

Devoted to Our Own Locality—We Labor for Its Interests.

TWENTY-SIXTH YEAR. BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 1903. NO. 37. WHOLE NO. 1295.

Eyes are Priceless



Do you realize the serious consequences of continual eye strain? Priceless beyond all possessions...

The Adolph Enggas Jewelry Co. 226 Grafton Ave., Wabash.

Shetland Floss. The Best Line of HOSIERY in Town. OUTING FLANNELS. IN SHOES.

V. NIXON A. R. PARKS Dealer in Fresh, Salt and Smoked Meats.

MEATS OYSTERS, GAME and VEGETABLES all kinds in season.

D. M. DOTY Dealer in Marble and Granite Monuments. Birmingham, Mich.

A. W. CAMPBELL, Fire and Tornado Insurance and Real Estate Agent.

John D. Riker, M. D. Practice Limited to Eye, Ear, Nose, Throat.

Clarence L. Cowles, Architect. 81 and 83 Chase Bldg. Saginaw, E. S. Mich.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR stops the cough and heals the lungs.

DOES THIS INTEREST YOU?

10,000 Rolls of WALL PAPER—all new designs—at 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12 1/2, 16 and 25 cents per roll. Borders to match at same price as side wall.

F. BLAKESLEE'S BIRMINGHAM, MICH.

BANK OF BIRMINGHAM POWER & SMITH, Bankers Responsibility \$50,000.00

We do a general banking business. Pay 4 per cent on certificates of deposit and also issue Savings Bonds. We have small banks which we loan to depositors.

DON'T BURY YOUR DOLLARS

To plant unreliable seeds is to bury money. It is also a waste of money to pay too much for good seeds. It will be a satisfaction to you to buy fresh seeds of guaranteed reliability...

We handle none but seeds supplied by growers who can be trusted. We shall appreciate your patronage and believe that you will in due season appreciate the quality of the goods supplied.

Whitehead & Mitchell The Druggists' Birmingham

HALF FARE PLUS \$2.00 FOR ROUND TRIP TICKETS VIA Louisville & Nashville R.R. To Nearly All Points in Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, Virginia, North and South Carolina, Tennessee.

Brightening Girl Faces. An experienced housewife suggests that girl faces may be brightened with a sufficient amount of flour of sulphur added to one and a half pints of water...

Junior Navy Plug Union Made Made to Chew IT CHARMS ...TRY IT... For sale by all dealers

Behavior is a mirror in which every one displays his image.—Goethe. Children and fools are always cunning, but clever people never.—Byron.

THE FARMERS' CLUB Was a Success

The monthly meeting of the Troy Farmers' Club was held on Saturday, March 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Wattle. The meeting was most successful and well attended.

The first topic for consideration was 'The Best Reading for Farmers' Homes' and the discussion was led by Mr. Frank Denison and Mrs. Charles Hasel, who each read papers, both of which were excellent in the treatment of the subject. In the general discussion which followed there was much adverse criticism of the fake schemes, quack advertisements, etc.

The next topic was 'What Constitutes an Ideal Community?' Discussion was opened by Mr. G. Marshall, who thought it would be an ideal community where each individual tried to develop in thought or herself a high, moral, social and intellectual culture.

Election Notice.

To the Electors of OAKLAND COUNTY: Notice is hereby given that a contest has been filed and called by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Oakland, State of Michigan.

RESOLVED, That it is determined that it is necessary to order the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors to cause to be printed and distributed to all electors of this county a copy of the following resolution...

AGENTS FOR THE MICHIGAN POWER AND LIGHT CO. These who cater to evil propensities never satisfy the hunger of their passions. Social reformers seldom think it worth while to qualify themselves for their task.

Junior Navy—a lasting charm. Eight low bars are ignored by those thrills little worth—Dr. J. W. H. Life Pills. Millions are always at work, night and day, curing Indigestion, Bile, Constipation, Sick Headache and all Stomach, Liver and Bowel troubles.

School Notes

Bessie Fisher and Seymour Jenks have returned to school after an extended sick leave.

The fifth rhetorical program will be given on Friday afternoon at 2:30. A debate will be given on the subject: 'Resolved, That Education as it is forced upon the young, is both detrimental to health and good government.'

Wilkins McKinney has left school on account of the spring work. Among the out of town visitors at the art exhibit were Superintendent H. H. Mrs. Dr. Avery, Mrs. Smith and several young people from Pontiac.

AT THE THEATERS. Caucis Meetings. To the electors of the Republican Party: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the electors of the Republican party of the town of Troy will be held at the town house in said town or village, on Saturday, the 28th day of March, at 2 o'clock P. M.

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