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"Devoted to our Own Locality, We Labor for its Interests."
BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1896.

TIME TABLE
OCT. 14, 1895.

Direction	Time
Grand Rapids Express	7:40 a.m.
Grand Rapids Express	10:30 a.m.
Grand Rapids Express	1:20 p.m.
Grand Rapids Express	4:10 p.m.
Grand Rapids Express	7:00 p.m.
Grand Rapids Express	9:50 p.m.
Grand Rapids Express	12:40 a.m.

1896--Annual Reduction Cash Sale--1896

20 dozen Men's wool Fleece Shirts and Drawers \$1.00, reduced to 79 cents. 25 dozen Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Fleece Vest, 50 cents, reduced to 39 cents. 1000 Yards Dark Outing Flannels, 8 and 10c reduced to 6 cents. Blankets, 75c, 1.25, 1.50 and \$4.00, reduced to 59c 1.00, 1.15 and \$3.25 per pair.

One lot of Children's and Misses' Overshoes at 75 and 85 cents, reduced to 60 and 70c per pair.
2000 Yards Shetland Serges, 36 inches wide at 10c. Children's and Misses' Wool Hose at 25c reduced to 19 cents per pair.
One lot Men's Wool Hose at 25c, reduced to 19c at

F. BLAKESLEE'S,

Birmingham, Mich.

Post Office Directory, BIRMINGHAM, MICH.
George H. Mitchell, P. M.
Department of Mail Standard Times. GENUINE EAST--10c per copy. 1000 copies for \$1.00. Single copies for 10c. CENTS WEST--10c per copy. 1000 copies for \$1.00. Single copies for 10c.

ARE YOU IN DEBT?
To close out my stock of Scales I offer a Double Beam Scale at \$15, a Single Beam Scale at \$13. Every farmer needs a Scale of this kind. These Scales sold at \$16 and \$18. They are manufactured by the Howe Scale Company.
Your Only Safety Is
Get Your Life Insured
FOR ENOUGH TO
PAY THE MORTGAGE.

1,000 lbs. PLATFORM SCALES.
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PLOWS.
All that I have on hand your choice for \$11. One Sulky Plow new at \$20. Former price \$30. One second hand G. No. 22, good as new, at \$7.
One Six Cow Creamer Glass Cans, will sell at cost rather than carry it over, \$25, regular price \$33.

COOK STOVES.
I have a good assortment of Wood and Coal Cooking Stoves. Can sell as cheap as anyone.

COAL AND WOOD HEATERS.
Would like you to see my Heaters before you buy. Can save you money.
I have a full line of Wood and Iron Pumps, Wind Mill Pumps, the best out. I handle Wind Mill Pumps in wood and galvanized iron. Can furnish Mills as cheap as anyone of the makes. I have the only Power Mill worth buying on the market, it's the Starr. They are made to last a lifetime. Farmers wanting any kind of Mill, Pumping or Power, will be glad to show them what I have and give them prices. Every Mill warranted or no sale.

G. A. WATKINS, Gen'l. Agt.
As McGraw Building, Detroit.
W. D. CLIZBE, Birmingham.
NORMAN JOHNSON, M. D.
Physician and Surgeon.
Pierce Street, Birmingham, Mich.
ENOS F. BRAYMAN, EXPERT SAW FILER.
BIRMINGHAM, MICH.
Satisfaction guaranteed for my work orders at other meat markets.

A. BLAKESLEE.

Wm. Doty,
—DEALER IN—

Granite and Marble Monuments.

Saginaw St., Birmingham, Mich.

DON'T YOU KNOW
that the cost of plans for building is nothing compared with what you save by having them?

Clarence L. Cowles, Architect,
Saginaw, E. S. Mich.

Birmingham Exchange Bank
A. WHITEHEAD, Cashier.

FOREIGN AND AMERICAN EXCHANGE
Bought and Sold.
STEAM SHIP PASSAGE SOLD
to and from
All Ports of Europe.
MONEY TO LOAN.

YOU HAVE THE GRIP
OR A

COLD IN THE HEAD?
YES?

What's the matter with trying a box of Whitehead & Mitchell's of

BARRON'S ANTI-GRIP
Or Sure Cure for a cold in the head. Price is nothing—merely nominal 10 cents.

TRY IT.
Change the Subject to a Happier Thought.

ARE YOU IN LOVE?
Whitehead & Mitchell have the largest, most complete and cheapest stock of

VALENTINES
ever seen in Birmingham. New Shapes, Styles and everything to prove your true love and devotion.

Whitehead & Mitchell,
Birmingham, Mich.

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HOME NOTES.
Valentine, next.
Valentines in all styles at Whitehead & Mitchell's.

HOME NOTES.
A very little news would give us most excellent sleighing.
The Tuesday Club will meet with Mrs. M. L. Leonard, Feb. 24, at seven P. M.

HOME NOTES.
Spin doesn't seem to think it very dangerous to allow horses while crossing the street.

HOME NOTES.
Mrs. Cooper Case entertained the Franklin Fire club, Wednesday evening, at her home.

HOME NOTES.
Found a new pair of gold lined glasses. At this office. Pay charges, proper business—they are yours.

HOME NOTES.
F. P. Berkman has sent to the Agricultural College for some choice books for his customers and all will receive one.

HOME NOTES.
Miss Ella Adams has returned from her home in Detroit after visiting her grand mother, Mrs. Wm. Starnum, and other friends in this vicinity.

HOME NOTES.
The L. C. will meet with Miss Curtis on Monday evening. Existing relations between the C. S. and foreign countries, for "Roll Call."

HOME NOTES.
Congress may reject recognition of the belligerency of Cuba, but it cannot avoid recognizing the belligerency of the United States.

HOME NOTES.
Mr. George Jackson, who has been suffering with heart trouble for some time, is improving under treatment from Dr. J. L. Campbell.

HOME NOTES.
To make his hair grow a natural crop, prevent baldness and keep the hair healthy, Hall's Hair Renewer was invented, and has proved itself successful.

HOME NOTES.
Notice—Wanted, parson as manager of stock farm, by married man, 25 years experience in veterinary work and farming. Address, I. N. Baker, Birmingham, Mich.

HOME NOTES.
Regular communication Birmingham Lodge, F. A. M. No. 14, Thursday evening, Jan. 30. All are urged to attend. Work on E. A. degree. Jas. B. Hunt, Sec'y.

HOME NOTES.
The next full meeting of Hall, Tent K. T. M. and Mary O. H. O. T. M., will be February 5. All members are expected to bring their wives and husbands or escorts. A pleasant evening promised. J. H. Wilson, R. K. Who says nothing tastes don't say!

HOME NOTES.
The Ladies Working Society of the M. E. church will meet at the parsonage.

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SEVERAL SPECIAL SALES!

A continuation of last week's prices. This sale has made a big stir in the clothing trade. We didn't expect anything else. They are wonderful payments at the following prices:
Men's \$25, \$22, \$20 and \$14.50
\$18 Suits \$11.50
Men's \$18, \$16.50 and \$15
\$15 Overcoats \$11.50
Men's \$12 and \$10
Ulsters \$7.50

R. H. TRAWER

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171, 173, 175 WOODHURST AVENUE, DETROIT.

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Morning prayer and sermon on Sunday. A confirmation class has been organized. A confirmation class has been organized. A confirmation class has been organized.

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