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## SOME of LAST WEEK'S SALES

- 4 Housekeeping Outfits
- 5 Sewing Machines
- 3 Buggies

Saturday we sold more Women's and Men's Coats than any day this season. To look at my sales records you would think this was the holiday buying season instead of the middle of February usually considered the duller of the year.

Above are just a few of the sales. I have not mentioned the quantities of Carpet, Linoleum, Rugs, Furniture, Stoves, etc., that were sold.

People are not investing their money here just for fun, but because they are getting the best values obtainable anywhere. Send in your name and I will send you a copy of my big eight-page circular, that will soon be printed, that will tell all about it.

As only two of three Men's Overcoats are left, I will not further mention them, but if you need a Woman's good, stylish, well-made Coat, you can get one here at but a fraction of its worth. You should come and see the Coats worth \$15.00, \$18.00, up to \$22.00, that I am offering at only

**\$7.85**

'Tis a shame to do it, and I am losing money on them, but I don't want to summer them.

Three or four Girls' \$8.00 Coats at **\$1.50**. There are still some great bargains to be had in Sweater Coats.

What do you think of my offering you the finest 9x12 Axminster Rugs, sold usually at \$25.00 to \$27.50, for only **\$18.45**

They are beauties, and 1911 patterns. New Carpets arriving.

## Clothes Wringers

The celebrated Lovell Clothes Wringers for only **\$1.98**

## D. K. SMITH

ROYAL OAK MICHIGAN  
Get off the Car at the School House

### FRANKLIN

Mrs. Klein is recovering nicely with her broken arm.

Mr. Roberts is very low with pleurisy and not expected to live.

The finishing touches are being put on De German's stately new residence.

Mr. Lavoie has recently purchased the Wm. Mosher place and will fit it up as a general repair shop.

Mr. John Carrin is very proud of his two-week-old son as he has a right to be for he looks like his dad.

Mrs. Pickering has been suffering from a severe cold and sore throat but was much better at last reports.

Mr. Mosher, of Detroit, has bought and taken possession of the Wm. West property. We welcome him among us.

Mrs. Cooke received an abort visit from her son in Durand last week and this week is returning the visit and also visiting her daughter in Pontiac.

The Ladies' Aid Society was very nicely entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adams last Thursday and a very interesting meeting was held.

There are being held afternoon prayer meetings in the church preparatory to the revival meetings which will begin next Sunday, of which the noted Evangelists Raber and Myers will have charge. These men are true men of God. Rev. Raber is an excellent speaker and Mr. Myers is a splendid singer. There will be special music every night. Don't fail to turn out and hear these men.

### WOOD FOR SALE.

We are now prepared to fill all orders for wood. A liberal allowance if sold on the ground. Telephone all orders to Royal Oak 236-13, right in.

### Clawson

A number of old neighbors attended the funeral of Mrs. Bailey at Pontiac Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bowers went to hear the singers at the Light Guard Army last Friday evening.

Mrs. McDonald gave her scholars a Valentine party at Mrs. Rhoda Hendrickson Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Alta Groves is very sick with a gathering in her head, and Miss Mabel Watch is keeping school in her place this week.

Mrs. Mollie Hendrickson celebrated her birthday last Saturday by inviting a few of her old friends in and serving a nice dinner.

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## TROY

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Frank Jarvis and brother are cutting wood for Elmer Brewster.

Born, to Mrs. Alice Haddell Smith last Thursday, a baby girl.

Mrs. Helen Clark will entertain the embroidery club next Wednesday.

Mrs. Niles on her return trip from Lapeer spent a few days at her Troy home.

The Grill family living east of the paragonie will move into the Rampton house.

Dell Smith is building a shelter for his machinery back of the Blount house at the Corners.

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When the flag is waved, you will always be cheered. There are various ways of waving the flag. Mort H. Singer was waved with a subtlety and charm which compels admiration from every true American, and he has done it through the medium of a musical comedy, which is comedy in the highest sense of the word.

The engagement opens with a Sunday matinee in addition to which the regular Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be given.

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The annual meeting of the W. C. T. U. was held at the home of Mrs. W. E. Smith. Over forty persons were present, including honorary members and visitors.

After the usual order of business, the Union proceeded to the election of officers for the ensuing year, resulting in the choice of Mrs. Van Aukon, president; Miss Lizzie Todd, secretary, and Mrs. R. G. McKinney, treasurer.

Mrs. Van Aukon, assuming her duties as president, paid a most fitting tribute to the former president, Mrs. A. J. Wilson, who has the Union had grown under her administration for the last three years, and the general good feeling which prevailed during all that time, and her remarks were emphasized by a rousing vote of thanks to the retiring president.

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A. L. Wilson, Sparta, Wis. Mr. Wilson was for a number of years cashier of the First National Bank of Sparta.

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