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VOL. VI, NO. 30 BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY NOVEMBER 22 1883. WHOLE NO 342

DETROIT GRAND HAVEN & MILWAUKEE RAILWAY.

TIME CARD, MAY 13, 1883.

28 minutes slower than Detroit time.

Until further notice trains will leave Birmingham as follows:

GOING EAST.

Holly Accommodation	7 10 a. m.
Detroit Express	10 55 " "
Mail	4 00 p. m.
Steamboat Express	9 00 " "
Atlantic Express	4.30 a. m

GOING WEST.

Morning Express	7.35 a. m.
Mail	11 20 " "
Steamboat Express	5.20 p. m
Milwaukee Express	11 0 " "
Chicago Express	9 07 p. m.

Through Sleeper on Milwaukee Express to Grand Haven and Local Sleeper to Grand Rapids.

THOMAS TANDY, Gen'l Pas'g a Pass. Agt. W. J. MORGAN, Gen.l Supt.

G. R. NASH, Manager.

Leaders all the Rage!

STRANGER: "Boys, whose store is this?"

BOYS, (in chorus,) "It's Whitehead and Mitchell's store; this week their leaders are;—

Extra choice Raisins,.....15c.
Stan'd Granulated Sugar, 9c.
Best White C Sugar,.....8c.
Roasted Rio Coffee,.....15c.
Green Rio Coffee,.....12c.
Fine Amber Syrup,.....50c.
Genuine N. O. Molasses, 65c.

Everything cheap. Look out for some more prices next week.

WHITEHEAD & MITCHELL.

Business Cards.

DENTAL SURGERY.

D. M. Johnston, L D. S.

Gas and Vitalized Air used for the painless extraction of teeth. Office opposite the National Hotel. Hours from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

National Hotel,

G. E. Daines, Proprietor. Sample room for commercial agents. Good Livery in connection with this house.1

Wants, Lost, Found, etc.

MISS SMITH & FARRAND announce to the public that they now occupy rooms in R. J. Mitchell's building on Saginaw St., and keep for sale a choice stock of Millinery, Fancy Goods and Notion store. A Dressmaking establishment under the supervision of Mrs. M. Smith. Smith & Farrand, Birmingham, Mich.

STORE CATTLE FOR SALE. Having purchased a large herd of yearling and two-year-old Cattle suitable for farmer's feeding, we now offer them for sale in numbers to suit purchasers. One half mile south of the town house. Aldrich & Worth, Troy, Mich. Sep. 20 2m pd

SHEEP FOR SALE. Seventeen wethers and thirteen ewes, fine wool Spanish Merinos from the celebrated Snow flock. Inquire on the premises 2 miles west of Birmingham. Allie Simonson. 21 41 pd

FOR SALE.—One two year old colt, coming three and one yearling colt can be seen on my farm in Troy. Nelson Burley. 23 41 pd.

FARM FOR SALE, situated in the township of Troy Oakland county, Mich., and 6¾ miles northeast of Birmingham, consisting of 54 acres. 12 acres timber, the balance improved land, well fenced and underdrained and good water. 3 acres of fruit; apples, peaches and cherries. Good house, barn, 18x28 with a wing 18x40. Grain barn 30x40, horse barn 30x40 also a corn house 16ft. house proof. These buildings are all built on gravel ridge always dry and pleasantly situated. This farm is well adapted to all kinds of grain and can be had on reasonable terms. Call on or address, Nelson Burley, Troy, Mich. 23 1mo pd

HEAVY WORK HORSES for sale reasonable. I offer for sale my span of cream work horses. Weight 1600 apiece, for sale cheap. This team is worth all I ask for them. For full particulars call on Charles M. Starr, Troy, Mich., 1¼ miles east of Birmingham. 23 41

TO SHINGLE USERS AND BUILDERS. I have for sale a choice lot of shingles for sale cheap. If you want a bargain call and see Samuel Jarvis, Birmingham, Mich. 23 tf

FOR SALE. A farm of 240 acres in the township of Waterford, Oakland county, 4 miles from Pontiac. This farm has 160 acres of improved land of the best quality for cultivation and stock, a good house pleasantly situated near Hilsbeth lake, three barns and other outbuildings. For terms etc., apply to Dr. Congar on the premises, or address by mail through the post-office at Pontiac. tf

HUGHES & BARR have a new Victor Roller and a new Traction Engine and are now ready to do any and all jobs of clover threshing offered and guarantee complete satisfaction in every case. Try us, Hughes & Barr. 20 pd 21

FARM FOR SALE.—I offer for sale my farm of 8½ acres in the township of Southfield, opposite Kirby's school house. Good buildings, small fruit. For terms apply to Robert Hanna, Birmingham, Mich. 22 4m pd

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL sell on his premises in Troy, four horses, a pair of bobs, lumber wagon, pair of trucks, set of work harness, set of light double harness, single harness and can fill the demands of most anyone. Terms reasonable. Call and see me. Mason N. Leonard, Troy, Mich. 20 tf

FOR SALE CHEAP.—A few strong swarms of bees at $20 each. Inquire at this office. 19 2t

WORK TEAM FOR SALE. I offer for sale my team of heavy work horses. Color, grey, 5 years old. Teams cheap for cash. Got more horses than I want in winter. Sherman Williams, Royal Oak, Mich. 47 tf pd

I HAVE FOR SALE 65 choice sheep, 25 of them wethers. Can be seen on my farm five miles east of Birmingham and two miles south. Come early and secure a bargain. George Geddes.

$25 Reward.

Lost, on Thursday night Nov 15 1883 between Big Beaver and Myron Bailey's a pocket book containing 227 collars and papers of use to the owner only. A reward of 25 dollars will be paid for the return there of to Charles Brand, Big Beaver, Mich. 20 2 t

Close Cash Buyers, Look at these Prices.

Kerosene Oil, 14 cents per gallon.

Nice brown sugar 7 cents per pound.

Atlantic P. sheeting 6 cts " yard.

Atlantic A. " 8 " "

Calicoes 4½ and 5 cents

All wool flannels from 25 cents up.

Towellings from 6 cents up.

Beautiful dress goods at 10 cents per yard.

Lovely " " " 12½ " "

Other styles at 16, 20, 25 and 30 cents, up to $1 35 per yard.

New hosiery for ladies, misses, children and babies.

The most beautiful line of ladies' gloves and mittens, in yarn, Jersey and kid, in town.

The popular Jerseys in the best colors, $2.50 worth $3.00.

Velvet ribbons, Satin and gros grained ribbons

The best 50 cent underwear in the country.

Our underwear for ladies and gentlemen range from 40 cents to $2.00 each

Our line of handkerchiefs was never so complete, at 5, 6, 10, 12, 15, 20, 25, 30, 35 and 40 cents in cotton and linen. Silk handkerchiefs from 20 cents to $1.50 each.

Our line of dry goods is large and our prices are under City prices. Look at our leaders. Look at all of our stock and prices and save money by buying of us.

GLASSWARE.

We open this week a beautiful line of lamps at ridiculously low prices.

New glass sets.

Low prices on crockery.

Don't invest a dollar in Dry Goods until you have seen our prices.

The largest stock and lowest prices in Birmingham at

J. R. Corson & Son.

Birmingham, - - Mich.

A General Surprise.

That We are selling a

40	inc all wool Cashmere for	50	cents worth	75.	
40	" "	40	" "	60	
40	" "	25	" "	40.	
25	" "	15	" "	26	
All Linen Table Linen		25		40.	
Atlantic A Sheeting		8	"	9	
" P	"	5¾	"	7.	
Argyle	"	6¼	"	8	
All wool Flannel	"	20	"	25.	
" "	"	25	"	35	

Our Ladies' Vest at 50 cents cannot be excelled.

A Gent's Shirt at 50 cents worth 75

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hoods in great variety of shades and styles.

Fine assortment of Gloves and Mitts cheap.

Men's Kip Boots $2.00 worth $2.50,
" " " $2.50 " $3.00,

A Fine line of Gent's Nobby Shoes.

Ladies' Curruco Kid Button $2.00 worth $2.50.

Ladies' Peble Goat Button $2.25 worth $2 75.

" Fancy Slippers	$1 00 "	1.50.
" " "	$1.25 "	1.75.

A full line of Rubber Goods that will be sold as

Low as the Lowest.

The most complete line of Gens' Furnishing Goods in town

Groceries

AT

Rock Bottom Prices.

Choice Japan Tea,	45 cents.	Pure Sugar Syrup	50 cents
" Table Raisins,	15 "	C "	8 "
" N. O. Molasses,	65 "	A full line of Canned Fruits.	
" Cooking "	50 "	Best Quality Spices.	

Remember we have the only FRESH and NEW STOCK in TOWN. If Prices are any object we propose to have a share of the public patronage. All goods

WARRANTED AS REPRESENTED.

Respectfully Yours,

F. Blakeslee & Co.,

DAVIS STORE,

Birmingham, Mich.

HOME NOTES.

PERPETUAL NOTICE!

You will please notice date after your name on paper and wrapper; this tells you when your Subscription expires. If your time is out please call and settle.

"Tabe."

How do you like the new time?

Ladies' Library Society masquerade Feb. 1st, 1884

James Camp is working for Clarence Hoy at McBrides, Mich.

How is this? "Rainey's best soap," 4 bars for 25 cents at Corson's. Try it.

A competent girl of all work can hear of a good place by calling at this office.

Mrs Lena Fraser of West Branch Mich., is the welcome guest of Mrs. Jno. Baldwin.

A. H. Whitehead of Lansing, brother of ye senior editor, was in town on Monday last.

Preaching in Library Hall Sunday, Nov. 25th, 1883, 7 p. m. by J. P. Gibson. All welcome.

Smoked haddock 10 cents per lb and Brayman Sr.'s axe helves at 40 and 50 cents at Whitehead & Mitchell's.

2 boxes matches 5 cents at Corson's.

At Mrs. J. O. Beattie's they want all the hoods to knit that is needed in this part of the country. Terms very low.

F. Blakeslee & Co. are right after everybody. Read their new adv't clear through and you will be surprised.

Troy girls have got to look out for themselves for we hear that one was recently locked down in a B'ham store cellar.

George Geddes of Royal Oak has some very choice sheep for sale and sensible George advertises the same elsewhere. Look it up.

New books received by the Ladies Library. "Through the Fates" by Miss Phelps; "East Lynn" by Mrs Wood; "Yolande" by Black.

The Ready Helpers will meet at the residence of Mrs. Hewitt on Saturday next at 2:30 p. m. All are invited to attend. Hattie Simpson, secretary.

Chas. Smith of Fremont street will sell at auction Friday Nov. 23, at 2 p. m., his house, six tons of hay, horse, harness, etc. W. H. Camp auctioneer.

A prominent citizen of our town recently asked "where the Lime Kiln Club held its meetings," and was satisfied when told "at the Central Market."

Married at Southfield Nov. 14, by Rev. E. Dyer assisted by Rev. J. P. Gibson, Orville E. Chase and Emma Gregg at the residence of the bride's parents.

Oil cloths have taken a tumble—only 40 cents square yard for extra quality at Corson's.

Its a lack of space and time that compels us to lay over a week or so, a touching and very fine poem on the death of the late Wm. Worth Sr. of this place.

Judge Powell appointed J. Allen Bigelow executor of the estate of Almeron Whitehead Sr., deceased, on Monday last according to a request embodied in the will.

The first of a series of club dances came off last week at National Hall. It was largely attended, dancing was good and all pronounce themselves delighted with the affair.

Don't forget rhetorical exercises Friday afternoon at the union school, in the high school department. These exercises are becoming more and more popular and are well attended.

Chas. Dennis is foreman in the finishing room of the Methodist Church and School Furnishing Establishment. A very good job and one that will prove greatly benefic al if he sticks to it.

A small house to rent. For particulars call on Samuel Jarvis. This is well located, has a good well and cistern and everything lovely, connected with Saginaw street with a new sidewalk which is already ordered.

Get ready for Christmas by purchasing a new improved White sewing machine of Whitehead & Mitchell and if adversity comes—and it may call on any of us—you will have the wherewith to get an honest livelihood.

A fine line of Whips from 75 cents to $2 each and every twentieth whip given away. Cheapest place in town for whips at Corson's.

W. H. Camp auctioneer will sell at auction ½ mile west of Wing Lake next Saturday, Nov. 24 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, horses, sheep, hogs, cattle, 20 tons of hay, cornstalks, farming tools and machinery, R. W. Barkley & Bros.

Miss Anna D. Hagerman can be found when you want a dress made at Mrs. J. O. Beattie's millinery store. Mrs. H. cuts and fits by a new french system which is wonderfully pleasing to her patrons. Hoods knit to order a specialty.

Birmingham Grange No. 223 will hold their regular session at two o'clock p. m. next Saturday instead of evening as usual and if this experiment proves successful they will continue to do so at least during the real dark nights.

The latest monstrosity in the vegetable line comes from Addie Bayley's in Troy and consists of a half dozen turnips all done up together making one solid mass larger around than a bushel basket. It has created considerable interest in our office for the past week.

Horse blankets and sleigh bells at Corson's.

A crowd of young folks surprised Miss Stella Miller on the occasion of her fourteenth birthday on Thursday evening last. The evening was spent in that species of jollity so much enjoyed by young folks of that age. The young hostess was remembered with several handsome presents.

Pinder Worth is chock full of curiosities which he secured while on his northern deer hunt trip and has presented to our astonished gaze some splinters chipped out by the industrious beaver, a toothpick from the forefeet of a deer and in a language of an auction bill, other articles to numerous to mention.

In riding about the country we not need many roads which are unusually good, third are now quite rough and rusty. Would it not be a good idea for farmers and all other interested in good roads to form "bees" to scrape and prepare the roads for winter? A little extra work now may save you all a great deal next season.

John Considine and Walter Burnham the alleged Holly highwaymen will have an adjurned examination for the robbery of post-master Hobart at Holly to-day when the average Hollyite hopes they will be remanded for trial. Ought to serve such fellows the way we do here and then there would not be any trial.

A beautiful specimen of crazy quilt work, all silk embroidered and cat stitched, the handiwork of a Royal Oak lady can be seen at this office. It will be sold at a raffle. The quilt is valued at $100 and will be disposed of by chance. Seventy five chances will be sold at one dollar each and some body will be the winner.

Mrs. Chas. Howard of St Johns with her lovely little daughter Miss Marjorie, after a most pleasant visit among relatives in Pontiac, Detroit and this village, returned home last week accompanied by her father, John Bodine, who will make a brief visit. We sincerely hope that the Squire will return in improved health.

On Saturday last Walt North returned from a hunting tour in the north woods, thirty five miles west of Tawas. He went with a jolly crew of Pontiacers and the gang killed eighteen deer altogether, one buck weighing 209 lbs! Walt, himself, shot two deer and comes home looking as fat and rugged as a bear after his hunt among the dens of the pine woods.

The patrons and friends of the high school are very cordially invited to be present at the Fourth week rhetorical exercises, to be held on Friday afternoon of this week. The program will consist of work chosen by vote of the school from that presented during the preceding three weeks. A pleasant hour may be expected. The exercises begin at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. W. H. Fisher a journalist of considerable note from Auburn, N. Y. is at present visiting his uncle Mr. L. H. Moore of this place. Mr. F. was formerly local editor with the Cayuga Co. Independent but was forced to give up his position on account of his health, since which time he has visited the Cuban and other foreign shores for the benefit of his health which we are glad to say is improving.

Our limited space will not allow us to use an article written by our worthy friend Daniel A. Denison of Troy on a subject that is of interest to everyone, being an account of the trials, vicissitudes and triumphs of a Troy merchant, a rebuke to idleness and carelessness and a powerful essay against communism. Mr. D. is receiving much praise for a great many of his really deserving and meritorious articles.

Some three weeks ago Mrs. Heman Castle (nee Minnie Dalmer) was taken sick and although her case was not considered serious at first the disease has gradually developed into the worst type of typhoid fever and at the present writing she is in a very critical condition. If the fervent good wishes of her many friends will avail anything we hope to see her around again in a few days, meanwhile we can only hope for the best.

We announce with sorrow the death of the wife of Geo A. Strong of West Bloomfield who died at her home Monday last at 11:15 a. m. of consumption after an illness of nearly a year. Funeral services were held at the Franklin M. E. church Wednesday and conducted by Rev Mr. Steven-on of Franklin. The bereaved husband wishes to return his thanks to all his friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted him all through his wife's illness and helped him in so many ways to remember their kind acts.

Some towns even of less population than Fenton employ a night watchman, with profit to the town. Would it not be good idea to have one in this place. It might be the means of saving considerable property by fire and prevent any burglary that might occur. A good, efficient watchman by his services always repays any extra expense on his account. It would be but a small outlay to the citizens, and we think most of them are in favor of it. It is a good time to take some action in this matter.—(Holly Advertiser Here too brother Slocum.

Bailou's Magazine for December contains the last chapter of Mr. William H. Thomes's "Belle of Australia." Of course all is well. The young husband gets his young Bride, and the old folks bless them, and the wicked earl turns out to be a trump and a pretty good fellow, even if he does run after the women a little more than is proper for a nobleman. In the January number of Bailou Mr. Thomes will begin a new yarn, called "On and and Sea, or California in the Years 1843, '44, and '45," when the author will give his experience when he was on the coast, collecting hides, before the gold discoveries. It is only $1.50 per annum. For sale everywhere. Published by Thomes & Talbot, 23 Hawley Street, Boston.

For instance look at the line of gloves, mittens, mens' socks, ladies' and children's hosiery, underwear, leggins, hoods, etc., and see how it impresses you, at Corson's.

The publishers of Rutledge's Monthly offer twelve valuable rewards in their Monthly for December, among which is the following: We will give $20.00 to the person telling us how many verses there are containing but three words each in the Old Testament Scriptures by December 10th, 1883. Should two or more correct answers be received, the reward will be divided. The money will be forwarded to the winner December 15th, 1883. Persons trying for the reward must send 20 cents in silver (no postage stamps taken) with their answer, for which they will receive the January Monthly, in which the name and address of the winner of the reward and the correct answer will be published, and in which several more valuable rewards will be offered. Addres Rutledge Publishing Company, Easton, Penna.

A portrait of Peter Cooper, engraved on wood by Thomas Johnson from a photograph taken a few months before his death, is the frontispiece of the December Century. An entertaining paper on Devonshire, entitled "The Fairest County in England," by Francis George Heath, is the opening illustrated article, and contains nine charming sketches by Harry Fenn. In a profusely illustrated paper on Los Angeles, entitled "Echoes from the City of the Angels," H. H. closes her series of picture-que articles on South-ern California. In fiction the December Century is uncommonly generous as well as interesting. It offers parts of three serial stories,—namely, the much-discussed "Bread Winners," George W. Cable's new romance, "Dr. Sevier," which was begun in the November number, and the first part of Robert Grant's story of New York life, "An Average Man," which will run through six numbers.

Pontiac.

The band tooted Saturday evening to a good audience. The boys play splendid.

Mr. E. Wooster one of B'ham's machists was in town Saturday evening.

Charley Fisher has returned to Pontiac from Big Rapids and will fill the posish as foreman on the Gazette.

Ida youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Walton died last week Tuesday after a short illness. She was buried Friday in presence of a large concourse of relatives and friends who mourn her untimely death.

The Ladies Library Association of this city gave a paper party at Clinton Hall last Friday evening and it proved a success.

A notice put was made last Thursday evening to burn the residence of Jas. Buchanan.

The Filly Co., of some unknown place tried to show at Clinton Hall, Saturday evening, but as the managers were drunk, it was a failure.

About 300 Pontiacers took in the Art L. an ast week.

JULIA CROW.

Southfield.

Mr. A. Tibbits of this town while returning home from the city of Detroit stopped at the eight mile house leaving his horse unhitched; while in the house his team got scared and run four miles leaving fragments of the wagon all along the road.

Johnnie Sherman of this vicinity has gone to Nebraska.

L. M. Dunbar has commenced his school in district number 6.

Alex Cadman commenced her school in district number 8, Monday, Nov. 5th.

John D. Evans, Henry Grinnell and Thomas Gillespie were appointed by Judge Powell to determine the necessity of the Beebe drain laid by C. I. Johnson.

L. Carr has left the employ of S. B. Parsons as clerk.

Cyrus Wright and wife of Detroit were in town Sunday.

C. I. Johnson is on the sick list.

John Raenous of Wisconsin is visiting at his sister's, Mrs. Cusser.

Lyceum was commenced in the stone school house in district number 10 last Friday.

Mr. Simallbons was moving last week.

Elizabeth Lake.

Mrs. Peter Chapston of Detroit and Mrs. E. Congdon of Chelsea were visiting here last week with sister Mrs. N. Howlett.

Mrs. Robt. N Scott one of our highly esteemed residents died at 10 o'clock Saturday afternoon. She was the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Newman of Pontiac. The funeral will take place as soon as her husband comes home from Nebraska.

Robt. Castle Jr. has gone up north to work in the lumber woods.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gentner and Mr. E Congdon of Chelsea were visiting here last week.

A well-to-do farmer who resides a few miles west of here paid five dollars for three pieces of soap at Pontiac the other day.

James Howlett and wife of Blindfool Center were visiting here Sunday.

A young couple of this place (we think) will be married before long. Well it will be (P)rail right wont it Willie

UNCLE SAM.

Meridian Time.

We'll have to succumb to the Inevitable.

On Sunday last a new schedule of arrival and departure of trains on the D. G. H. & M and Grand Trunk, and, in fact all the leading railroads of the country ordered their time tables adjusted to the standard time.

The change will make the time 28 minutes slower in Birmingham than at present, but the time will be uniform the country over. There are four standards for the whole United States, thus: Starting from the Atlantic seaboard and going westward until a point is reached where the local time is one hour slower than at the starting point, will form one division and within that division the time will be universal. In the next division the time will be precisely one hour slower. Birmingham is in the second belt and so is the entire Mississippi valley, so when it is 12 o'clock in the eastern division it will be 11 o'clock in the lake and valley division, 10 o'clock at Salt Lake City and 9 o'clock on the Pacific coast, the divisions being something over 1000 miles in width.

We might as well turn our chronometers and clocks back 28 minutes and be abreast with the world. It's a soft snap to get up by, and the average young man, sitting up with his girl will talk it over with her and two to one they wont stick to the good old fashioned time. We would'nt.

COUNTY LINE.

The 3rd to Albert Babcock a son. The way Al booms up is a caution, he thinks we did not build our school house big enough.

Harrison Wilber has moved from Rob Hawthorne's tenant house to Royal Oak.

Our neighborhood was completely surprised by the sudden death of Mrs Harriet Brace. She went to bed apparently as well as ever, having prepared the things for breakfast for the next morning. She died about 12 o'clock after a momentary struggle. Mrs Brace, we believe was about 45 years old and leaves a family of 8 children the oldest about 17, the youngest a nursing baby about 15 months old. Mr. Brace in the loss of his wife, loses a most estimable one and the children a loving kind mother. He has the sympathy of all his neighbors under his great affliction.

Jimmie Parker has started for Turcola Co. We hope Jim will have all the success in the world in his new home.

Miss Ida Oviatt and brother Dodfrom Lapeer have been visiting in our vicinity.

William Pallister has bought a fine horse from a party who always has an extra one to sell—Mason Leonard.

We hardly think Johnny will go up to Clawson a trading again for the good reason he will have nothing to trade.

A fool and his money—. Experience etc.

Martin Blunt is boring into the bowels of the earth. He is bound to strike something, perhaps it might be a wife.

PAT.

The Tale of a Franklin Coon.

Last Sunday Henry Grinnell and one of his hired men were walking in his woods when they espied two large coons seated on an upper limb of an oak tree. Just about this time said coons hunted their holes which lay around loose in said tree.

The day being warm it was suggested the tree be cut down, but the man thought best to call John, the other hired man, climb the tree and reach for them with a spear. Accordingly John soon appeared with the spear, the pole of which proved too short for the job, two spears were spliced and the coons were "sighted" but to no avail when suddenly Mr. G. with his quick and ready wit called for his large fish line and hook and gave orders how to proceed.

John seated about thirty feet up in the tree was to lower the hook and tickle the coon and wait for a bite. Meanwhile both coons took the hook in good order, the hook breaking as the last coon was lowered.

This is a big coon story but as it comes direct is hereby vouched for and certainly no one will question the truthfulness of a Franklin man as they are always looked upon as being the most valuable witness in any court of justice where good oneles are needed.

Hymenial.

The most fashionable event of the season occurred at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Phelps of Southfield in the marriage of their only daughter Miss Ella J. to Mr. Louis Klett. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. Dyer of the Presbyterian church at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, Nov. 7th, and after a splendid lunch the happy couple left by hack for Detroit accompanied by three couple of their friends to visit the Art Loan and thence proceed to Toledo to remain a few days. On their return they will take up their residence in Detroit. Mr. Klett is in the employ of C. R. Mabley. The following is a list of presents.

Mr. and Mrs. Klett, set of China dishes; Aunt Jane Waters, five dollar gold piece; Cousin Hattie Waters, five dollars; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Simmons, beautiful silver cake basket; Cousin Fred Jenks, splendidly Fringed Picture of his mother; Cousin Nellie Jenks, glass set; Cousin Charlie Jenks, a nice lamp; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Murphy, goblets and glass set; Miss Eva Murphy, majolica card basket; Mr. and Mrs. Doty, red pyrenese marble shell; Miss O. Doty, vase; Mrs. E. S. Lawrence, beautiful hand painted vase; Mr. Phelps, silver cake basket; Mrs. Phelps, bed spread and napkins; Henry and Mary Lee, majolica fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. Holcomb, a damask table spread; Grandpa and Grandma Murphy, set teaspoons; Charlie Moore, two china cups and saucers; Cousin Fred John, two silver dollars; Cousin Lena Kirtman, ballroom napkins.

CLAWSON.

That Clawson masher who got stuck on that Detroit woman at a recent wedding down there at which they both acted so ridiculous had better look out for his scalp, for her husband is a butcher and is right at home among blood and bones.

A large stock of new fall and winter hats, bonnets, plumes, feathers, flowers etc., etc., at Mrs. Furman's. Call and price them.

A job lot of untrimmed winter hats at 25 and 50 each. Trimmed 50 cents. Mrs. Furman.

Administrator's Sale.—In the matter of the estate of Robert Mc Laughlin deceased. Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a license to me granted on the 14th day of September 1883, by the honorable Joseph C. Powell Judge of Probate in and for the county of Oakland, we will sell at auction, to the highest bidder, on the premises, in the township of Bloomfield, on Thursday, the (6th) sixth day of December, 1883, at 2o'clock p. m. all the right, title and interests, of which the said Robert McLaughlin died seized, in and to the following real estate, situate and being in the town of Bloomfield, village of Birmingham, Oakland county, Michigan, and more particularly specified and described as follows: The north half of Birmingham village lots thirty four (34) and thirty nine (39) of Torrey's plat in said village of Birmingham as recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Oakland county, Michigan, it being a southern addition to Merrill's plat containing about two (2) acres more or less.

Ruth McLaughlin, } Executors.
J. R. McLaughlin, }
Birmingham Mich., Oct. 25, 1883.
Oc 25 4 Dec 6

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of Almeron Whitehead deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Joseph C. Powell, Judge of Probate in and for the county of Oakland, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said estate and six months from the 19th day of Nov., A. D. 1883, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present them to us for examination and adjustment, notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 22nd day of Dec., 1883, and on the 19th day of May, 1884, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each day, at the store of J. Allen Bigelow, in the Village of Birmingham Mich. in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting such claims.

Alanson Partridge,}
Eugene Brooks, } Commis'rs.
Alonzo D. Baker,}
DATED—Nov. 19th, 1883.
Nov. 22 4 Dec. 13

VILLAGE ORDINANCE.

A true copy of an ordinance providing for the establishing and construction of a sidewalk on the south side of Daines street in the village of Birmingham, Mich. Be it ordained by the President and Trustees of the village of Birmingham.

Sec. 1—That a sidewalk be built on the south side of Daines street in said village, commencing at the west end of the sidewalk as now built on the north side of the residence of Mrs. James Whitehead and extending westerly with the gate in front of the residence of Frank Alice and wife.

Sec. 2—Said sidewalk shall be at least four feet in width, and shall be made of good sound plank not less than two inches in thickness, laid on good sound stringers not less than 3x4 inches in size and so laid as to form a solid foundation; each plank to be firmly secured in place by nails of a sufficient length and strength to be constructed in a good workmanlike manner; and such plank shall be laid lengwaysly, so that the surface of such walk shall be uniform.

Sec. 3—The owners of lots, parts of lots and premises on the same side of the street and adjacent to said walk are hereby ordered and directed to build or cause to be built said walk on or before the day of December 1883 and thereafter to keep and maintain the same in good repair, in front of his, her or their lots, parts of lots and premises.

Sec. 4—Within ten days of the passage of this ordinance the village clerk is hereby to draw and sign, and the village marshall to give, serve and leave a copy of the necessary notice mentioned in Sec. 2 of an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Relating to Sidewalks" made and passed by the village board of this village on the 21st day of October A. D. 1883, and the village clerk is hereby authorized to make and issue the proper notice of said sidewalks as herein provided.

Made and passed by the President and Trustees of the village of Birmingham, Michigan, this thirteenth day of November A. D. 1883.

(SEAL.)
JAMES R. CORSON Jr., IRA SLADE,
Clerk of said village. President of said village.

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