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TWENTY-SECOND YEAR.

BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, AUGUST 18, 1899.

NO. 16. WHOLE NO. 1110.

Cash Meat Market

Fresh, Salt and Smoked Meats, Butter, Eggs and Poultry. Geo. E. Duff, Proprietor.

H. C. WILSON, Machinist, Birmingham, Mich.

I have opened in Birmingham a machine shop and am prepared to do all kinds of repairs in iron work and machinery promptly.

H. C. Wilson. City Bakery and Restaurant in the New Ford Block.

ALL KINDS OF Bakers' Supplies, Canned Goods, Confectionery, etc., at city prices.

MRS. EMMA TIBBILLS. The Cash Meat Market.

Butter, Eggs and Poultry always on hand. Fish and Oysters in season.

Geo. T. Bench, Pierce St., Birmingham.

Clarence L. Cowles, Architect, 21 and 23 Chase Block.

GEORGE M. CASWELL, Attorney and Counselor at Law, BIRMINGHAM, MICH.

CLEARING-OUT...

For the next 30 days we offer for Cash:

- 1,000 yards best Prints at 6c, 1,000 yards fine Bleached Cotton at 7c, 1,500 yards fine Brown Cotton at 8c, 5 doz Ladies' Wrappers marked at \$1.00, 5 doz Men's Shirts, fancy, at .50, 4 doz Men's black striped Shirt at .25.

Yours for Low Price.

F. Blakeslee, Birmingham, Mich.

WHITEHEAD & MITCHELL'S

No Trading Stamps

SUGAR or FLOUR! GIVEN ON

THIS IS A COFFEE STORE. TRY US.

OUR PRICES

- LION COFFEE 12c lb., ARBUCKLE'S 12c lb., XXXX 12c lb., SAN MARTO, very fine, 25c, OLD GOV'T JAVA, fine, 35c, JAMO, wonderful, 35c, ROYAL JAVA 25c.

Never a word about any of the goods without TEA--Don't have to. Our teas are all the good without a word.

WE GIVE TRADING STAMPS.

Do you want a nice Table Lamp, Camera or anything nice FREE. Save Trading Stamps.

The Favorite Amusement Place

Wonderland. Performances--Afternoon and Evenings. Entire Change of Attractions Every Week.

78 and 80 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

AT THE THEATERS.

LYCEUM. The first week of opera by the Wilbur-Kirby company at the Lyceum was a period of extraordinary success.

WHITneys. Some of the actors who have been mutilated beyond recognition. Time and thieves have treated them badly until they are mere skeletons whose presentation is rather a relief than a rebuke.

Cars to be Running Soon. The Detroit, Rochester, Romeo & Lake Orion Railway have issued \$600,000 worth of first mortgage bonds.

Always Hustling. Hon. Samuel W. Smith returned from Washington last week where he succeeded in making arrangements for increased mail facilities between Jackson and Pontiac.

Ball of Hair Cut out of a Pontiac Woman's Body. A Detroit paper says a case of rare occurrence outside of large hospitals.

Don't Miss the Farmers' Races. One of the attractions at the Plymouth fair this year will be the Farmers' Races, which are to be held on Wednesday, Sept. 20.

ADVERTISED LETTERS. The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Birmingham, Mich., for the week ending August 12, 1899.

Wanted--A Girl.

Who can wear poor clothes, if he be, gracefully. Who like sunshine, warm and brightens the home.

Who does not quarrel, not even with her own brothers and sisters. Who has a place for everything and keeps everything in its place.

Who can cook and do housework as well as play the piano, sing and make fancy pin-cushions.

ROYAL OAK. Some of our citizens were distracted by burglars last week.

Cisterns and shallow wells are giving out. Some to attend the show in Detroit Saturday.

Big Beaver. Geo. Eagle and family spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Kate Levanseur, of Milford, is visiting at S. L. Robinson's.

Miss Grace Houghton spent Sunday with Anna Healey, of Troy.

Miss Lou Little, of Mt. Clemens, was the guest of Miss Grace Houghton on Friday last.

Miss Jennie Herrington, of Troy, Sunday with her parents at Warren.

Mrs. Wm. McRoberts and Andrew Davidson attended the funeral of a son of R. Sargeant at Deford last week.

Mrs. Geo. Eagle and family spent Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Kate Levanseur, of Milford, is visiting at S. L. Robinson's.

Mrs. Wm. Ebling is entertaining a cousin from Troy in a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Houghton and family, of Farmington, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Will.

Mrs. Wm. Burch, of Detroit, and Mrs. John Crawford, of Sibley, spent Monday at L. L. Houghton's.

Traveler label our coat-of-arms. Traver quality our motto.

NOW, FOR THIS WEEK.

We'll stick to old customs and continue our \$7.50 and \$12 Men's Suits. We believe in encouraging old customers to buy their goods here--believe in sameness.

R. H. TRAVER, Orders by Mail filled as soon as received.

FRANKLIN. Another daughter gladdens the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Thurber.

The little daughter of Chas Cox succumbed to cholera morbus on Monday. The grief-stricken parents have the sympathy of the community.

Mrs. John Curran, a devoted mother and estimable lady was removed from our midst Monday night.

Charlotte Haddock has about recovered from an attack of tonsillitis.

George German, Sr., and wife visited the family of Henry German at Northville last week.

Mrs. Henry Grinnell, Jr., and children have been spending a few days at her home at Grosse Pointe.

Mrs. Edwin Miller is entertaining a daughter of Gilbert Sharp and wife, former residents of this place.

A \$40 BICYCLE GIVEN AWAY DAILY. The publishers of the New York Star, the handsomely illustrated Sunday newspaper, are giving a high grade bicycle each day for the largest list of words made by using the letters contained in "NEW-YORK-STAR."

It is rumored that John E. Warner of Chicago, a former resident of Pontiac, is married.

John A. McFarland brought to this office Monday a sample of fine Snyder blackberry of the variety which grows over 900 gallons.

John E. Meyer is handling watermelon by wholesale, and is the only one doing so, we believe.

August Flower. "It is a surprising fact," says Prof. Bouton, "that in my travels in all parts of the world, for the last ten years, I have met more people having used Green's August Flower than any other medicine."

NEW ARRIVALS. The Toran, our colored friend, is stepping high on account of the arrival of a new baby at his home on Tuesday morning--Noel's Pilot.

Henry Newlands is the proudest and happiest man in the blacksmith shop. Cause--a fine baby boy which arrived last Wednesday--Mattson Gazette.

It Pays to Buy at Going's. WHY IS THIS? Because he looks closely after the interests of his customers: 1st--By buying Reliable Footwear. 2d--By selling at Low Prices. 3d--By keeping Up-to-Date Styles. Remember we warrant all workmanship and have the most complete repair shop in the city. Give us a trial, we will use you well. C. H. GOING, Corner Saginaw and Lawrence Sts., Pontiac.