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They are at once graceful and easy on the feet.

Let us show you some of the newest styles. They are Shoes that will wear to your satisfaction.

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- Men's Fine Jersey Ribbed Shirts and Drawers 50c
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Misses and Children's Vests and Pants 15c, 20c, 25c and 35c
Nice Warm Blankets 50c, 60c, 65c, 85c, \$1.00 and \$1.25 pair
A special selection of choice fruit
Cutting Flannels 5c, 7c, 8c, 10c and 12 1/2c yard
Men's and Ladies' Ribbed Hosiery 50c pair

F. Blakeslee, Birmingham, Mich.

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LET US FIGURE WITH YOU ON YOUR JOB

If you are in want of a Stove, Range or Coal Stove come and look my stock over before buying elsewhere.

Oil Heaters from \$2.75 up

J. R. BLAKESLEE Hardware Merchant, Birmingham, Mich.

For the New Year

We open the New Year with our annual sale of Housekeeping Linens and Muslin Underwear

Beginning Jan. 2, 1906.

Buyers will find in this department full lines of the choicest goods at special prices.

We also offer in each department in the store bargains in broken assortments and seasonable goods to close out.

It will pay anyone to visit the city to take advantage of these sales.

The Taylor-Woolfenden Co., Woodward Avenue and State Street, Detroit.

BLOODY MURDER COON SKIN JENKS HAPPY NEW YEAR

CLARENCE A. BARNUM KILLS SELF AND FAMILY. Avon Farmer Was Despondent and Ended Imaginary Troubles With Ax and Gun.

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Frank Jenks Comes Back From Luce County After an Absence of Five Years.

Cap. Jenks is back and the folk lore of Pontiac will undoubtedly receive some rich additions within the next few days.

"I say," said Cap. Jenks with a shame-faced whisper, "I came into Pontiac the other night on the electric and asked to be let off at West Huron street."

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NATHAN FALL AND WIFE SURPRISED BY JOLLY CROWD OF RELATIVES.

New Years Day Will Long Be Remembered by Nate and His Good Wife.

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This Class Met Last Week to Enjoy Reminiscences of School Days.

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TAXPAYERS NOTICE.

I will be at the following named places for the purpose of receiving taxes: Town Hall, Southfield, Dec. 30, 1905, Franklin, Jan. 2, 1906, James Park's store Jan. 4, Erie's Mills, Jan. 6, Exchange Bank Birmingham, Jan. 9, Hoarshorn 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. standard time.

A Fearful Fate.

It is a fearful fate to have to endure the terrible torture of piles."

GYPSIES HOARDED FACE SOAP.

Officers of Vessel Surprised and Glad to see the gypsies.

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Strictly Feminine.

"I just met that charming Mrs. Flasher."

Privileges of Ambassadors.

An ambassador cannot be sued; in fact, he is exempted from all legal process by a statute which was passed in all countries.

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NOTICE TO BLOOMFIELD TAXPAYERS.

I will be at the feed store of Satterlee & Murray every Friday and at the County Treasurer's office, Pontiac, every Saturday.

Upset Clerical Dignity.

The minister who had the reputation of never relaxing from his dignity was trying to prove to a few congenial friends that the reputation was not deserved.

Bad Company.

A Glasgow holiday-maker brought up on a charge of drunk and disorderly conduct.

What you've got to say for yourself.

"What you've got to say for yourself," said the magistrate.

"A lot of testators."

"What, Mr.?" cried the bailiff (a testator) in rage.

Net Enough Present.

"Net enough present," yelled the stewardess, "handle that gaspawder customer!"

"Why?" demanded the two handiers in chorus.

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There's only two of us here.