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

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DETOIT, O'DHAVEN & MILWAUKEE RAILWAY. CENTRAL STANDARD TIME. GOING WEST. Morning Express... 7:35 a. m. Mail... 8:30 a. m. Night Express... 11:30 p. m.

WHY OUR BUSINESS IS GROWING.

Lowest Prices, Best Quality, Honest Quantity.

Ten pounds granulated sugar... Extra uncolored Ten Spot... Fresh twice a week...

Canned Fruits, Vegetables and Meats!

New Cheese, Fresh Pickers and Finger Stings... Market at the price...

W. L. DOUGLAS'S \$3.00 Shoe, Strawberries. BEST TANNERY CALF. BOTTOM SEWED.

BEST LINE OF G'VES EVER IN TOWN.

New Furnishings, Dresses, Hats, Corsets, Trimmings, Tailings, Trimmings, Trimmings, Trimmings...

W. L. DOUGLAS'S \$3.00 Shoe, CROCKERY AND GLASSWARE. BEST TANNERY CALF. BOTTOM SEWED.

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The best Line of Gent's and Children's Felt and Straw Hats in town.

W. L. DOUGLAS'S \$3.00 Shoe, L. B. Peabody. GENERAL MERCHANDISE is the Agent for Birmingham.

Our 10c Department is replete with Novelties in genuine Bazarines.

Our 5c Department is full to overflowing. Our 25c Department shows Goods to be found nowhere else for the money.

J. R. CORSON, JR.

FOR SALE CHEAP... \$65 A MONTH AND BOARD FOR 3... WANTED... FOR SALE...

CLOTHING, DRY GOODS, Boots and Shoe.

SPRING CAMPAIGN.

PANTALOONS.

We have the exclusive sale of the celebrated O. F. Hazard Overalls, Pants and Jumpers.

Our Men's all Calf Congress... Our Men's all Calf Bal... Our Men's all Calf Congress... Our Men's all Calf Bal...

DRY GOODS.

We shall offer the best and latest styles in DRESS FABRICS, Suitings, and also a new Line of the Broadhead Dress Goods.

F. BLAKESLEE & CO. Birmingham, Mich.

HOME NOTES.

Friends of the EXCENTRIC will confer a great favor on us...

The pink tea party at the M. E. church parlors last night was well attended...

The first district association of spiritualists will hold a two days' meeting at Orion commencing June 5 and ending June 14.

Meats, Slares & Rundles are in the market... Good laws at 5c per yd. of F. Blakeslee & Co's.

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JUNKETING.

A DELIGHTFUL CAMPAIGN OF FOUR DAYS' DURATION.

The annual meeting of the Michigan Press Association has become a feature in the treadmill life of the hard-working editor...

Arriving in the city at midnight we scarcely expected to receive any attention at that unhourly hour...

The little ones of West Point have been very sick with scarlet fever for the past two weeks...

Clark Harris is the victor picture of contentment and happiness as he sits upon the grass...

Mr. Adams & Co., the Detroit dry goods merchants, have a change of stock in this issue.

On Thursday forenoon we arrived in Buffalo, where we made but a few minutes stay...

Arrived at Niagara Falls just in time to make a cursory examination before dinner of the grandest sight in nature...

Last Thursday the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Harris gave the worthy couple a surprise party...

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Last Thursday morning Alex Parks, of the firm of Parks & Hanna, went to the slaughterhouse to get up meat for the day...

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PERFUMERIES.

You will please notice date after your names on perfume and soap...

Celebrate! Patriotic sign for a circus. Nice orn weather at present John Cobbell is home from Clare.

The Sunday Sun is now sold on our street. Dr. C. M. Raynal's new house is well under way...

F. Blakeslee & Co. discount them all on white goods. Say, B., what kind of a book do you use when fishing for Pike?

Corn is about to get high. (Oak-County Advertiser, Chestnut!) Jerseys, all the latest styles, from 75c to 80 cents.

Fisher now prints his papers on a first class Potter press. Hurray for Henri! Miss Anna Allen and friend, Miss Gord...

Frank Blakeslee wants a girl, one who is neat and orderly, pays \$2 a week for the year round. Call on him.

F. W. Sherman has been packing the Daines house near the depot and the meat market of Parks & Hanna.

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A MEXICAN MINE.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, MICHIGAN, Mich., June 10, 1886.

Editors: Minn'g has but little to do with agriculture as I am well aware...

Upon arriving at the mine we first observed—not a shaft, but literally speaking, a "hole" in the ground...

The miners, with their tools, descend upon this "crooked stick" to their work, and the lower end of the shaft...

I spent the day yesterday in the surface of these old worked mines, more than 100 feet below the surface...

It has been my good fortune while pursuing my profession upon this trip to be the guest of Dr. Muller, formerly of Chicago...

It is not surprising that the surrounding country of this section I can see, so far as present investigation reaches...

It wasn't business that hurried Whitehead; 'twas his old enemy, Terry.

ALL persons interested in good roads should call at A. Blakeslee's hardware store...

NOTHING LIKE LEATHER. "There's nothing like leather" is an old saying...

THE MICHIGAN NEWS. I. G. WILSON. We take this method of informing our friends...

BIG BEAVER BLEAZARD. ILLI GILLET has built a new cow-crib and is now building an addition to his barn.

MISS TRAVIS. Isaac Strong has been on the sick list. Mrs. Travis and family have returned to our midst.

FRANK SCHLAACK IS OCCASIONALLY. Mrs. Thomas Jones of Chicago was recently the guest of Mrs. L. Parrall...

MRS. L. S. PEARSON will be very useful as well as ornamental present to Mrs. Mitchell last week.

S. L. ROBINSON is making a new refrigerator for his house. Mrs. Robinson has moved to her new house.

BIG BEAVER IS IN WANT OF A GOOD DRESSMAKER. Miss & Durlin's ice cream at Mrs. Farnsworth's every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon...

NEW SPRING MILITARY at Mrs. Farnsworth's every Wednesday and Saturday afternoon...