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WHOLE NUMBER, 1580

BEAUTY SPOTS

A Contributor Calls Attention to Some of the Attractive Places to Be Seen in Birmingham.

Do you know the beauty apols in your own town? Just look them up. Have you seen Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lambi's fine, lawn, the flowers, and above all, the stump of an old tree converted into a mammoth vase, and aglow with color?
Have you seen our depot grounds?
Sturely Mr. Haines has worked wonders, and every passer-by should give thanks. (One old grower don't want him to use any water.).
Have you noticed the little bright spot in front of the Ford Block? "Tis the work of the Maccabes of the Whrld. There are always blossoms there.

there.

Don't forget to look at the flower bed in front of Warner's bakery. It is a pleasure to buy all the good things to eat, and a pleasure to see the neat store

Front. Some of our city boarders spend hours on the rustic seat by the park—just opposite Lover's Lane, and near the west-end fountain, that is kept in

order by the Eastern Stars.

The pretty bit of color that you see in front of Mrs. O'Connell's is the result of much persistent effort, and is much admired,

much admired,
Down by the U. P. Church is the
geranium bed of the "Girls' Friendly."
Scarce a car passed but that someone
scalains, "Oh, look at those flowers!"
Is there any reason why every church
and every business place—be it store,
blacksmith shop, or foundry should
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ity on all trains August 18. Return

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It Sophia. Marchad Line C M. T. CRANE, Agent.

Beautiful Thought y do you weep?" I relears were in her eye oked up timidly, taken by surprise, through her falling der smile revealing,



David A. Green

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Your support respectfully solicited. Enroll August 29.

Vote at the Primaries September 1

OBITUARY.

MRS. MIRIAN F. BRUSH
Died, at the Noble Sanitarium, in Detroit, July 24th. 1998. Her remains
were brought to Birmingham for burial,
this being her home for very many
years, she having came here when a
girl. Born at New Lebanon, N. Y.,
her fether Samuel Sherman, became

years, she having came here when a Statistic states and Western States and Western States depart rarily very the related states and Western States depart rarily very evening for their tria across Lake Erie. They arrive at their destinations early the next morning and make sure train connections to all points east and west.

On your next trip use the D. & B. Water Way and be fanned by cool lake breezes all the way. Send for pamphiet and Great Lakes Map. Address.

ANNUAL EXCLUSION.

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The pressure of the Principles of the Pr

iltor's chapel, at Detroit, and at the grave, by Rev. W. H. Jamieson, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Birmingham.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

Sermon theme for Sunday morni In the evening union service at Bap-tis. Church. At 6 o'clock will be held

a union young people's service. Topic,
"How We Can Serve the Church."
The Mission Circle meets on Friday
afteruoon at the home of Mrs. G. W.
Crary, and the subject of study will be
, 'China."

ADVERTISED LETTERS

22th. 1908

h. 1903.
George Cusson, 2.
Mrs. Florence Warren, 2.
Mrs. E. Johnston,
Mrs. Mary Milloleiron,
Jessie Robinson, R. e.
TOHN HANNA, P. M.

Feeling Her Way.

Mr. Verarich—Do not do not aniwer hastly. I will give you time to
effect, if you wish:

Miss Beautt—k won't take long,
flow many clubs do you belong to?

Mr. Verarich—Well—er—dye or six,

ut—
Miss Beauti—Then I will be you
ife. I probably shall not see you
ten enough to matter.—Half Huliday

often enough to matter—Half-Huliday.

Not Vibro, Eyencwel

"Higher!" exclaimed the professor
to the endeskyoring singer.

The larger tried to comply.

"Higher, higher!" cried the professor
sor excledity, while the student's voice
quavered dangerounty. The professor
leaned forward. "Higher, higher!" higher
shrieked. "Heavens, man! not your
voice—your eyebrows!"—Judge.

An inducement.
"Is there anything I can do," cried an exasperated West side mother, "to induce you to go to bed?"
"Yep," responded the small boy,

promptly,
"Well, for goodness' sake what is
it?"
"Lemme stay up a hour longer."—
Cleveland Leader.

Ancient Standards.

inbie!"

led, tried to square
anniversary blunder,
and the fireworks

THERE WAS A TIME.



Offer the Voter for Current _ Campaign.

The Prohibition party of, the United States, assembled in convention at Columbus, Ohio, July 15 and 16, 1908, expressing gratitude to Almighty God for the victories of our principles in the past, for encouringment at present and for the confidence of early and triumphant success in the future, makes the following declaration of principles and pledges their enactment into law when placed in power:

1. The submission by Congress to the several States of an amendment to the Federal Constitution prohibiting the manufacture, sale, importation or transportation of alcoholic liquors for feverage purposes.

transportation of accounts feverage purposes.

2. The immediate prohibition of the liquor traffic for beverage purposes in the District of Columbia, in the Territories and all places over which the National Government has jurisdiction.

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establishment of

The creation of a permana

ariff commission.

8. The strict enforcement of law, ustead of the official tolerary.

The strict enforcement of law, instead of the official tolerance and practical license of the social evil which prevails in many of our cities, with its unspeakable traffic in girls.
 Uniform marriage and divorce

nployers' liability act.

11. Court review of postoffice deartment decisions. 11. artn 12.

11. Court review of postoffice de-partment decisions.

12. The prohibition of child labor in mines, workshops and factories.

13. Legislation basing suffrage only upon intelligence and ability to read write the English language.

14. The preservation of the mineral and forest resources of the country, and the improvement of the highways believing in the righteousness of our Believing in the righteousness of our cause and in the final triumph of con-cause and in the final triumph of con-

Believing in the righteousness of our cause and in the final triumph of our principles, and convinced of the unwillingness of the Republican and Democrat parties to deal with these issues, we invite to full party-fellowship all citizens who are agreed with us.

Dissolution of Co-Partnership. Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing be-tween Edward R. Smith, William E. Smith and Frank Hagerman, under the firm name of Smith Brothers & Hager-man, has this day been dissolved by

EDWARD R. SMITH.
WILLIAM E. SMITH.
FRANK HAGERMAN.
Dated Birmingham, Michigan, Julyl
1908.

Sitas Scaver—Uncle Peter White sita Scaver—Uncle Peter White sita a young as he once was, is he? I heen a young as he once was, is he? I heen a young as he once was, is he was not be seen as the state of the seen as the state of the seen as we will be supported by the seen as we will be seen as we he store for a few hours last ever g after doin his chores—an he 87 last May. He ain't th' man wuz.—Puck.

SI Seaver—Wit Snyder mortaged is farm to buy an automobile.

Jem Winrow—Yee, but this winter when the anow was too deep ter ride he used the machine as a stationary present of the state of the state of the state of the state of the wind with the makine; cut feed for the chickens an cattle, and pumped the water to the house. Wit callates he water to the house. Wit callates he are the state of the state of

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