

WE CONTINUE OUR SPECIAL SHOE SALE! Always Something.

10 per cent discount on all Leather Goods.

Reliable Up-to-date Footwear. Big reduction on several lines to close out. Large stock to select from. A few of our prices:  
Ladies' Patent Tip, lace or button, \$8.95 pair—sold by all dealers at \$1.25 to \$1.50.  
Your choice of all our Ladies' \$1.95 Kid Shoes, \$1.27 pair.  
Ladies' Oxfords, 2 1/2 to 4, reduced from \$1.50 and \$2.00 to 98c pair.  
Choice of our Men's Chocolate Vici Kid Shoes, 6 to 9, regular price \$3.00 to \$3.50, for \$1.98 pair.  
Bargains in Ladies' Shoes at \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.25 and \$2.44.

Complete stock of Rubbers—All the new shapes.

H. B. Merritt, 17 N. Saginaw St. Pontiac.

LOOK!  
LOOK!!  
LOOK!!!

Woonsocket Rubber Boots with leather insole, \$2.50. Not warranted.

All other Rubber Boots warranted not to crack or heel to come off, at the lowest price. A new pair of rubbers will be given for every pair that cracks.

Boots and Shoes Warranted at Lowest Prices!

If you want anything in the line of Dry Goods, Clothing or Gent's Furnishing Goods, it will pay you to give me a call.

Please take notice that I close at 9 o'clock every evening except Saturday evening.

M. Levinson,

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NO SPECIAL SALE!

An every-day sale for the next three months of Up-to-date Goods for wake-up people. Taking advantage of the best is your duty. NOW for the greatest sale in the history of my business. My store is packed from basement to garret with the

BEST GOODS

that money can buy and I propose to give the customers the benefit of my 27 years' experience. Buying my goods direct from the manufacturer for CASH, I am prepared to give you better value for your money than at any house in Birmingham, Pontiac or Detroit.

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CASH---

with these prices!

No Credit given

with these prices!

Unbleached Cotton, 3 1/2

inches wide, 3c

Unbleached Cotton 36 inches

wide, 5c

Outing Flannel, 36

inches wide, 10c

Men's Woolen Hose, 10c

per pair, 10c

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per pair, 10c

Men's Wool Flannel, pair

75c

Men's Night Shirts, pair

75c

Men's gloves, pair, 25c

Men's Canvas Jackets, \$1.00

454 Pattern Oil Cloth, 75c

84c

1 lot Ladies' Shoes, plain top, 2 1/2, former price

\$2.00, \$2.50 and \$4.00, to close, per pair, 50c

Men's Felt and Rubbers, pair, \$1.50

This is a great value.

Men's Felt and Snag Ribbers at 75c

Others will charge you 50c to 75c per pair

more.

Boston Rubber Boots, \$3.00

Song Proof Boots, \$3.00

Bay State Boots, \$3.25

50 pairs Ladies' Tan Shoes, all sizes, reg-

ular \$2.00 and \$3.00 shoes, to close, 75c

1 lot Men's Shoes, the latest, at \$1.25

1 lot Men's Over Shirts, 50c

These goods would be good value at 75c.

Men's Gait Shoes, high cut, at 75c

Are worth \$3.00—every pair warranted to

give satisfaction.

My line of Boots and Shoes are

the best money can buy. Men's fall

stock Kip Boots at \$2.00—would be good value at \$3.00 per pair.

Everything Guaranteed as Represented.

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Everything home made and palatable.

Parcels checked free.

Ladies Waiting and Toilet Rooms.

Birmingham people specially

come to this Restaurant, and be

at home. G. G. FENWICK.

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I will do any odd jobs of carpenter work in or

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Now W. R. Owen is getting in his Tablets, Pencils, Pens and Holders, Ink, etc., ready for the fall term of school. His tablets are beauties and the finest paper that he has ever been able to find. You must see them and be convinced.

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Yours truly,

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BEDDOW.

Successor to A. R. Parks.

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Having put in a lot of new goods

we will also give the people some

new prices. Call and be convinced

that we mean what we say.

E. J. FERGUSON,

Birmingham, Mich.

SOUTHFIELD.

Don't forget the social.

Don't forget your crown, girls.

Mitchell Merritt is now working in

Detroit.

Mrs. Harry Russell is suffering from a

stroke of paralysis.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Beards

Monday, Oct. 17, a daughter.

Mrs. Ralph Willis and Mr. Homer

a business trip to Detroit on Monday.

A little son came to gladden the home

of Mrs. J. M. Beddow, daughter Paul

and Master Harold are visiting Will

Allen at Julia's home this week.

A stereoscopic exhibition and lecture

was given last Thursday evening at the

state school house by Prof. R. S. Con-

at the home of Alex. Purdy next Thursday

evening, Nov. 3d. All are cordially in-

ited.

Mr. Willoughby, on the Elliott farm,

has a very good crop of potatoes this

year. He has 12 acres of potatoes to

dig yet.

Everybody is cordially invited to at-

tend the "cross and crown" social to be

given by the Epworth League at the

home of Mrs. Leonard Weaver, Wednes-

day evening, Nov. 2d.

Two very enjoyable surprise parties

were given last Thursday evening. One

for a soldier boy, Albert Hooper, of Co.

D, 34th Mich., and the other for a sailor

Theodore Sherman, on the battleship

Indiana.

BIG BEAVER.

We all enjoy the telephone very much.

I. Freedman moved his family to War-

ren last week.

D. Harris bought a fine black cult on

Monday and is busy breaking him.

Candidates are quite numerous these

days and cigars are passed around quite

freely.

Frank Harvey and wife, of Utica,

spent Sunday with Father Pearson and

family.

Mrs. Jason Scott, of Troy, spent Fri-

day and Saturday with her brother, S.

R. Robbins.

Meers, Beach, of Pontiac, visited their

family, Mrs. George Campbell, the first

of the week.

Dave McCracken, of Tuscola Co., was

calling on friends in and around the

Beaver Monday.

Mrs. Hal Gibbs, of Howard City, vis-

ited at G. C. Gibbs' last week and re-

turned home Saturday.

Dr. J. W. Anderson purchased a fine

driving horse of Thos. Lovell last week.

This makes the Doctor four good drivers

now.

Low Terry is out and walks all around

now and if nothing happens he will be

well again soon. His lameness has been

extended to the 6th of December.

A meeting of the stewards and trust-

ees of M. E. church was held at the

home of S. L. Robbins on Monday night

to settle up their business and prepare

for the coming year.

C. M. Harris commenced work Mon-

day morning to build a new house east

of Bloomfield Center on the old Baker

farm for Mason Leonard. Jerry Twilley

and Jay Harris are helping him.

Beats the Klondike.

A. C. Thomas, of Marysville, Tex., has

found more valuable discovery than

has yet been made in the Klondike. For

years he suffered untold agony from con-

sumption, accompanied by hemorrhages

and was absolutely cured by Dr. King's

New Discovery for consumption, coughs,

and all ailments with this mar-

velous cure; would have it, even if it cost

him his life. He declares that he is now

all throat and lung ailments are pos-

itively cured by Dr. King's New Dis-

covery for consumption. Free bottles

sent at Whitehead & Mitchell's drug

store. Regular size \$1.00. Guaranteed

to cure or money refunded.

Miss Eva Shultz is staying with Mrs.

Stewart.

Mrs. J. R. Brooks visited friends and

relatives here last week.

A picnic will be held at Alex. Pur-

dy's Nov. 4. All are invited to attend.

Miss Mary Miller visited Mrs. Rachel

Quinning, of Orchard Lake a short time

ago.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Beddow spent the

fore part of the week with Birmingham

friends.

A bouncing nine-pound boy made his

arrival at the home of Mr. and Mrs.

Volney Miller, of Troy, on Monday.

On account of very stormy weather

the social last week at Samuel Mc-

Clellan's was poorly attended.

Will Harmon's little daughter Mary

was taken suddenly ill last week with a

spasm which lasted over an hour.

The Gleason Society met by invitation

at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Volney

Baker last Monday, in honor of their

fiftieth wedding anniversary. There

were about 75 present.

CLAWSON.

Born to M. and Mrs. Riggs, Oct. 22, a

daughter.

Miss Jessie Bowers visited in Detroit

Saturday last.

Mrs. Emma Wolcott, of Owasco,

visited at G. W. Hunt's a few days last

week.

Mrs. Carrie Crombie, of Ypsilanti,

visited at H. I. Bowers' one-day last

week.

Mrs. Maggie Bell is threatened with

typhoid fever and under the care of Dr.

Anderson.

THE STAGE.

AT WHITNEY'S.

The freetrant and foot of an alleged

play, now at Whitney's, is "Have You

Seen Smith?" It is a musical comedy and

a weariness to the spirit and the flesh; and

it would be an insult to the intelligence of

the Michigan State. So much for the play.

The variety entertainment that is offered

in connection with it is the best of the

season. In spite of the heavy handicap

under which the performers are com-

pelled to struggle the entertainment is a

most successful one.

AT THE LYCEUM.

The attraction at the Lyceum this week

is James H. Wallace's big scenic produc-

tion of "The Life of George Washington."

Verde and Arthur D. Hall's suc-

cessful drama, "Devil's Island." The fa-

mous "Dorothy" case furnishes the in-

spiration for the plot and the events in

the play are closely paralleled with the

actual events in the life of the man who

furnishes the play's purpose to give

a satisfactory outlet to the play.

John J. McNally has written for Max

and Rogers a farce entitled "A Reign of

Error," which has already developed into

one of the happiest entertainments and

most money winners of the season. The

production is conducted by Klaw & Erlanger

and will place it before the Detroit pub-

lic at the Lyceum theatre for the first

time on Monday evening, October 1st.

Life.—The only lottery in which a

man is compelled to take chances.

Force.—The pressure of bodies at

rest, for example, see the police

force.

Expansion.—The trouble with a man

who finds himself overcoat to get into

his coat in winter's overcoat.—Chicago

Daily News.

James J. Brady has assumed the

general management of the Tri-State

Amusement Company, which controls

the Dearborn Theatre in Chicago, the

Duquesne in Pittsburgh and the Grand

in St. Louis.

Mrs. Langtry contemplates return-

ing to the stage and will in all proba-

bility be seen in a new comedy this

season. She is another connecting link

as she owns stables and places

horses—between the sporting world

and the stage.

It is asserted that one of the most

sensational mechanical effects ever

seen on the stage will be shown in the