DOWN LINE TOOTINGS.

The town line was so dead the fourth that not even a mouse stirred.

Born to Mrs. Dorsey Miller, June 29, a 9-pound boy.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Patch recently visited in Walkerville.

Visitors in this vicinity: Mr. and Mrs. Hartrick and children, Miss Ettie Shug, Miss Fannie Prall and Mrs. Crawford and children.

Stories of mad dogs are in circulation. Boys that are out late are the ones that are the ones that are the most frightened.

SOUTHFIELD SIFTINGS.

Mr. Irish was the guest of Mrs. D. O. White last week.

One of our young men invited a lot of friends to his wedding one evening last week, but when they got there there was no wedding.

Miss Aggie Cook of Toledo is making a two weeks' visit with Mrs. F. H. Chap man. Mrs. Chapman will return with her.

The Russell family show last evening was not much of a success. At least those who went said those who staid at home did not lose much.

Don't forget to attend the Sunday school concert at the M. E. church Sunday evening, July 22. The superintendent and pupils intend to make it a success.

Henry Hooper and family are the guests of B. Hooper.

Why don't we have a Union band excursion, a correspondents' excursion or something of that kind?

Mrs. D. L. Hyde of Greenville is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Sadie Hutton will close her school in district No. 10 one week from to morrow, with a picnic.

Charlie Parks' foot is healing quite fast.

Mrs. Thomas of Bay City is the guest of Mrs. Stewart.

O. E. Angstman and family of Detroit Sundayed with L. Angstman.

Mrs. Orville and Miss Johnson returned to Wheaton, Ill., last Tuesday.

Prof. Smith closed his singing school last Friday evening with a fine concert.

Wonderful Cures.

W. D. Hoyt & Co., Wholesale and Retail Druggists of Rome, Ga., say: We have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery, Electric Bitters and Bucklen's Arnica Salve for four years. Have never handled remedies that sell as well, or give such universal satisfaction. There have been some wonderful cures effected by these medicines in this city. Several cases of pronounced Consumption have been entirely cured by use of a few bottles of the King's New Discovery, taken in connection with Electric Bitters. We guarantee them always. Sold by Whitehead & Mitchell.

THE INDIANA WHITE CAPS.

A Secret Organization With Absolute Power in Dealing With Worthless Characters.

The sentencing of the Missouri Bald-Knobbers in Southwestern Missouri calls attention to another organization with somewhat similar organization in Indiana. This is made up of a body of men called "White Caps," who flourish in a number of counties in Southern Indiana. The objects of the two organizations differ somewhat. The object of the Bald-Knobbers was to drive out new settlers who came into the country, while that of the White Caps is to see that no lazy, worthless, thieving people are allowed to remain in the county.

Mr. L. E. Drake, the Southern traveling agent of the Missouri Pacific Railway at Louisville, was telling some friends to-day about the White Caps. He said: It is a peculiar organization and has existed for a number of years in Southern Indiana. It is patterned after the Ku-Klux plan, and one of the principles of the order is to allow no negroes to stay in the territory ruled by it. While, therefore, there are thousands of negroes around the section of Indiana where the White Caps operate, and thousands of them further south in Kentucky, not a negro is to be found among the White Caps, and a negro who knows anything about them would be induced to go where they are.

The negroes having been driven out of their settlements, the White Caps are now on the watchdog, exactly as the vigilantes act in the Far West when such committees exist. Their self-constituted mission is to discipline unruly and worthless members of the community. Their power is absolute because they are apparently merciless, and their operations are shrouded with such mystery that no one knows by what guard as to who constitute the band, or as to when and where they will strike next.

A man could go and live among the people who must constitute the "White Caps," or this organization must be made up of local men, and not a word is ever heard as to the identity of any one connected with them, nor as to their organization. When a man is disciplined he says nothing for fear of his life and skips out.

By the most part the action of the White Caps is not governed at all by motives private feeling or prejudice, but for the public good. When a man proves himself to be worthless and vicious, when he drinks to excess habitually and neglects his family, or if he is reported to be a bad character or to be a thief, or if a woman comes under the same condemnation, the man or woman is sure to be visited by the White Caps. If one does not heed the warning one will have cause to remember not to be so deaf out.

Warning is always given and the method of giving it is peculiar. When a man has come under White-Cap condemnation he will find some morning a little sprig or branch cut from a tree lying on his doorsteps. The sprig is large enough and is placed in such a manner as to let the owner know that it was put there in some other way than by the wind. This is the first warning and means go at once. If the warning is not heeded and the man continues in his ways he is sent a note telling him to leave the county at once by order of the White Caps, and if this second warning is not heeded the time for action has arrived.

The White Caps at some time and place, no one knows, usually between midnight and day, arranged their plans and meet at some appointed spot at a certain time masked so as not to be recognizable and armed with a rope for hanging, a tar pot to the home of the offender, take him out of bed and give him a whipping, the task being laid on with strong arms and in a way that leads the victim to wish he had never known Southern Indiana. After the number of lashes ordered upon him have been laid on the victim is released and commanded to leave the country. If he still persists he will be found some morning hanging by the limb of a tree. Killing, however is unnecessary, as the whipping always accomplishes the object. As a matter of fact now that the determination of the men is known the warning is sufficient. When a man is told to leave the community he stays not on the order of his going but goes.

While the White Caps are at work, although it may be known when they will visit a town or that they have warned a victim, they are never molested, and no one knows anything about them. It has come to be recognized that it is not safe for worthless characters to fool around when the White Caps are. Even the law seems to be powerless to prevent their operations, as it is impossible to secure evidence. Either the people are restrained by fear connection with the organization, or by fear of it. No victim of it would dare to wait to testify in court, as he would probably be unable to answer when called upon. The public sentiment favors it. Several attempts have been made to have the organization brought up in court, but without success. Until some great outcry arises to arouse the people against them, as in Southwest Missouri, the organization will continue.—*St. Louis Post-Dispatch.*

It is denied that the Emperor of Germany is impatiently longing for death. The story about his having asked the chaplain to pray for his release was the product of somebody's imagination. In fact, Emperor Frederick has not yet made up his mind to die, and places implicit trust in the ability of his physicians to baffle his disease.

GEN. ALGER

SAYS:

A skillful general gathers his forces and thoroughly organizes them. He plans his campaign and then to be successful prosecutes it with vigor.

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The same principles will apply to business and are such as we follow.

For months past

We have been "gathering our forces"

Years past

Have given us a knowledge of how and what to gather. We are "thoroughly organized" and ready to "prosecute with vigor"

The spring campaign

A dashing, pushing, aggressive campaign it will be.

We know our ground

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Our guns are loaded

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27 pieces Plain and Brocade Dress Goods worth 12½c to 15c per yard.

At 12½c Per Yard.

53 pieces Dress Goods, single and double width, worth from 15c to 20c.

At 19c Per Yard.

37 pieces Dress Goods reduced from 25, 30 and 35c per yard.

At 21c Per Yard.

45 pieces Dress Goods, including Scotch Tweeds, Sateen Diagonals, etc., regular prices from 25 to 40c.

At 25c Per Yard.

33 pieces Dress Goods, including plain and fancy weaves, worth from 30 to 50c. This lot includes 15 pieces all wool goods.

SPECIALS.

100 doz Ladies Hose, 3 pairs for 25c.
Ladies Balbrigan Hose 15c per pair.
Ladies fancy stripe Hose, 15c per pair.
Ladies Fast Black Hose, 25c per pair.
Ladies $1 Kid Gloves, 75c per pair.
50 doz Gents seamless 1-2 Hose, 2 pairs for 25c.
25 doz Gents Shirts at only 49c each

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$500 Reward!

We will pay the above reward for any case of liver complaint, dyspepsia, sick and nervous headache, constipation or costiveness that we cannot cure with West's Vegetable Liver Pills, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely vegetable and never fail to give satisfaction. Large boxes containing 30 sugar coated pills, 25c. For sale by all druggists. Beware of counterfeits and imitations. The genuine manufactured only by JOHN C. WEST & Co., 162, W. Madison street, Chicago, Ill. 289

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Mortgage Loans	77,827 09
Bonds	46,005 33
Bills in Transit	2,273 97
Furniture and Fixtures	634 00
Cash on Hand	127,218 20
Cash on Hand	50,653 37
	$600,355 35

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	$100,000 00
Surplus	10,000 00
Interest and Exchange	2,273 19
Deposits	478,360 66
Dividends Unpaid	21 50
	$600,355 35

I do solemnly swear that the above statements are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWIN F. MACK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this fifth day of July, 1887.

FRANK TILLOTSON
Notary Public,
Wayne Co., Mich.

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Four per cent interest is paid on savings deposits, if left three months.

Interest is credited on deposits on the fifth of the month draw interest from the first of the same month.

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Merchants, manufacturers, mechanics, ladies, children, laborers, servants—in short everyone will find it both convenient and profitable to take out a savings book.

E. K. ROBERTS, EDWIN F. MACK.
President Cashier.

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REAL ESTATE AGENCY —OF— Whitehead & Mitchell

Birmingham, Mich.

Below we offer some fine bargains in real estate in this village and the surrounding country. Anyone having a desire to buy property in Birmingham this village or a farm in Oakland county, should keep this column in view, as we shall from time to time offer bargains in this department that will make their hearts glad.

ANYONE having a house and lot for sale can secure a purchaser by placing it in THE HANDS OF THE BIRMINGHAM REAL ESTATE AGENCY for sale is made. We make contracts to this effect and will do so on our almost no make a sale benefit our patrons.

Bargain No. 1 is a good chance for someone to secure a home at a moderate price. It is a story and a half house, well painted, fenced, good out buildings, excellent well and cistern, cellar with outside entrance, wood house, coal shed, grapevines and a good garden spot. First floor has large parlor, sitting room, dining room, two bed rooms, kitchen and pantry. Second floor, two bedrooms, hall and store room. Price $1,200. Just what the owner gave for the place some time ago, since when numerous and important improvements have been made.

Bargain No. 2 consists of a farm of 54 acres for sale on easy terms. Lot 2, township of Royal Oak, on the Rochester road, three miles north of Birmingham village; corner lot 40 rods, 2 acres of timber, good two-story house, 26x30 wing, barn 40x60, good outbuildings, large orchard, sandy loam, partly underdrained. For further particulars apply to G. Lafferty, 240 Third street, Detroit, Mich.

Bargain No. 4.

Two and a half acres, suitable for village lots, within three minutes' walk of the post office. 264 feet front on Saginaw street, excellent land, flowing well on said lot. Title perfect, no incumbrance. Any one having an idea of securing a home in this village cannot find a better lot to buy this property. Sidewalk built, running by the land. Terms of payment made security for the purchase money. Plenty of good water from a never failing spring. Fruit trees in abundance. Inquire of Whitehead & Mitchell.

Bargain No. 5.

For sale or exchange for a piece of new land, a nice new dwelling house and two lots, each 50x130 feet, nicely situated, high and dry with excellent village water. Title perfect. Price $1,200. Also a carpenter shop that can be used as a barn if desired. Coal house and all necessary out-buildings. Plenty of good water from a never failing spring. Fruit trees in abundance. Inquire of Whitehead & Mitchell.

Bargain No. 6.

The new residence of Mr. Whitehead on Pierce street. Two-story frame house of six rooms, high ceilings, finely decorated, convenient in every particular, hard and soft water in the kitchen, ample woodshed, excellent cellar, closet in each bed room, four rooms amply bedded in ordinary winter weather with one stove, sidewalks, outbuildings, fences, etc., all new. In fact the house alone cannot be built for the low price asked for the entire premises. It is the best bargain on the list. The premises can be inspected at any time.

Bargain No. 7.

Can be bought at a reasonable price. A trifle over eleven acres of land lying just east of the D., G. H. & M. R. R. and can be platted into choice building lots for residences. It can be opened up at a small expense and to a wide awake, pushing sort of a man it will prove a bonanza.

Bargain No. 8.

Here is a chance for a home that will not remain long without a buyer. Situated on the west side of Saginaw street, the right side for living, finest thoroughfare in the village and the only place for sale on that side of the street. Two-story house in prime condition and well painted; two bedrooms, stairs, closets, attic, etc. First floor gives a good parlor, sitting room, sliding doors, bedroom and summer kitchen; good well and cistern and outbuildings in good repair; a barn and carriage house that cost $400; plenty of small fruits. Price only $1,000. Come to the real estate office if you mean business and we will show you the property.

BARGAIN NO. 9.

The Short Farm in the township of Avon, 7 miles from Pontiac, 3½ from Rochester, on good road, farm well watered, excellent soil, good buildings, two orchards, two barns, 130 acres, 28 in timber. Price very low and terms easy.

Bargain No. 10.

We offer here the best bargain in a person of moderate means. A nice four room cottage on Fremont street, outside palisted, inside in good order and comfortable, a brick cellar under the house, an excellent crock well, and a small barn. Will sell for less than cost, as the owner intends to go west at once.

Bargain No. 11.

The desirable location on Saginaw avenue, this village, known as the C. W. Jenks homestead, with 16 feet front on one of the finest streets in the village. A good house with ample accommodations for a large family. Plenty of fruit of all kinds. This desirable piece of property is offered for sale at a price that will be an object to collect speculation, even if you do not wish to occupy it.

Bargain No. 12.

Farm in Bloomfield, consisting of 100 acres, 5 miles south of Pontiac and 12 miles north and west of Birmingham. Twelve acres good timbered land, two orchards, small fruits, new dwelling in good repair. Farm well watered. The land is excellent for raising all kinds of crops. Call at this office and we will go with you to see this farm. Price $4,200; one half down, balance on long time if desired.

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NOTICE OF DRAIN LETTING.

Notice is hereby given that I, Frank Briggs, township drain commissioner of the township of Royal Oak, county of Oakland, state of Michigan, will, on the 26th day of July, A. D., 1888, at the line of the drain in said township of Royal Oak, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the cleaning out of a certain drain known as the "Thurlby Drain," located and established in the said township of Royal Oak, and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the creek or water course near the quarter line of section 12 of said township, running in a westerly direction 70 rods, 7 feet, to the Rochester road.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the out-let of the drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said drain, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving undoubted security for the performance of the work, in a sum to be fixed by me. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notice is further hereby given that at the time and place of letting the assessment of benefits made by me will be subject to review.

Dated this 19th day of July, A. D., 1888.

FRANK BRIGGS,
Township Drain Commissioner of the Township of Royal Oak.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.—In the matter of the estate of Robert W. Brown, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed by the Honorable Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate in and for the county of Oakland, State of Michigan, commissioners, to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said estate, and six months from the 27th day of June, A. D., 1888, 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 8th day of August, 1888, and on the 24th day of December, 1888, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day, at the late residence of deceased, in the township of Royal Oak, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting such claims.

Dated June 23, 1888. LOUIS BENJAMIN, ALEX. SOLTS, Commis'rs. June23,1888 June2July9

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J. D. RICE, Proprietor. M. L. RICE, Clerk.

MORTGAGE SALE.—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the 7th day of September, A. D. 1886, executed by George R. Lee and Josephine Lee to Henry S. Cox, and recorded in the register's office for Oakland county, Michigan, on the 9th day of September, A. D. 1886, in Liber 91 of mortgages, on page 503, and afterwards duly assigned by the said Henry S Cox to George W. Benjamin on the 7th day of August, A. D. 1887, which said assignment was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Oakland county in the state of Michigan, on the 16th day of July, A. D., 1888, in Liber 96 of Mortgages, on page 406, and whereas default having been made in the payment of moneys due thereon, by which the power of sale contained in the said mortgage and assignment operative and whereas there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred and forty-one dollars and thirty-one cents ($14 31), and fifteen dollars provided by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the same, which remains secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 21st day of September, A. D., 1888, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the court house in the city of Pontiac, said county of Oakland, state of Michigan, said court house being the building in which the Circuit Court for the county of Oakland is held, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, to satisfy the amount due as above stated, with the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in the said mortgage, said premises being described as follows, to-wit: Commencing eight chains and fifty links west from the southeast corner of section thirty-one in township two north of range ten east; thence running north three degrees, west three chains and thirty-three links; thence west three chains and thirty-three links to the place of beginning, containing one acre of land, be the same more or less, being in the township of Bloomfield, county of Oakland, state of Michigan.

GEORGE W. BENJAMIN,
Assignee of said Mortgagee.

Dated, Birmingham, Mich, June 30th, 1888.
June2toSept 9

MORTGAGE SALE.—Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage bearing date the fourth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, executed by Julian A. Bacl of Southfield, Oakland county, Mich., to Julian A. Bael of Southfield, Oakland county, state of Michigan, and recorded in the office of register of deeds for the county of Oakland, state of Michigan on the sixth day of August, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, in Liber 264 of mortgages on page 267, and afterwards duly assigned by the said Julian A. Bael to George W. Lee on the eleventh day of August, eighteen hundred ana eighty, which said assignment was recorded in the office of the register of deeds for Oakland county, in the state of Michigan, on the 6th day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, in Liber 267 of mortgages on page 407, and afterwards duly assigned by the said George W. Lee to Henry S. Cox on the 9th day of January, 1886, which said assignment was received in the office of register of deeds for Oakland county, state of Michigan, on the 16th day of July, A. D. 1886, and recorded in Liber 91 of mortgages on page 406; by the non-payment of moneys due thereon, by which the power of sale therein contained has become operative, and on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice three hundred and ninety-seven dollars and seventy-five cents ($397 75) and also the sum of fifteen dollars provided by law as a reasonable attorney fee for the foreclosure of the said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the amount now remaining secured by the said mortgage, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 21st day of September, A. D., 1888, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at the front entrance to the court house in the city of Pontiac, in the county of Oakland and state of Michigan, said court house being the building in which the Circuit Court for the county of Oakland is held, there will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder the premises described in the said mortgage to satisfy the amount due as above stated, with the attorney fee, costs, charges and expenses allowed by law and provided for in the said mortgage, said premises being described as follows, to-wit: Commencing eight chains and fifty links west from the southeast corner of section thirty-one in township two north of range ten east; thence running north three degrees, west three chains and thirty-three links; thence west three chains and thirty-three links; thence south three degree east, three chains and thirty-three links to the south line of the said section; thence along the said section line three chains and thirty-three links to the place of beginning, containing one acre of land, be the same more or less, being in the township of Bloomfield, county of Oakland, state of Michigan.

GEORGE W. BENJAMIN,
Assignee of said Mortgagee.

Dated, Birmingham, Mich, June 30th, 1888.
June2toSept 9

An Ordinance.

Establishing a sidewalk on Pierce street, commencing on the south side of Merrill street and running south on the west side of Pierce street to Townsend street, in the village of Birmingham, Michigan.

SEC. 1. That a sidewalk shall be constructed on the west side of Pierce street, commencing on the south side of Merrill street and running south to Townsend street.

SEC. 2. Said sidewalk shall be constructed at least four feet in width of good sound plank not less than two inches thick, dressed on one side, or of tarred boards or scantling not less than four inches square, said timbers or scantling to be laid lengthwise of the walk for stringers, and to be so laid upon the earth as to form a solid foundation, and such plank fastened to such stringers with spikes, and said walk in all respects to be built in a good and workman-like manner.

SEC. 3 Such walk shall be built on such a line of grade as shall be hereafter established by the village board or its street committee, and the owners, occupants or occupants of any lot or lots, lands or premises adjacent to or lying on or fronting upon said street where the said walk is hereby established and ordained, are directed and required to build the said sidewalk and keep the same in good repair, as the same is hereby established by this ordinance in front of his, her or their lands or premises.

Made and passed by the Village Board of Birmingham on this 9th day of July, A. D., 1888

GEO. H MITCHELL, LUTHER STANLEY,
Clerk. President.

An Ordinance.

Establishing a sidewalk on Middle street, commencing on the east side of Saginaw street and running east on the south side of Middle street to the D. G. H. & M. R. R. in the village of Birmingham, Michigan.

SEC. 1. That a sidewalk shall be constructed on the south side of Middle street, commencing on the east side of Saginaw street and running east to the D. G. H. & M. R. R.

SEC. 2. Said sidewalk shall be constructed at least four feet in width of good sound plank not less than two inches thick, dressed on one side, or of tarred boards or scantling not less than four inches square, said boards or scantling to be laid lengthwise of the walk for stringers, and to be so laid upon the earth as to form a solid foundation, and such plank fastened to such stringers with spikes, and said walk in all respects to be built in a good and workman-like manner.

SEC. 3 Such walk shall be built on such a line of grade as shall be hereafter established by the Village Board or its street committee, and the owners, occupants or occupants of any lot or lots, lands or premises adjacent to or lying on or fronting upon said street where the said walk is hereby established and ordained, are directed and required to build the said sidewalk and keep the same in good repair, as the same is hereby established by this ordinance in front of his, her or their lands or premises.

Made and passed by the Village Board of Birmingham on this 9th day of July, A. D., 1888

GEORGE H. MITCHELL, LUTHER STANLEY,
Clerk. President.

MERRITT & HARRIS,

—DEALERS IN—

BOOTS AND SHOES

Have In stock and are daily receiving a fine assortment of new and seasonable footwear at prrces that are sure to please. Our stock is never allowed to run down and you can always depend upon finding just what you need at our store. Come and see us. Measure work and repairing a specialty. Everything warranted.

MERRITT & HARRIS,

143 Saginaw St., Pontiac, Mich.

I have the best facilities for furnishing

Caskets AND Burial Cases

Together with all Primmings. I will attend to every part of the business in a satisfactory manner. All orders for Funerals will be attended to promptly, and the friends of the dead will be relieved of all care in arrangements. I shall keep a good stock of coffins, etc. always on hand.

Livery Department.

First-class Single and Double Rigs.

I have recently purchased for my Undertaking Business at considerable expense of Taylor's improved Ice Caskets for preserving the dead. This method keeps the ice from direct contact with the remains and does away with the old way of embalming, poisoning and mutilating of the body. C. C. BEAUVAIS, Birmingham, Mich.

1870. FASHIONABLE DRY GOODS AND CARPETS. 1888

THE BEE-HIVE.

Near Court House, Pontiac, Mich.

JOHN POUND & BRO.

BARNUM having come and gone, the leading topic and query now is where to get hot weather goods, desirable, fashionable and cheap. Well, we will solve it. by inviting all to call at the BEE HIVE, as the hot weather is now doubtless come to stay, therefore, come to the BEE-HIVE for all Hot Weather Goods, Parasols, Fans, Summer Underwear, White Goods, Corsets and Hosiery.

WE REPEAT: To the Public of Oakland County—Ladies and Gentlemen:

IT IS HERE!------WHAT?

Why, the hot weather we have been so long waiting for. The hot weather has come and every man, woman and child requires

SUMMER AND THIN WEIGHT UNDERWEAR.

Black Silk Mitts from 18c up.
Colored Silk Mitts and Black and Colored Gloves.

The Beehive has it all in immense variety and very cheap. We invite the general public to look us through, and we remain

Yours Trul
JOHN POUND & BRO.

GREAT BARGAINS —AT— J. S. STOCKWELL & CO'S., Pontiac, Mich.

Remnants of Sateens, Lawns, Seersuckers, Shirtings, Cambrics, Dress Goods, etc.

CALL AND LOOK THEM OVER.

One lot of Summer Dress Goods, light shades, to be sold at just ONE-HALF THEIR VALUE.

During the months of July and August we shall add daily to our Special Bargain tables.

One lot of best quality Domestic Dress Ginghams, in light shades, will be placed on sale Saturday next, July 14, at 10c per yard with a reduction of one penny each day until all are sold

During the last few days we have sold nearly all of our Satin and Surah Suitable dress patterns at $2 and $2.50 each—original price $4—and will close out balance of lot at $1.00. Call and see them.

We never hesitate to meet the competition of the market; in fact our aim is, when it is possible, to undersell all competitors.

You are cordially invited to call and inspect our stock, no matter whether you are ready to purchase or not. We are always willing to show our goods.

J. S. Stockwell & Co.