

FRANKLIN

Mrs. Blanche Power, of Farmington, spent last Thursday in Detroit.

Mrs. J. Smith's two daughters from Detroit are visiting her for a short time.

Mrs. Lucile Randall, of North Farmington, called on relatives here on Saturday p. m.

Mrs. Will McKinney, of Birmingham has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Dunbar.

Mrs. B. D. Bigelow and sister Mrs. E. Smith, of Southfield, were Detroit business shoppers on Friday of last week.

Leon German, of Lansing, who has been attending business meetings in Detroit the past week, visited at the parental home last week.

W. J. Durkee, engineer on the Rio Grand railroad, of Colo., is visiting relatives here and will not return to his work until some time in November.

The young people of this village are planning for an entertainment to be given in the near future. Music and games will be in order of the particular evening.

The North Farmington Auxiliary society meets for the month of October at the home of Mrs. F. Nichols on Tuesday of next week for dinner. A good crowd is desired.

Mrs. H. Walstead and daughter, Grace, are on an extended trip through the east and visiting relatives in New York and other places of interest.

Guests at Mrs. G. H. German the past week, G. H. German and S. Hart, of Detroit; W. J. Durkee, of Denver, Colo.; F. B. Chamber, of Pontiac; Mrs. and Mrs. McVidda, of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. DeConick and son Ward, of Orchard Lake.

James VanEvery, Jr., and family are coily settled in their new home in Detroit. Mr. VanEvery will be found at his new place of business on the ward avenue. What is our loss in Detroit's gain. Success goes with their many friends here.

With the approach of autumn comes interesting rumors of different entertainments, one of which we note was a pumpkin pie social at Curtin's hall on Friday evening last. With the good eatables of the Halloween month, the evening was very pleasantly passed.

The new cellar and kitchen add much improvement to C. Cox's home. And now Mrs. Cox says that she will be perfectly happy when it is finished and they are coily settled in their new apartments. May she live long to enjoy it are the wishes of a host of friends.

Miss Amy German has returned from her extended trip through the Rockies, and on her way home visited relatives in Denver, Colo., Kansas City, Mo., and other places of interest. Many glowing and thrilling accounts of her trip to Miss Amy relate, which is interesting as well as amusing.

Mr. S. Hart, who has returned from Alaska, has decided, after an absence of 22 years, not to go back to that far away cold country with its hardships, but will remain here for a while and then take his departure for British Columbia. He can certainly tell some interesting stories of the Yukon and western countries.

Wedding bells have been ringing in our midst and took one of our fairest, Miss Irene Bristol, whose many friends are somewhat surprised to learn of her marriage to Mr. Bassett. Both young people are well known in this village and have a host of friends who wish for them a long and prosperous life on the matrimonial sea.

Many pleasure seekers in the country and at summer resorts have been wending their way homewards. These cold, frosty, autumn days are the signals for the end of the outing season and almost any day you will see them leaving for their winter quarters. Cold days of the past week are a reminder to get busy in preparing for the long cold weather predicted from those who know.

Batem in Wood and Leland Johnston attended the world's series games in Detroit on one of the coldest days of the year of the past week. One of the young men still thinking that summer was in vogue, did not take with him the necessary top coat for the severe autumn day, (although his better half pleaded with him in his behalf to take it). The consequences were a return home with a terrible cold and the shivers along the spinal column. Experience teaches a dear lesson sometimes.

ROYAL OAK

Mrs. Elmon Knowles is quite poorly again.

Dr. Ansel Smith was at Monroe the past week.

Mrs. F. Canney made a business trip to Pontiac Tuesday.

Mrs. A. C. Campbell is visiting friends in Flint this week.

Several new houses are in process of construction in the village.

John Sebor, of Grayling, was in town Tuesday on business.

John John Smith, of Detroit, called on friends in town Monday.

Chancy Hutechin, of Pontiac, was in town Saturday.

Mrs. Jacob Wood, of Detroit, called on relatives in town Saturday.

John H. Baldwin has put a new wind mill on his place in the village.

Miss Rosa Luth, of Birmingham, called on relatives here Sunday.

George A. Dondero was a Pontiac business caller one day last week.

Miss Viola Partridge, of Detroit, called on friends in town last week.

Frank Briggs, who has been in the west nearly all summer, has returned home on relatives in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Canney, of Detroit, were the guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Matrice Collins, who has been quite sick, is somewhat improved at this writing.

H. Ray Russell, of Leonard, called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Russell, Saturday.

Mrs. Sarah Sutton returned last week from Port Austin, where she has been since Aug. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. James E. Lawson and son Gerald, of Armada, spent Sunday with relatives in town.

R. I. P. A.

James Edgar & Son are cleaning up with their fall work.

Happy Phil Lambert was in Detroit last Tuesday on business.

David C. Brooks sent in a potatoe that weighed 2 1/2 lbs. Selah.

Allan Castle has just finished harvesting his dandy crop of sugar-beets.

Stev. Drouillard has his tobacco crop all harvested and in the dry sheds.

Alexander Purdy has his potatoe all dug and in the cellar; he had good help with it.

Dr. H. K. Bryant is kept on the jump night and day attending to his many patients.

George Rusch is pushing his work right along and it will be rest when winter sets in.

D. B. Wilkinson the plumber, last week sold to the Roseland Cemetery folks piping for two wells.

Robert Cromie is just hustling fall work before cold weather sets in and they are all workers at that house.

Thos. Dickinson's fall work is drawing to a close, and he is a happy man, for Tommy don't like cold weather.

They are making crushed gravel roads in the Roseland cemetery and everyone is working—even the boss, Emil Pelkie.

James Campbell is just husking 600 bushels of corn per day for Stanley Todd. Jim is a hustler on husking corn.

Now that F. M. Spicer has his barns and sheds all nicely painted, and says it looks like a small village all by itself.

William Ellwood and sons are doing all their work alone, as Will says: "it don't pay to buy a dog and bark yourself."

Stanley Todd's sugar beets turned out well, and also E. Ferguson's. All harvested in good shape. So much for good weather.

William Hunt is fixing his old tenant house, and his nephew, Herman Kist, and family will occupy it just as soon as the repairs are completed.

James Anderson brought in a potatoe one day last week that raised the beam at 2 1/2 lbs. Sav, ask Mable at the P. O., and she will tell you if it was good.

But, our old friend William Shepherd, south and west of D. C. Brooks just beat him 1/2 pound. So you see 3 pounds scooped Pontiac potatoe raisers all to smithereens.

ALL OVER

George Hill is still very lame. Hickory nuts are being gathered.

A noble woman is the life of a home. Mrs. Will Herbinson is sick with a cold.

Static Bean, of Clawson, is sick with a cold.

The wedding bells will soon be heard in Troy.

Mr. Kolkie, of Clawson, is lame with the rheumatism.

George Hill, of Flint, is visiting his brother Will in Troy.

James Underhill, of Clawson, is lame with the rheumatism.

W. H. Codner had the catarrhal rheumatism in his leg.

A virtuous woman is the best piece of furniture in the home.

Fred Smith has been sick with typhoid but is now on the gain.

Mrs. John Lovell, of Troy, was sick with a cold a few days last week.

Victor James, Troy, lately bought some young cattle from Mr. Smith, of Utica.

Miss Anna Tappin, of Detroit, is staying at Gas Bowman's, near Clawson.

Clarence Krier, of Muir, will move into the Bowers' house, in Clawson this week.

Cards are out for the wedding of Phillip Bailey, of Albuquerque, N. M., on Oct. 20.

Miss Aggie Herbinson is now driving to and from her school. She teaches near Union Corners.

Miss Kittie Hawthorne accidentally burned her hand with carbolic acid, but it is getting along nicely.

Many people from here attended Kern's fire sale, but did not see as many bargains as they expected.

Mrs. Lilla Dawson, of Mable Simpson and Mr. Fryer, all of Detroit, had an enjoyable time at Aunt Sally Duggan's in Troy last Saturday.

BIG BEAVER

Miss Harry Simpson was confined to the house with neuralgia.

James Daly has prepared plans for a fine new and modern barn to be built on his farm.

Miss Daly, of Detroit, accompanied by her guest, Mrs. L. V. Sturgis, of Columbus, Ohio, spent Sunday, at her parents' home here.

Mrs. Burt Shultz has been visiting her sister Mrs. Phillip Schlaack, of Birmingham, for the past few days and assisting Mrs. Schlaack with her family sewing.

The valuable cough drop which belonged to Jerry Simpson, was killed by the cat at Big Beaver crossing Sunday morning, as Mr. Simpson was about to board a south bound car.

Edward Harris is remodeling his house, which, when completed, will be a handsome and modern dwelling. We are pleased to have our people add, not only to their own comfort, but also to the beauty of our little berg.

Warren James is hustling to get his fall work done so that he may be ready when the hunting licenses are issued, to secure one and go north after deer. He will be accompanied by his son and Fred Duggan.

Having leased his farm, Robert Groves will, later in the season, have an unusual large sale of stock and implements. Mr. Groves will retire from active labor and reside among the Bon Tons at Birmingham. Glad of your success, Mr. Groves.

The Ladies' Aid society met last Thursday for a work day with Miss S. Lamb. The ladies are preparing for a sale of useful and fancy articles, they will also serve supper. Our Christmas shoppers will do well to wait for this sale which will be held some time before the holidays, the time not yet decided upon.

MEHITABLE. The wholesome, harmless green leaves and tender stems of a lung-healing mountain shrub give to Dr. Shoop's Cough Remedy its curative properties. Ticking or dry bronchial coughs quickly and safely yield to this highly effective cough medicine. Dr. Shoop assures mothers that they can safely give it to even very young babies. No opium—no chloroform; absolutely nothing harsh or harmful. It calms the distressing cough, and heals the sensitive membrane. Accept no other. Demand Dr. Shoop's. Sold by Charles J. Shain.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION. Appointment of Administrator. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, at the session of said Court held at the Probate office in the City of Pontiac, on and between the 11th and 12th of October, A. D. 1906. Present: Hon. Kiefer J. Beckwith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of AMANDA H. COOPER, Deceased.

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HORSES. Little Marvella Groves accidentally fell from a ladder Tuesday noon breaking one of her little arms. Dr. Anderson was called and made the little one as comfortable as could be expected.

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AUCTION! M. H. BLUNT, Auctioneer. In order to settle the estate of the late Henry N. Lavery, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on the premises known as the HENRY N. LAVERY FARM, 1 mile east of Big Beaver and 5 miles north and 1 mile east of Royal Oak, on

Wednesday Oct. 27. At 1:00 o'clock p. m. sharp, the following described property:

- 100 Bags Hay Tedder 3 Ladders 3 Drains 3 Double Harness 3 Sleds 3 Shovel 3 Spades 3 Two-horse Fork, Rope and Pulleys 3 Disc Harrow 3 Set Platform Scales 2 Hay Rakes 2 Forks 2 Mowing Machines 2 Flows 2 Two-horse Cultivators 2 Roller 2 Lumber Wagons 2 Hay Rakes 2 Drill 35 Acres Corn in shock 90 tons Hay and other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS. All sums of \$10 and under, cash; all sums over \$10, 12 months credit with approved indorsed bankable notes, with interest at 6 per cent per annum. HARRY S. GARDNER Administrator. WALDO BLUNT Clerk.

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COUNTY LINE

Henry Wageman, Sr., is on the gain.

Dean Wilson spent Saturday in Detroit.

Charles Schultz entertained Detroit company Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Wilson were Royal Oak callers Sunday.

Mrs. Maud Beebe, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Jake Ricabus and family.

SOUTHFIELD

Mrs. Joseph Brooks spent part of last week with friends in Pontiac.

Mrs. Bessie Russell spent part of last week with Mrs. Orin Everette.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Brooks, of Detroit, took dinner with V. B. Miller and family last Sunday.

The L. M. S. met at Farmington last Saturday with Mrs. Mary Webster. Eleven ladies were present from Southfield.

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