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THIRTIETH YEAR.

BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY NOVEMBER 22, 1907.

NO. 30.

WHOLE NO. 1544

JOHN H. WENDELL A FINE CONCERT THIRD OF SERIES A STORY OF '61

Genial John Wendell, Leaves His Summer Home, "Larkspur" With Sad Regrets.

"Larkspur" the pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Wendell is closed for the summer of '07, and its happy owners have returned to their city home well pleased with their season's outing...

The Aria Male Quartette, of Detroit, With an Eccelestical, and a Violinist are Coming.

The Aria Male Quartette, of Detroit, will give a grand concert, at the Methodist church, Tuesday evening, Nov. 25th, '07.

The finest coffee substitute ever made has recently been produced by Dr. Shoop...

Latest Grand Trunk Wreck Occurred in the Birmingham Yard on Saturday Afternoon.

During the past three months the Grand Trunk has had three wrecks within a distance of less than six miles...

The local freight was slowly pulling into this station when a wheel on the fifth car from the front left the rails...

Military Life in the First Michigan Cavalry, as Experienced by the Venerable Dr. H. S. Cox.

Although in my 83d year I attempt to write the following true narrative of my early boyhood...

In August, 1861, the Broadhead Cavalry commenced to gather in at the Hamtramck race course...

Those Lovely Blankets

For cold, nippy nights--Blankets. We have them with all the delicately tinted borders. No finer fleece ever grew on a sheep's back...

F. BLAKESLEE BIRMINGHAM

A Christmas TURKEY FREE. With each Steel Range or Base Burner, purchased from Nov. 18, '07 to Dec. 25, '07...

FRESH GROCERIES

We are the only exclusive Groccerymen in town. Our business is selling Groceries, and our hobby is a Satisfied Customer.

Butter, Eggs and Potatoes Always on Hand

Luncheon Olives. Nibble a few of our Olives at the next meal. You will find that they add a lot of pleasure to the meal.

Cider Vinegar. Our Cider Vinegar is the real thing. Clear as crystal, with a clean, clear-cut flavor that adds a zest to appetite.

Spencer & Smith

Just Because. We have our front door barred, don't imagine we are not ready for business.

Thanksgiving Orders. We are offering choice Walnuts, Almonds and Mixed Nuts, Cranberries at close figures.

CHARLES J. SHAIN

This Week's Specials. WHITE GOODS DEPARTMENT. Special in Imported Dotted Swiss Muslins--30c quality, 20c; 35c quality, 25c...

CLEVER THIEVES

Hansack and Pillage Harvey Staley's Home Very Early Sunday Evening. Loss About \$75.00

Last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Staley went out to the Swackhammer home, at Cranbrook, in Bloomfield Hills for a Sunday dinner...

NO CLUE OF PURDY

Cattle Buyer Not Heard From Since Left the Soo--Is Believed to Have Been Lured Away.

New light has been thrown on the disappearance of James Purdy, the cattle buyer of Columbiaville, by the discovery that he left Crandall hotel in East Buffalo for Sault Ste. Marie...

OBITUARY.

WILLIAM ERITY. Died at his residence in Southfield on the morning of the 4th of November, his 56th wedding anniversary.

THE LATE WILLIAM ERITY. In 1849 he came to Michigan with his mother and sister and went to Rufus Hunter for his board and clothes...

A Significant Prayer. "May the Lord help you make Buckler's Arnica Salve known to all."

NOTICE TO GAS USERS. A few gas users are still behind in the payment of their bills. Service will be discontinued to those unpaid after the first day of December, 1907.

GARD OF THANKS. We wish to extend our sincere thanks to the masses, choir, friends and neighbors for their kindness...

The Best Laxative for Children. Pepsin, castor oil, and other ingredients...

THE NEW PURE FOOD AND DRUG LAW.

We are pleased to announce that Foley's Honey and Tar, for coughs, colds and bronchitis, is not a drug...

Pneumonia Follows a Cold. Don't neglect a cold. It is the cough, the sneeze, the sore throat...

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Special in Imported Dotted Swiss Muslins--30c quality, 20c; 35c quality, 25c; 40c quality, 30c. For a few days only our \$2.00 quality English Longcloth, \$1.75 a piece of 36-inch James-Town Suitings, sold everywhere at 50c--special price 39c.

Extraordinary Sale of Watches

Elgin or Waltham. 14K Gold Filled. \$12.50. (Actually worth \$20.00)

Spencer & Smith. Luncheon Olives. Cider Vinegar. \$12.50. We have placed on sale 1,000 of these High-Grade Watches.

THE ADOLPH ENGGASS JEWELRY CO.

Opp. Hudson's--22 Gratiot Ave. DETROIT. Established in 1865.

GROUND BONE

Makes Hens Lay. TRY IT. None better than the kind we furnish. Prices right.

A. R. PARKS Everything Good in Meat

JNO. D. RIKER, M. D. Practice limited to EYE, EAR, NOSE, THROAT, PONTIAC, MICH.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION--General. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, do hereby certify that J. D. Riker is duly qualified to practice medicine...