portage Prairie. At least it was found with one of the parts bent badly out of shape so that an attempt to run it might have led to a serious break. A blacksmith's services for a few minutes remedied the damage. The farmers are trying now to determine just whose interests are interfered with by the presence of these machines, as a help to locate the chap who is trying to smash it.

A PICTURE fender gave this town a pretty thorough canvass Tuesday. He would collect photographs to be enlarged free, asking only a small price for a frame. Wherever he could he collected one or two dollars in advance, and the RECORD learns that he found as many as ninety suckers, who were foolish enough to pay a stranger for goods when he takes the order. When asked his name he refused to tell it, but wanted to be known as the picture man. It seems to make no difference about how much warning is given about giving such sharks a wide berth, each one who comes around fin's about the same sized crop to gather. Probably it will always be thus.

THE Common Council went to the river with Mr. Beardsley, Tuesday, for the purpose of selecting a location for the dam. The location was not fully determined upon. There is under consideration, as a matter of economy, the question of placing it in the bend of the river above the mouth of the creek. The most expensive portion of the right of way lies in the small power on the creek, it being likely that in case the water be raised to the full possible height, the Black power would be entirely flooded and a portion of the Rough & Fox power destroyed. Placing the improvement there would also save flooding Mr. Carother's bottom lands, and instead of injuring his property would greatly increase its value. As the value placed upon these three properties is much more than the estimated cost of the dam and race, wheel pits and all, and there would be no serious inconvenience and no loss of head in the location above them, that point will most likely be selected as the most available.

MORRIS' THE FAIR.

A FREE PASS TO SEE THE WORLD'S FAIR Cannot be had. The rustling, hustling, pushing, energetic, tireless, fearless, incomparable and unchallenged

LEADER IN BARGAINS! Is again reading the riot act to high priced would-be competitors. See what we have to say below:

Just received, a lot of MEN'S PANTS, ALSO Sattine, Madras Cloth and Flannel Shirts, which we are offering at bargains. Come in and make your selections. We can save you 25 to 50 per cent.

Our 50 counters a great attraction. Hundreds of 15c articles all go for 10c. Our 10c counters have surprised everybody. 25 and 35c articles all go for 10c. In Pocket Knives we sell at 25c and 50c, others at 75c and \$1.00. Good Table Knives and Forks, 50c to \$1.15 per set. Remember

A BIG VARIETY OF OTHER GOODS WHICH YOU WILL SEE BY CALLING. MORRIS' THE FAIR.

NILES millionaires invest their money in Chicago, South Bend and nearly every city in the West in which they live.—Grand Rapids Democrat. They know the town.

It may be possible that Benton Harbor people are not mad at the name East St. Joe Harbor, but you better not let that way if you want to win the bet.—Detroit Journal. They are so "hot" that if you spatter water on one of them you can hear it sizzle.

A. L. ROACH speared a sturgeon in the Dowagiac Creek to-day that weighed 117 pounds, the first sturgeon speared in this stream for four years.—Niles Star, Friday.

"WHEN my Ship Comes Over the Sea," the latest musical hit. Price seventy-five cents. Special price for introduction, post-paid, forty cents. Address, Will L. Thompson & Co., 250 Wabash Ave., Chicago.

ASA HAMILTON and three companions were fishing in the Dowagiac creek a few nights since when the boat filled with water and its occupants were compelled to swim to land. As they wore overcoats and heavy boots it was with much difficulty that they accomplished the act.—Niles Sun.

A SINGULAR case of fatality occurred in Kalamazoo on Thursday, James E. Matthews died in the morning of that day and his wife died in the evening, both with the grip. Mr. Matthews was a former resident of Benton Harbor.—Niles Sun.

Additional locals on second page.

Locals. Mrs. E. REDDING is prepared to do Straw work at her residence, upstairs on Main street. She has the blocks for all the leading shapes in hats and bonnets, and wishes to extend an invitation to all who wish their hats reshaped.

Washing and Ironing down by MRS. SARAH TURNER, Fulton's Addition. Mrs. BINNS' is the place to buy Millinery. Call and take tickets and get an Alarm Clock, a Rocking Chair, a Stand Lamp or a Side Lamp, at MORGAN & CO'S.

We are actually too busy to local this week. Look for us next. MRS. BERRICK. Combs, Tooth Brushes and other notions, at H. BINNS', opp. Hotel. For Gents' Furnishing Goods, go to MORRIS' The Fair.

Cheapest place to buy Millinery, is at MRS. BINNS'. Come and buy a bottle of good Black Ink of H. BINNS', opp. Hotel. Latest styles in Gents' Neck Wear and shirts, at MORRIS' The Fair.

Everything in WRITING Material and School Supplies, at HARRY BINNS'. See and be satisfied that we have the finest assortment of Umbrellas in town, and in prices we will please you. S. P. HIGH.

We sell Wilson Bros. Crown Dye Gents' Hosiery. Warranted stainless, at MORRIS' The Fair. NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION. BUCHANAN, Mich., April 13, 1891. It is hereby mutually agreed by and between Solomon Rough and Stephen A. Earl, that the firm of Rough & Earl be and the same is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing by said firm of Rough & Earl are hereby assumed by said Stephen A. Earl, and he hereby agrees to pay the same.

SOLOMON ROUGH. STEPHEN A. EARL. We are agents for the Hedy Oil Stove, the best in the world, at MORRIS' The Fair. A nice line of Dress Gingham's just arrived. Call and see them. S. P. HIGH.

Remember we have the largest and finest stock of Wall Paper in the city. BARMORE. New Goods. Call and see them. S. P. HIGH.

We are chock full of New Goods. Come in, at MORRIS' The Fair. Before buying elsewhere, look at the 10c and 15c vests, at S. P. HIGH'S. Nice, Fancy Ties for 5c, at H. B. DUNCAN'S.

You can't beat the 50c Tea that MORGAN & CO. sell. Call and see our large assortment of Presents given away to customers. They will surprise you. MORGAN & CO. Fishing Tackle, at MORRIS' The Fair. Come and bring your friend to see our Spring Millinery opening. MRS. BERRICK.

My stock is still going, so please call before the best goods are gone. J. IMHOFF. House cleaning is here. Any one wanting a Carpet can save money by buying of H. B. DUNCAN'S. Corn delivered in any part of town. BOARDMAN & WEHRE.

Best Lace Curtains you ever saw for \$1.75, at H. B. DUNCAN'S. Do not forget that we have a fine line of Ingrain Wall Paper. It is the most popular Paper on the market. BARMORE.

A comparison of the styles and prices will convince you that you should trade at S. P. HIGH'S. 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.

A nice line of new Clocks just received, at H. LOUGH'S. New Dress Goods and new Prices. Come and see them. H. B. DUNCAN'S. A nice line of Embroidered Skirtings, in black and white, at S. P. HIGH'S.

40 cents buys an elegant side Lamp complete, at TREAT BROS. & CO'S. For the latest thing in Dress Trimmings, go to S. P. HIGH'S. If you want a good Watch for a little money, call on H. E. LOUGH'S. Sewing Machine Repairs of all kinds, furnished by H. E. LOUGH.

Ladies, clean your own Kid Gloves. For 25 cents you can buy a box that will clean 1 dozen pair. Try it. BARMORE. Go to SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S for Jackson Flour. A beautiful line of Embroidery, at H. B. DUNCAN'S. GIVEN AWAY.

When you have purchased from us \$20 worth we will make you a present of a nice side lamp complete, or when you have purchased \$25 worth we will present you with a patent step ladder and chair combined. Call and see the same at our store. SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S. Boots and Shoes, Rubber Goods, Hats and Caps, Gents' Furnishing Goods, will be sold by me for the next sixty days at greatly reduced prices. It will pay you to see me when you want anything in my line. ADAM KERN, Dayton, Mich.

An elegant side Lamp given away with \$20 grocery trade. SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S. SETTLE UP. The firm of BOYLE & BAKER being dissolved by mutual consent, all persons knowing themselves indebted to them, are invited to call and settle at once, by cash or note, as all accounts must be settled by March 15, 1891. The books will be at the old stand for 30 days. BOYLE & BAKER. The best 50 cent Tea in town. SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S. Corn and Oats. SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S. Baking done to order, at TREAT BROS. & CO'S. The cheapest place to buy your Cloaks is at MRS. HOWARD SMITH'S.

Everything in Lamps, Crockery and Glassware, at lowest prices. Look them over, at TREAT BROS. & CO'S. I will sell you a new Upright Piano for \$175. A better one for \$200. Still better for \$250. Better yet for \$300, but \$400 will get you a still better one; but if you want as good a Weber Upright as was ever made, it will cost you more. See me before buying. I sell the Weber, Hazelton, Fischer, Mason & Hamlin, Kroeger, C. D. Pease and others, and can sell you a Piano to fit your pocket-book, and will not charge you first-class prices for a fourth-class piano. JOHN G. HOLMES.

Get your dress-making done at MRS. HOWARD SMITH'S. If you would have your clothes that delicate clear white, so desirable, use Russ' Bleaching Blue. Sold by all grocers. 39. The lowest price on everything, at S. P. HIGH'S. Don't forget that I still sell Pianos and Organs. If you contemplate buying either, see me before buying. J. G. HOLMES.

Fresh country Lard, at SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S. DRESS-MAKING. Miss Elmira Burrus is prepared to do dress-making in the latest styles and give good work. Call at her home on Day's Avenue, near the depot.

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