Announcement

WE HAVE PURCHASED THE F. BLAKESLEE STOCK

Consisting of Dry Goods, Notions; Men's, Women's and Children's Furnishings, Wall Paper, etc.

This stock MUST BE DISPOSED OF BEFORE THE OPENING OF OUR NEW STORE. All goods priced at LESS THAN COST.

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Nothing is so satisfactory to "top off" a warm summer afternoon, a sultry evening,

Peerless Brand Ice Cream

You may have this high-grade brand of Ice Cream delivered to you at any time.

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August 17 to 23

ÆRIAL HOWARDS

The most thrilling and daring acts ever seen

High-Wire Bicycle Riding

Setting off fine display of FIREWORKS while in mid-air

2 Performances Daily 2

Coming Events! Watch for Dates

Tuesday, August 25, Baby Show.

August 27 to September 3, big Chautau-qua, headed by Liberati's Band. Cap-tain Hobson and 100 other high-class entertainers.

Sept. 3 to 5, Great Labor Day_Celebra-

Cheapest Milk Producer! "Malt Sugar Grains"

an highly directible, and the properties of the

Lowest Price Feed on the Market. Ask Us About It. W. E. McCLELLAN & SON, BIRMINGHAM

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Mr. and Mrs. O. Phillips Sundayed at the Mooney home at Clawson. Miss Burrows entertained part of the week a lady friend from Holland, Ohio.

The right of way has been bought tog the street car line a mile from set Utica to Styles. Troy will soon included.

be included.

Mr. and Mrs. King, of Saginaw, who have been visiting relatives here and in Detroit the past five weeks left for home Sunday.

Consupation Causes Sickness.
Don't permit yourself to become constipated, as your system immediately, begins to absorb poison from the backed-up waste matter. Use Dr. King's New Life Pills and keep well. There is no better safeguard against illness. Just take one dose tonight. 25c at your druggist s.—Adv.

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ery bad eye.

Mrs. Hattie Coon is visiting in Orn this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Bailey are back a this vicinity again. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker visited a Grosse Pointe last Sunday.

There is a good blacksmith started p in Clawson doing all kinds of

The neighborhood picaic takes the home of Herman Hendric ugust 20.

August 20.

Misses Lucena and Christie Hunt
took in the Home-coming at Waterford
last Thursday night.

Percy Parmenter and family are
taking a motoring trip to Buffalo and
New York City, this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Prindle of Vernon,
visited Mrs. G. W. Hunt recently
while there Mrs. Prindle was taken
sick. As soon as she was able she
was taken to her home in Vernon.

and Constipation.

It does beat all how quickly Foley
Catharite Tablets liven your liver and
overcome constipation. Ney Oldham,
Wimberley, Texas, says: "Foley Cathorite Tablets are the best inxative I
come!" Wholesome, stirring and
cleansing. No griping. A comfort to
stoot persons. For sale by all druggists.—Adv.

Milo Raynor was in Pontiac Wed-

esday.

Mr. West is another Franklin boy
the has made good in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Currin were Birtingham visitors Tuesday last week.

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Mrs. Harry Higby of Farmington, with her children, was visiting relatives in Franklin Wednesday of last week.

Robert West and Miss Helen Tucket were married at the residence of the groom's mother, Mrs. Rebecca West, Monday afternoon.

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Next Sunday the pastor of Frank-lin church will preach a sermon on childhood entitled "King's And Queens Of Tomorrow." All fathers and mothers are especially invited to be present.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

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NOTICE TO VILLAGE TAX-PAYERS

I will be in my office n the First sational bank, to receive Village axes, every day except July 4 and sundays, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., un

BIG BEAVER

Born-to Mr. and Mrs. Pal lett last Saturday, a son.

lett last Saturday, a son.

Fred G. Lasier has gone to Colorado
on a two weeks business trip.

Ren Shanahan is improving his house
by adding a kitchen pantry and bathroom.

Mrs. Thomas Lowe of Detroit was recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Char Smith.

Twin sons were born to Mr. and Mrs George Volkening Aug. 8 and one disc last Monday.

last Monday.

The small fruit season is about at an end, the crop having been shortened by the dry weather.

Miss Minnie Hawthone of Royal Oak is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Wm, Lamb.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Dean were di ner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Co at Highland Park last Monday evenir

ar light and children were at busy re-decorating the interior of the Mrs. Fred Trumbull's, of Birmingham is achoel with paper and paint. George from Wedneday till Saturday last Mrs. Mell Mathews left last Monday

Mrs. Mell Mathewsleft last Monday for Oregon to spend some time with her daughter in hopes the climate will benefit her lealth which has been fail-ing during the past year.

in Detroit the past five weeks left for home Sunday.

A sale of biked food will be held at held for heart for heart

mirection and insect Bites Dangerous.

Mosquitoer, files, and other insects which breed quickly in grapage pails, ponds of stagmant water, barns, musty plees, etc., are carriers of disease. On the policy of the p

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John Sharp of Royal Oak has a fine

. Mrs. Chauncey Hill, of Troy, is affected with hay fever, likewise C. Hunt.
Clarence Moore is at his sister's. Mrs. S. Hill of Troy, siling—poorly in health.
Sugar recently rose to 60 cents per 100 lbs. and the price will be no lower until after canning season.
The three last days of last week were extremely hot and dry and dust chocking with each passing vehicle.
Adam Gray has been having a 15 day vacation and his substitute is Geo. Anderson who promptly carries the mail.

mail.

Ida Hill and Mable Moore were in Detroit last Friday shopping and enjoying themselves the best the heat allowed.

Jesse Campbell of Royal Oak is a 15 day substitute for his uncle, Charles Campbell, who carries the mail from Royal Oak on route 2. He runs with an

Joe McClelland and wife of South-field were in Birmingham last Satur day and they were pleasantly met and greeted by Rondoc for the first time since his marriage.

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Baptist young men played hase-ball
with the Methodist young men of Birmingham at the prime at Belle Isle.
The score was 11 for the Baptists and
10 for the Methodists.

Germany could have dictated to Austia preventing any war at present although there were hostilities brewing
among the powers. Nothing along the
war-path culd havy been done by
Austria without Germany's consent. Austria without Germany's consent.

W. T. Greene, Hopkinton, New Hampshire, writes the following letter, which will interest everyone who has Greene had been sflicted with a very attabhorn kidney trouble. Foley Kidney Pills did more to complete her recovery than any medicine she has taken and I my duty to recommend them." For sale by all druggitts.—All the property of the property of

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Miss Emma North was the guest of the Misses C. G. Jagkson last week. I. N. Voorhies R. R. 2 and L. H. Rousseau R. R. 1 are taking their va-Mrs. I. Beddow and children of Mt.

J. M. Beddow.

Married—Mr. Wm. Stickney and
Mrs. McGrady of Detroit, hast Wedneeday by the Rev. Homer B. Henderson, of Detroit. All the boys turned
out Friday night and Uncle Wm.
treated to cigars in fine style. They
had music by the German band.

HENRY HOWLAND A REASONABLE



There are people who wonder what Ibsen Could have meant in the dramas he

How foolish men are who go fresting And slaving for more than they ne Who wrong their own kindred, forgett That vice is the kernel of greed; How cheated they are who still born they cheated they are who still born who smart under tills that in one May scatter where tills are no more As for me, I would blissfully shout; The welkin should ring with my chee

EASILY EXPLAINED.



"I wonder why it is that baseball has never become popular in Europe?"
"The explanation is very simple. In most of the countries over the countrie

Glorious.

This old word's hard indeed to beat When cooling breezes blow Across the fields of waving wheat, The clear attenues wind through gravity of the clear attenues with through gravity of the clear attenues with through gravity of the clear attenues with the word with the clear attenues with the clear attenues

show white above the tide.

This old world is a pleasant spot
Within the realms of space
When trouble comes to plague you not,
Assume that the plague you not,
Will not be filled a plague you not,
Will not be filled a plague you way,
You pack up to depart
For two weeks of sweet rest and play,
Your bills paid as you start.

"Now, Johnny," said the teacher after she had explained the meaning of word, "I wish you would write a sentence containing defeat."

After a struggle which lasted for about 20 minutes Johnny amounced that he was ready to be heard.

"Please read your composition," the teacher directed.

"When you git shoes dar's too tite," Johnny read, "it's hard on de feet."

Sommy reads. It is made on the feet.

Why is it," asked the poet's wite's sheighbor. That your husband never dedicates any of his books to you? Nearly every poet who has a wife dedicates at least one book to hylr."

"Dear me! I'm glad you called my attention to it! I must look at his books some time, and if what you say is true I shall never forgive him."

Willing to Help.

"How does it happen," asked the head of the firm, "that you always dress so much better than I?"

"It may be your tailor's fault," the dapper clerk repiled. "If you wish I will be glad to introduce you to mine."

More Difficult Every Year.
Almost any girl may be led to the altar, but it is becoming difficult to get them to even promise to obey.

Forming

It is surprising how many good traits of char-acter the possession of a bank account hrs a tendency to cultivate.

Decision and persistency are two of them. These develope more and more as a result of a desire to continue the saving habit once begun.

So that when we offer to take charge of a dol-lar for some one who is making a start on the journey of success, we are encourag-ing other good habits than thrift. !

And thrift is highly commendable.

Will you talk to us when you are ready to make a start at saving?

4% if left three months The First National Bank

The Difference

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Between a dollar saved and a dollar spent is two dollars. Have you ever thought of it in that way?

The dollar saved gives you a feeling of satisfaction while the dollar spent gives a feeling of regret.

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