IN TOWN

Every day we are receiving new goods.

Choice Bargains.

Goods this season ever offered in this

than ever.

LOOK AT OUR SPECIAL BARGAINS

in Staple Goods, Dress Goods, Underwear

Flannels, Hosiery, Handkerchiefs, and a

full line of Dress Goods and Fancy

Goods. Lovely Glassware, Crockery, Groceries and Novelties in

all lines.

will please you and save you some money. CONEY TRIMMINGS VERY CHEAP. J. R. CORSON, JR.

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CAMPAIGN

-OPENS WITH-

Hats and Caps and

GROCERIES.

are Headquarters for Midnight, Span ish, Saxony, Shetland, Vassar and

Angora Yarns, Ladies' and Children's Hoods and

TOBOGGAN CAPS,

something new and all the rage), Shawls Skirts, Underwear, Men's Jersey Shirts, and a complete line of Flannels; Tricots, Cottons, and Ginghams; also

a fine line of

GLOVES AND MITTENS We have a splendid assortment of Ladies fine

SHOES AND SLIPPERS

Also Men's and Boys' Boots and Shoes You can save money by looking over our line of Boots and Shoes before purchasing.

town and at Prices lower

"Devoted to our Own Locality, We Labor for its Interests."

WHOLE NO. 481

#### DETROIT, G'D HAVEN & MILWAU-KEE RAILWAY.

TEACHERS.

equested to be on nand in. Monday, August 30 P. BLAKESLEE, Asse McA. RANDALL, Mo

Cards, Bill-heads, Circulars, Poster

EXECUTED TO ORDER.
With Neatness and Dispate

Wants, Lost, Found, etc.

### Business Cards.

N. M. COMMON, Dressmaking and plain sewing. Orders left with Mrs. Frank Allen will be promptly attend

Waverly House, Pontiac.

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ats & Bonnets, Ribbons & Flowers

WALL PAPER and BORDERING

50c. CORSET.

WEEKS

A Fine Line of Fresh Groceries always on Hand

.BLAKESLEE & CO.

BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 25, 1886.

FUR AND CLOTH CAPS

Blue cross pretty soon.

"Give us a waltz, John." Blue cross next week, sure!

We shall show the largest line of Holiday

That Royal Oak gas well is still reaching China-wards.

Visiting at grand-ma Boyd's—Maste Ned Miller of Vassar.

Toboggan Caps and all the latest Styles in Hoods.

Spend a half hour in our store. The bargains

A full line of Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes,

means that we want money, MONEY, MONEY! Got to have it and must

solve part of the constraints of the constraints of the constraints of nearly revery merchant in town, is said to be ving at Battle Greek under the euphonous title of Mr. Brown. The Browns of the constraints of the constra

ber 1st. All are cordially invited to be present.

Dek Cummings of Franklin ist a valuable dog by poisoning last week and its unconscalable, but in order to meeting present to wish the happy couple is unconscalable, but in order to meeting present to wish the happy couple is unconscalable, but in order to meeting present to wish the happy couple of the proposed being he will give #31 to a parties. The ceremony took place at 10 of colocids are, and after the weeking freast was first own of the present of the pre

ity of the newly sharried couple.

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 which is the longest verse in the New Testament scriptures, ought to be mad alout it.

A Thankayruig hop is something new in this town, and as the Franklin hand boys have decided to give hand boys have decided to give memorating new," let's turn out emmass and give them the benefit will be divided. The money will be they justly deserve. The event takes place loosights at the National, King & Dought at the National, King at Dought at the National, King at Dought at the National King at Dought at National King a "cleared over \$100,000 out of its scheme in Michigan," he will have to spread himself like the proverbial hen on 42

The wife of A. A. Bean, whose mais mains were indowed by a large concourse of relatives and friends to their final resting place in the Royal Oak cemetery. She was a kind and faithful wife and mother as well as a good neighbor. In long sickness she bore her sufferings

George Durkee, after more than a year's illness:passed away peacefully at the home of Dr. Buel in Franklin, on the morning of Nov. 1st.

The deseased was well and favorably known in this community, having

## comes again in glorious majesty to judge the world and command the earth and sea to give up their dead.

#### FRANKLIN FLUTTERINGS.

#### ROYAL OAK RUMBLINGS.

oks of our town hall.

will make it nees young stock. R. J. Kenney has a fine barn just finished of which he is justly proud.

of the light of this piece attended the semi-sanual meeting of the tended the semi-sanual meeting of the W. F. M. S. at South Lyons law week.

Mr. w. G. Fay will spend the winter in New York state.

Mr. Will Burbans of Sand Beach, Grenerly a Royal Oak boy, visited his many triends here last week.

Oyster support at the town hall last Friday night for the benefit of the Congressional where.

### HERE AND THERE.

Waterspouts occur almost daily off Key West.

A Cincinnati man is said to have lost \$6,300 by betting on a game of ten-pins at Coney island, recently.

A two-legged colt died at Brockville recently. The owner had refused \$1,500 for it two days before.

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# BEST LINE OF

# CENTRAL STANDARD TIME.

BIRMINGHAM
UNION SCHOOL.
I term commences August 30, ck
lecember 17, 1886. Winter tern
January 3 to March 25, 1887.
Spring term April 4 to June
24, 1887. Commencement June 24, 1787.

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15 REGISTERED MERINO STOCK RAMS FARM FOR SALE—I offer for sale 110 acres
off the east side of the old Deacon Bull farm
Winety acres improved, under

**188**6.

ANTED—I want to buy 5,000 bushels of cider apples at my mill one-half mile nort strmingham, Sagnaw street; for which I wi 10 cents a bushel. Custom work don mptly and satisfactorily. M. Wilde. 1m2

WILLIAM YOUNG, auctioneer and veterinary surgeon. All ca promptly attended, and satisfaction guarante in every case. Terms reasonable. tkomay



Birmingham, Mich-

Miss Millie Leet comme chool near Holly next week

senoot near Holly next week.

Hoffman's sickress last week mad
sad havoe with our make-up.

J. E. Quick and family ate turkey in
Port Huron on Thankagiving.

Don't fail to turn out to-night anc
give the Franklin boys a benefit.

Lim Melicens has new mildered.

give the Franklin boya a benefit.

Jim McGregor has got a wild owl
which will est anything but leather.

Frank Allen has erected a bran free
we woodshed with a French roof.

Another blizzard like the one last
seek and we are ready to go south.

Miss Macie Bitters of Rochester is visting her sister, Mrs. Art Blakeshe.

Mrs. Beattle's house nears commention.

et it somenow.

The M. C's had a surprise party at
fort McHenry's last Monday night in
onor of his son Burt's 21st birthday.
With music, Nort's fun and a bounting
upper they had a very enjoyable time.

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The Bill Poster waileth because the