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We carry a large assortment of Children's Shoes, just the kind for school wear, solid, durable and good style, all new Fall goods, made in Vici Kid, Box Calf and Kangaroo.

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"ON THE STROKE OF TWELVE."

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That does a strictly cash business. We buy for cash because we can sell cheaper. We sell for cash because we can sell cheaper. The use of money is worth something to a manufacturer, to a retailer, to anybody. A "credit price" must necessarily include a good rate of interest on the amount involved. The house does not exist that can sell "on time" as cheaply as we sell for cash. It costs something to keep books and make collections, and then there's the inevitable loss by bad debts. You pay for none of these things here—no interest, no losses, no heavy expenses—only what the furniture itself is worth. More and more people are finding this out every day, and our trade is increasing wonderfully. The stock is equal to all demands—furniture to equip a mansion or a cottage from cellar to garret—no end of the "big and little" sort, but honest, substantial furniture made by the best makers in the country, and sold under our positive guarantee of reliability. All we want is a chance to prove that we can do better by you than any other house. We never fail to sell a person that gets prices from other dealers before coming here. Everybody likes to save money.

For \$8.75 We offer a White Enamelled Bed, pretty design, brass trimmed, with extension foot. One COTTON TOP MATTRESS, one WOVEN WIRE SPRING, one PAIR of PILLOWS. Dining Chairs, sets, \$4.50 up. White Dressers, \$9 up. Dining Tables, \$5.75 up. Chiffoniers, \$5.50 up. Sideboards, \$15 up. Ladies' Desks, \$5 up. Combination Bookcases, \$5.75 up. Bookcases, \$5 up.

We make a specialty of Oak Colored Set Rockers at \$2.50, and Cotton Felt Mattresses at \$10.50, the regular price of which is \$15. After inspecting our Furniture stocks make a trip through the store. See the immense assortments of Men's, Women's and Children's Wearing Apparel we are showing for Fall and Winter trade. More new goods than what you will find in any two stores in Michigan.

We're sure to have what you want, and with the best of satisfaction in selection we guarantee prices that have no equals for value giving.

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10 Bars Good Soap, Queen Anne Soap, Extra Fine Granulated Sugar, 9 bars for 25c, 20 lbs. for \$1.00, 10c to 8 per lb. XXXX Coffee, Lion Coffee, Coffey & Nixon Flour, Phelps's Flour, Batavia Pie Fruit Packages, (all kinds), 50 to 45c per sack. Flaked Peas, Flaked Rice, Flaked Beans, all 10c a pkg. Grape Nuts, per package 15c. Did you ever try Coffee Aid? 20 ounces for 20c. Mix it with your 8c Coffee and there you are.

Whitehead & Mitchell. N. B.—Goods delivered. No trading stamps on Sugar and Flour.

SCHOOL SHOES

FOR BOYS AND GIRLS.

A BRILLIANT EVENT.

Birmingham and Pontiac Unite in a Pleasant Surprise to our Worthy Past Grand Master and His Good Wife.

FIFTY YEARS MARRIED.



MR. AND MRS. ALANSON PARTRIDGE.

Hon. Alonzo Partridge was born in Cata, Cayuga Co., N. Y., January 8, 1827, and came to Michigan six years ago, settling in Birmingham. He married Miss Julia M. Sherman, who was born in New Lebanon Springs, Columbia Co., N. Y., fifty years ago September the 28th, at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. F. J. Brush, in Birmingham. Of those present at the wedding besides Mr. and Mrs. Partridge, only five are now living. Mrs. Brush, Mrs. R. T. Merritt, H. S. Lee and wife, of Birmingham, and G. W. Sherman, brother of the bride, now living at Farmington, this state.

Mr. Partridge is well known throughout the state, being a prominent Mason. In 1851 he was Grand Master. A. M. of Michigan, has belonged to Birmingham Lodge No. 41, F. and A. M., for many years, being Worshipful Master 23 years of that time. He has been a life-long Democrat and has held many offices of trust. He was elected official County Treasurer in 1871, and held that office until 1881. He has been a Justice of the Peace for twenty years, Supervising his town six years, and a member of the School Board thirty years; was county agent for State Board of Corrections and Charities six years.

Mr. and Mrs. Partridge know Detroit well, as they were only five families in Birmingham when they first came here. About one week ago Mrs. Thos. Langley and Dr. D. M. Mitchell and several others planned a little surprise party for our Mr. and Mrs. A. Partridge, to celebrate their twenty-third wedding anniversary. The party proceeded towards this Detroit, but they soon discovered that the undertaking could not be successfully carried on in so small a way, as a public reception for this happy occasion was desired, and Mr. and Mrs. A. Partridge were asked to appear on Tuesday evening at Masonic Temple to hear the congratulations and shake the hands of their friends. They did so, but were surprised at the general turnout, for as the affair became known, it seemed to become a State affair, and might have proved to be so. Unfortunately if the time had been a little longer.

Promptly at seven o'clock a carriage was sent for Mr. and Mrs. A. Partridge and Mr. Thos. Langley, and soon friends began to arrive. And it was a brilliant assembly, one never exceeded in Birmingham. Gifts from almost without number. From among the larger number which were Masonic Temple and Banquet Hall to its utmost we noticed Mrs. Donald Stewart of Detroit, and Misses Jeanette and Lucy Stewart, Mrs. and Miss Stanley of Detroit.

Most people are either too busy or too idle to be happy. It is only a very independent woman who can afford to be just in her estimate of her own sex. Have you noticed the woman with the new silk petticoat is always very much afraid of spilling her gown? It doesn't always follow that because a woman wears paste diamonds she is vulgar, but it isn't apt to make the world think more of her. Remember, you cannot credit to tomorrow's account to-day's joys. The darkening shadows always close the ledger on each day's debt of sorrow. Most of us wear our second best manner every day, when we are with those we love, and save our best for the delectation of strangers whom we may never see again. A business woman realizes that the only place for femininity is home, sweet home, when some unkind man has made her cry.—Toledo Blade.

MISSION NOTES. A gospel tent campaign has been carried on successfully for the past 25 years in Bristol, England, the tent being pitched on the old race course, Upper Knowle. Ramthaia has having substantial home buildings erected at Kedgeree for famine orphans, and has secured land for fruit culture and general farming. All the interests of the work seem to be wisely adjusted and to be blessed of God.

In consequence of the Morton bequest, the Moravians are about to expand their mission work by establishing new stations in Africa, on the Mosquito coast, Nicaragua and in Labrador. It is expected that \$80,000 will be applied to this new work.

LITERARY NOTES. It is true that Hoston, the author of "Cyrano de Bergerac," is mad. A manager who approached him the other day with reference to terms for a new play, mournfully remarked that he was sane enough on the question of royalties.

Miss H. Page has resigned the editorship of the Atlantic Monthly. Her successor is Bliss Perry, known in literature as the author of two novels and his graduation from Williams college in 1881. Mr. Perry has in the past been editor of English, first at Williams, and afterward at Princeton university, where he was lately appointed to the Holmes professorship of English literature.

SOMETHING NEW IN ORANGES. It Will Enable People to Pick Them Right in New York.

"I am just now hard at work," said a New York promoter, "on one of the biggest, brightest and most spectacular enterprises of the present day. It originates with an extensive orange grower of the lower coast, and is severely by the freeze of last season, but he is a man of cast-iron will and unlimited resources, and he has just thought up a scheme to wrest the spoils of winter from the clutch of nature. No, that isn't a quotation for the prospectus. It's a simple modest statement of fact. His proposition is to take a number of bearing orange trees and transplant them in cars to New York, to keep their reception, making up special trains of six or seven cars, each averaging six trees each, to give them plenty of room, will cause 125 trees to the train. While history does not record a succession of such severe winters as the last, still, it is absolutely on the safe side, the intention is to keep the cars moving Florida-ward, to the extreme southern point, and, by staying always in the winter, to positively insure the life and productiveness of the plant. This treated yield double the usual quantity. But that is not all. As soon as the crop has reached maturity the special train will be run and the fruit will be sold direct from the trees. How is that for a large, moaty idea? Isn't it a corker? Our Yankee friends, who have never seen oranges growing on anything except a Christmas tree, will have fits of joy and fall over each other to pluck the goods at 50 cents per peck. It will become a fashion, a fad, a rage. Oranges will enjoy the biggest boom they have had since Nell (twice) peddled them in the streets. We will make booties, barrels, small hogheads of money! We will become rich beyond the dreams of avarice! We will be the aristocrats of winter fruit, no, I believe I said that before. Anyhow, without kidding, it's a great scheme. Well, so long. See you when I'm clipping coupons."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

POORNESS OF BLOOD. The Cause of Exhausted Nerves and All the Ills of a Weak-ly Inactive and Dependent Body.

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve and Blood Pills MAKE RICH, RED, HEALTHY BLOOD AND STEADY NERVES. Let the blood get this, weak and watery, and every part of the body is affected for want of proper nourishment. The digestive apparatus is its duty, and there is indigestion and dyspepsia; the liver and kidneys become clogged and inactive; the eyes pain in the back, sides and limbs; headache and neuralgia; the nerves become exhausted, and there is nervousness, sleeplessness and irritability, female complaints, lassitude and despondency. To rid the system of these distressing ailments caused by weak and impure blood, there is no preparation so effective as Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve and Blood Pills. Increase the number of corpuscles in the blood, and so nourish and invigorate the whole system. They gently cleanse the bowels, make the kidneys and liver active, tone the stomach and digestive system, and give new energy and vitality to every organ of the body. Eminent physicians who have prescribed Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve and Blood Pills pronounce them the greatest of restoratives for weak and impure blood; so vents a box, at all dealers, or by mail on receipt of price, by Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Company, Buffalo, N. Y. On every box of the genuine will be found portrait and facsimile signature of Dr. A. W. Chase.

THOUGHTS OF GREAT MEN. There may keep a secret—if two of them are dead—Ben Franklin.

The public! How many fools must there be to make a public—Chaabey. Weigh not so much what you say, as what they prove; remembering that truth is simple and naked, and needs not inventive to appear her comeliness.—Sir P. Sidney. Simple as it seems, it was a great discovery that the key of knowledge lies in both ways, that it could be open, as well as lock, and door of power to the many.—Lowell. The kingdom of God does not lie in elegance of speech or finery of parts, but in the power of life and good works.—Thomas A. Kempis.

ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE. There will be sold at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Detroit, Michigan, on Monday the 9th day of October, 1894, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the following described real estate situate in the township of Troy, Oakland county, Michigan, known and declared as forty acres of land, out from the south end of section twenty-two in town two north of range eleven east, Michigan.

The above property is very choice, title being clear and unburdened with the way of the Royal Oak & Ketcher electric road. It has good buildings and fine flowing well, good orchard and small fruits. It will be sold, to close the estate of Margaret K. Sullivan, to the highest bidder. Do not forget the date. GARDNER C. STEARNS, Administrator of the estate of Margaret K. Sullivan, deceased.

SICK HEADACHE. It is wise to bind the system with strong frisks and headache powders when Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve and Blood Pills are naturally and permanently by removing the cause. They give new tone and vigor to the liver and kidneys, regulate the bowels and permanently cure sick and nervous headaches.

NO CAUCUS WAS NECESSARY. Kansas Politician's Characteristic Response to a Prominent Politician of the Sufferer state who has been happily married for over a year sent the following unique proposal to the object of his adoration: "My Dear Miss— I hereby announce myself as a candidate for your hand, and I shall use all fair means to obtain it."

A prominent politician of the Sufferer state who has been happily married for over a year sent the following unique proposal to the object of his adoration: "My Dear Miss— I hereby announce myself as a candidate for your hand, and I shall use all fair means to obtain it." "I have no objection to my acting as a temporary chairman, provided it is clearly understood that I am to be chairman of the permanent organization. Should the results of the caucus prove satisfactory, we can soon hold the primaries at the same place and place of convention. I never believed in long campaigns, so if you decide to honor me I do not wish to stay in it any longer. Only one thing you may make the convention as early as possible. Devoting years. The following telegram answered: "When you have been nominated unanimously, come at once and fix the date of ratification."

THAT TIRED FEELING. "When you have been complaining of 'that tired feeling,' you may be certain that he spends more of his day talking and laughing than working," said a well-known physician. A truly hard worker never suffers from 'that tired feeling.' If it turns itself, so to speak, into forcing poisonous juices which sap the vitality. Just as a thoroughly trained athlete, with all certainty his work is hard work, so every hard worker, no one but a man who knows that he does his best work after he has shaken off 'that tired feeling.' In fact, you will find that a really hard worker never complains of it after he has passed the 25th or 27th year, because he has then trained this energy to do its proper work, and it keeps his mind and body fresh and vigorous."

Consumption is robbed of its terrors by the fact that the best medical authorities state that it is a curable disease; and one of the happy things about it is, that its victims rarely ever lose their lives.

You know there are all sorts of secret nostrums advertised to cure consumption. Some make absurd claims that a cure can be effected in time and the laws of health are properly observed.

SCOTT'S EMULSION will head the inflammation of the throat and lungs and nourish and strengthen the body so that it can throw off the disease.

We have thousands of testimonials where people claim they have been permanently cured of this malady. SCOTT'S EMULSION, Chemists, New York.