ROYAL OAK RUMBLINGS.

EDITED AND CONDUCTED BY ARTHUR W. CAMPBELL.

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Postoffice changed.

Almost a frost last week.

How do you like coon stories?

Mrs. Cook is recovering from the injuries received by a fall last week.

Frank Knowles is erecting a two story building for a paint and work shop.

Mr. C. N. Marshall has been quite ill and is now far from being a well man.

J. Sullivan has procured the bricks and is making preparations for a cellar.

J. Maurice Finn, a former Royal Oak boy, is the new postmaster at Grayling, Mich.

E. H. Wells has been running his father's store during the latter's absence up the lakes.

Mr. Charles Ruttle and wife were on another visit to their parents last week. Cooperville is their home.

A nice rain laid what little dust there was on last Sabbath afternoon. It has rained every Sunday in August.

Folger and Schliski have returned from their threshing tour near Detroit, and are now threshing around home.

S. J. Wilson got away from Lansing long enough to make a visit to his family and friends the first of the week.

Fred Grub has bought the Pritchard property and is remodeling the inside of the house and putting on an addition.

The Detroit papers announce that in the future we must say Postmaster Storz Wonder if Jake was an offensive partisan?

Applications for principal of the high school have been received from Mr. Taft of Warren, C. A. Brush of Birham and Prof. W. Donaldson of Commerce. The first named is considered favorably by the board.

A grand donation at the residence of Robert Rofe is to be held next Tuesday afternoon and evening for the benefit of the Rev. B. B. Rogers, whose salary is short about $200. Refreshments served and all invited.

A vote of thanks by the Royal Oak Union Sunday school was made last Sabbath to the band, the various committees and all who helped to make the occasion of the picnic last Friday so great a success.

A young man who claims to be a census taker, a detective and a school teacher engaged board at two different places here, borrowed a dress coat many sizes too large for him and went to see one of the numerous young ladies on whom he got struck. They say he's a crank.

The little child of Robert Compton, which was beref of its mother last spring, has gone to join its mother, and last Thursday was brought here from Metamora for interment. Truly the cup of Robert's sorrow is filled to overflowing and all Royal Oak shares it with him.

J. B. Grow spent the major portion of last week attending the reunion of the Grow family at Waterford. Twelve children, ten of them brothers, with descendents to the number of 200 or more were there in attendance. Mr. Grow's wife and children went up Wednesday, returning last night.

"Say, Art what's getting into you? don't you know that school don't commence until next Monday instead of last, as you said in this week's paper?" So questioned a friend; we explain that we were told by one who ought to know, that such was the case. We found out that it wasn't just in time to be too late, so the item had to go in.

The report about a well-known man here having purchased a piano for a young lady down on the base line, is utterly false, and whoever started it must like a mean business. The report that it was so published in the Rumblings or any other part of this paper is also a flat lie, as we only heard of it a day or two since, and would not have said anything about it, even if it were true.

We said two or three weeks ago that Royal Oak would be next on Grover's list, and sure enough she is. Until further notice people must receive their mail here from the hands of Louis Storz. Considerable surprise is manifested that he succeeded over Mr. Allen, whose petition of endorsement was treble that of his competitor. Mr. Storz may make a good postmaster, as only time can tell. We certainly hope so, for we want a good man.

Last week Wednesday Frank Luther was unharnessing his horse, and he thinks the bridle must have hit the animal's side, frightening him and causing him to kick his master, who was found unconscious some time after and doubled up behind a sawhorse where he had fallen. His wife discovered him there and, though she has been ill for some time, dragged him to the house and sent for help. A frightful gash was found extending the whole length of his face and which, had it have been an inch higher, would have crushed the left temple. He is progressing as well as can be expected.

The picnic of the Hazel park Sabbath school came off as intended last Friday. The day was rather cloudy which prevented the use of fans and parasols. The band did themselves full justice and the children were highly pleased with a grand ride behind a yoke of oxen. The ice cream, watermellons, etc., went off like wild fire. Everybody seemed to enjoy themselves, and a general regret was expressed by the school that more extensive preparations had not been made, for the crowd greatly exceeded their expectations. The speeches, games and so on that were advertised were necessarily crowded out, there scarcely being time for half the program. Thanks to many friends for vocal music, while the school and committees were unavoidably busy.

Everybody is said to be a Boston physic. It is asserted from what diseases their ancestors died, with a view to guarding himself against inherited tendencies by adopting the requisite manner of life, place of residence and general self-treatment.

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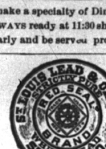

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	$195,096 92

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PROBATE ORDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, } session of the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, holden at the probate office, in the city of Pontiac, on Saturday, the 8th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five. Present, Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Susan Frink, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alanson Partridge, praying, among other things, for the probate of an instrument in writing heretofore filed in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased. Thereupon it is ordered, That Monday, the 7th day of September, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the probate office, in the city of Pontiac, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and it is further ordered that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendancy of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper published and circulating in said county of Oakland, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

THOMAS L. PATTERSON,
Judge of Probate.
(A true copy.) Aug 13 to Sep 3.

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE. In the matter of the estate of Thomas C. Beach deceased. The undersigned having been appointed by the Hon. Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate in and for the county of Oakland, state of Michigan, commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said estate, and six months from the 29th day of July, A. D., 1885, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present them to us for examination and adjustment, notice is hereby given that we will met on the 17th day of September 1885, and on the 2nd day of January, 1886, at 10 o'clock A. M. of each day, at the store of Whitehead & Mitchell in the village of Birmingham, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting such claims.

WM. SATTERLEE, } Commis'rs.
W. A. DENISON, }
G. M. TROWBRIDGE,
Administrator.
Aug 6 to Aug 27

PROBATE ORDER.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss. At a
COUNTY OF OAKLAND, } session of the Probate court for the county of Oakland, holden at the Probate office, in the city of Pontiac, on Thursday the 9th day of July, in the year one thousand, eight hundred and eighty-five. Present, Thomas L. Patterson, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Thomas Brace deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of George W. Brace, a son of the deceased, praying that the court ascertain, determine, adjudge and decree who are the heirs at law and who is entitled to the estate of which the said deceased died possessed, and that such other proceedings be had in the matter of the petition as shall be according to the provisions of the statutes in such cases made and provided. Thereupon it is ordered, That Friday, the 7th day of August, 1885, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the city of Pontiac, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted; and it is further ordered, That said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county of Oakland, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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