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**ROYAL OAK CHURCH NOTES.**

**FIRST CONGREGATIONAL**—Dr. W. I. St. John, Pastor. Sunday morning service, 10:30. Evening service, 7:30. Sunday school, 9:30. Ladies' prayer meeting, 1:30. P. M. C. S. S. S. Wednesday—Prayer meeting, 1:30. P. M. C. S. S. S. Men's Meetings every other Thursday evening. These meetings are free unless otherwise specially announced. They are addressed by good speakers from various professions and vocations. Frequent announcements of speakers and subjects will be given. All music and songs are cordially invited. All services and meetings on standard time.

The glorious Fourth has come and gone, and we have had a good time and paid the price of it. Seven millions of dollars, a few thousand arms, legs, eyes and fingers, a few lives, scars, bruises, and a few other minor considerations—but then, we had a good time. There was never a god but must have a few sacrifices on his altar. Baal and Moloch and Astartoth all had theirs. The goddesses must have theirs also—Mithras and Venus and Diana; and why not the Goddess of Liberty? But not some one—Uncle Sam, perhaps would do—should have a good talk with the goddess to see if some other style of sacrifices would not do as well for her from stomach. Twenty years of such sacrifice, averted, would furnish quite a good-sized army of able-bodied young men in case of war, and furnish the money to sustain it—but then, we would have had 20 good times in 20 years, and 40,000 or 50,000 disabled or dead men, women and children, and \$100,000,000 are not any too much to pay for so many good times. So let the eagle scream—she is a ravenous bird, and she must have something to eat. Let the Goddess of Liberty have her annual sacrifice. Let us build her a great temple, and after the slaughter is over, let all the people repair to her sanctuary and lay the offering at her feet. All this, unless our Uncle Samuel can induce her to take the fat of lambs, the fruit of the vine, and the product of the field and wood as our obligation. It is our personal opinion that it would be more pleasant and profitable.

"The call of the wild" has again thrown its spell over its children of old, and they are hastening back that the blood of prime man and the simple life may heal the breaches that the artificial life has made. "Near to Nature's heart" we find Nature's rest. But the throbbing heart of industry and the professional life is of the fever type, and casts in the air and chimera forever fast beyond the heated fancy. Kind Nature lays her cooling hand upon the heated brow—the kindest of nurses is she—and by her magic touch, woe

Mrs. David Marland has been very sick, but is now reported, some better. The M. E. Sunday School picnic was held at Palmer Park on Tuesday, the 9th. Edward Tremper and daughter Tena, of Highland Park, visited relatives here Sunday. The assumption case of John H. Baldwin vs. F. W. Clawson has been settled out of court. Florence Hilliard, of Birmingham, is working in the central telephone office in this village. L. Little Erwin took in the excursion to Alpena last week, and reports a most enjoyable trip. Henry Blair, of Orion, visited at the home of his brother Axel, in this village, last week, and reports a most enjoyable trip. Hiram Rogers has moved to Rockwood, where he has a position as freight agent, for the D. U. R. Mrs. Sarah E. Willson left last week for Los Angeles, California. She will remain there for some time. Mrs. Watts and daughter Arna have moved from Pontiac into their new residence in the Dondero subdivision. Dr. and Mrs. Tuomey have moved here from Detroit, into a part of San Sara Hall, for the summer months. Gas Dondero has put in a stock of corn, oats and chicken-feed in connection with his wood and coal business. In a hotly-contested game of ball here on the Fourth, Royal Oak defeated Star's Corners by a score of 13 to 12. James H. Woertzenlyke, the Dutch Prohibition lecturer, is billed for an address: at the M. E. Church here on the evening of July 21. The finishing touches are being put on the new bank building, and in a very short time banking business will commence in dead earnest. Mrs. Homer Ebling went to Toledo, Ohio, Saturday, to see her husband, who is on the lakes. His boat was in that port for a few days. Dr. E. H. East and wife, of Rochester, New York, were visiting their cousins, Dr. and Mrs. Ainsley Smith, of this village, the past week. A. D. Prout, the well-known picture man from Detroit, was in town the past week delivering pictures he had enlarged, and taking new orders. The following are the newly elected officers of Royal Oak Lodge No. 424, I. O. F.: N. G., John Mow; V. G., Charles Murray; Secretary, Henry Wheeler; Treasurer, Louis Storz. Several of our village people went to Pleasant Lake, last week, for a few days' fishing and recreation from the worry and cares of a strenuous business life, and report a most enjoyable time. The farmers in this township are becoming alarmed at the outlook of the oat crop. They state that they never saw oats so badly struck with rust at this time of the year before. They do not anticipate over half a crop. During the summer kidney irregularities are often caused by excessive drinking or being overheated. Attend to the kidneys at once by using Foley's Kidney Cure. All druggists.

back to rest and sanity. New vantage points are gained, and wider sympathies are wrought in those who yield themselves anew to that first unity in Nature. But he who, with soulful eye, traverses hill and plain, and sees in rock and tree, a source for adding gain; has not found Nature's rest—received not Nature's goodness. But carries back to toil increases an added burden. May we ask the Prayer Circle to consider with us for next week the sixth chapter of Second Corinthians? It is the chapter of lights and shadows of Christianity. Let us consider them well. We are sorry to report Charles Hall's quite severe illness. I will mail you free, to prove merit, samples of my Dr. Shoop's Restorative, and my book on either Dyspepsia, The Heart, or The Kidneys. Troubles of the stomach, heart or kidneys are merely symptoms of a deeper ailment. Don't make the common error of treating the symptoms only. Symptom treatment is treating the result of your ailment, and not the cause. Weak stomach nerves—the inside nerves—mean stomach weakness always. And the heart and kidneys as well, have their controlling or inside nerves. Weaken these nerves, and you inevitably have weak vital organs. Here is where Dr. Shoop's Restorative has made its fame. No other remedy even claims to treat the "inside nerves." Also for bleating, biliousness, bad breath or complexion, use Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Write me today for sample and free book. Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis. The Restorative is sold by Charles J. Shain.

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We Will Begin Our Semi-Annual

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BOYS' CLOTHING	GIRLS' DRESSES	DOMESTICS
HATS AND CAPS	INFANTS' WEAR	ART LINENS
MILLINERY	MEN'S SHOES	JEWELRY
LADIES' SUITS	WOMEN'S SHOES	LEATHER GOODS
LADIES' COATS	BOYS' SHOES	RUBBER GOODS
LADIES' WAISTS	CHILD'S SHOES	DRAPERIES
LADIES' SKIRTS	UNDERTUSLINS	LACE CURTAINS
HOSE/RY UNDERWEAR	CORSETS	CARPETS
GLOVES/NECKWEAR	WASH GOODS	RUGS
FURNITURE	BLACK SILKS	CROCKERY
CAMERAS	DRESS GOODS	GLASSWARE
PHOTO SUPPLIES	FANCY SILKS	WOODENWARE
MEN'S SHIRTS	SPORTING GOODS	GRANITWARE
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