Southfield.

Oh! Dear, the school will soon be out. Scarlet fever and diphtheria are in town.

Mrs. Bullard is visiting at her brother's, James Miller's.

Malcom Stewart is home from a visit east.

Jno. Delling has purchased a farm of forty acres in Redford.

Robert Marshall has purchased a farm of 120 acres within two miles of Ypsilanti for $6,000, and purchased a horse recently of Geo McLuatese for $150.

Joe Crofts is seriously ill

The scarlet fever is still in several families, and at present writing a child of Stephen Gardner is not expected to recover.

The commissioners on the Miller ditch have decided to extend it to the Gardner farm and at the same time it is to be made wider and deeper. Thos. Spencer is allowed $25 for damages.

J. M. Beddow closed a successful term of school last Friday. Several other schools have closed for the spring vacation.

Geo. Waters sold a flock of sheep averaging ninety-eight pounds apiece, to Wm. Wreford of Detroit, at $5.25 per cwt.

Well, we would not have thought of it but it is so, they practiced singing anthems at the U. P. church on the 20th of last month, and succeeded so well they revolutionized the former mode by singing a short metre air to verse in long metre.

Died: On the 31 inst. of diphtheria, a littleson of Jas. Cannon. Mr. C. also buried a child on Wednesday the week before, a victim of the same disease. The afflicted family have the sympatny of all in their bereavement.

Wolle returning from the Sand Hill recently, John Croft's celebrated pacer, "Queen of the West," became unmanageable, the occupants were thrown out, but escaped injury, one wheel being broken. John's girl assisted him in righting matters, and by taking turns holding the wheel, they managed to reach home in safety!

JENNIA

March came in like a lamb and it will go out like a lion.

Harry Russell intends going to Colorado in a few weeks.

Wm. Brazette has skipped out for Port Hope leaving many friends who would like to see him.

Hank Randall intends moving to Alex. Nell's to saw logs. Hope he am.

Should say Harry Russel was quite a jockey when he traded horses twice in one day. Once with J. O. Beattie, and next time with J. A. Millar, and received $30 00 boot money.

Dan, you ought to have a Bell this summer, either a day or a night Bell.

Dick Erwin has graduated, and Ira Erwin, ditto.

Boys, guess you better settle up with aunt Maggie.

Bob Parks intends going to Sand Beach in the spring.

Where is there a self binding harvester? Griley has in three acres of wheat with Billy John, on shares

Wonder how many Moore book agents Southfield can turn out

Johnnie Thompson is able to be around the house.

A young son of Geo. McClelland is very sick at present writing.

Mr. Hacers, a brother of Mrs. Wm Young, is visiting in town.

Eddy Michel is driving a strikingly wagon in Detroit.

M. A. R.

Somebody's nervous system seems to be extremly agitated at my being Young. I hope it is not serious, since I am not Brigham, and but I must not forget the advice of my grandfather, who said, "My son, if you would succeed in life you must not stop to kick at every cur that bark!" So Sir-Somebody, when you get through don't forget to stop your rumhole.

ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT

Franklin

Joseph Mason, who clerks for Mr. A. Rust, had the unexpected pleasure of welcoming his father on a visit from Massachusetts

School commenced on Monday of last week after an enforced vacation of two weeks on account of the sickness of Mr. Brush, our teacher.

That new member of the german class is a long stepper, and with the help of those private lessons will soon be able to catch up with the rest of the class. Eh, Dave?

Oh! Herbie, did you enjoy your walk home from Birmingham?

That nice young clerk is learning to play the "corporation diddle."

Q-to Berger has had a serious three weeks' sleigh of sickness. We understand that Mr. Berger has bought of H. Higby the place Mr. Higby received from Doc Leet in their late exchange of property. Mr. Higby, will occupy the farm of his father-in-law, Mr. James Van Every, when the latter goes to Birmingham.

Thirty-one couple attended the dance at the Odd Fellows' Hall on Thursday evening of last week, and all united in saying that they had a first-class time. Some amusement was created towards morning when Sherman attempted to loot the base viol for his cornet, and Adolph rather unsuccessfully tried to use John's head for a foot stool; but the mystery was all explained when it was found that the supply of "eye-water" was running low.

An unfortunate accident happened on Thursday afternoon of last week to Mr. Oliver Irish, who lives two miles west of Franklin on the Town Line road. Mr. Irish was working near a buzz saw, when his hand came in contact with it and his hand was nearly severed from the arm. Drs. Cox and Buell were summoned and the patient is as well as could be expected.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Methodist church, held their annual meeting at Mrs. Stevenson's on Thursday of last week. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Jas. Calhoun; Vice President, Mrs. N. Higby; Sect'y, Mrs. Amos Durkee; Treasurer, Nellie Cox.

The surprise party at Mr. George Durkee's on Thursday evening of last week, was a very enjoyable affair. There were about 30 couple present.

We have to report this week the death of two little children, one belonging to Mr. James Cox, and the other to Mr. Elmer Higby.

There is a reaper whose name is Death,
And with his sickle keen,
He reaps the branded grain at a breath,
And the flowers, that grow between

O. I. C.

THE WHITE MOUNTAINS EXCURSIONS.

In the Detroit Evening News of March 3rd and advance announcement is made of the sixth season of excursions "From Detroit to the Sea." They will be three in number and will leave Detroit on the mornings of July 5th, 20th and 27th, and tickets will be good to return any time before Sept. 4th. The route is to be via the Grand Trunk R. R. and St. Lawrence River steamers, through the Thousand Islands and famous Rapids to Montreal, thence to the White Mountains and Sea Shore to Portland, Maine (near Boston). On the return trip, Quebec, Niagara Falls and Buffalo are to be included, making altogether a trip of over 2,000 miles for $29. Each of the excursions will be conducted by W. H. Bearley, who has taken seven parties over the same route in former years and the last year successfully managed three excursions. The trains are "Special" trains of Pullman Palace cars, and upon the St. Lawrence River a magnificent special steamer will be used. A handsome guide book giving full descriptions and illustrations of this route, may be obtained for 30 cents by writing to Mr. Bearley, office Detroit Evening News. Over 40 maps have been engraved for this edition and the first page is of exactly copy, in colors, of an oil painting of Geo. Ellis-Falls, near the Glen House in White Mountains.

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