

of NEW WINTER SUITS and OVERCOATS of the highest grade at almost one-half less than regular prices.

Men's Suits

Regular \$7.50 Values Regular \$15 Values

for \$5 for \$10

Regular \$10 Values Regular \$20 and \$22

for \$7.2 for \$15

Men's Overcoats Divided into 3 lots—Plenty of Saving on each

\$12.50 ones \$7.1 for \$15 ones \$9.1 for \$20 ones \$12.1 for \$25 ones \$15.1 for \$30 ones

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CLOTHING—Third Floor TAIL ORDERS FILLED

The J. L. Hudson Co.

DETROIT "THE BIG STORE" MICH.

CLAWSON

Mr. Carter of Detroit visited Mrs. F. A. Hunt Sunday. John Lawson, Jr. is working in Detroit. Will Goldsmith is sick in Detroit at Grace Hospital with appendicitis. He is very low at this writing. John Goldsmith is on the sick list. Charles Baker and Olive Phillips are both getting better. Moses Goodale has been laid up a few days by having a load of wood fall on him. Mrs. James McBride is able to be out again after a short illness. Mr. E. L. Halper visited his daughter at Olvest last week. Payson Halsey has bought a new horse. Francis Pool is the daddy of a new boy. Stephen Newman has moved to Birmingham. Mrs. Johnston of Comstock and Mrs. Rogers of Montrose recently visited at Mrs. F. A. Hunt's. George Robinson recently lost a horse. Chick thevies are about again in this vicinity. They visited Bina Dennis and Ed and Minor Spence one night recently.

TROY.

The M. E. parsonage will be completed this week. Samuel Macconnan of Detroit has charge of the late Arthur G. Wright's affairs. Mrs. E. M. Clark is quite ill at this writing. Charles Clark and wife have returned Detroit. William Sells and wife, Sunday at Sunrise dairy farm. Mrs. Ida Jarvis and Sam Jarvis are sick with influenza. Sam Alger of Royal Oak and Mr. Dentor of Richmond were in our village last Monday. Mrs. Atkins' brother, Chas. Baker, is considered a very sick man. He has pneumonia and mumps. The Welch family moved from the Waldron place Monday. Step in and hear the Regina music box at Sam Jarvis' place of business. Any of the selections are worth the purchase price of a ticket. A raffle of musical instruments will take place in the near future. Mr. Angers of Royal Oak has completed his eight months' term of school at the Plains school house. Fanny Smith of Big Beaver visited her father Debert Mitchell on Saturday. The young ladies sang a musical at Lily Harper's on Thursday. The Williamson family will soon be out of quarantine.

Tragedy Averted. "Just in the nick of time our little boy was saved." writes Mrs. W. Watkins of Pleasant City, Ohio. "Pneumonia had attacked our baby and a terrible cough set in beside. Doctors treated him but he grew worse every day. At length we tried Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, and our darling was saved. He's now sound and well." Every body ought to know it's the only sure cure for Coughs, Colds and all Lung diseases. Guaranteed by Whitehead & Mitchell, and Chas. C. Cobb, druggists. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

Timber Wanted. For the next thirty days the Pontiac Tanning Company will pay a fancy price for second-growth oak, Hickory and white oak bolts or sawed billets, delivered at their mill in Pontiac. Write or call for prices and cutting specifications at once.

King Edward's new German steward has stirred up trouble in the royal kitchen by instituting a system of rigid economy.

Behavior is a mirror in which every one displays his image.—Goethe. Children and fools are always cunning, but clever people never.—Byron.

Prise the baby and the house is yours.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE of the Village of Birmingham, Mich., for the Years 1913 and 1914.

GENERAL EXPENSE FUND RECEIPTS

WATERWORKS FUND RECEIPTS

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Ripening Cream. In ripening cream, care must be taken to reach the right degree of acidity, says Oscar Reid, of Illinois Agricultural College. This can be determined with Mann's acid test or the Farrington alkaline tablet. If the ripening is carried too far the bacteria are apt to digest the albumen or the fat of the cream, forming a new product which will give a disagreeable flavor. The over-ripening of cream affects to a large extent the keeping quality of butter. An experiment will probably best illustrate this point. Samples of butter were analyzed. In the first sample the butter churned from over-ripe cream contained 1.16 per cent. casein, while in the second sample the butter churned from mildly ripened cream contained only 0.8 per cent. As the keeping quality of butter is decreased when its proportion of casein is increased, it will readily be seen that under equal conditions the over-ripe sample would become "off-flavored" more rapidly than the other.

Points on Starters. Prof. G. A. Paine of the University of Wisconsin properly carried for the winter. We found at that time that they were carrying them forward, but after they seemed to lose their power of producing acid, then we would have to go back to the wild state again and isolate from the milk. It is not wise to attempt to do this.

Inactive liver prevents any work. Ayer's Pills are liver pills. J. C. GAYLOR Co., Lowell, Mass.

The Lady's Miraclo. Female suffrage may be a very desirable reform, but it may also tend to some untoward results. A candidate at a recent election in one of the States of the commonwealth where the ladies have the vote tells a story in a newspaper which is very interesting.

Compulsory Improvement. J. A. Rudwick, chief of the dairy division, Department of Agriculture of Canada, writes in the Saturday paper that if any means could be devised for compelling the proprietors of many cheese factories and creameries to improve their factories, it would be a good thing.

Why Not Name County Issues? The naming of the roads, says the Chicago Herald, is something that should have been attended to long ago.

Experiences Wanted on Cow Peas. From Farmers' Review: I am a subscriber of the Farmers' Review and would like some one to tell me something about cow peas. I am intending to grow them this spring.

One of Ajona's Fabrics. A tiger captured a monkey. The monkey begged to be released on the score of his insignificance, and promised to show the tiger where he might find a more valuable prey. The tiger complied, and the monkey continued to lead him to a hillside where an ass was feeding.

Some people show a friendly interest in our affairs, while others are trying to attend to our business.

OUR CARPET DEPARTMENT presents the most extensive array of Carpets and Rugs ever brought to Oakland County. We are showing the best makes only. Full lines of I. D. & M. and Lowell Ingrains, Smith Axminsters, Sanford's tapestries and body Brussels, Savonneries, etc. Bundhar & Weldon Rugs in small and room sizes. Also Sanford's Velvet Carpets, the best velvet on the market.

We Make and Lay Carpets anywhere in Oakland County. Let us figure with you

Ingrains 25, 35, 37 1/2, 50, 65 to 85c Best Body Brussels 12c  
Velvets 1.00, \$1.10, \$1.25 Axminsters \$1.00, \$1.05  
Savonneries 1.50 Tapeastries 50, 65, 75, 85c

FULL LINES OF LACE CURTAINS AND DRAPERIES

WATERLOO & ROBERTSON

PONTIAC, MICH.

Election Notice. TO THE ELECTORS OF OAKLAND COUNTY: Notice is hereby given that an election has been duly ordered and called by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, to elect a County Clerk and a County Treasurer.

Coughs. "My wife had a deep-seated cough for three years. I purchased two bottles of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and it cured her completely."

Probably you know of cough medicines that relieve little coughs, all coughs, except deep ones! The medicine that has cured the worst of deep coughs for 60 years is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.

Best of all Health Drinks A Perfect Substitute for Coffee. It is manufactured by the Cereal Coffee Company, Pontiac, and entitled to the claim of being the most perfect food and tonic.

AGENTS FOR THE CITY OF OAKLAND. Pursuant to the above order, said election will be held on the 30th day of April, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, in the City of Oakland, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN. In the matter of the Probate Office of the County of Oakland, Michigan, to-wit: the estate of Mary E. Brown, late of said county, deceased.

WONDERLAND AND TEMPLE THEATRE. DETROIT, MICH. 2-BIG SHOWS DAILY-2

2-BIG SHOWS DAILY-2. AFTERNOONS AT 2:15. EVENINGS AT 8:15. ALL THE BIG AMERICAN AND EUROPEAN ACTS...

2-BIG SHOWS DAILY-2. A true copy my name J. Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

DESPERSIA A THING OF THE PAST. If you have indigestion this article ought to interest you.

Drs. KENNEDY & KERGAN. Specialists in Treatment of Women's, Men's, Private and Sexual Diseases of All Kinds.

DRS. KENNEDY & KERGAN. 11-2 Miles West of Birmingham.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL. "The Niagara Falls Route" BUFFALO, ROCHESTER, NEW YORK CITY and All Eastern Points CHICAGO and the Entire West.

Colorado and Arizona California. Leave New South Station, Boston, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, by the West Express, Train No. 21, at 4:15 p. m.

R. H. L'HOMMEDIEU. General Superintendent DETROIT.

FRIENDS OF THE CENTRE are requested when they have probable business to ask the publication of the legal notice in this paper.

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Horses for Sale. 1 bay Mare, 4 years old, weighing 1250 lbs.

Fred E. Brooks. 11-2 Miles West of Birmingham.

FOLEY'S HONEY-TAR. Purest Balsams Prepared in the World.