

BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC.

Devoted to Our Own Locality--We Labor for Its Interests.

TWENTY-THIRD YEAR.

BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, APRIL 5, 1901.

NO. 49. WHOLE NO. 1194.

HURRAH FOR THE McCORMICK !!

And we sell the famous line, and use stock of repair for them. K. C. Hickey, who has charge of the store, invites you to call and examine the line and will endeavor to please you, either at the store or your homes. Respectfully,

Carran & Hickey

New Quarters

Schlaack Bros. are now located in the market formerly occupied by Geo. Duff on the Ford block, opposite the Postoffice. They have a fine line of Fresh and Salt Meats and the highest market price for Butter and Eggs.

Schlaack Bros.,

Bakery..

Salt Rising, Home Made Yeast and Graham Bread.

We are also agents for Wagner Baking Co.'s celebrated Quaker and Mamma Bread.

H.J. Featherston.

Get Good Laundry

It gives better satisfaction and is cheaper in the end. We will do the work for you just as cheaply as good property require at my home.

BIRMINGHAM CITY LAUNDRY

First door west of Bank.

A. W. CAMPBELL,

Insurance Agent and Notary Public.

GEORGE M. CASWELL,

Attorney and Counselor at Law.

Wall Paper! Wall Paper!

12,000 of this season's goods just received. All new patterns and styles. Note the prices—2 1/2c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7 1/2c, 10c and 12 1/2c per roll. Borders from 10 to 25c per yard up.

We Are Closing Out the Following Goods:

500 pairs Ladies' Shoes, sizes 4 to 11, 4 1/2 and 4. \$1.00 pair. One lot of Children's Underwear at 15c, was 25c. One lot of Men's Underwear at 25c, was 50c.

New line Ladies' and Misses' Corsets and Waists at 25c, 35c, 50c.

Look around and see where you can buy the best goods for the least cash.

F. BLAKESLEE,

SPECIAL SALE OF Men's Neckwear and Ribbons

SATURDAY, APRIL 6, 1901, For 10 Days.

30,000 yards of Ribbon at 12c and 15c 8c yd per yard—in this sale.

The finest line of Men's & Ladies' Neckwear in Birmingham from 10c to 50c

V. NIXON.

Dress Goods Colored Dress Goods Dept.

Just Open—20 pieces 47 inch Genuine Scotch Wool Flannels, spring color. These goods were imported to sell at \$2.50 per yard and are very desirable for Separate Skirts, Children's Dresses, Bath Robes, etc. Our price 50c per yard.

Black Dress Dept.

We have secured another case of 38 inch Wool Grenoline, which sold so rapidly last month. This is the last we should be able to offer this season. Our price is 15c per yard. Less than half value.

Wash Goods Dept.

Just received, another shipment of Corded Madras and Printed Madras, 36 inches wide, good colors and desirable patterns, 15c yard. Imported German Suitings, very desirable for Outing Suits and Skirts, in all the new shades, at 40c per yard.

THE TAYLOR-WOOLFENDEN CO

165 to 169 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

EASTER SHOES

Men's Easter Shoes, Women's Easter Shoes,

\$1.50	\$1.50
to	to
\$3.50	\$3.00
Boys' Easter Shoes	Children's Easter shoes
\$1.00	50c
to	to
\$2.25	1.75



TOWN MEETING.

A Very Quiet Affair in this and Surrounding Towns.

Bloomfield Republicans are Victorious. Southfield Republicans Also Capture. Northfield—In Troy Only One Ticket.

Town meeting was held in the various townships Monday last and was a very quiet affair. Light vote was polled in both Bloomfield and Southfield and in Troy only one ticket was placed in nomination and but little interest in the election was manifested. In the three above mentioned towns the Republicans elected the entire ticket with good majorities. The names of the successful candidates are as follows:

- Mayor, Andrew A. Porter
- Clerk, Thomas H. Cobb
- Treasurer, Cassius H. Carter
- Highway Commissioner, William Harrison
- Justice of the Peace, James H. Rockwell
- School Inspector, Nathan C. Herlison
- Member Board of Review, William H. Williamson

Councils, George W. Fay, Cassius H. Carter, Freeman Wilson, George C. Hupp.

Supervisor, George Huggins, Clerk, Joseph Kraske, Treasurer, Lewis H. Hook, Highway Commissioner, David C. Brooks.

Justice of the Peace, Albert T. Jackson, School Inspector, Simon H. Everett. Member Board of Review, Frank Peckard. Constables, Frank Johnson, William Clemons, James Parks, Walter Sturman.

Supervisor, Arthur A. Gibbs, Clerk, Frank J. Benson, Treasurer, L. C. Chaffield, Highway Commissioner, Clark M. Harris.

Justice of the Peace, Charles E. Hendell, School Inspector, Frank L. Cutting. Member Board of Review, William Harrison.

Constables, J. C. Chaffield, Clark M. Harris, Ross A. Lamb, George Groves.

All of the above townships the Republicans carried and secure tickets also received good majorities. Not much attention was given to the proposed amendments, very few of the voters knowing or caring what they were.

IN "DRY" KANSAS.

A Birmingham Man Visits the Scene of Carrie Nation's Recent Exploits and Secures Valuable Souvenirs.

The following letter from an esteemed friend of yours tells of the pleasure he had in "dry" Kansas. Our friend secured several souvenirs while on the trip and says they are very beautiful.

TOKSA, KANSAS, March 27, Post Office, Eureka.

You will be somewhat surprised to hear from me in Carrie's own "hot" of destruction. She did raise "baldhead" here. They are selling just the same, but are careful on account of election one week from now. This is the same man who shot her for trouble. He is a farmer and like I believe was when he came to town his clothes are very nice and his whiskers are long and gray. We have seen whiskers just like that before. Now I am not going to write a song.

I have got a basket taken from a woman in the local Senate whom I know from the man who shot her outdoors when she first commenced. Also a piece of plate glass from the Senate's a few bottles of beer (at each and a cork now). I did not mean to write that but I can't get it out now.

To-day is a fine time with very wide streets and good buildings and nearly all brick sidewalks. About 30,000 inhabitants. The people are very kind and I think a good lot of things planting potatoes between Kansas City and here, although the weather is quite cold. There was reported the worst storm of the season for yesterday morning, but in account of my being here, the weather was not that of Chief of Police I spoke of went it somewhere else. By the way, I think he knows about a mob as well. I'll tell you when I get back. The folks out there who complain at our cars ought to see these little "dinky" cars. I've that jump at every point in the rain. A man told me in Kansas City that a nervous old lady was riding in the car and came up that very steep hill. "What would happen if the car should break?" He said, "There is another one to hold the car." She said "If both broke where would I go?" He said "It depends on what kind of a car you have been riding." The old lady looked out of the window. "This is a fine morning and I guess I will enjoy it as I think you are getting tired." Yours truly, P. F. D. S. We are going to Chicago next.

Women on Willow Ave.

When the name, Willow Ave., was given to the southern boundary street of our village there was no arrangement made for placing the name of the street at the corner of Woodward Ave. where it is most needed. Some two or three of the public spirited women living on the street took the matter, ordered the signs printed, had a post set and the street name on a sign. Then came the question of a light for the corner, as the many persons taking and leaving the car at that point made that a necessity. These women soon obtained from Superintendent a promise that an electric light should be placed there, and now they are going to put out trees, have dangerous wires removed and in many ways go on with the good work.

NOTES FOR WOMEN.

Selected for THE REGISTER.

Women have been placed on the board of trustees of the Illinois University.

Miss Chairman a Boston architect, is to erect the new England building at the Pan-American.

The girls of Bryn Mawr have a fine brigade so well drilled that they are distinguished by the department.

Michigan has five women filling the position of deputy county clerk and one filling the office of deputy clerk of the E. S. district court.

President of the state president of school boards for Ohio, thinks more efficient school board should have at least one competent woman on it.

There are 600 tax-paying women at Troy, Michigan. Last the women of Michigan can pay their money but having vote in regard to the way it is spent.

The Chicago Woman's Club has been instrumental in securing the new physician in two of the state hospital buildings. Also members in police stations and jails. They also founded the Women's Industrial School at Chicago to employ 400 factory girls.

A Syracuse woman who for the past year has studied free knitting, has contracted to furnish 2,000 articles of wearing apparel for the Pan-American. She is now looking for women to do the law-masters, fish-ponds, inclusive. Finnish, Venetian ponds and all the fine laws will be made.

Free Handsome Cuff Buttons.

Send your name and address to the New York Trading Company, 128 B Hamilton Place, New York, and they will send you a handsome pair of CUFF BUTTONS. Write and make their name a design on Household Goods, Novels, Jewels, etc. These handsome CUFF BUTTONS are made from the trimmings from the bath-tub. Many which was blown out in Havana Harbor. Every man and woman should have them, as a souvenir of the Spanish war. The firm is making this generous offer to the public to advertise their house. Send today and enclose four cents in stamps to pay postage. Their catalogue will save you many dollars.

Easter Services at M. E. Church.

The following is the order of service in the Methodist church on Pastor Sunday next:

- Doxology
- A Anthem
- Apostles' Creed
- Prayer
- Lent's Prayer in chant
- A Anthem
- Responsive reading of Psalms
- Gloria Patri
- Reading from New Testament
- Hymn
- Offering
- Sermon on the Resurrection.
- Prayer
- Benediction.

In the evening the Sunday school will render an excellent program assisted by the choir.

Servises at 10.30 a. m. and 7.30 p. m.

A Raging, Roaring Flood

Washed down a telegraph line which Chas. C. Ellis, of Lisbon, Ia., had to repair. "Standing waist deep in icy water," he writes, "I gave me a terrible old cough. I grew worse daily. Finally the best doctor in Oakland, Neb., Sioux City and Omaha said I had Consumption and could not live. Then I began using Dr. King's New Discovery and was wholly cured by six bottles." Positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Hoarseness. Long trials by Whitehead & Mitchell. Price 50c and \$1.00.

AUCTIONEER'S 'CLERK.

C. H. Carter wishes to announce to the public that he is willing to act as clerk at auction sales and guarantees to give the best of satisfaction. Terms reasonable. His office is in Birmingham, Mich. In need of his services drop a postal card, leave word at this office or see him personally. 4117.

AUCTIONEER'S NOTICE.

Edwin L. D. Berg, who acted as auctioneer before going to the other side, has decided to remain that work. Parties desiring his services may leave notice at The Eccles' office or with Geo. W. Fay. Satisfaction guaranteed.

MEN AND BOYS' Easter Attire

Though this is an early Easter our readiness for it will be made very plain to those who visit this store this week and note how thoroughly and well considered have been our preparations. Every department is overflowing with fashions' exclusive elegance in the same pleasing selections you'll get in New York—all in that dependable quality for which this store is famous.

Clothes for Men

Clothes with all the fashion, all the excellence of the best made-to-measure clothing and it's all ready to put on. For Traver's only competition is from the very best custom tailor. We have now the largest and best variety in the history of this store. Suits and Overcoats in every style that's right, all made up in a way that would win the admiration of even the tailor. Why not buy the best when the prices are in your favor?

Spring Overcoats, \$8, \$10, \$12, \$15 up to \$30.
Spring Suits, \$10, \$12, \$15, \$18 up to \$25.

Clothes for Boys

Our immense stock is complete. The choice we offer couldn't be improved upon and it's well worth your inspection. Here you'll find all the newest novelties of the season as well as the desirable staple goods—the sort that will stand all the hardest wear and still look well.

Russian Blouse, Sailor Blouse and Middy Suits for the little fellows, \$5, \$6 and \$7.50.
Handsome Double-Breasted Jacket Suits for boys 7 to 17 years, \$3.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5 up to \$10.
Confirmation Suits, \$4, \$5 and \$6.
Young Men's Suits and Overcoats in all the extreme fashions of made-to-measure clothing, \$7.50 to \$20.

Easter Neckwear

The richest fancies, all the correct things we've everything that's new in shawls, gloves, shirts, jewelry, hosiery, handkerchiefs, braces and Underwear—the newest of each you'll find here.

Easter Headwear for Men and Boys

Buy your hat here then you'll be sure it is in the season's latest style, correct in shade and shape.

Men's Derby \$5, \$6 and \$8.
Men's Soft Hats \$4 and \$5.

Boys' and Children's Headwear, all the latest shapes and colors at various prices.

R. H. TRAVER,

171-173-175 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

An Easter Ballad.

The Sweet Beyond Bye,
Hail, from sweetest maiden's eye,
When first I met thee in the street,
When first I met thee in the street,
When first I met thee in the street,
When first I met thee in the street.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following is a list of letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice in Birmingham, Mich., for the week ending March 30, 1901.

T. R. Carlson, John Courtis, John D. Parker, J. T. Adams.
Persons calling for the above will please say "advertised."

JOHN HANNA, P. M.

Stops the Cough

and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay Price 25c.

Raise Calves Without Milk.

Use Bradford's Calf Meal, one pound makes one gallon of milk, nutritious for one gallon of new milk. Try it, for sale by M. C. Nichols & Satterlee.

Special reduced rates to California, Queen & Crescent.

Special reduced rates to California, Queen & Crescent Route. Great opportunity to visit the Pacific Coast. Quick schedules and excellent train service. Ask Queen & Crescent ticket agents or Edward W. C. Kinerson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, for particulars. April 30.

AT SPARLING'S

All the Latest Creations from Foreign and Domestic Manufacturers Are Shown on Our Counters.

NEW COLORED DRESS GOODS

All wool Veneitans and Coverts, Heavy (both effects).....	50c yard
Heavy Coverts, Blouses, Coats and Sun's Vests, lined, pastel shades.....	75c yard
Satin Plush, French Veneitans and Tailor Coats, \$12.00 value.....	\$1.00 yard
Our Leader—20 in. Broadcloth, 4 spring's special collection, ready to wear, \$1.00 value.....	\$1.25 yard
Pine Silk Warp Henriettas, Satin Prasillas and Gilet Coats.....	

NEW SILKS FOR SPRING

Forists are the "veritable fabrics" for the coming season. We have a superb collection of exclusive designs. \$1.00 yard.

Wash Tailors, plain and fancy stripes, something new.....	75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 yard
for Shirt Waists.....	75c yard
for all the new effects and the very best.....	75c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 yard
DEPENDABLE BLACK TAFFETAS.....	40c, 65c, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 yard

Special price this week.

Ready-to-Wear Garments for Ladies & Children

Faultlessly Made, of the Latest Cut and Material.

ASK FOR TRADING STAMPS

J. SPARLING & CO.,

155-157 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

GOING, Pontiac, Mich.