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BIRMINGHAM, OAKLAND COUNTY, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY AUGUST 27 1909. THIRTY-SECOND YEAR. NO. 17.

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FOUR BIG UPSHELD AT ORION MACHINE MILKING THE FAIR CROWDS

shoulder, a sprained ankle and a bruis-ed body generally. The fireman es-caped injury entirely by jumping at the right moment. One passenger had a few fingers jammed, that Dr J. Lu Campbell dressed in Shain's drug store. A lady with her baby ran out of a car, forgot the kidlet and promptly fainted away

The family of O. E. Shattuck sitting

The family of O. E. Shattuck sitting on their front porch not 12 rods from the seens of disaster, enjoyed the unusual sight of a spectacular railroad wreek right in front of their own home and they occupying parquete seats, front row on the piale. Immediately after the wreck the telephone office was beesiged by excited and frightened passengers all crazy to their safety. It being Manager Mitch-ell's day at the switch—board, he had more than ten could handle all at once. Local service was intefered with somewhat, and with two exceptions all connections were satisfactorily put up. People were called from phones are the wreek and many came to central to do their talking. They called for friends at Battle Creek, Lansing, Flushing, Flint, Bay Gity, Carson City, Durand, Detroit, Grand Rapids and then some.

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Saturday night last after his week's work yas done, and with his wage in his poket, Ernest Burtraw, a bright young man employed at the drug store of James F. Wooster, was wearily plodding his way homeward, about 1139, when in the deep shade of the arhool-house trees, he was aterally ordered to hait, throw up his hands and deliver up all his cash. He was startled to see an electric flash-light directed to held his ability revolver that seemed to the his ability revolver that seemed to che of his ability revolver that seemed all the same of the start and all. The atung victim saked the whole a seem of the start of his possible of his possibl

Since our last meeting two honored members have gone to their eternal rest - Mrs. Caroline Utter, of Birming-ham, and Charles Miles, of Detroit.

ONE SETTLE-UP.

The talk of the town all last week was the suit to come off Saturday before Justice Campbell bywhieb. W. D. Clibe sued Gay Watkins for ow pasturage to the value of \$10. The nervous strais told perceptibly on our people who waited breathlessly for the mill. Referee W. H. Jamieson settled the trouble, and Mr. Clibbe drew \$5. for his claim paying the costs. Mr. Watkins still thinks he overpaid.

Seared With a Hot Iron, Seared With a Hot Iron,
Or scalided by overturned kettle—cut
with a knife—braised by slammed door
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and kill the pain. It's earth a unstron
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W. Cobb's, Charles J. Shain's and J.
F. Wooster's.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

Sermon themes: Sunday morning,
"The Law of Liberty," In the evening the Union service/will be addressed by Rev. R. Pinkerton, subject Temperance. This is the closing service of the Union meetings.

B. Y. F. U. prayer meeting at six of cleck p. m. Topic, "Home Missions, Our Cosmopolitan Population." Leader, Prancis Salyer.

Pastor and wife, with have been seriously ill, are now recovering, and expect to be in their places next Sunday.

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as a suspect, but nothing towards proving that either of the suspected ones had anything to do with either job. Now then, who is next?

All those who are out late nights are beginning to lug around Colt revolvers. In the control of also at different times interested in the affairs of the village, in a political way, and will be greatly missed in this place, where be has lived for a great many years, and where he had made many friends. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved widow and soon in the loss of a loving husband and father. The funeral was held from the house on Wendesday af-termon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Borsal Oak Commerce.

HIRAM H. BAILEY

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Died at his home in Troy, Tuesday
August 2tth. '09, of old age. High fee
lived until September 6, he wyll di have
been 80 years of age.
Mr. Bailey was one of the oldest pioneers of Troy, landing there from N.
Y, sate when but four years old, and
living there ever since. He is survived by an adopted daughter, Mrs. Jos.
Bowers, of Troy, and one brother, Myron, of Royal Oak. Funeral was held
from his la'e residence Thursday afternon at 1:30 'colock, Rev. Crossofficiating. Burial was in Crooks Cemetery,

By the death of James Leet. at Pon-tiac last Monday afternoon, Oakland County loses another of its pioneers. Mr. Leet was born in this township, spending the greater part of his 61, years here. He received his early ed-ucation in Bloomfield schools and was married here. The funeral was held from his late home Thursday afternoon. Interment in Oak Hill cemeroon. Interment in Oak Hill cen

THE SMARLUP.

Any one deairing to live in a town of thrills should come, to the "loveliest village of the plain," which, of course is sour own little city. The first "Up to mention because of its importance, was the railroad wreek, Sunday evening, about 7:30 p. m, when a big loast of Sunday evening, about 7:30 p. m, when a big loast of Sunday evening, about 7:30 p. m, when a big loast of Sunday evenings about 7:30 p. m, when a big loast of Sunday evenings about 7:30 p. m, when a big loast of Sunday evenings, about 7:30 p. m, whe

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