

Summer Discount Sale . . .

Our annual Summer Discount Sale is now in progress. This year it includes every pair of Oxfords in our stock. The genuineness of these sales is verified by hundreds of satisfied customers who have profited by the reductions offered in years past. This year the greatest bargains we have ever offered are present.

Every Oxford **1-4 Off or Better**

READ THE PRICES

18 pairs Ladies' Tan Oxfords, sizes 4 to 6, regular \$3.00 and \$3.00 values, while they last. **\$1.00**
 A few pairs of Boys' Tan Oxfords, \$2.25 values. **\$1.00**
 15 pairs of Men's Oxfords, odd sizes, \$4.00 and \$5.00 values. **\$2.50**
 All other Men's Oxfords in our entire stock, both black and tan, regular \$4.00 and \$4.50 values, all go at. **\$3.00**
 Ladies' Oxfords, every pair in stock, tan and black, all sizes, are offered at a reduction of one-fourth off and better. Read the prices:
 Ladies' \$3.50 Oxfords, tan or black. **\$2.50**
 Ladies' \$3.00 Oxfords, tan and black. **\$2.25**
 Ladies' \$2.50 Oxfords, tan and black. **\$1.85**
 Ladies' \$2.00 Oxfords, tan and black. **\$1.50**
 These bargains include the Walker Shoe for both Men and Women and the John Kelly Shoe for Women. People who wear these Shoes know their great value.

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EVERYTHING AT ITS BEST

That is why we want to MEAT you. We are MEAT-ing most of the people of this town. and we wouldn't mind MEAT-ing you. Call and MEAT us today. Call 244 and we will greet you right. We are prompt. We carry a good variety of FRESH VEGETABLES.

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PONTIAC SAVINGS BANK

Capital and Surplus, \$100,000.00
 Assets, \$1,300,000.00
 S. S. MATTHEWS, Pres. F. H. HALE, Vice-Pres.
 CRAMER SMITH, Cashier.

TILE

For Sale at Low Prices

To close out the tile on the grounds of the Birmingham Brick & Tile Company quickly, we will make the following reasonable prices on good hard serviceable Tile:

Three-inch Tile, per rod, **24c**
 Four-inch Tile, per rod, **40c**

Call and inspect. Select your Tile—select only good hard ware, buy it and be happy. James L. Todd will assist in loading and give you all the particulars. Phone 86.

JAMES L. TODD.

ALL OVER

Mrs. G. W. Hendrickson of Clawson is very sick.

Will Bassett of Southfield is fighting his old foe, hay fever.

Mrs. Alex Groves, of Troy, is sick with a hard cold.
 Mrs. Albert Chatfield, of Troy, is suffering from neuralgia.

Palmer Howlett, of Big Beaver, has been sick but is now better.

James Willson, of Royal Oak, is teacher in the Colerain district.

Ed. Geiser and family, of Chicago, recently visited Ed. Fisher's in Troy.

Mrs. Beatrice Burns recently visited her aunt Mrs. Will Ekolstein in Sterling.

Mrs. W. A. Bristol, of Southfield, has the erysipelas on her face and arms.

The Moore's family reunion held at Walter Jenning's in Troy was a great success.

Miss MacCafferty, of Detroit, is visiting her uncle, Henry McGraw, in Sterling.

Mrs. John Nixon, of Southfield, gave a shower last Friday evening for Mr. Herbert Masters.

It has been announced lately that Julius Benning of Royal Oak, sold 60 acres for \$110 per acre.

In getting off the car last week Thursday at Clawson, W. H. Codnor jumped on a stone hurting his ankle.

Charles Baker and family of Clawson, visited his brother-in-law Ollie Phillips, of Troy, Sunday by horse and rig.

Two showers were recently given for Miss Jennie Bassett, one by Mrs. Ren Bingham and one by Mrs. George Bingham.

George Ream, who owned the Vendt farm east of Clawson, recently sold it to Clarence Wells of Detroit, who now occupies it.

Auxiliary meeting of the Franklin cemetery association was held Thursday at the home of Will Clemens in Southfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Detroit, were over Sunday guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Logan and her sister, Mrs. Ed. Fisher, in Troy.

Walter Baidle, Ray Goheen and sister and W. G. A. Johnson, all of Lincoln, recently visited their friends Mr. and Mrs. Peter Anderson in Troy.

Mrs. Lee Campbell and youngest child of Royal Oak spent last Saturday with her father, Fred King, and two brothers, Louis and George, in Sterling.

The Royce family reunion held at Rives Cleveland, Pusama, N. Y., was attended by Mrs. DeWing, of Big Beaver, as she was one of the members of the family.

Thursday, Sept. 14, Miss Jennie Bassett and Mr. Herbert Masters, both of Southfield, were married at the home of the bride in the presence of only the immediate relatives.

Special offers by the agent, W. H. Codnor, on the Woman's Home Companion during this month and next for \$1.90 for two years and combining with the Detroit dailies and the Birmingham Eclectic at very low prices.

Dr. Anderson was called to see Mrs. Lucy Cutting recently.

Miss Carr of Pontiac is back in the Troy school for the third year.

Peaches dirt cheap at the Griggs' peach orchards near Rochester.

Eugene Burrows, Jennie Laskie and several others started the school year at Royal Oak high school.

Everybody is glad to know that Mr. Pearl Smith, son-in-law of Rev. Crooks, who was operated on for appendicitis recently, is gaining fast. Dr. Anderson was the surgeon.

Wm. Laskie lost four of his best hunch cows last week from breaking into a cornfield and eating too much green fodder. This is indeed a warning to other dairymen.

Miss R. Niles, who has been under Dr. Anderson's care of late, is doing nicely. She will return to Troy the middle of September for a few weeks before going away for the winter.

E. M. and Charles Clark spent several days at Linden the guest of an old friend, with whom E. M. had taken meals for 25 years while traveling for Toynton & Fox Candy Co. of Detroit.

Who will give the cash towards having a well put down in the dear old Crooks cemetery? Will some interested person start a subscription list and in the mean time different ones ask Mr. Carter, Mr. Phillips and Mr. D. Mott what it would cost? These are the sentiments of many people who love to grow flowers in the Crooks cemetery.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County, ss.
 Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business in the City of Toledo, county and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of \$100.00 for each and every copy of catarrh that cannot be cured by the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.
 FRANK CHENEY,
 Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1906.
 W. GRAYSON,
 Notary Public.
 Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials free.
 F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
 Sold by all druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

BIG BEAVER

Mrs. Richard Strong has been quite ill for the past week.

Mrs. A. Port spent last Tuesday at Sylvan Lake with Mrs. Zolmar.

On Wednesday, Sept. 6, there was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Meale, a fine baby girl.

Mrs. Harry Shultz has been entertaining her childhood friend, Miss Ida Gilchrist of Saginaw.

Tom Daly has been drawn as a petit juror for the district court and reported for duty at Pontiac last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Schrain have returned from Wisconsin where they were called by the death of his brother.

The home of Cyrus Lamb will be fumigated and go out of quarantine this week, as Miss Vira has entirely recovered from scarlet fever.

Mrs. Stephen Cooper, who suffered a severe stroke of paralysis on Tuesday last week, is very much better at this writing. Dr. W. E. Bennie is attending her.

Arthur Ford of this place and Frank Ash of Birmingham have formed a partnership and opened a fine meat market in Royal Oak. Both gentlemen are experienced in the business and will handle only the best meats and we wish them much success.

The case of Dolly Hill vs. Henry Treaska was put over in the justice court at Royal Oak for two weeks, next Wednesday being the day set. Dolly is a pretty girl and has numerous gentlemen friends who make frequent calls and to which Treaska, who lives on a rented farm near by, objected. So he proceeded to scatter the occupants of Dolly's home by firing at the house and Dolly straightway had him arrested.

MEHTABLE.
 R. D. NO. 1

Mrs. Jay Hunt last Monday sprained her ankle.

A. E. Rolph is on the sick list but is on the gain at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Ash were visiting his brother, at Wixom last week.

Fred Haack is putting up a woodshed as Fred likes to have things handy.

Herman Kist has moved to Troy to work for Herman Daniels on his farm.

Frank Render started to hulk his corn last week and it bids fair for a good crop.

Emma and Florence Cavanagh spent one week visiting relatives at Cleveland, O. last week.

Miss Russell of Royal Oak opened the J. M. Beddow school last Monday. A good attendance.

C. A. Stickney of Springfield, O. is the guest of his uncle, W. L. Stickney for a week or two.

Grace V. Haack last Monday, started her school in the Jackson district with a good attendance.

R. J. St. Clair had the telephone put in last week. Now, C. C. can call his best girl at any old time.

Born to Mrs. C. W. Rose, a 111 boy. All doing well. R. J. St. Clair, is Grand-daddy, and C. C. is uncle.

Mrs. Electa White, Will Shepherd, and Ione spent the day with their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. G. Tucker.

Mrs. Ned Phelps and wife and children, and Mrs. Edwin Phelps, from Pontiac, visited at E. G. Tucker's Sunday last.

Mr. Dinegar of Royal Oak, has rented the Mission Israel fruit farm for 2 years. The Misses Israel will visit Cleveland, O. for the winter.

No. 9874.
 REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE
 First National Bank of Birmingham

At Birmingham, in the State of Michigan, at the close of business September 1, 1911.

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| Loans and discounts | \$181,001 29 |
| Commercial Department | 10,000 00 |
| U. S. bonds to secure circulation | 2,000 00 |
| Individual deposits subject to check | 183,877 50 |
| Savings Department | 146,103 00 |
| Overdrafts | 25 00 |
| RESERVE | |
| Due from banks in | |
| Reserve cities | \$5,834 29 |
| Other National | 21,627 56 |
| State and National | 1,800 00 |
| Bank currency | 10,353 00 |
| U. S. notes | 4,360 00 |
| Silver coin | 1,200 00 |
| Nickels and cents | 256 55 |
| Checks and other cash items | 11 01 |
| Total | 40,877 42 |
| Capital stock paid in | 1,000 00 |
| Surplus | 5,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid | 3,000 00 |
| National bank notes outstanding | 1,827 76 |
| Federal reserve notes outstanding | 11,200 00 |
| Demand certificates of deposit | 162,546 62 |
| Total | \$283,960 14 |

STATE OF MICHIGAN, ss.
 County of Oakland, ss.
 I, M. T. Jarvis, Cashier of the above-named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 M. T. JARVIS, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1911.
 EUGENE BROOKS,
 My commission expires January 16, 1914.

Correct—Attest:
 VOLNEY NIXON,
 FRANK KEEBLE,
 CHARLES J. BEAN,
 Directors.

Silver Chaff Seed Wheat for sale at 1 per bushel. See Albert E. Quanton. Phone 73 J-2.
 Mrs. Nelson Springsteen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Newell of Romeo.
 Royal Oak Baptist church. Morning service at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. Mathews, pastor. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m.



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Nothing is Better than Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills They Give Relief without Bad After-Effects.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

ROYAL OAK SAVINGS BANK

At Royal Oak, Michigan, at the close of business September 1, 1911, called for by the Commissioner of the Banking Department.

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| Loans and discounts | \$47,884 00 |
| Commercial Department | 10,000 00 |
| Bonds, mortgages and securities, viz: | 146,103 00 |
| Overdrafts | 25 00 |
| RESERVE | |
| Due from banks in | |
| Reserve cities | \$5,834 29 |
| Other National | 21,627 56 |
| State and National | 1,800 00 |
| Bank currency | 10,353 00 |
| U. S. notes | 4,360 00 |
| Silver coin | 1,200 00 |
| Nickels and cents | 256 55 |
| Checks and other cash items | 11 01 |
| Total | 40,877 42 |
| Capital stock paid in | 1,000 00 |
| Surplus | 5,000 00 |
| Undivided profits, net | 3,000 00 |
| National bank notes subject to check | 1,827 76 |
| Federal reserve notes | 11,200 00 |
| Savings deposits | 146,103 00 |
| Checks and cash items | 1,004 49 |
| Total | \$284,840 90 |

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, ss.
 I, Geo. A. Bendorico, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the Bank.
 GEO. A. BENDORICO, Cashier.
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of September, 1911.
 GEO. A. BENDORICO, Notary Public.
 My commission expires August 16, 1914.

Correct—Attest:
 J. M. MERRILL,
 CHAS. G. MERRILL,
 Directors.

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They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out tissues, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabates, and restore health and strength. Refuse substitutes.

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 stops the cough and heals the lungs

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For Sale!

All Lumber and Timbers in dance floor at Masonic Grove. Sealed bids will be received for same up to MONDAY, SEPT. 18, at 6 p. m.

Leave bids with Chas. Hoodless. Committee reserves right to reject any and all bids.

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