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IF YOU WANT ANYTHING IN THE LINE OF BUILDERS' SUPPLIES SHELF HARDWARE REPAIR WORK TIN ROOFING PLUMBING

LET US FIGURE WITH YOU ON YOUR JOB
If you are in want of a Store, Range or Coal Stove come and look my stock over before buying elsewhere.
Oil Heaters from \$2.75 up.

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At Cost
We want to turn some of our Paint into Money, and will sell what we have in one-gallon and one-half gallon cans at the following prices:

Gallon Pails at \$1.25
One-half Gallon Pails at 65c
You can use these colors by mixing and make a priming color and it will give you a chance to buy the highest grade paint at cost.
Quart Cans will cost you 40c each.

When we dispose of the present stock, the regular prices will prevail, but we only intend to carry Paint in quart cans.
Regular prices are as follows:
Gallon Cans, \$1 50 One-half Gallon Cans, 80c Quarts, 40c
We give you OUR GUARANTEE on this Paint.

I. LEE TRUAX

Splendid Bargains
IN
Silk Suits

We have closed out from one of the best manufacturers of Fine Silk Suits a choice lot of Silk Shirtwaist Suits, and offer them with the balance of the same suits from our own stock which we sell at \$30.00 and \$35.00 at \$17.50 each.

WHITE GOODS DEPT
We wired for another case of the Figured Swiss Muslins and they are here. Prices were from 40c to 70c a yard. All now 25c.
One lot of 80 Imported Persian Lawn.....14c
One lot of 35c Imported Batiste.....17c
280 down Shier Handkerchiefs, 7c each.....4 for 25c

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR DEPT
Don't fail to attend our June Sale, and remember our Entire Stock of French Hand-Made Underwear is marked down from Ten to Twenty-five per cent.
The Taylor-Woolfenden Company,
163-169 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

HE'S IN TROUBLE

Dr. J. W. Anderson, of Royal Oak, Arrested on Complaint of Federal Life President.

Dr. J. W. Anderson, of Royal Oak, was arrested in Justice Snowdon's court at Pontiac one day last week on a charge of violating the insurance laws, the charge being preferred by Jasper E. Eddy in behalf of the Federal Life Insurance company, of Illinois. It is charged that the doctor made false statements in his report to the company concerning the examination of Charles J. Higgins, who was insured in the company April 13, 1905. The doctor demanded an examination and the justice set the date for the same on Friday, June 20. He was released on his own personal recognizance. It is not thought that the doctor had any intentions of defrauding the company and that he will be able to explain his his actions in a satisfactory manner when the time comes to do so.

PROGRAMME

"A Gentle Jury," A Farce of One Act
Library Hall, Friday Eve, June 16 Characters.

Cyrus Hatchett, Sheriff.....Earl Jenks, Mrs. Dingley, Forewoman.....Winifred Robinson, Mrs. Prit.....Jennie Purdy, Mrs. Dyer.....Ethel Johnson, Mrs. Small.....Fannie Hubert, Mrs. Fairly.....Mamie Wilson, Mrs. Jones.....Iva Felder, Mrs. Fort.....Mabel Smith, Miss Skinner.....Ethel Roy, Miss Sharp.....Janita Plumsted, Miss Volynson.....Fannie Robinson, Miss Smith.....Irene Cockerline

PLACE AUX DAMES
ONE ACT FARCE
Juliet.....Helen T. Hubert, Lydia.....Mrs. Rufus Crossman, Portia.....Mrs. Dickinson, Ophelia.....Mary C. Hubert

Dancing, Gentlemen, 50c extra.

AT THE THEATERS.

AVENUE.
The Avenue theater is closed until early in August and the management extends its thanks to the public for the hearty support given and hopes to see old faces and new ones, too, when the playhouse doors again swing open.

LYCUM.
The highly successful season of summer stock at the Lyceum will close with the "Glass Company's" revival of "Friends," which goes on next week. It is a dramatic comedy of strong heart interest and a story of great love, a great friendship and a great sacrifice. It is a play that teaches a lesson to old and young and every person in this place who can, should grasp the opportunity to see it.

RECOGNITION OF A WORTHY CITIZEN.
One day last week our good friend Dr. J. L. Campbell, of this village, received a telegram from Gov. Warner that he had appointed him a member of the State Board of Medical Registration. The doctor's term of office begins Oct. 1, and his salary will be \$10 per day and expenses. As the appointment was entirely unsolicited and therefore unexpected, the worthy doctor nearly had a spell when the telegram was handed him. Dr. Campbell has just cause to be proud of his appointment. Detroit has 25 M. D.'s who had pulled every string and worked every wire for this position. Pontiac had three candidates and altogether there were 250 applicants from whom to choose. Birmingham was in the Governor's eye, and Dr. J. L. must have been in his heart. We heartily endorse the appointment. Dr. Campbell has already received a hearty letter of welcome from the secretary of the board. There are ten members of this board selected from all parts of the state. Dr. J. L. Campbell succeeded Dr. Henry B. Landon, of Bay City, whose appointment by Gov. Warner the Senate refused to endorse. Our M. D. is a graduate of the University of Michigan, and has been a U. S. pension examiner for 15 years.

No Secret About It.
It is no secret, that for Cuts, Burns, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Sore Eyes, Boils, etc., nothing so effective as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's a wonder how long it has been so used, and it is all O. K. for sore eyes, etc. Write D. L. Gregory, of Hope, to get a copy of "Whithead & Mitchell's" and Cobb's "Cobb's" etc.

Hint for the Bride.
According to the government statistician of New South Wales, when a woman marries at the age of 20 she may expect to have five children, at the age of 23 three children, at the age of 32 two children, and at the age of 37 one child.

BRIGHT PUPILS

What They Say About How to Make the Town More Beautiful--Four Essays.

The following is a sample of essays written by the pupils of the 6th, 7th and 8th grades on "How to Make Our Village More Beautiful." There were 60 essays in all and only a few failed to mention the thing most needed--a free public library reading room.

SIXTH GRADE.
Make a drive from the sawmill along the creek to the power house, and fix it up with shrubbery and flowers; also make a park in the woods opposite the power house. Keep the streets clean of papers, banana peels, weeds, etc. Have a sprinkler in the summer to keep the dust down. Have a curb. Another good thing is a public library. Organize a Birmingham civic league. Paint the public buildings. Have a waiting room for those who take the electric cars and keep the grass mown about town.

If anyone should ask me how to improve the town I would say keep your yards clean, also the streets, plant nice flowers on the corners and do not run across people's lawns. Don't tear papers up and throw them away, but put them in the waste paper baskets. When you get candy, peanuts and gum don't throw the papers away, but put them in the baskets on the corners. Take the signs off the telephone poles, if they are tin bury them, if they are postboard burn them, and don't throw papers on the school grounds or the professor will get after you. Plant shade trees for some poor widow who cannot do it herself.

SIXTH GRADE.
Most people are not planning how they can make their persons more beautiful. Now, why not put us on ourselves and more on the outside, for instance, out doors in their yards and on their houses. Some people think when they get their houses painted they look nice enough, but there are still things that can be done to further improve them. You can put some green vines on one side of the house and they will look very nice. Perhaps some people don't like flowers, but they can set out different kinds of trees; if they don't care for trees they will find that the green grass itself looks very nice when properly cared for with a lawn mower. There are some people who have fence rails they would paint them snow white and put up window boxes with green vines hanging over the edges. They will find their places very much improved. A window box in the postoffice would look very nice.

SIXTH GRADE.
Put a nice fence back of the Birmingham high school. Fill in with dirt on the east side of the postoffice and sow it with lawn grass; put a flower bed in the middle and keep it well mown. Take down the old James house. Build a sidewalk to the Birmingham hotel house and put a seat at the foot of Willow avenue.

ALBERT L. LEE.
No idle curiosity drew a large group of people to Southfield cemetery on Tuesday of last week. They had gathered as old friends and neighbors to mingle their tears, for Albert L. Lee had been "gathered to his father's rest" on Saturday morning, June 3, without a moment's warning the summons came. Instantly he obeyed, dropping his tools on the old Edison plant where he was working, and likewise dropping the pen with which he was signing a letter to that minute. His head sank forward, and apparently without a pain he was gone.

On the following Tuesday morning the home on Campbell Ave., Detroit, was filled with sympathetic friends and neighbors. The air was heavy with the odor of roses and lilacs--a token of the grief which had overtaken Mr. Lee. A profusion of beautiful flowers was banded on stands and about the casket, which was under the Congressional church which he attended. "Lead Kindly Light," "Sometime We'll Understand," "I'm Glad to See You," and the pastor, Rev. John F. Berry, spoke of Mr. Lee as a true friend, a generous and sympathetic friend, a devoted father. The remains were then borne to the car by six of his nephews, and in a moment they were seated accompanied them to Sand Hill.

Here the kindness of old neighbors and friends was shown. With one accord they came with condolences and drove over to the Southfield cemetery all who were there. His kindness was so cordially and intelligently managed was greatly appreciated. The generous help and sympathy shown on all sides have been a great comfort to the bereaved family and they are grateful.

FAMILY RE-UNION

27th Annual Event at the Home of Levi Campbell Near Royal Oak, Friday--51 People Present.

The 27th annual re-union of the Campbell family was held at the home of Levi Campbell, near Royal Oak, last Friday. Each year on the 9th of June, the wedding anniversary of Welcome and Mary Campbell, the family meets at the home of one of the five brothers and three sisters. There are 67 in the family, representing four generations. Dr. J. L. Campbell and Justice A. W. Campbell, of this village, are members of this family. The following are the names of the family present at Friday's re-union: Levi Campbell, Levi Campbell, Jr., and 51 other family members.

Dying of Famine
In its torments, like dying of consumption. The progress of consumption, from the beginning to the end, is a long torture, both to victims and friends. "When I had consumption in its first stage," writes Wm. Myers, of Coarles, Pa., "I tried all the medicines and I was a good doctor, in vain. I at last took Dr. King's New Discovery, which quickly and perfectly cured me." Prompt relief and success for coughs, colds, sore throats, bronchitis, etc. Positively prevent pneumonia. Guaranteed at Whitehead & Mitchell's and Cobb's drug stores, price 50c and \$1.00 a bottle. Trial bottle free.

Lightning Kills Two Children.
Watson, Wash., special: Charles Cooper, aged 8, and Harry Cooper, aged 14, the only children of Rev. Fred Cooper, were struck dead by lightning while working in an orchard.

SHOWERY

Miss Nellie A. Randall is Blessed this Week with Showers--Not All Rain, Either.

Monday night the Alpha Omicron society of bachelor girls at the home of Miss Mayme Taber and under her auspices gave to their departing friend and club member a Leaf shower. This shower was a dual secret as to its meaning until the night of the gathering when it all came out that a leaf shower is a good thing. The party of young people met and presented in their popular associate a beautifully illustrated book of recipes, which was a beautiful silver fruit dish gold lined, from the Troy Farmers' club of which organization Mr. and Mrs. Wattles are honored members. The house was handsomely decorated throughout with foliage and flowers, the table decorations being gold and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Wattles were married in 1855 by Rev. John Russel, of Troy, at the home of the bride's father, Clark Harris, and began house-keeping on the farm where they have since lived. Sixteen people are still living who witnessed the ceremony, and most of them were present at the Wattles home Saturday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wattles are well known in the vicinity, having been superintendent of the Methodist Sunday-school in Birmingham for nearly a quarter of a century. He is 75 years of age and his wife is seven years his junior. Both are in good health and they may be with us many more years is the wish of all who know them.

MIDSUMMER RE-UNION.
Happy visitors with Mrs. Esther M. Leonard this week: Dr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Leonard and little daughter Mary B., Mrs. J. P. Outwater and Mrs. Mary Outwater all of Ishpeming, Mich. Mrs. Leonard from Pennsylvania, and it is quite a midsummer re-union.

CHILDREN'S DAY

Appropriately Observed in the Various Churches Last Sunday Evening.

The Children's Day exercises at the Methodist church last Sunday evening were of the same high order as in former years. Every grade did itself proud, but the primaries, we think, deserve special mention. The singing was by the school and those that special talent in not lacking in that department of this church. The Sunday-school is a large one and is still growing. These are the words upon the Methodist shingle, "Come thou with us and we will do you good." The church was handsomely decorated Sunday evening and a large crowd witnessed the exercises.

SUMMER EXCURSIONS
via Grand Trunk Railway System.
Toronto, Ont., and return, single fare plus 25c. Going dates June 19, 20, 21 and 22.
Niagara Falls and return, single fare plus 25c. Going dates June 18, 19, and 20, 1905.
Batimore, Md., and return, single fare plus \$1.00. Going dates July 2, 3 and 4, 1905.
Buffalo, N. Y., and return, single fare plus 25c. Going dates July 6, 9, 10 and 11, 1905.

Philadelphia, Pa., and return, single fare plus \$1.00. Going dates September 15, 16 and 17, 1905.
For further information consult local ticket agent or write to GEO. W. VAUX, A. G. P. & T. A., Chicago, Ill. June 8th.

Hugo Task.
It was a huge task, to undertake the cure of such a bad case of kidney disease, as that of C. F. Chiller, of Cherokee, Ia., who writes: "My kidneys were so far gone, I could not sit on a chair without a cushion; and suffered from dreadful backache, head aches, and dizziness. In fact, I was, however, I found a cure, and by 1500 was restored to perfect health. I recommend this great tonic medicine to all with weak kidneys, liver, or stomach." Write to Whitehead & Mitchell and Cobb & Cobb, drugists; price 50c.