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**To Our Friends**

When trading with any of our advertisers, either in Birmingham, Mobile or elsewhere, will you please refer to us as if you will refer to the fact that you noticed their advertisement in our paper. A word from you, at the time of a trade, goes a long way in building up a "good name." Will you be good and do so?

**HOME NOTES**

Nice weather on Tuesday.

Regular meeting of O. S. Feb. 10. Ladies' 25c woolen hose at 10c at Nixon's.

FOR SALE—Pair of bill plecker and box, dirt cheap. Will P. Aker. 3c

John N. Heth is away for a week or two attending to his duties as jurymen at the circuit court Pontiac.

Wm. Parks is slowly convalescing. His family are now encouraged and hopeful that he soon will entirely recover.

Attention R. A. M. 93! Special convocation Monday evening, Feb. 8. Work in P. M. degree. J. Allen Bigelow, secy.

The Ladies' Aid society of the M. E. Church will postpone its regular meeting until after the revival meetings. Notice of date later.

David A. Roy's pretty home on Brown street has been wired for electric lights and the work with fixtures are the delight of the household.

Mrs. David Roy and daughter, Ethel, spent a very pleasant time visiting an old friend, Mrs. George Davison, of Detroit the latter part of last week.

John Heth with his snow plow is a prime favorite nowadays. Six for a nickel you can have him and your walks after every snow storm. See him.

Ernest Bailey, the most popular conductor on the D. U. R., has resigned his job and is thinking seriously of moving to the far west, perhaps Seattle or even Sackatchewan.

The Girl's Friendly society will give an entertainment including a one act comedy, on Friday, Feb. 19, at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. L. Hulbert. Tickets are 15 cents and can be obtained from the members.

El. A. Freer makes his bow to the farmers of this vicinity and solicits your sales this coming spring. For three years he was auctioneer for Kolb & Gotfredson's horse sales stable, the biggest dealers in the state of Michigan.

Miss Anna F. Hulbert has resigned her position at Northville high school and on last Friday afternoon her pupils gave her a very pretty little party and presented her with a silver candelabra. She is home now. Reason enough for a resignation.

The women all over the United States, who feel that taxation without representation is just as much tyranny now as it was a hundred years ago, are working to secure the 1,000,000 names on the petition for suffrage that is to go before congress next month.

As others see us. The Holly Herald says: A Pontiac paper states that twelve hundred whiskey bottles have been picked up at Birmingham during the past few days. That's about all most of the population of Birmingham have to do; count whiskey bottles.

This office has just added \$100 worth of new styles of type, English text and script. With our new invention, is now able to turn out as fine and handsome jobs of wedding invitations and announcements as any office in the state. No use of going outside for this kind of work, as employees of this office never gossip about the office work.

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Misses and childrens 50c fleeced underwear for 10c. The Nickel.  
Remember that I always have some money to loan. E. C. Poppletton, Trustee.

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**CHANCERY ORDER.**  
State of Michigan: The Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in Chancery vs. Forest H. Eastman, defendant.

In this case it appearing from the affidavit of Maude H. Eastman complainant vs. Forest H. Eastman, defendant, that he is not a resident of the State of Michigan, but is a resident of the State of Nevada, therefore, Forest H. Eastman, defendant, is hereby summoned to appear in said cause on or before four months from the date of this order, and that within twenty days the complainant cause this order to be published in the Oakland Eccentric, and publication to continue for six consecutive weeks. GEORGE W. SMITH, Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Business address, Oxford, Mich. 16282-0412

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