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TIME TABLE

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WESTWARD.

Morning Express	7:42 a. m.
Mail	11:50 a. m.
Evening Express	5:15 p. m.
Suburban	6:20 p. m.
Chicago Express	8:36 p. m.
Night Express	11:35 p. m.

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Chicago Express	6:58 a. m.
Suburban	7:43 a. m.
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Birmingham Baptist Church.

(The little church around the corner.)

Sabbath services: Preaching by the Rev. C. C Miller, pastor of Pontiac church, who will preach here until further notice at 3 p. m. Sunday school at 4 p. m. Prayer conference and bible study each Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, conducted by Mr. Miller. All are cordially invited. Seats free. tf

Methodist Episcopal Church.

REV. W. C. CLEMO, PASTOR.

Sabbath services at 10:30 a. m. and at 7:00 p. m. Sabbath school at 12 m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7 p. m. All are invited.

Troy and Southfield U. P. Churches.

REV. A. H. ORR, PASTOR.

Sabbath services: Preaching at Troy at 10 a. m.; Sabbath school at 11.30 a. m. Southfield: Sabbath school at 1 p. m.; preaching at 2 p. m. Young people's meeting at 7.30 p. m. You are cordially invited.

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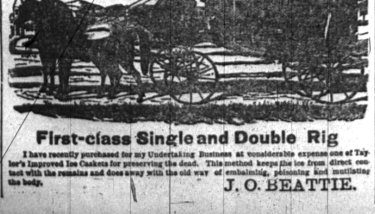

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HOME NOTES.

Take in the excursion Saturday.

The Merrell family are in camp on Pine Lake.

Be on time Saturday morning at 6:58 for Lakeside.

Mr. Hagerman and family are camping on Pine Lake.

Mr. Cooper and daughter Jennie are at the sea shore for the summer.

Hear Dr. Talmage on Saturday only $1 50 for round trip.

For rent, a large wall tent with fly, $2 50 per week. J. R. Corson.

Lakeside is a ½ hour's ride below Put-in-Bay.

For sale, a large first class coal stove for $15. J. R. Corson.

Mrs. Keyes is making a long visit to friends in the northern part of the state.

Wanted, girl for general housework Wages $2 50 per week. Apply at this office.

Mr. Bigelow and family will spend part of the summer at their cottage on Cass Lake.

For sale cheap, good work mare, weight about 1,200. Inquire of Dr. Raynale, Birmingham.

Mrs. Lizzie Irving, Mrs. Brady and Mrs. Mc Allister all made Mrs. J. C. Merrell a short call one day last week.

The finest excursion of the season is that on Saturday to Lakeside.

Mrs. Carrie Hutchins and daughter Mabel, and Cora Rhodes are the guests of Mrs. William Toms.

The Epworth League of the Pontiac M. E church are getting up the excursion to Lakeside on Saturday.

A new organ will be on trial at the entertainment in the Presbyterian church next Friday evening. Come and hear it.

Some poison ivy growing near the walk on Chester street has already poisoned several persons. Miss Minnie Wilson is the latest victim.

The Frank E. Kirby is a fine new steamer and will take you to Lakeside on Saturday. See posters for further information.

Messrs Blodgett and Mabee are steady patronizers of the Parker grove camp meeting and certainly enjoy it as much as Taber and Mitchell.

Mrs. Timothy Christian, of Bay City, accompanied by her little grand-daughter Miss Blanche Soper, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Jarvis this week.

Three lots a day is about the average number now sold by the Campbell Bros. of the new subdivision. Prices very low, long time, very low rate of interest.

James Messmore, wife and family and sister Mrs. Clara Andrus, of Utica, Sundayed in this village the guests of Geo. H. Mitchell and family and Mrs. N. M. Corey.

Those Campbell lots are most wonderful cheap and sold at a very low price and with a rate of interest so low that it must be painful to the sellers of the property.

Cherries are very numerous and have been sold for a dollar a bushel the past week, but the price of fruit jars have doubled almost in consequence of the large supply of fruit.

Mr. Grant Wolfe, one of the barbers of Birmingham, is laid up with the mumps and it takes the snap out of the young man to meander around town mumping it.

Beet sugar is rapidly out stripping cane sugar in the markets of the world. The estimated crop of this year of each is: Cane, 2,340,000 tons; beet, 3,600,000 tons.

Being obliged to vacate my present premises as the property will be used for other purposes, I will close out my entire line of hats, bonnets and flowers at cost. S. Hanna. 2

The Ladies' Library Society has notified everyone on the corner lot to move, even the old brick shop has to go. Anyone wanting the brick will do well to speak in time.

Mr. G. L. Bradley from Pataha City, Washington, who visited his sister, Mrs. Thos. Quarton, last winter, is now visiting relatives and friends in England, making his trip around the world.

Over fifty bicyclers passed to and fro Sunday last between Detroit and Orchard Lake, among them two ladies, one of them Miss Myrtle Hoffner, who stays this week at the hotel de Raymond.

The drumming of Major Hendersho at the League entertainment, last week, was wonderful; the singing and recitation being of high merit, made the concert one of the best ever held in our town.

Estey organ in good condition $35, four stops, voxhumana and knee swell, or if you want a new instrument at a saving see me. Small amount down and monthly payments. C. J. Akin, Maple avenue. 4

J. S. Stockwell & Co., offer a special drive of 2,000 yards of challie at only 3 cts. per yard, and also great reductions on summer goods. Read their abvertisment for further particulars.

The cemetery grounds have been mown and no further work will be done on lots of those not members of the association. Those having plants that they wish watered will please send in their dues.

Miss Hattie Ladd Rickey and lady friend, made us a short pleasant call one day last week, while on a drive throughout the state. The ladies live at Ypsilanti and seemed to be enjoying themselves hugely.

If you want a home in Birmingham why not buy a Campbell lot? Handy, near by, close to the railroad, near to the postoffice, adjacent to the church and school privileges and a part of the village bound to grow.

Two immense blocks of stone the wonder of Oakland county are on the grounds to be placed in the new bank building. Mr. Scott the monument man of Pontiac is furnishing and placing them and handles them easily, nicely and safely.

Tom Cooper is keeping up his reputation as a hustler even in the hustling town of Harbor Springs. He went over to the neighboring city of Petoskey on the 4th of July and took first prize in the bicycle races, it was a superb gold medal and cost $35.

The best advertisment our village has, is the fountain at the depot, the work of the little folks. The sun strikes it so as to show it at its best, just as the evening train comes in and "look at that fountain" is repeated again and again the length of the train.

It will pay our readers to peruse the change of adv't of the Beehive in this issue. When in need of goods in their line call on John Pound and Bro., of Pontiac, and if we know what we are speaking about, you will be greatly pleased with your visit.

NOTICE TO VILLAGE TAXPAYERS.—Notice is hereby given that I will be at my office at my livery stable in this village every Friday during the month of July at which times and place village taxes can be paid without the extra per cent James O. Beattie, Village Marshal.

The following officers of the alumni were elected at the meeting held July 11: President, William Brush; vice-president, Retta Blumberg; secretary, Grace Kneeland; treasurer, Seymour Adams; executive committee, Mrs. R. Gillett, Bessie Merrill, Lottie Hall, Polly Parks, Mabel Adams.

Lost, about June 10th, a female fox hound; spotted, blue ticked with tan colored head and ears. A slight scar on one hind flank. Five dollars reward for her return to the Cook Kennels or for information that will lead to her recovery. Address H. E. Cook, Woodward avenue, Detroit, Mich.

Rev. William Hervey, Missionary of the U. P. church in Egypt, will preach at Troy and Southfield U. P. churches on next Sabbath, and at Birmingham Presbyterian church in the evening. Mrs. Hervey will address the L. M. S. of Troy on Friday at 2 p. m. and the L. M. S. of Southfield at 2 p. m. on Saturday.

Employees of the Lake Shore road are now required to sign a paper relieving the company from all blame of accidents happening to them while on duty.—Niles Sun. But the company will not be surprised when a man is hurt to know that the agreement is not worth the paper it is written on if relatives bring suit—Detroit News.

The Pedro Club were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Miller, at their new home, on Thursday last. Mr. Miller's house is not only handsome in itself, but it is furnished with such taste, that one thinks of it as a home, not as a house. The guests ranged from cellar to garret, admiring the many modern appliances for ease and comfort.

Tom Richardson, near Frank Harff's, while skinning a cow, cut his hand severely one day last week. Dr. Campbell dressed the wound, which was an artery cut square across and which bled profusely. The doctor tied up the artery, sewed up the cut and turned Thomas out upon the world as well as he could be under the circumstances.

The private sale of lots of the Campbell subdivision of the village of Birmingham, opened last Thusday without any great effort at a blow out and since then 28 lots have been sold to purchasers, many of whom will build homes upon them in the near future. It does one good to see how fast they are bought and the class of people who are buying them.

The attention of lovers of pure bred stock is respectfully called to the change of adv't of the Watkins Stock Farm in this issue. Read it over carefully and if convenient call at the farm and see its beauties for yourself. A letter seeking information about the stock on this model farm, directed to G. A. Watkins, 18 McGraw Building, Detroit, Mich., will receive a ready response.

Mrs. Dr. Eves, Lady Commander of the local Hive was the recipient of a letter on Saturday from N. S Boynton, Gt. Record Keeper of the K. O. T. M. with a valuable enclosure and intimating that she was the successful competitor for the best poem on "The Maccabee Decade," open to Hives and Tents of the United States and Canada—Roscommon (Mich.) Democrat.

Don't forget that Peter VanEvery's grand bowery dance comes off Friday evening, July 24, '91, to which event all are invited. Refreshments will be served consisting of all the delicacies of the season. A grand base ball match game with the Franklin club and a rattling good club from Detroit, will play the first of a series of games Friday afternoon. Don't fail to witness the revival of base ball at Franklin.

"Felicia," a new novel by Fanny N. D. Murfree. The press throughout the country has warmly praised "Felicia." The Detroit Journal says that "the author gives much promise of strength and scope," adding that "the analysis of character and description is very marked." The Providence Journal says that the author "has a marvelous power of word painting," while the Living Church of Chicago calls the story "strong and well-sustained." Ask for it at the Ladies' Library on Saturday.

On Saturday evening last a man by the name of William Long hired a livery rig at Alfred Johnston's livery stable, went to Pontiac, filled up on budge, changed rigs and drove back to Johnston's a rig belonging to a tenant on the farm of Hon. B. G. Stout. The sheriff was notified of the horse stealing and Mr. Wm Long was arrested at the Gratiot street station charged with horse stealing and he will have a pretty severe tussle to clear himself. It is alleged that he is a tough customer and one who has been looked for for two years.

Up to last Friday little Miss Edna Merrell had not finished celebrating the glorious Fourth, but she has now, you may rest assured. Last Friday she was trying her prettiest to light a squib and succeeded much to her surprise, pain and sorrow and also with a narrow escape from losing her eyesight. She succeeded in lighting the squib which shot her in the eyes and burned away her eyelashes, eyebrows and nearly burned the sight of her eyes out. Fortunately for her they were carefully dressed by Dr. C. M. Raynale who thinks in a short time she will be as good as new.

The Epworth League meeting Friday evening last was very interesting. A special feature of the evening was the biographical guessing. Toward the close of the evening Mr. Bert Peabody asked permission to say a few words and in well chosen remarks in behalf of the society presented the president of the League, Mr. Akin, with a gold League pin with his name nicely engraved upon it. Mr. Akin was so completely surprised that for a moment he was unable to respond and by the time he received a nice copy of the church hymnal was unable to say more than "thank you."

A rousing camp meeting is now being held at Parker's grove on Woodward avenue, near Asher Parker's, conducted by the Rev. R. L. Briggs of Hayti, assisted by Rev. Smith and visiting ministers. Singing is conducted by the Jackson Family a happy band of colored singers who are artists in their line and sing in a manner that creates great enthusiasm and are a pronounced success. These meetings are largely attended by all the surrounding families to say nothing of the villagers who steadily attend. Everybody go and chip in a quarter at least to defray the great expense of the meeting.

There will be issued from the press during this month, a little pamphlet of thirty-two pages entitled "The Church and Poverty", by John Brisben Walker, Ph. D. This is the substance of a lecture delivered in Washington before the Catholic University of America. The Washington Star said at the time: "The lecture was in some respects a remarkable effort in the boldness with which he brought home to clergy and laymen their responsibility for many of social difficulties that beset our civilization. No such plain speaking has been heard upon a platform under similar circumstances, and for this reason as well as because of the food for thought to every one interested in the welfare and prosperity of his race and the goverment under which we live, fan extended report of the lecture is given." Price 10 cents. For sale by local news dealers.

The following we clip from the Detroit Tribune and will be of interest to our many Franklin readers: J. W. Van-Leewen, a former resident of Grand-Rapids, attempted to commit suicide at the City Hotel, corner of Brush and Atwater streets, early yesterday morning by swallowing a dose of morphine. Officer McNamara called Emergency Hospital ambulance and the would be suicide, who was in a stupor, was taken to that hospital. At 10 o'clock he was so far recovered that he was allowed to go but was afterward brought back to the hospital by an officer who found him acting strangely on the streets. Van Leewen, who is 59 years of age, has been in poor health for some time past and his illness has preyed upon his mind. It is very evident that his attempt at suicide was premeditated as a letter written by him at 6 o'clock the previous evening concludes by bidding his wife Helen good bye. In this letter he speaks of his sickness and the hopelessness of his being cured. He also states that he is without home, friends or money and his wife Helen is insane.

The case of Beattie vs. O'Connell called for last week Friday was adjourned to Monday of this week. Promptly on time the defendant Mr. George O'Connell put in an appearance before Justice Jones and as no plaintiff appeared the prisoner was discharged surrounded by a large crowd of admiring friends who took up a collection for his benefit that panned out liberally. Saturday the interest in the case was increased by the arrest of Wm. Hilliard, hereafter to be known as "Stop Block Bill," on complaint of George O'Connell charged with assault with intent to do great bodily harm. Mr Hiliard gave bail for $400 to appear for trial with A. Partridge as bondsman. Mr. O'Connell tried to have Beattie arrested for false imprisonment but failing to get the Prosecuting Attorney's signature to the necessary papers at this writing Beattie still breathes a free man but badly damaged about the eyes. Mr. O'Connell is at present in town and rumors of dire disaster to follow Beattie the rest of his natural life are flying about the air much to the delight of Beattie's natural enemies.

Life in the open air and adventures afloat and ashore, make up a large part of the Cosmopolitan Magazine's contents for July. Trout Fishing in the Laurentides, the Diamond fields of South Africa, Ostrich Farming in California, and Country Life in Honduras, are descriptive titles of some of these profusely illustrated open air papers. In addition, Elizabeth Bisland describes London Charites in a paper illustrated from the picturesque photographs and character studies; C. C. Waddle tells the history of the Woman's Christain Temperance Union; James Grant Wilson writes of the daring achievements of Lieut. Cushing and General Custer, the boy heroes of the war and navy of the Union; James Hughes describes the world's progress in the building of submarine vessels. All these papers are handsomely illustrated from original sources, and in the one on trout-fishing, wil be recognized the features of an ex President of United States. Next month the Cosmopolitan promises to print the opening chapters of a short novel by Amelie Rives, which she entitles "According to St. John" and which is said to be the best work from her pen. For sale by Mrs. Sawyer.

NOTICE.

All that are indebted to us are requested to pay up before the 1st of September, as we wish to do a cash business after that date.

4 PARKS & HANNA

RELATIVE TO SHOOTING FIRE-ARMS.

YE EDITORS:—Gentlemen I have seen and read your remarks relative to the firing of guns and the deplorable accident that occurred to Mr. Reuder, and in view of many facts I wish to kindly take exception to your position and to be heard.

The has been quite a little controversy pro and con over the firing of guns within the village which probably caused the recent loss of a human life. As reported, the horses were standing near the lumber yard and depot, where the handling of lumber and freight is in hourly progress and the dropping thereof often sounds very much like the report of a gun. If such had then occurred while the team stood from where they started, does anyone suppose they would not have ran away just the same and undoubtedly caused the same accident? I do not believe, as some have remarked, that there is a person living in Birmingham who would purposely fire off a gun hoping to cause a team of horses to run away, whether it endangered human life or not. The accident seems to have been one of those deplorable and unavoidable occurrences.

Now relative to the firing of guns within the village limits. It is generally supposed to be done in violation of the ordinance relative thereto, but how are the people to become rid of the sparrow pest unless allowed to freely hunt them everywhere? Our state invites everyone to hunt and destroy them wherever found by offering a bounty of three cents per head. If the public are prohibited from hunting them within corporate limits, does anyone suppose that the little pest has not intelligence enough to know where he then would have an asylum and freedom from the shot gun? There to breed, multiply and undoubtedly become so numerous as to be a scourge.

The sparrow is not the only bird nuisance we have. Poets have praised the beauty and song of the robin, but he is by nature a fruit eater, a glutton, a pest and a scourge, occupying no second position to the sparrow, or any other bird, as a nuisance. Who, among those reading this, has not, with much labor, cost and pleasure, planted some rare vine, bush or tree, in hopeful anticipation of tasting the fruit thereof in the near future? Who among them has not met sad disappointment, for the robin usually gets there first of all. The writer hereof has gone through the same experience for years, and has been forced to abandon any further efforts at strawberry culture principally because of the raids made upon them by the robin horde. Four years ago I planted young and very early cherry trees, ripening their fruit some fourteen to twenty one days earlier than any others I have. The trees have fruited some for two years. Did I taste those cherries? Not one, for Mr. Robin got there first and long before they were ripe. The robin has also raided and made havoc with my raspberries, currants, early apples and pears. In view of such experience should anyone be deprived of, or prevented from defending their own upon their own premises and in their own way, whether it be in violation of corporation ordinance or the statutes? Our lawmakers made one grave mistake when they included the robin among the "beneficial song birds" and exempted him from the shot gun. He is a pest and cannot be viewed in any other light by those fully acquainted with him.

P. C.

REMARKABLE FAMILY REUNION.

During the past two weeks there has been a remarkable family reunion at the residence of Jerome Volentine and F. E. Picket. Mrs. Volentine is the eleventh in a family of fifteen, twelve of whom lived to grow up, nine girls and three boys. One of the girls died at the age of sixteen and one boy starved to death in that terrible Andersonville prison during the last year of the war. This is the first time in fifty years that the eight sisters, now living, have all been together. The eldest is 71 years, and mother of Mrs. F. E. Pickett, while the youngest is 52. During their reunion a fine family picture was taken of the group by S. Philley, the photographer. Their names and residences are as follows: Lucy Ann Roys, Ann Arbor, Mich.; Patty M. Wilcox, Collingwood, Onondoga county, N. Y.; Fanny M. Wood, Wayland, Mich.; Stella Saria Campbell, Gatestown, Tuscola county, Mich.; Lucia M. Volentine, Wayland, Mich.; Julia F. Wood, Port Byron, N. Y.; Harriet E. Moore, Big Beaver, Oakland county, Mich. Last week the company was increased by the arrival of Mr. E. Wood, husband of Julia, and Tuesday by Fanny Parlow, daughter of Mrs. Campbell.—Wayland (Mich.) Review.

LA GRIPPE AGAIN.

During the epidemic of La Grippe last season Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, proved to be the best remedy. Reports from the many who used it confirm this statement. They were not only quickly relieved, but the disease left no bad after results. We ask you to give this remedy a trial and we guarntee that you will be satisfied with results, or the purchase price will be refunded. It has no equal in La Grippe, or any Throat, Chest or Lung Trouble. Trial bottles free at Whitehead & Mitchell. Drug Store Large bottles 50c and $1,00. 3

TOWN LINE TOOTINGS.

The Town Line was merry with city people the Fourth, five ladies and three gentlemen at Clark Beach's; Nelly Hendricks and Elmer Waugh at Hendrick's; Fred Blair of Grand Rapids at Lenton's; Mrs. Hattie Lowes and son at Porter Beach's; Miss Grace Allen at Mr. William's; Gage Crawford and family visited at Lenton's last week; Mrs. Frazer visited her sister Mrs. Caswell recently; Mrs. Will Satterlee and children are at Saterlee's; this week Mrs. Lesher of Detroit and Mrs. Kittie Lesher of Chicago visited at Shug's.

About forty from here picniced at Pine Lake the Fourth.

Haying is about over and harvest has commenced.

Mr. Satterlee and grandson had a narrow escape, they were on a load of hay when it upset, he let the team go and saved his grandson from injury; the team when found were in the wheat field, having gone over a picket fence. No serious damage done.

Fighting among neighbors is to be deplored at any time, but when they attack an old man it is getting too bad.

COUNTY LINE CLIPPINGS.

Mrs Pannel and Ironmonger, of Detroit visited at Mr. Fred Braco's and Wm White's.

Geo. Walker's little boy shot with a revolver a son of Emmet Norris while playing together. At present do not know whether he will survive or not. The children are about 9 years old. Moral: Do not leave loaded revolvers where the little ones can get them.

Dr. Flynn and wife went to Cleveland last week to see a sick relative.

Some wheat cut at this date, 13th. Insect working some.

Steve Cooper is building his new barn When finished it will be the finest in our country.

BIG BEAVER BLIZZARDS.

Hot, dusty and everybody haying.

Miss Frankie Gibbs spent Sunday last with friends in Utica.

Miss Minnie Gillett returned from Mt. Clemens last Thursday evening.

Red Ribbon picnic in Gillett's grove, August 14, great surprise in store. Particulars later.

Where, oh where is the Epworth League that was organized so auspiciously a few weeks ago? Yes, echo answers. Looks as tho' the independence was short lived.

Miss Jennie Ebling returned home last week after nine months' absence teaching school at Lee's Corner, this being her second year.

Locals are scarce, so guess we had better follow the example of the Gazette and Sentinel correspondents and burrow up for the remainder of the hot weather.

A brakeman on the Boston & Providence railroad some time ago saved the life of Mrs. Hopkins-Searle, and she has rewarded him with a grocery store and wagons and a furnished house.

A tell-tale clock in connection with the London-Paris telephone keeps the record of seconds while the patron talks. When 180 beats have been counted a bell rings and the circuit is cut off. Another three minutes' talk may be secured on the payment of the ordinary fee, but no more than six consecutive minutes are allowed to any one person.