

# Canvas and Bicycle Shoes

Light, Easy and Low Price.

Boys' Canvas Shoes, 50c.  
Men's Canvas Shoes, leather trim, 75c.  
Men's Canvas Shoes, good style, \$1.00.  
Men's best Irish Shoes, \$1.50.  
Brown Canvas Bike Shoes, \$1.00 and \$1.25.  
Men's Pearl Ektan Shoes, regular cut, extension sole, \$3.00.

Men's best Elk Bike Shoes, \$2.50  
Men's and Youth's Elk Shoes, \$2.  
Men's Tan Bike Shoes, \$1.00 and \$1.75.  
Men's Black Bike Shoes, \$1.50 and \$2.00.  
Youths', Boys' and Men's Tennis Shoes, 50c to 75c.

H. B. MERRITT, Pontiac.



# Plain to be Seen

that our stock of Hardware is the most complete in Birmingham,

WE DRAW THE CROWD

with our goods and prices. But we don't pretend to sell Hardware below cost price. We sell the best money can buy at a reasonable profit, and of course we expect to make living out of it. Don't come here if you want sheet iron grade of goods. We keep the solid kind only.

J. R. BLAKESLEE.

# VERY RICH

And attractive models in every style of HAT that are in our display of Spring Millinery

The matter of price is one to be well considered. It is doubtful if equal value and style can be found elsewhere at PRICES like ours.

MISS E. FLYNN, Pontiac.

# You Will Never Know...

How good Clothes DeShon & Co. sell until you visit the new store in Pontiac, near the Court House.

EVERYTHING NEW AND UP-TO-DATE. PRICES RIGHT

Money refunded on any article you buy of us and are not satisfied with. No questions asked.

We want to please you and can sell CLOTHING, HATS, FURNISHING AND SHOES

at very low figures, as we buy for cash and sell for cash.

DeSHON & CO.,

Successors to P. A. Hitchcock.

# Beardslee, Herron & Beattie

Dry Goods, Carpets, etc.,

38 Saginaw St. - Pontiac, Mich.

CALL ATTENTION TO THEIR

Waist Fabrics,  
Batiste, Granite, Etamine,  
Silk Tissue, Moreen,  
India Zephyr, Dotted Swiss,  
In Mercerized Stripes  
and Lace Effects.

BEAUTIFUL DESIGNS.

# Great Wall Paper Sale!

of high grade papers. Why use cheap papers when you can here get high grade papers at the same price. We closed our stock out about 10 minutes of paper, getting them at about half price, so we are offering papers worth as much as a roll at the to the a roll. Papers worth the to roll go to the roll. Thousands of rolls of good white-back paper at 3c. roll. The papers include all the latest styles, Tapetries, Art News, Stripes, Ingrains, etc., etc. Those who have seen the papers are astonished at the prices. It will pay you well to call and investigate.

LACE CURTAIN SALE--

16 pairs 60" Curtains go at..... 40c pair  
14 pairs 60" Curtains go at..... 50c pair  
About 40 sets of \$1.00 Muslin and  
Lace Curtains go at..... 50c pair  
Fine Ruffled Curtains..... 50c pair  
Other excellent values.....

SOME SNAPS--

1 dozen Men's \$2.00 and \$1.00 Light  
Wool Pants go at..... 1-30  
12 doz. Men's \$1.00 Pants go at..... 60c pr  
1 doz. Boys' 50c Wool Knit Pants, 30c pr  
Saturday and Monday we will sell a good full sized Carpet Sweeper at \$2.49.  
These open at the bottom on top like other near this price.  
We have a great many other Bargains. Call and see us.

D. K. SMITH, Davis Block, Pontiac.

P. S.—A good Sewing Machine, warranted two years, for only \$71.90.



# Don't Forget SHOES.

We carry the celebrated Pingree line, also Queen Quality Oxfords from \$1.00 to \$3.00. Try a pair of our Bunker Hill Boys' Shoes and you will wear no other.

Our Plow Shoes stand the test.

20 N. Saginaw St., Pontiac.

Losee Bros. & Co.

# Our Millinery Parlor

is replenished with a new line of Up-to-Date Styles which just arrived from the East. On Saturday, May 10th, 10 per cent discount on Ready-to-Wear and Trimmed Hats.

ONE DAY ONLY.

MCKENZIE & SCHULTE, 16 Huron Street West, PONTIAC, MICH.

# Church Notes.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL—Rev. Mr. Watson, Rector. Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. All are cordially invited.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL—Rev. M. H. Garrison, Pastor. Sabbath services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. All are invited.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. E. S. McClellan, Pastor. Sabbath services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. All are invited.

BAPTIST—Warren L. Rogers, Pastor. Sabbath services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

Sciatic Rheumatism Cured After Fourteen Years of Suffering.

"I have been afflicted with sciatic rheumatism for 14 years," says Josh Edgar, of Germantown, Cal. "I was able to be around but constantly suffering. I tried everything I could hear of and at last was told to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm, which I did and was immediately relieved and in a short time cured, and I am happy to say it has not since returned." Why not use this liniment and get well? It is for sale by Whitehead & Mitchell, druggists.

# Your Kidneys

Unhealthy Kidneys Make Impure Blood.

All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes.

The kidneys are your blood purifiers. They filter out the waste or impurities in the blood. If there is any error of order, they fail to do their work.

It is not until the kidneys are diseased and diseased that you feel any trouble.

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# QUEER HUNTING TROOP

Success Achieved by an Old Man, His Wife, and Womankind

Yellow Cur.

Old Man Ben Fullam and his wife have gone to their rest, says a dispatch from Uvalde, Texas, but they will be remembered here for long as the queerest deer-hunters ever known.

The most successful, that this part of the state has known. They were wedded for 50 years and had no children.

They had a dog, however, a yellow, discoloring looking creature, which carried its tail between its legs and showed two front teeth to the world when shambling along. It found in the Pullams its only friend.

Where they got it no other body ever knew. It worked for them more than a dozen years. They were bread and meat to them. They lived the year around on the produce of five months' work, and this produce was deer meat and deer hides.

It was the custom of the Pullams to leave Uvalde in November of each year. They carried a trying pan, a Dutch oven, a coffee pot, a few pounds of supplies and a tent-fly. The old man carried a gun, a powder horn, a powder, powder, bullets, patching and percussion caps.

So supplied, they struck out over the prairie and followed the mesquite trail the dog followed. It does not rain much here in the winter time and it does not get cold.

They had a suitable place, with water near, they stretched the tent fly over limbs, cooked supper and

went to sleep. The old man rose early in the morning, drank a cup of coffee and began his hunt alone. He did not tell his wife where he was going and she did not care to know.

Two hours afterward she noticed the yellow dog and it took up its master's track. No matter what the condition of the ground or the weather, his trail was as sure as the trail of a fresh trail.

After traveling for a half hour or an hour, the woman and the dog would come to the carcass of a deer freshly slain. Mrs. Pullam would skin it, deftly, wrap up the skin, and the dog, gulping a hunk of flesh, would lower its snout to earth and resume its saunter.

This went on all day and every day until the neighborhood furnished no more deer; then a move was made.

The Pullams came into the small town only to sell the hides, some dried venison and purchase supplies.

They have been known to sell more than a thousand skins in November, and March 1. These skins brought them something like \$500 and the jerked venison was worth \$100 more.

When the dog died they got another, but it was not so good, and Mrs. Pullam often failed to find deer her wandering old lord had knocked down. They hunted almost to the last, however, and made a sort of living from it.

# Wonderful Mining Operation Completed at Johannesburg

A bore hole which was begun in Johannesburg, South Africa, has recently completed successfully.

The drill, on the Turf club grounds, only fifty-two feet, from the outcrop of the main reef, struck the main reef at 4,800 feet, or within twenty-five feet of the depth at which it was expected to strike.

The nature of the ground passed through was fairly favorable, and the regular Rand formation.

Brazilian carbons, which to-day are worth 29 per carat, or about four times the value of ordinary diamonds, were used in the drilling.

The weight of the rods which carried out this operation was sixteen tons. To prevent such an enormous weight pressing too heavily on the carbons while drilling, the rods were suspended on a hydraulic cylinder, which allowed the rods to descend as they were lowered.

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