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ROYAL OAK CHURCH NOTES.  
FIRST CONGREGATIONAL—Dr. W. L. St. John, pastor. Sunday school, 10:30. Ladies' society, 1:30. Men's society, 7:30. Prayer meeting, 7:30. P. M. service, 8:00. Union, every other Wednesday evening. Meetings every other Wednesday evening. These meetings are held at the residence of the pastor. They are addressed by guest speakers. Previous announcements of speakers and subjects will be given in advance. All services and meetings in standard time.

Congregational Church Notes.  
Men are commended usually for their common sense, sometimes for their non-sense. Common sense keeps, but too much non-sense grows stale; but a good quality of it is "relished by the best of men," when not too often repeated. It is salt and pepper to the every day food of life, but a whole meal of salt and pepper is not good for food or the digestion, no more than is all pie or cake. Common sense is the sense that is common, or should be, to all men. It is the commonly agreed upon right rule of action applied to the common sense of civil, social and moral, and is spiritual as well. Do I mean to say there is such a thing as a spiritual common sense? Yes. Why not? Civil common sense is a right rule of action applied to civil affairs. This kind of common sense always conserves. The best interests of the civil or national body, and has in view the best interests of each individual member of it. It is political common sense that has as its motto "the greatest good to the greatest number," with the ultimate aim for the individual of good citizenship. Social common sense is couched in the phrase "doth not behave itself unseemly, and involves politeness, good breeding, and a regard for the rights and feelings of others and a doing unto others as you would be done by. Other action than this is not good social common sense as it carries the individual into pecuniary disagreements, other than the usual and finally isolation as a penalty. Moral common sense underlies all well-being; without it the fibre and strength of life are good. Without it the preceding are possible. The other two without this last, become only this and others that sooner or later will warp and show the true character of the structure underneath. Moral common sense is founded upon the eternal laws of being. Without this foundation the structure of life becomes unstable, and will fall of eternal continuity. It is built upon the stand of seeming to be rather than being. The motto for this sort of common sense is, "To thine own good, true and it shall follow on the night the day, thou canst not then be false to any man." The greatest of these sorts of common sense is spiritual common sense. It is the least understood and least followed. According to our definition of common sense, it is the sense that is common. It is the general acknowledgement of the majority of sane minds that makes up the common sense. There is a general acknowledgement of common sense of a Supreme Divine Being. To bring this God, or common sense of God to a specific, lively, active thing, instead of a lazily defined, inactive acknowledgement is the work of Christianity and of the Christian ministry. Christ had a very definite and specific knowledge of God as an all-powerful and specifically active being. He said, "It is my Father that dwelleth in me. He doeth the works." His specific knowledge of his Father, he desired should become the specific knowledge of his Father to all men. That God was not common to the sense of men was shown when Paul visited Athens. There was an inscription "To the unknown God." They were willing after Paul had declared him unto them. He tried to render him to them as a personal presence and power, a being who would work mightily in them. As God is a Supreme being, the sense of him must be gotten by the supreme method of his being transcends reason. He is the one who cannot reason our life. We have to come to a knowledge of him by an entirely different way and so the common sense motto is, "Have faith in God." The human mind in its right adjustment, can comprehend morally but cannot comprehend spirituality, is the actual life of God. It is imparted to the human soul by God himself. No process of reasoning can tell the method of his coming; "Thou canst not see whence it cometh nor whether it goeth, so everyone that is born of the Spirit." Reason and faith part company at the boundary line between morality and spirituality. No man by searching hath found out God. The spiritual common sense is yet to be, when God shall be the common knowledge of men by his presence in them. No man shall then say to his brother, "Know the Lord for all shall know him." The knowledge then of the Lord shall cover the earth as the waters cover the sea. Remember the motto for this kind of common sense is "Have faith in God."

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John Davis has bought a farm of 60 acres up north and will move there in the near future. John H. Baldwin is entertaining his nephew and wife, of Worcester, N. Y., for a few weeks. The R. F. church society are having their church painted a nice clean white and it makes a big improvement. Mrs. Dr. Powers, of St. Paul, Minn., will make her home with her sister, Mrs. James Harmon, on the farm. Last Saturday Miss Ruth Ellwood was presented with a nice good yard by her parents, and a happy young lady is both.

Mrs. John McCarroll, who is sick at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Henning, is not expected to live. She had a bad spell last Monday night. Miss Rose, of Pontiac, began her school last week, September 2nd, with a good attendance, at the stone school house south of Southfieldburg. At the River Bank farm they are now raising their second crop of black raspberries. Now this is no dream because we had some last Tuesday, and the only fault we had to find was that there were not enough.

At the Northwood Dairy farm they have had the telephone put in, and now all they have to do is say, "Hello, there! What is the market to-day?" Everything goes. R. C. says it is no use living unless you are up to the times. The ditching that was to be let last Monday was started on the east side of D. J. McKinley's farm on the three corners and ran across the road, and through the Killian farm, but the town officers thought the price of the bidders was too high, so it was postponed until next week.

Last week Thursday while Mr. and Mrs. George Fitches were in Detroit, somebody entered their house and took \$25 and a gold ring which was in a little box in their commode. When they returned they found their door wide open and everything turned upside down. They work for William Ellwood. Married, last Thursday, [September 12th, at the home of the bride, John Bell, Jr., and Miss Dudley, of Redford. A lot of very useful presents were received by the bride and groom, and a grand wedding was served. Mr. and Mrs. Bell will reside at the Bell homestead, and we wish them all kinds of good luck.

Adam Reid, aged 84 years, died last Tuesday morning, September 17, 1907, of general debility. He leaves his wife to mourn his loss, and also three sons, Dave Reid of Redford, Peter Reid, of east of Birmingham, and Stewart Reid on the old homestead where his father died. The funeral was held last Thursday at 1 o'clock local, at the house of Mrs. J. C. Clark, at the church, and burial was made in Southfield.

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