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To Our Friends.

When trading with any of our advertisers please to Birmingham, Pontiac or Detroit will be a great favor to us if you will mention the name of this paper. A word from you at the time of trading, costs you nothing and benefits us greatly. Will you give good and do not?

HOME NOTES

New Advertisements.
H. B. Merritt—Shoes—Pontiac.
Mrs. A. Flynn—Military—Pontiac.
The J. L. Hudson Co.—Clothing—Detroit.
William H. Elliott Co.—Dry Goods—Detroit.
Walter Ross & Robinson—Dry Goods—Pontiac.

Enjoy cigarettes and die early. The census map is now out a rushing business.

Mrs. Guy Taylor visited relatives at Flint last week.

Only three of those desirable lots on Willis street left.

Mrs. Rigelman visited friends at Waterford last week.

Joe Jones, of Detroit, is a guest of Birmingham relatives.

Mrs. Slocum, of New York City, is a guest of her parents.

Bert Jackson of Big Beaver, spent Sunday in town with friends.

Judson Bradley called on Birmingham friends one day last week.

Quite an amount of hay in this vicinity was damaged by the recent rains.

Jack MacDougal is home from an extended visit with relatives in Canada.

E. R. Smith and family are home from Pine Lake after a very pleasant outing.

Mr. Stors and wife of Lansing, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Dan Case.

Mrs. Fred Reynolds, of Detroit, was a Birmingham visitor the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. and Baby Russell, are all at Belleville, Mich., visiting Grandpa Ewing.

Oh! Such lovely, hot weather. The good old summer time is with us and we are happy.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Niles of Rochester were guests of Elmer Munro and wife last Sunday.

We are beginning to have a little weather in which it is not necessary for a fire or overcoat.

Mrs. Mary Poppleton returned home Monday of this week from a trip to Mackinac Island.

Misses Flossie and Anna Staley are guests of their sister, Mrs. Mort Cooper, at Clintonville this week.

Mrs. Flora Williston, of Washington, D. C., is a guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Chatfield.

Miss Maud Berry will play the old maid's part in the Old Maid's Convocation at Royal Oak, July 22.

Esca Hough and son were in town Sunday. Esca is waxing wealthy at Royal Oak in his business.

The Birmingham dancing club will give another one of their select parties at Library hall next Friday night.

Mrs. Clara Andrus and Miss Treat, of Detroit, called on Mrs. G. H. Mitchell the first day of this week.

John Bayley and wife, of Minneapolis, Minn., enjoyed a few days' visit with Zilpha Smith, John's sister.

Chas. H. Schlaack has gone West for business—washing out gold from some rich river deposits in California.

(Hawthorne), of Evanston, Ill., is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hawthorne of Troy.

Miss Mary Wilson, sister of H. C. Wilson, who is a teacher in an Ohio Seminary, is with her brother for a short summer vacation.

Miss Ethel Hubert, of Rochester, also alone visited Miss Nina Johnston here for a few days. The young misses had a delightful reunion.

Dr. F. H. Satterlee has returned to his home in California, having spent the past few weeks visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Annie Cager and two children, Masters Willie and Walter, are all visiting relatives and friends at Saline, Mich., and having a good time.

Mrs. Bartram and daughter Miss Lema are enjoying Canadian life to its utmost while Bro. Bartram is managing to exist while his family is absent.

Mrs. C. Ellenwood entertained a number of ladies at croquet Friday afternoon. Refreshments were served and the afternoon was most pleasantly spent.

Miss John Toms is ill from a light stroke of paralysis. She is better at present and her many friends wish for her a swift and speedy recovery.

Recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Elizabeth Randall, Mrs. Edwin Phelps, of Pontiac, also Mrs. Bird Mattison and daughter, also of Pontiac. Good time for all.

Despite the Mayor's edict against two pistols, fire-crackers, etc., there were 25 deaths and 1,977 injuries reported in the Chicago dairies on the morning after the glorious Fourth.

Mrs. C. H. Hoffman is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Courless, at Deford, Tuscola county. Meantime Charlie is chief cook and kitchen mechanic at the Hoffman residence.

Mrs. Walter Nichols has gone to Farmington accompanied by her son Harry. She was called there by an accident to her father, who fell from a cherry tree. The victim is slowly recovering.

After a ten days' visit with Mrs. W. T. McClelland of Fremont street, Mrs. Anna Benson of Bay City, left to visit friends in Lima, Ohio, after which she will return to Birmingham.

Ross Hutchinson left Tuesday for the far West where he has secured a very lucrative position. The young man has hosts of friends in this place who wish him the best of success in his new departure.

Anyone wishing a lady's bicycle should see Mitchell at this office. He has two left with him for sale. Both wheels are a bargain. One at \$6.75 and one at \$7.00. Call and see them. Both in fine condition.

The tidy waste baskets and the appearance of our streets attest the fact that we have a marshal. If further proof is needed it can be found in the fact that you can speak to the boy without a saucy answer.

It's always about this time of the year that V. Nixon cuts the price of goods in various departments and he is at it just now. He is offering some extraordinary bargains. Look up his new adv't this week and see for yourself.

At the National Republican convention the women alternates attracted much favorable comment. They were educated, cultivated women, many holding the highest places in the social and educational life of their own states.

J. Allen Bigelow, wife and family have been camping out at Cass Lake with the family of Dr. Neff. All were in their summer cottage and the dry hot days passed along with neatness, dispatch and a great amount of colish weather.

Those bustling managers of the Franklin Public Hall association are going to give another one of their popular dances Friday evening, July 29. Dewey's orchestra, so far for the dance and if you want supper you can get it by paying a little extra.

We notice by our exchanges that a majority of our sister villages hold their annual school meeting at this time of the year instead of about school begins in September as we do. Let's get into line and be modern.

Albert Donaldson, of Detroit, called on old friends in town last week. Albert is rapidly recovering from an operation recently performed for appendicitis. His many Birmingham friends are glad that he is able to be around once more.

Mr. Wilson Bray, our newly appointed marshal, is a good official. He looks after everything and we prophecy he will be a good official. Our village is fortunate in securing

his services and the village board is to be congratulated in selecting him. Mrs. Charles N. Lee and son, of Cleveland, are at the Bruce home for a visit with the rest of the family. Mrs. C. W. Bruce was in Cleveland and Mrs. Lee returned with her. Mrs. Bruce has been quite ill ever since her return.

Birmingham's Improvement society secured the placing of waste paper baskets on the street corners, but there is a decided wrinkle in the release of their satisfaction, as the obliging public persists in using the receptacles to put banana skins, too mature fruit and such like in.

We can furnish you with the Detroit Daily Journal and the Eccentric at \$1.50 for six months or \$3.00 per year, providing you live on a rural route. For 90 cents additional you get a fine steel mail box. We will be pleased to take your order any time.

The Banners, of Detroit, defeated the B. H. S. baseball team Saturday afternoon by a score of 10 to 5. Our boys made three double-plays during the game and had the umpire not shown great favoritism they would have no doubt won the game.

A band of Salvationists from Pontiac invaded our town Monday evening and gave a street service that was listened to by a good sized audience. This band of religionists do a great amount of good, and the Lord knows there is ample room for their work right in our midst.

There will be a special service at St. James church next Sunday evening, July 24, at 7:30. Rev. Dr. McCarroll of Grace church, Detroit, will deliver the address. Appropriate music will be rendered. All members and friends of the church are invited.

A monument has recently been placed on the Paul Park's lot in our village cemetery. This lot is not disfigured by headstones—just the one simple stone marks the place. By the request of the daughters, Edla and Bertha the stone was selected and placed by Miss Baldwin.

Birmingham cannot boast of an "Under the Oaks" celebration but it can boast of an "Under the Elm" celebration. Last Monday evening a tablet was placed on the corner of Henrietta and Townsend streets. It was planted over 50 years ago by Henry Olson. It is the most beautiful tree in the village, its shade extending hundreds of feet. The exercises were under the care of the Improvement society and appropriate remarks were made by Miss Baldwin, president of the society. Mr. Rogers and Mr. Field. A reading, "What Does the Plant of a Tree" was given by Mrs. Cooper. The lofty and wide spreading elm stands today a huge monument to the thoughtfulness of Mr. Olson.

The Northville Record says: The "homecoming" welcome accorded the republican nominee for governor, Fred M. Warner, at Farmington, was from the heart sort of an affair that at any mass could well feel proud of. It was not an overly done affair, nor was it all noisy and meaningless. It was a hearty welcome on the part of thousands of admiring friends and neighbors, mingled with congratulations, love, honor and assurances. It was not so much the prospective governor they were welcoming, but it was Fred Warner—the same old Fred, yesterday, today and forever. Next January he will be the governor of one of the greatest states in the union—the greatest state in many respects—and he will be the governor in acts and deeds, as well as in name, and yet to the whole people he will still be Fred—the same genial, whole-souled, sturdy neighbor, with a heart as tender as a chicken's, but with a mind that neither power nor argument can swerve from the path of duty.

As an indication of the amount of cash spent in Orion during the Fourth, it might be noted that the deposits in the Orion State Bank on Tuesday amounted to over \$7,000, and it came from the Amusement Co., the Resort Association and business men in the regular course of business. This was about \$5,000 in excess of the usual Monday deposits.

—Orion Review.

Billy Hawthorne, of Troy, says he isn't ready to turn in this item, for the turkey he isn't through laying yet, but will let it go as it is. The turkey he had come from a neighbor's and has laid 75 eggs so far this summer, and there other circumstances in the case which will be sworn to if necessary. Billy's affidavit is ready when called for by those who are captious.

Railroad Commissioner Atwood has been advised by Mechanics

Engineer Rice of the state commissioner's office, that conductors on the trolley lines do not properly operate the danger switch at the crossings of the steam roads here and in Royal Oak. The commissioner has directed that the signals be held against the railroad trains until the trolley cars are wholly off the tracks.—Pontiac Press.

Loce Pine is a jolly, happy resort for summer visitors. Last Sunday Mrs. Emma Tibbitts hospitably entertained Mr. P. H. O'Brien one of Grand Rapids' most successful and popular funeral directors. Mrs. Mildred Larkie also of Grand Rapids and a good friend of Mrs. Tibbitts has been a guest for a week or so and many of the pretty places around Oakland have been visited by Mrs. Tibbitts' visitors.

A writer to this paper asks for a name for Town Line instead of that time-honored name and E. C. Popleton rises to answer. There is a name, and a good one, too, Adams avenue after that pioneer Seymour Adams, whose sons, Albert and John, still live on the old home-land. The village board in accepting the land as platted by Mr. E. C. Popleton, bestows the name of Adams Ave. on the Town Line and you are there.

Charles T. Smith, who was well known as a contractor and builder in this vicinity, died at his home at the Watkins farm Thursday last week of Bright's disease. He had been a sufferer for a long time but managed to be up and around and attend to his work up to a day or so before his death. He leaves a widow and two children. He was born at Brighton, Mich., was 47 years old and is survived by a mother, two sisters and one brother. His funeral was held Saturday afternoon under direction of the Masonic lodge to which order Mr. Smith belonged, many Masons from Northville, his former home, being present. Interment in Greenwood cemetery.

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ADDITIONAL HOME NOTES.

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Miss Mabel Pearsall visited friends in An Arbor last Sunday.

Base ball Saturday between our boys and the Olympians of Detroit.

Mrs. Millie Holmes of Detroit has been visiting relatives in Troy.

Mrs. Louise Debar, of Grand Rapids, spent Sunday with the Buses.

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Early Showing of Black Wool Goods

William H. Elliott Co.

Reduced Prices on Lines of Goods that we are Closing Out, and Advance sale of Black Goods this week should tempt you to come in

BLACK WOOL GOODS

On sale now, crisp new Black Goods direct from the mills. A chance to see what is to be worn for early fall. We invite your inspection.

New weight and weave of Superior Panama Cloth in splendid black, ideal material for pleated dresses for walking purposes. This cloth is made for us and we know it's good. Early price, \$1.00 yard.

Black Reversible Crash, 46 inches, double faced, finely finished and the weight Modiste want for fall gowns. We guarantee it. Early price, 76c yard.

Full weight Etamine in best blacks, beautifully finished; available. Early price, \$1.00 per yard.

Cravennet Pepper and Salt Effects. A cloth 56 inches wide, woves for traveling skirts. Will wear like iron. Early price, \$1.25 yard.

Prize's Popular Sicilian, famous the world over as the best of all off-the-rack suits. 36-inch, beautiful lustrous black for \$1.50 yard.

REMNANTS OF WASH GOODS

Cut Way Down—Prices to Close Out Quickly. We continue the sale of White Goods this week. Now five weeks 12 1/2c, 12c and 10c will buy here.

50c quality Fine Irish Damasks and Colored Muslins in choice designs, only 12c yard.

50c quality in Dress Muslins, a varied assortment of colorings, only 25c yard.

Fancy Cotton Suitings, very stylish right up to fall, cut to 10c yard.

Fancy Cotton Voile, choice designs, good quality, 12c yard.

50c and 75c quality high class Linen Suitings, good assortment, 25c yard.

FOR ELLIOTT OXFORDS FOR LADIES

We are now selling off every pair of Elliott \$3.00 Oxford for \$2.25 pair. No Oxford in Detroit at \$3.00 to \$4.00 a pair are superior to the Elliott. Ours do not slip at the heel or gap at the side. We have taken reservations, every Oxford gone. Remember this, no sale of 100 lots, odd lots or poor styles, but fresh, clean Oxford right from our stock. Only, per pair.

...\$2.25...

WASH GOODS

At closing prices. We never carry over Wash Goods. Excellent quality, light and dark Batiste, cut down to 7 1/2c yard.

12 1/2c and 15c Dress Swiss and Colored Batiste, now 10c yard.

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Fred E. Brooks,

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CHERRILL.

Why Worry About Indigestion When Peppicola Will Give You Relief.

"Why anyone should worry about indigestion and the head-ache in Whitehead & Mitchell's drug store, 'is hard for us to understand. We have been selling PEPPICOLA for several months and in all our experience we never knew a remedy to give such universal satisfaction. If you know of four or five chronic indigestions on the verge of despair for whom today are cheerful and happy, all because of the cheerful effects of a little Peppicola-covered tablet taken after each meal. 'If people would only realize what a wonderful remedy it is and how much good it has done right here in this town, they would not doubt or hesitate a minute. I would not express the great good that I have done in Birmingham and PEPPICOLA has been a remedy for more than 100,000 cases. If Whitehead & Mitchell, Cobb & Cobb had returned the money they would certainly discontinue selling it in their own personal guarantee. Ask your self if this is not true. If you are thin, nervous, worried and in low spirits just cheer up and try a 25 cent box of PEPPICOLA on the druggists say so, and if it fails to give you new nerve and new ambition and new energy, you can get your money back without any question or argument."

HE KEPT A DIARY.

The following memoranda tells short, quick story and warns each and every man to be good and try to be afraid of the cat's paw.

March 1. Advertiser for girl to do typewriting \$1.00.

March 2. Tickets for new typewriter, 50c.

March 3. Mrs. W's salary typewriter, 50c.

March 4. Candy for typewriter, 50c.

March 5. Mrs. W's salary, 50c.

March 6. Candy for typewriter, 50c.

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March 29. Mrs. W's salary, 50c.

March 30. Candy for typewriter, 50c.

AT THE THEATERS.

AVENUE.

Balance of the week "A Lost Paradise" will hold the house at the Avenue theater. The Majestic stock company drawing large crowds at this popular play house and the critics of the daily papers are loud in their praise of the acting of the company. You should take advantage of this opportunity to see one of the first companies on the road.

Next week "Captain Swift" will be presented by the same company with matinees Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Popular prices prevail at the Avenue.

Long Hair

"About a year ago my hair was coming out very fast, so I bought a bottle of Ayer's Hair Vigor. It stopped the falling and until now my hair grows in length."—Mrs. A. Boydston, Atchison, Kans.

There's another hunger than that of the stomach.

Hungry hanger, for instance. Hungry hair needs food, needs hair vigor—Ayer's. This is why we say that Ayer's Hair Vigor always restores color, and makes the hair grow long and heavy. \$1.00 a bottle. All druggists.

WORLD'S FAIR EXCURSIONS

Grand Trunk Railway System.

Pittcon and Sixty day Excursion tickets on sale daily, also seven day Special Coach tickets on Alle Townships and Thursdays of the Grand Trunk Railway. For full particulars inquire of Geo. W. VAUX, A. G. P. & T. A., 139 Adams St., Chicago, Ill.

Night Was Her Terror.

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate, of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. My doctor said I had that if I washed a box of I would cough frightfully and spit blood, but when all other medical remedies failed, I bought a box of King's New Discovery which cured me. I gained 50 pounds." It's absolutely guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, Lung Gripes, Bronchitis, and all Throat and Lung Troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at Whitehead & Mitchell's and Cobb & Cobb's drug stores.

No Py Show.

"For years fate was after me continuously," writes F. A. Gulliver, of Valparaiso, Ala. "I had a terrible case of Piles which was cured by the use of Dr. King's Astringent Ointment. I am now a healthy man and all my troubles are cured. Only 50c at Whitehead & Mitchell's and Cobb & Cobb's drug stores."