

To Our Friends

When reading with any of our advertisements, either in Birmingham, Pontiac or Detroit, it will be a great favor to us if you will mention the fact that you noticed their advertisement in our paper. At the time of reading, send us nothing and benefit us greatly. Will you be good and do so?

THE PUBLISHERS.

HOME NOTES

Miss Grace Blanklee spent last Tuesday at Regu lake.

Mrs. Carrie E. Mitchell returns to her home in Chicago today. She will take a year of postgraduate work at the Chicago Osteopathic College.

A jolly party of eight young Birmingham ladies were entertained at the City farm last Wednesday. They were all called for and returned in the auto.

School books are sold on such a small margin of profit that each must accompany each sale. No credit therefore will be given.

Mr. Edward Stiffler of Millersburg, Ohio, visited with his father and brother, and other relatives in our town last week and all certainly had a good visit.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church, will meet next Friday, Sept. 6, in the parlor of the church. Support promptly at half past five. Only 15 cts. All are welcome.

The funeral of Mr. Doyle, a G. A. R. man and a fine citizen, took place Tuesday of this week. He lived his whole life north side of the power-house, and was a quiet, fine old-time gentleman.

Lost! At Blackhawk lake Sunday August 28, a lady's amethyst bracelet. Finder will please address Mr. William Brown, R. F. D. 3, Birmingham, and receive reward.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Showell, and Miss Showell were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Showell's brother, J. P. Williams at Four Gables, Windgate Park, Waterford.

Miss Showell gave a lawn party last Thursday evening to about 85 members of the Epworth League of Central M. E. church of Detroit, who came out in the special car, Yoland.

Our long-time friend, Henry Spierig, had some trouble with a cold while leading it last Sunday. After Henry came down on the boat he found two of his ribs cracked, and is just able to drag himself again.

You will notice the announcement of the Royal Oak Savings Bank in this issue—you can't help but read it. This new institution starts out right, and under the most favorable auspices for a long and profitable career.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church will have a Rally day service at the devotional meeting, Sunday Sept. 6, Mr. E. A. Wanless, of Detroit, will conduct the service. He is the secretary and treasurer of Detroit Dist. of Epworth Leagues, and is a very capable and enthusiastic speaker. The League meetings are always open for friends and visitors.

With a waste basket on every corner one would not think it necessary for anyone to throw boxes, bags, papers, etc., on the street, yet, so little pride have some of us, that we do it, even in our cemetery. Those in charge are constantly forced to spend much valuable time, picking up after those to whom no sense of neatness seems to have been given.

Farmers owning timbered land will make a note of this. We have a pointer and know that this is no false alarm. The hoop and stave mill will soon remove from this part of the country, for the reason that the farmers want to loosen up and sell their timber. Elm timber is wanted, and the company is, to day, paying a higher price for the timber they want, than ever known before. When the mill first started they paid \$7.50 per M. Now they are paying \$12.50 per M. and still it is not forthcoming very fast. This is no idle alarm, and if you have any elm timber, that you want its full value, now is the time to say so. When the plant goes it will be a long time, if even a year, before you have a chance to sell your elm for the price they will offer you now. See Millspaugh.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS. DANIEL L. DAVIS says, "No, there must be any supervisor's picnic this year. There doesn't seem to be any demand for a picnic this year, and besides I haven't got the time to attend to it anyway." Mr. Davis originated the supervisor's picnic nearly thirty years ago.

The White Lake Sunday School folks, for a long time had a 1907 calendar hung in their school room and was the pride of their hearts. They discovered last Sunday that it was a big advertisement for a popular cigar and tobacco business. It was promptly turned to the wall.

While mixing a solution of ammonia and other ingredients in his drug store, Arthur M. Young, of the firm of Francis Young and son, of Mr. Young's village, shook the stopper out of the bottle, filling his eyes with ammonia. It caused him severe pain and put him out of business for a day or so. It will take several days, before the victim fully recovers.

One night last week the show home of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Showell of Woodward ave., was captured by about seventy old friends of Detroit, who came out on a special trolley car, which made merry until long into the night. They brought a caterer with them and a bountiful supply of food, things edible and all enjoyed Birmingham night air to their heart's content. The house and grounds were handsomely decorated with golden-rod, cat-tails and Japanese lanterns with their guests. They were all satisfied with their visit.

Once every year whether she knows it or not, Mrs. Caroline Utter has a birthday anniversary. Usually she knows about it beforehand, and this year was no exception to the rule. The 23rd of August, was her (don't let this get out) 86th birthday celebration, and again she was the invited and honored guest of Mrs. Daniel Stewart and family of Detroit. The dinner was a swell six o'clock affair, and fish, frogs and chickens, with all the necessary trimmings had to suffer, followed by a generous supply of ice cream, cake, etc.

The "Cake" of the dinner was a royal affair with the figures "86" in red out top of fine frosting, and the frosting gushed guest had to cut it herself. She did it. Andrew Stewart was present and entertaining their guests, for his daughter, Mary E. was present, and both will long remember the day.

A Hair Dressing

If you wish a high-class hair dressing, we are sure Ayer's Hair Vigor, now improved formula, will greatly please you. It keeps the hair soft, smooth, makes it look rich and luxuriant, prevents splitting at the ends. And it keeps the scalp free from dandruff.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS

DR. J. M. RAINEY, Dentist. Office hours—8 to 12 a. m. 1:30 to 5 p. m. Parks Block, Birmingham.

Dr. Lillian J. Courts, Osteopathic Physician, Graduate of the American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo. Consulting hours, Office hours, 9 to 12 a. m. 2 to 5 p. m. 11c. Mich. Coll. Grad. No. 1035.

Dr. E. O. Millay, Osteopath. Office hours: 9 to 12; 1 to 5. Phone Main 497. 232 Woodward Avenue, Detroit.

August Linen Sale. William H. Elliott Company DETROIT

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Damasks, Napkins, Towels, Crashes, Sheets and Cases, Cottons, Bed-Spreads, Blankets and Comforts, White Goods. Fancy Linens of all descriptions.

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