ROYAL OAK CHURCH NOTES.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL—Dr. W. R. St. John, Pastor. Sunday—Morning service, 10:30; evening service, 7:30; Sunday School, Clara D. Lowery, Sup't., 11:30 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:00 p. m. Wednesday—Prayer meeting, 7:00 p. m.; Ladies' Union, every other Wednesday, 2:00 p. m. Special Men's Meetings every other Thursday evening. These meetings are free unless otherwise announced. They are addressed by good speakers from various professions on a variety of topics. Previous announcement of speakers and subjects will be given. All men and boys are cordially invited. All services and meetings on standard time.

ROYAL OAK.

R. H. Rose and family spent Sunday with relatives in Troy.

Wm. White, of Grosse Pointe, was in town the past week.

C. F. Quick, of Detroit, made a business trip here Monday.

Watson Ketchum was at Rochester last week calling on friends.

Henry Peters, of Chicago, called on friends here one day last week.

Charles Long, of Bay City, made a business trip here the past week.

L. Friedman, optician of Detroit, was in town Monday on business.

John Kishpaugh, of Adrian, transacted business here the past week.

Mrs. Henry Wheeler was the guest of relatives in Detroit over Sunday.

Miss Minnie Hawthorn visited friends in Birmingham over Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Wilson visited relatives in Birmingham one day the past week.

Mrs. Sarah Sutton visited relatives in Birmingham for a few days the past week.

Henry Lavery raised a new barn on his farm in Troy township last week Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Felker, of Detroit, was a guest of her sister, Mrs. A. C. Campbell Monday.

The buildings on the A. C. Porter farm, south of here, are undergoing extensive repairs.

M. J. Carley is in Cheboygan county looking after his farms there of which he has two or three.

Mrs. Miller and Mrs. Hodgon, of Town Line visited at the home of Mrs. Quick one day last week.

Artemus Hutchins, since the death of his wife, has gone to live with his son Chauncey in Pontiac.

W. D. Curtis, rural carrier No. 1, has purchased a new motorcycle with which he makes his rounds.

Mrs. John Schneidt is very sick with pneumonia and Mrs. James Cannon is also reported on the sick list.

Mrs. R. K. Rose and daughter, Mrs. Edgar Burley, of Clio, are visiting relatives in town for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. August Doubler, of Clarkston, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Goodfellow over Sunday.

Dr. Ansley Smith lectured at the United Presbyterian in Birmingham Sunday evening. His subject was, "Patriotism or booze, which?"

Several of the farmers who had their early potatoes planted, will have to plant them over again owing to their rotting in the ground. They might better have waited until warm weather came.

Memorial day will be celebrated here Monday in a manner thoroughly befitting the occasion. The school children and members of the G. A. R., headed by a fife and drum, all the children will carry flags and upon the arrival at the cemetery a short program will be carried out, after which the decorating of the old soldier's graves will be gone through with.

The residence of Felix Shornock, in the south part of the village, was damaged by fire to the extent of $100, one day last week. It seems that some member of tee family was searching in one of the clothes closets for a cat that was supposed to be in hiding there and in some manner the clothes caught fire. The prompt action of the volunteer fire department and citizens with chemical fire extinguishers put the fire out and saved the building from being entirely destroyed. The fire had a good start between the walls before the firemen got there and they had to chop through the wall to get access to the fire.

Kills to Stop the Fiend.

The worst foe for 12 years of John Deye, of Gladwin, Michigan, was a running ulcer. He paid doctors over $400 without benefit. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve killed the ulcer and cured him. Cures fever sores, boils, felons, eczema, salt rheum. Infallible for piles, burns, scalds, cuts, corns. 25c at James W. Cobb's, Charles J. Shain's and James F. Wooster's.

COUNTY LINE

A dance at John Preisels Saturday night.

Fred Busch spent Saturday and Sunday in Pontiac.

Miss Hazel Hardy is working for Mrs. Sam Martin.

Mrs. F. A. Reddick and son, Lloyd, were County Line callers Sunday.

Charles Martin and wife spent Sunday with Sam Martin and family.

Fred T. Wilson and Miss Grace Martin were callers at H. C. Wilson Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Busch and daughter, Edna, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. John Weir, of Birmingham.

If you desire a clear complexion take Foley's Orino Laxative for constipation and liver trouble, as it will stimulate these organs and thoroughly cleanse your system, which is what every one needs in the spring in order to feel well. Sold by all druggists.

R. F. D. No. 1

E. G. Tucker planted his corn last Tuesday.

The Jackson school will close to-morrow, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Middlemis spent last Sunday in Detroit.

Miss Mary Cox will close her school this coming Friday.

Mrs. William Maxwell was in Detroit last week Thursday.

The Misses Anna and Grace Haack were in Detroit last Saturday.

At the Wood house last week, friends from Detroit were entertained,

L. G. Sturman and wife took dinner with E. G. Tucker's family Sunday.

Miss Margaret Young will close her school a Saturday with a rousing picnic.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Buffmyer were guests of friends at Pontiac last Sunday.

Mr. and E. G. Tucker and family took dinner with Earl Beilby's family last Sunday.

Mrs. James S. Cannon is on the gain and is able to sit up a little. Everybody is happy.

Miss Lyra Tucker spent two or three days with her uncle Willie Tucker, of Highland Park.

Miss Minnie Mills of Detroit, is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. J. Hanna, and also Mrs. John Kreger.

Mrs. Peter Hoard and daughter, of Troy Corners, were guests of Mrs. W. H. Buffmyer, Thursday and Friday of last week.

P. W. Young has his house painted and it looks fine, very fine indeed. We think F. W. has the painting business right down pat.

Vina Purdy closed her school last Friday, and RFD1 got a nice big free lunch from the last-day's big picnic at the school-house.

L. J. Haack is remodelling his tenant house in A1 shape, and Mr. Conklin and his force are just pushing the work right along.

At the J. M. Johnson farm, they have got a brand new dinner bell, and the boys now say that they know when to come to dinner.

A Poverty social held at Mrs. Rue VanEverys, and a very nice time for all and a good number was there and all had a merry time.

Mr. and Mrs. Hinze and their son, of Ubly, Mich. are visiting their daughter, Mrs. John Sparling. The son is an R. F. D. carrier at Ubly.

Harry Saltzer will be a Birminghammer in the near future, as he has commenced breaking ground for a new home on Townsend street.

Martin and Rose on the E. L. Parson farm last week planted 16 acres of field corn, and the men are just a hustling thing all over the farm.

At the residence of Carl Bruck, there was a quiet wedding when Mrs. Pegle the bride, was married to Mr. Strick, the groom, of Warren, where they will make their home.

Alex. McClelland a week ago last Saturday had to quit work and come home, and a sicker boy you never seen. At this writing he is able to be out but not able to go to his work but is on the gain.

J. J. Davenport, the metallic bread board hustler is doing a land office business. Up to date he has sold over 700. He is delivering now, and every household should have one. They sell themselves. Just ask Jim for one.

Lived 152 Years.

William Parr—England's oldest man—married the third time at 120, worked in the fields till 132 and lived 20 years longer. People should be youthful at 80. James Wright, of Spurlock, Kentucky, shows how to remain young. "I feel just like a 16-year-old boy," he writes, "after taking six bottles of Electric Bitters. For 20 years kidney trouble made life a burden, but the first bottle of this wonderful medicine convinced me I had found the greatest cure on earth. They're a godsend to weak, sickly, rundown or old people. Try them. 50c at James W. Cobb's, Charles J. Shain's and James F. Wooster's.

R. F. D. No. 2

Dr. Cox continues very ill at his home in Franklin.

Farmers in this vicinity are beginning to plant corn.

Miss Lena Shepherd will spend Decoration Day at Walled Lake.

Miss Ruth Thurber is spending a few days in Birmingham, the guest of her grandparents.

Miss Myrtle Colby has just closed a successful term of school at Wing Lake. A picnic was given on the north shore of the lake on Saturday. Dinner was served to a large crowd, and all had a good time.

The Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the M. P. Church, Franklin, will be entertained by Mrs. Mattie Cummings and the Misses Sly, at Sly Farm, on Thursday, June 3. Cordial invitation extended to all.

All interested in Franklin Cemetery are invited to attend memorial exercises which will be held at Franklin Church on Sunday at about 1:30 p. m. The Franklin Orchestra will be in attendance, and a very interesting program is being arranged.

A pain prescription is printed upon each 25c box of Dr. Shoop's Pink Pain Tablets. Ask your doctor or druggist if this formula is not complete. Pain means congestion, blood pressure. Head pains, womanly pains, pain anywhere get instant relief from a Pink Pain Tablet. Sold by Charles J. Shaw.

ALL OVER

Still cloudy and cool with showers.

Mrs. Ruth Benjamin is on the sick list.

Haying will be about two weeks later this year.

Notice the Amoskeag dennin in the overhalls sold by Codnor.

The dance at John Preisel's last Friday night was well attended.

Mrs. Kolkie, daughter and granddaughter visited here Sunday.

Wm. Glefke, of Mount Clemens, visited his sister, Mrs. Andy Davidson, of Troy.

When in harmony a nice, plain wife, makes a man's home the beauty and joy of life.

Roy Hawthorn lately had 86 chickens from 100 eggs hatch in an incubator. Who can beat that?

Mrs. Glefke, of Waltonburg, has been visiting her children, George Glefke and Mrs. Lizzie Davidson, both of Troy.

Henry Vendt and daughter, of Detroit, have been enjoying themselves for a while with his parents on the farm east of Clawson.

Last week Thursday an invited party for light fantastic toes at George Harsis', of Colerain, was a glorious time. A fine lunch was served.

Last Friday Eva Newman, of Birmham, called at her parental home in Troy. Will Clark, near Union Corners with his father-in-law was in Clawson.

Miss Russell, of Royal Oak, closed her school in the Groves' district in Troy on Friday last with a lawn picnic at Will Lakie's. Plenty of ice cream was served.

Miss Aggie Herbison closed her school at Gilbert Lake for the season with a well arranged picnic of goodies and I tell you everything was fine like unto the teacher.

Everything bids fair for a complete village at Northwood as the surveyors are now platting out the 297 acres of the Clawson farm recently sold to the Hudson Bay Blanket Co.

Albert Lepka of Detroit, corner of Moran and Theodore streets, visited his brother-in-law, Charles Strauss of Sterling, four miles east of Clawson, to brace up in fresh country air.

The Misses Lelnia and Ella Davenport closed their schools in Orchard and Pine Lake districts, with picnics, and Miss Ella gave her scholars a rowing social on beautiful Pine lake last Friday.

An entertainment was given Mrs. McBride, her neighbors, the Lawsons, on the evening of the 18th, inst. Her future husband, Mr. Wortman, was present, likewise Mr. Rodnoe, with his tactics for entertaining company took part in the entainment.

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That if you have been feeling blue and cross all day you can relieve yourself of that burden tomorrow—just take one or two of Dr. Herrick's Sugar Coated Pills before retiring. They cure liver complaint and all stomach troubles. Price 25c per box. Ask for a free sample. Sold by James W. Cobb.

BIG BEAVER

Company at Harry Simpson's Sunday.

Ed. Dongero visited friends in Royal Oak Wednesday.

Dr. W. S. Gass and wife visited friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John called on relatives in Detroit Wednesday.

Warren Allen, of Romeo, made a business trip here Monday.

Mr. Briggs, of Detroit, made a business call here Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hildbrandt last Friday, a boy.

Miss Elizabeth Levy spent Sunday with her parents in Detroit.

H. C. Schaknecht, of Detroit, made a business trip here Saturday.

Miss Fern Harris, of Royal Oak, visited her parents here Tuesday.

Dr. J. M. Burgess, wife and children visited relatives here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fail, of Commerce, visited C. M. Harris' last week.

Miss Lillian Frank and friends, of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives.

Miss Hazel Gibbs, of Detoit, visited her parents here Sunday.

Fred Allen, of Pontiac, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. James Caswell.

Mrs. Andrew Davidson and daughter Carrie, spent last Friday shopping in Detroit.

Mrs. Emma Schultz, Mrs. Alice Wood Mrs. Margaret Wood and Mrs. Maud Colburn, of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dongero Thursday.

A Chicken Fancier,

If he would have his hens look slick and their feathers smooth, must give them a tonic, and in Harvell's Condition Powders we have the best one made. Every ingredient has been chosen for its medicinal properties, and there is absolutely no waste in the package, which is full weight. Obtainable everywhere at 25c per package. J. F. Shear, Beech, Michigan, writes: "I have used your Harvell's Condition Powders for over 10 years, and have always found them just what my horses and cattle needed when out of sorts. They always bring back the appetite. My stock shows the results. Since feeding Harvell's Condition Powders to our poultry they have not been troubled with cholera or roupe, and we get lots of eggs. Sold by James W. Cobb.

New milch cows for sale, a number of fine ones. Can be seen at my farm in Southfield. Address Mrs. Mary G. Parks, R. F. D. 1, Birmingham. jun4

SOUTHFIELD

George Whiting is staying with Volney Miller at present.

Mrs. Joseph Brooks visited J. R. Brooks in Detroit last Saturday.

Communion services was observed at the Covenenter church last Sabbath.

Howard Johnston has secured a position with an automobile company, in Detroit.

Mrs. Becker, of Detroit, spent the week end with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Miller.

Miss Mary Cox will close a successful nine months term of school this week Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brooks entertained their sister and husband from Pontiac last Sunday.

Rev. Livingston will spend the summer in this vicinity and will occupy the pulpit at the United Presbyterian church.

Dr. Miller and wife, of Farmington, called on relatives while passing through Southfield in their new automobile last Sunday.

About 35 young people gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Volney Miller last Friday night in honor of Miss Mary Cox and spent a pleasant evening. Refreshments were served and a general good time by every one.

A book on rheumatism and a trial treatment of Dr. Shoop's Rheumatic Remedy—liquid or tablets—is being sent free to sufferers by Dr. Shoop, of Racine, Wisconsin. You that are well, get this book for some discouraged, disheartened sufferer! Do a simple act of humanity! Point out this way to quick and certain relief! Surprise some sufferer by first getting from me the booklet and the test. He will appreciate your aid. Sold by Charles J. Shain.

CLAWSON

The Log Cabin school closes next week.

Arthur Groves is building a new tenant house.

Charles Baker and family visited in Utica Sunday.

Mr. Underill has sold his horse for a nice neat sum.

Mrs. H. J. Bowers is visiting at Ortonville this week.

Miss Lucy Poole closes her school in Colerain this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Smith, of Ortonville, Sundayed in Clawson.

Mrs. George Baker, of Grosse Pointe is visiting at Charles Baker.

Henry Blair, of Orion, called on old friends here one day this week.

Mrs. Jennie Ebling, of Detroit, called on friends here last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Perkins, of Owosso, is visiting their son, Wm. Perkins.

Mrs. Flavia Hunt and son, Floyd, and Miss Hattie Stokes visited Lake Orion Sunday last.

Miss Mary McBride was married to Mr. James Wortman last Wednesday. They went directly to their home in Milford.

The End of the World,

Should it come tomorrow, would find most people suffering with some pain of either slight or serious degree. Those who use Renne's Pain-Killing Oil get relief quickly and suffer least. Taken internally it will cure colds, sore throat, colic, cholera morbus and diarrhoea. Used as a liniment it cures rheumatism, neuralgia, sprains, lumbago, bruises, etc. Price 25c, 50c and $1 per bottle. Sold by James W. Cobb.

AT THE THEATRES.

LYCEUM.

H. A. DeSouchet's hilarious comedy, "The Man From Mexico," has been selected as next week's offering at the Lyceum theatre. It tells of the incidents that befell a man who, while enjoying a night off, is arrested. The officer is compelled to go to the man's house to make the arrest, and just as he is about to do so the man's wife appears on the scene.

Naturally, the stranger's presence in the house had to be explained, and the husband, on the spur of the moment, tells his wife that he is an old friend with whom he is going hunting in Mexico. "The Man From Mexico" is the first light comedy attempted by the Glaser company this season, and of course allows fresh opportunity for the display of the versatilit of the company individually.

The engagement opens with a Sunday matinee, in addition to which the regular Wednesday and Saturday matinee will be given.

WHITNEY.

At the Whitney theatre, beginning with Sunday matinee, May 30, the stock company will be seen in Jessie May Halls' famous success, "The Princess of Patchess." It is one of those delightful romances wherein we see a little girl rise from poverty to wealth and position, and the plot is one which holds the deepest interest. Miss Clara Bell Prae, who appears in the roll of the little ragged heroine who was stolen from her parents, has a part which never fails to win the audience from her first entrance, when she is seen trying to get home in a barrel after some one has stolen her clothes, through all her trials until the final curtain. The play allows elaborate staging and especially the scene on the old houseboat on the river will attract much attention.

Matinees will be given daily except on Wednesday.

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