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Be flush and your friends are many,
Go broke and they will say, Ta Ta;
While your bank account burns
You will get returns,
When its out you will get the Ha, Ha.

Grain harvest is at hand.

A very wet rain Sunday night.

Pontiac Methodists visited Belle Isle Tuesday.

Master Russell Blakeslee has returned home to Detroit after a two-weeks visit at grand-pa's.

Somebody placed a newly purchased chip-hat in the wrong buggy last Saturday night. The unhappy owner can have it by calling at this office.

Will all persons having books from the library please return them next Saturday evening? The library will not be open in the afternoon till further notice.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Waters of Detroit, automobiled out from the city and passed last Saturday all day with Mrs. Flora Sturman, who is sister of Mrs. Waters. All enjoyed the day and visit very much.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church will meet at the church, Friday afternoon; August 2. 'Tis the 20th anniversary of this society. It was organized under the direction and with the help of Rev. John Hamilton. All of the old-time members and workers are especially invited to be present. All are welcome. Supper 15c.

Mr. Stephen Newman is home again after four weeks of travel. He has seen many sights of wonder and interest. During his absence he visited the Jamestown Exposition, also New York, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, Washington, Norfolk and many other eastern and southern cities. He also made a visit to the battlefields of the rebellion. He saw, and picked out the very spot on the battle-field of Gettysburg, that interested him most, forty years ago and more. He visited Fair Oaks, another spot of war land that once upon a time, was burned into his memory. Taking the trip all in all, Steve says that it was the most important tour he ever made.

Mr. Eugene Carr, who has lived in the family of Mrs. H. M. Young ever since he was eight old, died at her home in this village last week. He was 64 years of age. He was a G. A. R. man, and enlisted in the Twenty-second Michigan Infantry. His death came the 14th. inst. and his burial took place Tuesday, July 16th, at Greenwood cemetery. Paralysis was the cause of his death. He certainly was a faithful friend and helper to the family of Mr. Harrison Young, during his life time, and ever since, he has been faithful to Mrs. Young, and her family. His funeral was attended by his old soldier friends, and the many friends of the family.

Hurrah for J. Allen Bigelow and family! They all, Mr. Mrs., and Miss Bessie, started for Yellowstone Park, Tuesday night last, and will be met by their son and brother; Capt. M. O. Bigelow, about this Friday morning, who will at once give them a mule ride of four miles, to a comfortable little cottage home where they will live a gipsy life for the next ninety days. During their stay the happy party will have ample time and opportunity to explore all over the celebrated Yellowstone Park region, the wonders and surprises, no tongue or pen yet has been able to describe. Good luck to all, and our best wishes for a good time, and a safe return to home and Michigan, when the spirit moveth.

Editor Mitchell takes his hat off and meekly apologizes to the quality people of Ludington, for having spoken slightingly, perhaps very irreverently and no doubt in a careless flippant manner, regarding that thrifty little city's intellectual capacity, insinuating to one lady at least, that the great English actors, comprising the Ben Greet Co. would never, no never! invade so small a town as Lud. The editor now giveth up the ghost, for he read in a city paper, only yesterday, that the great Ben Greet Co. of English actors, were now, yes, very now giving plays at this enterprising city. We humbly take it all back, with hat in hand and a low profound salaam, take it all back, and say to Benjamin, you certainly make no mistake when you strike such cities as New York, Boston, Philadelphia and Ludington-on-the-Lake.

Automobile drivers will soon wake up to the fact that they must slow down while going through Birmingham.

Mr. Andrew Laidlaw of Louisana, is visiting his brother, John Laidlaw and having a right royal good visit too.

Miss Mary C. Hulbert has resigned her position as kindergarten teacher, and has asked the school board to release her from her contract.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bortle had a pleasant two days trip and visit with friends at Port Huron and Sarnia. They went all the way by water and the Tashmoo.

William Brown, township highway commissioner of Bloomfield, has resigned his office. George H. Fowler has been appointed in his place, and is now in the active discharge of his duties.

Mrs. Mary Cole, and daughter, Miss May, of Chicago, are guests of George H. Mitchell and family. They are on their way to New York state, and stop over just long enough to say, "howdy."

Have you a ticket in the oil painting? If not, see Charlie Reynolds at once, inquire about the scheme; it is a work of art, worth $100 and you can get a chance to own it for perhaps one cent, and certainly not over 25 cents.

Any person willing to donate to our Free Public Library, books, subscriptions to periodicals, pictures or any article suitable for Library furnishing, will please communicate at once, with Verona L. Post, secretary of the Library Board.

Our brick-maker is is deep sorrow and gloom. Sunday last on a Northwestern trolley, or a Pontiac car, Mr. Fred Burr lost his pocket-book, containing $32. A reward will be paid for its return. Who will be the first to speak up?

Cleveland is happy or ought to be. Now, we don't mean Grover by any manner of means, we mean Cleveland, Ohio, and why? do you ask. Because, two of our brightest and best ladies are there on a visit. They are Mesdames Thos. A. Ward, and W. D. Clizbe, and both ladies are visiting Mrs. Schmuck, of the Forest city, who is a relative of of Mrs. Ward.

The sub-editor last week depended on the Birmingham correspondence of some the dailies for his locals and must now make humble apologies for errors copied. Services have NOT been discontinued for the summer in the Birmingham Presbyterian Church. Morning services will be held as usual, but evening services have been abandoned till September.

Miss Emma Tibbills, of Lone Pine is pleasantly engaged in entertaining her neice, Miss Grace Riley, of Greenville, Mich., for a few days. Miss Riley is bureau of information, and center of labor interests in Greenville's daily paper office, and is a very popular young lady with a host of home friends. She will visit Detroit friends and relatives before returning to her Northern home.

One day recently we received a short but pleasant call from James B. Cooper and son, Master James, Jr. of Lake Superior country. Both gentlemen were on their way East, where they will visit Boston, New York, Coney Island, Atlantic City, Philadelphia and other points of interest before they return to the copper country of Michigan. They make a dandy dair of companionable travellers. Wish we could go "wid 'em."

Mr. Wood, the R. F. D. carrier, says that the worst road in all the town of Troy, is the piece reaching from Mark Hall's to M. Addison's corner. He further says that the gravel is all paid for to make this stretch of road in a first-class condition, but no one seems to be alive enough to go ahead with the work and see that Troy has good roads all over its entire township. Get busy, boys.

The Buster Brown Sluggers on Friday last defeated the Royal Oak Tigers by a score of 28 no 3. This makes our Sluggers tenth straight victory, having defeated every club that has faced them. The Buster Brown Sluggers claim the 11 and 12 year old championship of the state of Michigan, and no club has yet been able to wrest this claim from them. F. Turner of the Sluggers pitched a fine game striking out 17 against his opponent's 5. His batting record was great, and almost equalled by Lester Purdy, Richard Dewey and Ernest Burtraw.

People who use gasoline in any way will be interested in a "red can" law passed by the last legislature. It reads as follows: "Every person dealing at retail in gasoline, benzine or naptha shall deliver the same to purchaser only in barrels, casks, packages or cans painted vermilion red and having the word 'gasoline,' 'benzine,' or 'naptha' plainly stenciled thereon. No such dealer shall deliver kerosene in a barrel, cask, package or can not painted as hereinbefore provided." The new law goes into effect in September. Paint your gasoline can.

We are pleased to print a letter from ye senior editor, A. Whitehead, who is out on a toot in the great government reservation, the Yellowstone Park, in Wyoming. It is a very interesting description of some the many wonders to be seen there, and he certainly is having an extra good time and chance to see things, and visit with Capt. M. O. Bigelow, of the U. S. regulars, in charge of the Park at this writing. In a private letter to Bre'r Mitchell, he says he does not know when he will be home. He mentioned it once to Mort, and the dynamitic explosion was so hot and sulphurous, that he has not even dared to give it a thought since. He thinks possibly he may come back once in a while for a short call, but between the great fishing, fine hunting, wonderful sight seeing and eagle eyed watchfulness of the Capt. M. O. B. he does not yet see a ghost of a chance to even get started towards Michigan.

Mrs. Katherine Reynolds, of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. O. B. Harper, Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Voorheis of LaPorte, Ind., visited Mrs. Nellie Camp and other friends, the first of the week.

Mrs. F. C. Vorhes, of La Porte, Ind., was the welcome guest of Mrs. Belle Cone, of Woodward ave., recently.

The common council of Pontiac has taken up the dirt question, and has ordered the yards all cleaned. Why not Birmidgham?

A worried reader anxiously inquires: "will this town wait for a few cases of typhoid fever before it orders same of its garbage piles removed?"

The W. C. T. Union will meet with Mrs. Sarah W. Fuller, of Pierce st., on Thursday August 1st., at three o'clock p. m. All who are interested in this good work are earnestly invited to join with them.

J. W. Lee was a welcome visitor, at the pleasant home of V. H. Lee and wife of Brown st. They also recently entertained Mr. and Mrs. F. Wheldon, and their two sons, of 139 Field ave., who came out in their big auto.

Mr. Ira J. Chatfield has lost his 22 foot ladder. The last he knew of it was at the Manse. (No reflections.) If any one knows of the whereabouts of this ladder, speak up at once, and relieve Ira's aching head and his pressing need. Do it now.

The services at the Methodist church were adjourned last Sunday for the temperance sermon, at the United Presbytian church. The M. E. Pastor will be at home next Sunday for all regular services. In the evening he will give impressions of the great convention now being held at Orion.

L. H. Rosseau is home from the East and resting up, after his vacation. His brother gave him a good time in New York state, but when he got him to New York city, then it was, that L. H. just more than threw himself, and now is thankful to be home alive.

Edwin S. George the man who "furs" Detroit, was haled before Judge A. W. Campbell, one day recently, charged with violating our speed ordinance regarding automobiles. He stood mute and will appear for trial, before Hizzoner, on Monday next. Better bring your pocket-book wid'yez, George(ie).

The temperance sermon delivered by Mr. Woertendyke, the great Kansas orator, at the U. P. Dhurch last Sunday forenoon, was largely attended, the congregation packing the church to the doors. Everybody was pleased with the candid discussion of of this important question, by this renowned speaker.

The Probate Judge has still another duty affixed to his list of affairs. Hereafter in this state the probate judge will have jurisdiction in all matters pretaining to the trial and disposition of offenders of the law of the age of 16 and under. In the cities where juvenile courts have been established the outcome has been satisfactory and Michigan starts out in the new experiment under the most favorable circumstances. We have not heard whether the name of the presiding officer will be in changed to Judge of Reprobate or not.

Messrs. Barnes & Chevallier, who are the Detroit Scenery Co., and occupuy the big building in the Randall sub-division, are busy as busy can be, turning out work that is certainly doing much to advertise our little city. Drop curtains for theaters, lecture rooms, auditoriums etc., are being finished daily and shipped continually to all parts of the United States. This is an industry that is comparatively unknown to our people and when the firm gets settled down to business, they will employ more men than any other plant in town, and pay wages weekly, in an amount equal and more than all the rest of the employing firms in our village.

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BUSY SUNDAY IN KANSAS.

A farmer living in Kansas rode to the county attorney's home a few Sundays ago and demanded the arrest of some men who were working the roads, thereby "violating the Sabbath." The county attorney was busy pulling weeds in the garden. He stopped long enough, however, to advise the farmer to go before the justice of the peace. But the justice was fixing his windmill. He was then asked to telephone the sheriff, but that official was loading cattle at the stock yards.

Thoroughly indignant, the man determined to saddle a horse and ride for a constable. But his wife, who was canning fruit, told him that the boys had driven the horses to town, where they had gone to attend a baseball game. The girls, she said, had gone to a picnic. Whereupon the farmer gave it up, and filling a jug with hard cider went, fishing.

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State of Michigan, County of Oakland, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, made on the 10th day of July A. D. 1907, four months from that date were allowed creditors to present their claims against the

Estate of Andrew McBride,

Late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office in the City of Pontiac, for examination and allowance, on or before the 11th day of November next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court on Monday, the 11th day of November next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.—Dated July 10, A. D. 1907.

JOSEPH S. STOCKWELL, Judge of Probate.
(A true copy.)
ROSS STOCKWELL, Probate Clerk. 16jul-16aug

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METHODIST—Rev. W. A. Kishpaugh, Pastor. Sabbath services—Preaching at 10 a. m. and 6:30 p. m.; class meeting at 11 a. m.; Sunday school at 11:30 a. m.; Epworth League devotional meeting at 5:30 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m. Official Board meets first Monday evening of every month. Ladies' Aid Society meets first Friday afternoon of every month. Business meeting of Epworth League last Saturday evening of every month. All standard time. All are welcome to these services.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. W. H. Jamieson, D. D., Pastor. Sabbath service at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m., standard time. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7.

UNITED PRESBYTERIAN—Rev. John W. Good, Pastor. Services held on standard time BIRMINGHAM—Sunday services at 10:00 a. m. Sunday school 11:00 a. m. Young people 6:00 p. m. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 7:00 p. m. Ladies' M. Society, 4th Thursday, 2 p. m. Jr. M. Society, 2d Saturday, 2 p. m. THOY—Preaching 1:30 p. m. Sunday school 2:30 p. m. Young people 7 p. m. Ladies' M. Society 1st Friday at 2 p. m. Come, worship with us.

BAPTIST—Rev. H. P. Welton, Acting Pastor. All services on standard time. Morning service p. 10:00 a. m. Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. B. Y. P. U. meeting 5:30 p. m. Evening service at 7:00. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 7:00 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society 2d Wednesday of the month. B. Y. P. U. business meeting 1st Tuesday of the month. A cordial welcome to every one at all the services.

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