THE BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC
ONE DOLLAR PER YEAR IN ADVANCE
WHITEHEAD & MITCHELL, PUBS.

BIRMINGHAM, MICH., DEC. 18, 1903

To Our Friends.

When trading with any of our advertisers either in Birmingham, Pontiac or Detroit, it will be a great favor to us if you will mention the fact that you noticed their advertisement in our paper. A word from you at the time of trading, costs you nothing and benefits us greatly. Will you be good and do so?

THE BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC.

HOME NOTES.

New Advertisements.

H. B. Merritt—Shoes Pontiac.
H. B. Traver Co.—Clothing—Detroit.
Mrs G. W. Terry—Millinery—Pontiac.
William H. Elliott Co—Dry Goods—Detroit.
The J. L. Hudson Co.—Clothing—Detroit.
Whitehead & Mitchell—Drugs—Birmingham.
The Taylor-Woolfenden Co.—Dry Goods—Detroit.
Waite Bros. & Robertson—Dry Goods—Pontiac.

One and one-third fare for the round trip during the holidays on the P. O. & N. Ry. Take advantage of this low rate and visit the thumb, the coming farming section of the state.

Go hear Plumstead.

Next week you swear off.

A merry Christmas to all.

What did you get in your stocking?

Jack Whitefoot visited at Rochester last Friday.

Miss Edith Koontz is home from Ovid for the holidays.

Charlotte has purchased 105 acres for a city park.

Ellsworth Plumstead at the M. E. church Tuesday evening, Dec. 29.

Miss Mamie Utter is spending the holidays at at Owosso and Ovid.

Miss Celia Bowers, of Detroit, spent Sunday in Birmingham, with friends.

James Wooster and family of Clarkston, visited relatives in town this week.

You can buy a phonograph with one dozen records at Whitehead & Mitchell's for $6.00.

Fine sleighing all over the country at present with prospects of its staying until after the holidays.

The Franklin Maccabees will give a social hop Christmas night, Dec. 25. Bill and supper 50c each.

The Maccabees of Big Beaver give a masquerade dance New Years Eve, Dec. 31. Bill 50c, supper 25c

We do not remember when our walks were in such a measly condition as they were the fore part of the week.

Lost, a binding-chain 14 feet long with ring and hook at each end. Finder will please leave at ECCENTRIC office.

Many cemeteries are advancing the rates for Sunday funerals for the purpose of discouraging Sunday interments.

Miss Florence Hillard is clerking daily at the 5 and 10 cent store in Pontiac, is successful and likes the work first rate.

The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church, will meet with Mrs. Wooster on Pierce street, on Tuesday, December 29.

A new storm house protects the front of F. Hagerman's store—just what this pleasing merchant wanted to help keep warm.

There will be 69 acres devoted to out of door exhibits at the St. Louis Exposition. An old English garden is to be reproduced.

The jolly Maccabee boys of Birmingham will give an old time dance at Library Hall New Years night January 1. Bill 50c.

The St. Louis Civic Improvement League reports the enactment of the anti-spitting ordinance and its general enforcement.

Miss Clara Cavanagh, of Detroit, returned home Saturday, after spending a week with her aunt Mrs. F. McHugh, and family.

Some of the residents at the west end of the town are much annoyed by the profanity and low language of the coasters who gather there every evening.

Both banks did themselves proud on calendars this year, and those who were fortunate enough to secure one before the supply was exhausted feel proud in their possessions.

James, Cannon, son of Alex. M Cannon, is home from Denver, Colo and is having a royal good old fashioned home visit. He is one of Denver's most popular and successful druggists.

Mr. Stiffler and family, Southfield Ave., are away in West Lorne, Ont., visiting relatives. They will be away for some time, they expect to have a Merry Christmas.

Quite a number of the younger boys and girls are regular weekly visitors at the library, and the books they select show they are there to learn.

Whiskey reddens a man's nose, morphine converts him into an unscrupulous liar, opium makes him daffy, and alum baking powder puckers his stomach. What can a poor man do to be saved?

The party given by the young men at Library hall Tuesday evening was a fine affair and well attended by the elite of the town to the number of thirty couples. Be ready for the next, January 22.

This office has been very busy during the past two weeks turning out job work for the new year, and if you have not already placed your order there's no time like the present to do it.

While on a visit to congenial friends in Detroit recently, several of our young men were royally entertained at a champagne supper given by "Champagne Louie," one of Detroit's rising" young men.

A full stock of brick and tile at the Birmingham Brick and Tile Company's yards one-half mile south of the postoffice—or you can leave your order at the Exchange bank. Better draw your tile while the going is good.

The genial, jolly, jumping Brown Cannon is home from Denver to spend Christmas with his parents. Brown was one of our rising young men who has arose and he is still arising. He says everything is lovely out west.

Lost, on the gravel road one-half mile south of Royal Oak village, at the turn of the electric road, a long black pocket-book containing $150, some change and receipts. Twenty-five dollars reward. Address R. Peterson, Box 13, Birmingham. 2

A Houston, Tex., physician has offered a San Antonio editor $100 to permit a yellow fever mosquito to bite him. There are plenty of editors to jump at the chance and be perfectly immune against the germ, but it would kill the mosquito.

Frank Keyser, of Kansas City, Mo., is home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Keyser, for the holidays. Mr. Keyser is manager for the branch house of Nelson Baker & Co. at Kansas City, and has made this firm very popular and successful in the great south west.

This is the one day in the year when everybody should be happy and strive to make others happy, and the little tots should be thought of first. There's nothing like one of the many mechanical toys to please a youngster, and you can find them in abundance at Whitehead & Mitchell's.

An exchange says that in a friendly chat with a neighbor, the neighbor was asked if his wife did fancy work. "Fancy work!" exclaimed the husband, "Why she won't even let a porous plaster come into the house without crocheting a red border around it and running a yellow ribbon through the holes."

If you were running a newspaper and a well known citizen told you to send your paper to him, (until he was indebted $5 worth), then ordered it marked "refused" at the postoffice without saying a word about squaring up, wouldn't it jar you?

Mr. Guy Watkins of Watkins pony farm fame will soon be right in plenty of business fixing up all the pony carriages, carts, victorias, broughams, cabs, coupes, etc., etc., for the coming season at Belle Isle and Bois Blanc. One thing about Mr. Guy and his work what he undertakes he does in a thorough and business like manner.

Over at the Rochester power house one night last week at half past nine the lights all went out and the wonder was very great. James Casey who has charge of the plant accidentally fell against the generator receiving a fearful shock—the full limit 650 amperes. For several days he was put out of business but is now as good as ever.

W. Gilbert Shearar, of Detroit was with his brother, Frank Shearar, when the latter was killed by Barney Oldfield's automobile at the Grosse Pointe track last September, and claims to have been badly injured. William Shearar asks to be appointed guardian of the young man for the purpose of pressing a claim for $5,000 damages.

Fred W. Hawthorn, Esq., son of Wm. Hawthorn, of Troy, is home for the winter. Mr. Hawthorn is way up engineer on one of our immense lake freighters the "Walula," which tied up this winter at Milwaukee, Wis., after a very successful season. This boat is one of the popular Gilchrist Line and Mr. Hawthorn will enjoy a well deserved rest.

The citizens of this place will be given an opportunity to see and hear Ellsworth Plumstead at the M. E. church next Tuesday evening, Dec. 29. Mr. Plumstead is too well known here to need any recommends from us. The simple announcement that he will give one of his popular entertainments is all that is required to fill the house to overflowing.

Walter Nichols at the Birmingham Novelty Works has just installed a large engine and boiler and has the old one for sale. We are glad to note such proofs of prosperity as Walter shows and hope he has left all of his bad luck behind him and has nothing but prosperity for many years ahead.

M. H. Blunt will sell at auction for Sam James, one quarter of a mile east of Big Beaver, on Wednesday, December 30, at one o'clock p. m., the following property: Cows, yearlings, horses, brood sows and pigs, new market wagon, trucks, drag, top buggy, 45 swarms of bees, corn, cornstalks a few tools, and a lot of other nice things.

Mrs. Eugene Smith lost her pocket-book and $15 inside it last Tuesday afternoon. She missed it shortly after she stepped from the trolley car that took her from home to Birmingham. She had lost it on the car and the next day it was returned to her and its contents safe and sound so after all it's a merry Christmas for Mrs. Grace Smith, and her friends all rejoice with her.

J. A. Rice, of Kansas is called the wheat king of the state. He threshed 6,000 acres, securing 22 bushels to the acre, or 132,000 bu. in all. It is estimated that it will make a train of 220 cars, counting 600 bushels to the car. If this train pulls through the town where the socialistic paper is published the editor may be induced by the sight to postpone his predicted panic a month or two.

Ellsworth Plumstead, (and who in Birmingham and vicinity does not know him), is to favor the people of this place with one of his unique entertainments at the M. E. church next Tuesday evening. If you want to enjoy a hearty laugh don't fail to be there. Plumstead, the wandering raggedy man, assisted by some of our best local talent will demonstrate to your entire satisfaction that it is not necessary to go to Detroit to hear a first-class entertainment. Don't forget the date, Tuesday evening, December 29.

The Michigan Agricultural college offers six special courses this winter to the young men of the state whether on the farms or not. Of these short courses those relating to creamery management, cheese making and beet sugar production already have many applicants. The course in general farming and those along fruit and floricultural lines have not received the patronage that the business welfare of the state demands. The courses are intensely practical, and are helpful to every student who attends. Moreover they are cheap and within the reach of the laboring man upon the farm. Boys, you will do well to investigate this matter. It may prove of great value to you in after life.

Worfolk, of the Agonac Press, was a little off last week in his description of our automobile. The "push" part of it was right, but that balky mule was all wrong. Our auto is a common, everyday wheelbarrow, and Chauffeur Hoffman prides himself on knowing how to push it. And that person who was negotiating for a ride was not a buxom colored lady at all, but happened to be one of Agonac's fascinating young ladies. She was dressed in the latest tailor fashion and her shapely head was crowned with a dream of a theater hat made of the finest swan's down. Blue eyes, dimpled chin and one of those sweet, round, coaxing mouths! Yes, it was round, and had it been a little rounder it would have gone 'way 'round her head. No, she couldn't ride in our automobile on a bet.

AN INTERESTING STATEMENT.

Whitehead & Mitchell Say They Have at Last Discovered a Positive Cure for Dyspepsia.

"For years," said a member of the above drug firm yesterday, "we have been waiting for some one to discover a remedy that really will cure indigestion and dyspepsia.

A short time ago we learned that a new remedy called 'PEPSIKOLA' had been placed on the market, and on investigation we found that at last there is a remedy that surely will cure.

We laid in a big supply because we knew that as soon as the people began to realize what a remarkable remedy PEPSIKOLA is, there would be a big demand for it, and it is selling even beyond our expectations." For sale by Cobb & Cobb.

FRIENDS of the ECCENTRIC are requested when they have probate business, to ask the Publication of the legal notice in this paper.

THE ODD'S CORNER

A Contrast of Destiny.

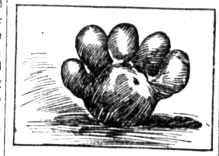
Was a feller, name o' Sam,
Honest sort o' duffer;
Toughest luck you ever see—
Couldn't be no tougher.
Loved a girl in Arkansaw,
Weddin' set for Monday;
Lost her 'cause he thought it wrong
To spoon her on a Sunday.
Met a widder—seven kids,
Mother energetic;
Corralled, 'cause in pity he
Did the sympathetic.
Got to sowing lofty thoughts;
World was kind o' stony;
Lost his job then—non-support,
Divorce and alimony.
Couldn't pay, was sent to jug;
Furnished gossip ample;
Died in jail a-praying hard—
"Horrible example!"
That was Sam.

Nother feller, name o' Bill,
Lucky sort o' sinner;
Any kind o' hand he drew
Sure to be a winner.
Lots o' cheek and nary cent;
Stole his boss' daughter;
Spent her coin a-floating schemes
Mostly made o' water.
Made a fortin', built a church,
Owned a yacht and horses;
Wrote a book on "Cares o' Wealth,"
And "Ensoulin' Losses."
Interviewed on "Where We Are,"
"Marriage," and "To-morrer."
Died one day a-swearing hard—
Universal sorrer.
Notices a column long
Printed in the papers;
"Useful citizen" and sich.
"Pattern for his neighbors."
That was Bill.

Ain't a-kicking—I don't care—
But kind o' seems it weren't square.
—Egomet.

Five Toed Potato.

A potato modeled rather closely after the design of the human foot has been exhibited recently at a Western fair. The potato was labeled a potato



foot because of its five fairly well formed toes. The natural markings also bear a remarkable resemblance to the wrinkles on the human foot.—New York Herald.

A Vegetable Porcupine.

The best hated cactus in America is the cholla, says "Country Life in America." The Mexicans say that if you go near a cholla joint it will jump at you. Certainly if you touch one it will stick, and when you try to free yourself it will pierce your other hand as well. Each pendent joint seems to reach out for the passerby, and the ground beneath the broad cholla trees is strewn with fallen fragments, many of which take root and grow.

After one has felt the sharp spines through heavy boots and seen their needle points, it is a source of continual wonder to see the wild cattle of Arizona quietly browsing on chollas. The phrase "cactus fed," as applied to Arizona, is not a figure of speech. During the years of drouth thousands of cattle carry themselves over until the next grass by eating chollas. With their leathery tongues and lips they strip the spiny joints from the trunk and leave the wide spreading cactus a bare and woody skeleton. It is only the range cattle, whose mouths have been hardened on the thorny nesquite and ironwood browse, who will undertake to eat cactus, and cattlemen therefore often burn the thorns from chollas and opuntia in order to tempt their more fastidious animals to eat.

Loses in Stature.

Rev. George R. Baker, pastor of the Baptist church in Leominster, Mass., who is big and tall, says that he shrinks in height nearly an inch between the time that he gets up in the morning and when he retires at night. He says that he only lays claim to being 6 feet and 4 inches in height, in his stocking feet, though if he should stretch up good and long, the first thing in the morning, he could make his measurement 6 feet and 5 inches. By night he settles together so he has lost an inch.

Eastern Inventor's Idea.

A building representing the old woman who lived in a shoe is the idea of an eastern inventor.

Eastern Fishermen in Luck.

At Block Island, fishermen are making big hauls of albicore a species of bonita, in the opinion of Block islanders, a tropical fish, with markings something like a mackerel. The fish are from two to three feet and more in length and weigh from twenty-five to seventy-five pounds. They remain off shore in the summer, but as the weather grows colder they come in shore, and they have never been seen in such numbers at Block Island as they have this fall.

Took Him for a Dummy.

An Eastport, Me., man was standing near the door of a clothing store, lost in meditation, when a woman walked up and began to stare at him. He never moved a muscle, but when she again turned he thought he had caught her eye for a sure enough mash and he smiled and winked the other eye. Imagine his feelings when she exclaimed in a startled voice "Heavens! I thought you were a clothing dummy."

DETROIT

.....WILLIAM H. ELLIOTT CO.....

THE IDEAL STORE for out of town people to meet in. Packages checked free, or sent to waiting room, 70 Woodward Avenue, with check.

QUICK SERVICE and prompt attention. Reliable goods, for which the lowest prices are asked in this city.

WE ARE Selling SILKS, DRESS GOODS, WAISTINGS, CHALLIES, and FLANNELS particularly low in price.

CLEARANCE SALE also in progress in our Ladies' Garment Department.

IT'S TO YOUR INTEREST TO GO INTO "ELLIOTT'S" WHENEVER YOU ARE IN DETROIT.

NOW IS THE TIME TO GET

SOMETHING FOR NOTHING

FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

THE TRADERS' REBATE CO. of New York has given me the exclusive agency for their YELLOW TRADING STAMPS. Call and get a book and don't fail to ask for Traders' Rebate Stamps when you make a purchase. Any other stamps will not be redeemed by this association. Do not compare this system with the old trading stamp plan, which requires you to fill a book holding $99.00 in stamps, besides spending a day and car fare to get them redeemed. I only require a Book of $50.00, $25.00 and $12.50 in stamps, when you will receive your choice from a large assortment of

Chairs, Lounges, Oak Dressers, Side Boards, Lamps and a large assortment of Rogers' make of Silverware. All high grade premiums absolutely free of any cost to you.

Yours,

Birmingham, Mich

V. NIXON

Something New for Children.

The Upside Down Colored Pictures now running in The Detroit Free Press Colored Supplement every Sunday have proven a great success. The "Brownies in the Philippines" and "Buster Brown," funny features, have always been popular. Taken as a whole, the Colored Supplement of the Detroit Free Press has no equal. The Sunday Detroit Free Press is the greatest newspaper published in Michigan and should be taken in every home. Order it for next Sunday. If you give it a trial you will always want it.

TROY.

The Troy district school will have a vacation of two weeks.

Miss Julia Lakie was an Xmas shopper in Detroit last Monday.

The M. E. Sunday-school exercises were held Christmas Eve.

John Oliver and family will spend the holidays at the Elliott home.

Mrs. Geo. Elliott entertains a houseful of guests at Xmas and New Years time.

Tracy Smith and wife returned to Troy Sunday after an absence of several days.

Many children responded heartily to the call for Christmas gifts for Free Press Sunshine.

Mrs. Durant and daughter visited Detroit Saturday returning laden with Xmas gifts.

Sad news of the sudden death of Mrs. John F. Daniels, of St. Johns, has been received here.

Lola Jennings and Rena Denison at their schools Wednesday had very merry Christmas programs.

Mrs Grace Blount gave a "shower" for Mae Cone, of Birmingham, Wednesday, at her new home east of Troy.

Next Sabbath at the Troy M. E. church an old people's service will be observed. The aged are cordially invited. Class meeting at 10 a. m. Service at 10:30.

Mrs Tom Smith and Mrs. Helen Clark got up a surprise party on Mr. and Mrs E. M. Clark last Friday evening. Mr and Mrs Clark left Wednesday to spend the winter with their children in Detroit.

MORE FACTS ABOUT PEPSIKOLA.

Why Whitehead & Mitchell and Cobb & Cobb Recommend It to their Customers for Dyspepsia.

"We have sold many so-called dyspepsia cures since we have been in business," said one of the above druggists to a representative of this paper, "but we must say that nothing has ever given such universal satisfaction as PEPSIKOLA."

"We had heard that druggists in other towns were having a large sale of it, and as the manufacturers guarantee it to cure dyspepsia or refund the money, we were glad to secure the agency for PEPSIKOLA. Our success with this remarkable remedy has caused us to wonder," the druggist continued, "as the demand for it has made a new record for the drug stores here."

No one need have dizzy spells, sick headache, biliousness, nervousness, loss of appetite, sour stomach, coated tongue, restless nights, or any other symptom of indigestion or dyspepsia, if they will use PEPSIKOLA.

It is also a splendid nerve tonic, it improves the general health, puts on firm, solid flesh, and if you are run down or emaciated, it will almost surely increase your weight from five to twenty pounds. You take no chances in purchasing a 25c box as the above druggists will hand the money right back over the counter if it fails to do as claimed.

Fight Will be Bitter.

Those who will persist in closing their ears against the continual recommendations of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal termination. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Miss., has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by Whitehead & Mitchell, and Cobb & Cobb druggists. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free.

If you are in need of pure blood in your flock, buy a cockerel at the Hupp farm. Can supply Barred Rocks, Barred Leghorns, Langshans and Rhode Island Reds. Prices from $1.00 up.

BIG BEAVER.

Mrs. Wm. Strong and daughter, Clara, will spend the holidays with friends near Gaines.

Bert Schultz returned to his work at Orchard Lake after spending a few days with his parents.

Harry Schultz who has been working in Ford's meat shop at Royal Oak is home for a vacation.

Mrs. H. Lyons, of Chicago, sister of Mrs. C. S. Travis (deceased) is visiting Mrs. Wm. Pallister and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hemmell are comfy settled in the Sam Levy house and Mr. Hemmell will work at steamfitter.

School is out for a two weeks' vacation and the teacher, Miss Ferguson, will spend her vacation with her friends in Memphis.

The family of John Prisel has been seriously sick with diptheria but are now considered out of danger. Dr. Gass has been the attending physician.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Gibbs arrived last week from their home in Colordo and may spend the winter with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Gibbs.

REDUCED RATES

To Points South, Southeast and Southwest.

Winter Tourist Tickets will be sold via Queen & Crescent Route and Southern Railway until April 30th, at reduced rates for the round trip with stop over privileges. Tickets good returning until May 31, 1904.

For rates address W. C. Rinearson, G. P. A., Cincinnati, O. fe11

A Costly Mistake.

Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel Troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c at Whitehead & Mitchell's and Cobb & Cobb's drug stores.

NAIL NOTES.

Small nails denote a very obstinate nature, rarely pleased.

Fleshy nails denote an idler who has a good appetite and loves sleep.

Pale nails denote one inclined to melancholy and to higher branches of knowledge.

Long nails denote caution, lacking confidence in human nature, decided in opinions.

Broad finger-nails denote a gentle-natured person, inclined to be modest and unassuming.

COLORADO AGRICULTURE.

Enormous Profits Made by Farming Under Irrigation.

Denver, Colo., Dec. 15, 1903.—When the officials of the Denver & Rio Grande railway held their annual meeting a few weeks ago, and looked over the earnings of the year, they were surprised to find how great a proportion of the profits arose from an agricultural rather than a mining source. The showing was the more remarkable as this railroad does not penetrate the old farming regions along the South Platte and Arkansas rivers. It is a mountain road, reaching nearly all the best mining camps of the state, and traversing only the valleys and parks of the western portion. The showing thus emphasizes the tremendous advance which has been made in irrigation farming within the last few years.

The older farming sections of the state, especially the country around Fort Collins and Greeley in the north, and adjacent to Rocky Ford in the south, probably contains the most prosperous and contented agricultural population in the United States. The crops reported this year from these sections almost stagger belief, yet are vouched for by unimpeachable witnesses. For instance, Mr. H. Livingstone, whose farm is located about nine miles from Greeley (postoffice, Eaton), makes the following statement: "I had this year eighty acres in potatoes, sixty-five acres in wheat, twenty-five acres in oats, and ten acres in onions. The sixty-five acres in wheat brought $2,600; the twenty-five acres in oats, $1,200; the eighty acres in potatoes, producing 11,000 sacks, at least $10,000; and the ten acres in onions, yielding 400 sacks per acre, an aggregate of from $10,000 to $12,000; giving a total gross return for the 160 acres in cultivation of at least $26,000 or a minimum of $145 per acre. My total farm expenses for the year will not exceed $5,000 and therefore my 160 acres of Colorado and Weld county land will clear me this year at least $21,000, or about $117 per acre. This land's selling price, in general Weld county open market would not exceed $110 per acre, with inclusive water rights and, therefore, the cash return of this season's harvest is more than equal to the full market value of the entire farm itself."

The potato crop of the Greeley district will be between 8,000 and 10,000 car loads. J. A. Hicks had the largest yield per acre, fifteen acres growing 300 sacks per acre. Many farmers have raised from 230 to 260 sacks per acre and the average crop per acre easily reaches 200 sacks. The potato harvest in this district will bring the farmers $2,000,000. Fifteen hundred to 2,000 car loads have already been shipped to Iowa, Nebraska, Missouri, Texas, Indian Territory, Oklahoma and scattering markets.

In this same section there are now six enormous beet sugar factories, costing from $600,000 to $1,500,000 each, three of them having been built this year. Farmers are finding sugar beets almost as profitable to raise as potatoes. The increase in the price of land and the growth of the towns in this region has been remarkable in the past few years.

What has already been done in northern and eastern Colorado is now being done in the valleys and parks of the western half of the state. In some lines of agriculture—fruit growing, for instance—the western slope already beats all other portions of the state. It is safe to say that the three western slope counties of Mesa, Delta and Montrose will market this season an aggregate of $2,000,000 worth of fruit, net money, and that next year this amount will reach $3,000,000.

These sales can be bulkily summarized as follows:

Mesa county, through the Grand Junction Fruit Growers' Association, 600 car loads of summer fruits, inclu-

Sixth—To be sensibly dressed is to give freedom to one's movements and enough warmth to be protected from sudden changes of temperature.

Seventh—A clean and cheerful house makes a happy home.