## To Our Friends.



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We should have a public park. Wm. Hanna has typhoid fever. Thoroughbred Yorkshire pigs for sale at Holmes Grove.

Silo for sale, New, cheap, Holmes Grove, late Harris farm.

Floyd Knapp, of Cleveland, is a guest of his aunt, Mrs. Montgomery. Would you be willing to pay one mill assessment for a public park?

Three thoroughbred Jersey cows cheap at Holmes Grove. W. I. Deer and wife visited Mr. Deer's brother at Gagetown, Sun

Ont., is a guest of Mrs. Charles

a visit with her brother Charles at Danville, Ill, and having a delightful vacation.

Don't forget the flower show at the library room next Saturday at that sember afternoon. Come and bring the flowers and the children.

Let McGlothlin & Heath clean your feathers. When they bring them home you will wonder where they got all those feathers.

Found, a pair of gold spectacles in a case by Mr. Percy Parmenter, Owner can have his property by proving up and paying for this adv't.

Beattie.

Home again after a three weeks' visit among the wilds of Livingston and Shiawassee counties are the Misses Tillie Walker and Emeline M. Mitchell.

Who is it saying, "Why not buy parcel of land for a village park?"
Why, everyone of course. One mill on the dollar of assessed valuation will buy the place.

Howard Carter is now Birming-am agent for the Detroit Free Press as well as the Detroit Journal and

Dr. Fred Crawford starts for To ronto, Can., tomorrow to attend the fair and other attractions—Niagara Falls, and a young—well, and other attractions of some kind.

Mrs. I. H. Wilson returned from fuer visit at Milwaukee, Wis., last fuesday. She reports that the rain there was as wet and as numerous as here in old Oakland county.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Woolridge, who about eight years ago lived on the Stephen Cooper farm, visited Sunday last. Their home now is at

A Rochester lady was highly in-A Rochester lady was highly indignant because she found a small dignant because she found a small fish in a quart of milk she had purchased of a dairyman, Well, no one ought to expect a three-pound bassing the control of the contro

Wanted-By a man and wife Cobb and a few other Birmingham-

R. A. Green & Co , clothiers and

proving up and paying for this adv't.

For Sale or Rent—House on Daines street, convenient to cars, five minutes' walk from postoffice. Call at this office or on Mrs. Flora Reattie. guessed she'd take a package of

Miss Carrie E. Mitchell received a most interesting paper, the Chat-ham Daily News, from Miss Jean L. Cline, of St. Joseph's Hospital of Chatham. The paper contains a fine account of Chatham's history, and shows many views of the beau-tiful little city. Miss Cline was once a Birmingham girl and has a host of true friends here.

Rev. H. O. Parker, former chaplain of the Ionia state reformatory, and once a M. E. pastor here lies seriously ill at his home in De troit, and because of his advanced oout eight years ago lived on ephen. Cooper farm, visited Blumberg and family over last. Their home now is at last. Their home now is at last. by apoplexy. His demise is ex-pected any day, but at the same time it may be many months away

Mrs. John Felder, and granddaugh sheep farm just east of Any, lost a lower farm just east of Any, lost a lower farm just east of Any, lost a lower farmatic ability. Mr. Plumstead the wall while young horse in a severe perienced in collecting the cemes also a fine singer. He was tery dues the officers of the society assisted by his daughter, Miss trott, Hartwellville and Owoso.

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ittle light on the subject?

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanna started last Saturday for a trip up the lake. Before returning they go to Hannock, U. P., to attend the State Sánday-school convention held at that place the first week of September.

Mr. At the R. Y. P. U. business meet-

At the B. Y. P. U. business meethaberdashers, of Pentiac, alvars give your money back if you are not last Tuesday evening, the society satisfied and they want you to meet your friends at their store during the the extensive improvements now in State Fair. Their place of business progress on the church They inend is just south of the court Aouse. See hew ad. Friday evening at the home of the An innocent Royal Oak girl p stor to which all are cordially in-

Nothing but good news continues Push."

To avoid asthma and hay fever the Mack Shain with her mother, Mack Shain with her mother, No. 4 well in the Peninsula Qil Co. To avoid asthma and hay fever the hearts of our oil investors. The Mrs. Mack Shain with her mother, No. 4 well in the Peninshia Qil Co. Mrs. Miles Dewey, is enjoying came in last Saturday and made Petoskeyand all of its many beauties. Not a trace of hay fever or asthma I was then shot and the well filled has yet shown up and the ladies are injoying the best of health and happiness. A. Whitehead is a very busy man cock property came in last Monday these days making real estate deals and made 115 barrefs natural the sold 3 1-3 acres corner Wood. first 24 hours. This makes 25 wells ward and Willow avenues, a part of on this property and not a "duster"

much of value. Several cookies and two jars of canned fruit were taken.

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Belection of officers and payment of dues. Every member urged to be present. Elva Blakeslee, Secy.

Otto Kurth, living near mud and broke his right leg. Dr. Shaw, assisted by Frank Brooks, such as not interesting paper, the Chatham of the Chatham Daily News, from Miss Lean large, and large seems on the chatham Daily News, from Miss Lean large, the chatham Daily News, from Miss Lean that purpose, It is proposed to give farmers a list of these chemical weeds, so that they may be grown for a profit.

All the deputy state game warden have been laid off for the reason that nave been laid off for the reason that there are no funds available from which to pay them. The appropria-tion for their salaries and expenses is exhausted, and nothing will be coming in until the deer hunters begin to buy licenses. This matter does not hit Game Warden Brewster, neither does it affect the county deputies whose salaries are guaran teed by the boards of supervisors In the meantime, violators are doin

things.

Some pretty things and places around our village? Indeed there are. The little park on Maple avenue west. The willow lane posite the park. The beautiful fountain below it. The shrubwith five cents' worth of milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dennis have moved to Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Dennis has been promoted in the D. M. Osborne Implement Co., Detroit, and his promotion causes him to remove to Philadelphia.

Mrs. S. Monro, and daughter, Mrs. John Felder, and granddaughter, Miss. Iva I. Felder, returned home last Friday after spending the promoted in the stitle leg was broken short of just above the ankle.

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Pickel.

Maccabee dance at Big Beaver to might. Rigs will meet the electrical storm. The animal was strucked to weeks with relatives at Bancroft, Hartwellville and Owosso.

"Mittopo" stands for Mitchell's form week or so visit with relatives at Oxford.

Wanted a man for farm work. Apply at once to Ed Ferguson, Birmingham, Mich.

2 Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Lee and son, of Detroit, visited at V. H. Lees Saturday and Sunday.

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The weather thus far has been es- were selected by Mrs. Spencer to pecially favorable for the crop with just enough rain to give the plants a cellaneous parts of the program for rapid and healthy growth. If the theyear's study, with the following unusually long wet period of last these: Women in Politics, American Literature. Socialism and Social Rethe farmers of Michigan will harvest form, Law of Psychic Phenomeny, the biggest bean crop the state has a known of the program of the

Over 3,000 people attended the Famous American Actors, pathy, Our Army and Navy, Men of Business, Up From Slavery, The Munroe Doctrine, Rural Free De-Supervisors' annual picnic at Farmington. It was decidedly a Warnerfor-Governor day. P. Dean Warner, over 80 years of age, gave the open-ing address, and was introduced to the yast gathering as the father of livery, North American Forests and Forestry, Socialism and the American Spirit, Paper and Paper Making. The books are at the house of Miss the next governor. Congressman Samuel W. Smith gave a half an hour of interesting talkee talkee, and about 20 superveors had half M. Baldwin where they will remain till the opening of the club, when an hour or so, mostly "so," telling how they were not expecting to make a speech. Senttor J. C. Burrows was the orator of the day, and Daniel L. Davis was as usual the pleasant, genial grand master

The funeral of Flord Nichols who died in Greeley, Colo., August 18, and whose remains were brought here on Saturday last, was held at the house on Sunday afternoon Rev. M. H. Bartram conducted the services which were listened to by a large number of friends of the bereaved family. Songs for the occasion were sung by Mrs. M. Saltzer, Nellie Randill, accompanist. The little one, aged 1 year, 8 months and Line to Mackinac.

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Some one ransacked Frank Schlasck's house one day last week to such a prolonged spin one processed at the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument, the man who was not used to such a prolonged spin of the instrument of the instru

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