

FRANKLIN

Miss Angie Irish is attending the Normal school in the Crofoot school at Pontiac.

Lemuel Power and Miss Jessie Soule of Farmington, enjoyed a trolley ride recently.

Miss Newport yields the road in the German dist. School opened on Monday Sept. 6th.

Duffield Bigelow and cousin Ray Gravel of Birmingham took in the state fair one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wood attended the state fair and glowing accounts of a good time in general was enjoyed by them.

Mrs. Whitney Beattie of Port Huron, accompanied by her two young sons have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Bigelow the past week.

The beautiful September days are here and the thermometer is registering summer heat.

Leonard Deming of Grand Rapids, has been enjoying country life with his uncle J. DeConick and family the past week, and will soon leave for his home at that place.

The many friends of Will McKinney of Birmingham, are glad to see him out again, after his severe accident at Pontiac, and all are thankful that it was no worse.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. N. T. Shaw, of Birmingham, and Mrs. and Mrs. Judson Cummings of Holly, are delighted to hear of their safe return from their Western trip.

The announcement cards have been received by many of the marriage of Richard Clark Cummings of North Adams, formerly of this place to Miss Grace Campbell of Hillsdale, Mich.

Many from this place who took in the state fair last week, were Mr. and Mrs. Milton Wood, Mesdames A. O. Danbar, J. DeConick, G. H. German and F. Nichols. A very pleasant time for all.

The many friends from this village of Miss Sadie Sly, are sorry to hear of her recent affliction, and who is at present visiting taking baths at Mt. Clemens to relieve her affliction wish for her a safe and speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Bateman Wood, who took in the excursion to Lansing recently, visited the Agricultural College grounds, and while there met Mr. Leon German, and in company with him went all through the Capitol, and on their return home report a fine time, a day long to be remembered.

David Hart, a former Southfield boy, who has been many years in the far west, has recently returned from Alaska, where he has been for some time, and is now visiting at the home of Mr. Walter Burke, of Detroit, and from that city will visit his sisters, Mrs. Duncan King, of Detroit, and Mrs. George Simmons, of this place. Welcome home! are the best wishes of his many friends here.

Mrs. W. Wood assisted by Mrs. Bateman Wood gave a delightful afternoon tea in honor of their guest, Mrs. G. H. German, on Saturday of week's end. Gift and white china, and red and green floral decorations combined to produce a very handsome effect.

Stuffed Eggs, Hot Potatoes, Tomatoes Home made Bread and Butter, Luscious Peaches and Cream, Hot Tea and Coffee, Iced Tea, Fig Cream.

Letters have been received from Miss Amy German, who is still at Fort Collins, Colo. and is enjoying to the fullest, mountain air and hotel life. Recently she took a 25 mile ride to the Rocky mountains, and passed the day in one of the canons, explored two caves and went a short distance into a third, and on seeing the huge tracks of some wild animal, decided with the party who accompanied her, that they could not "beat it" any too soon. She climbed scaly rocks, saw many beautiful waterfalls, and the scenery was beyond description. She gathered a quantity of luscious wild plums, which are delicious to the taste. She also went to see a herd of elk, and with auto-rides and many other kindred entertainments she certainly is having a grand time.

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ROYAL OAK.

C. F. Quick, of Detroit, was a business caller here Monday.

Mrs. M. Robinson, of Southfield, visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Long, of Howell, called on relatives here last week.

Frank Hall, of Troy, was in on Monday for a short time.

Ex-sheriff Wm. Brewster, of Pontiac, was in town Tuesday morning.

Mrs. W. M. Hall, of Troy, was the guest of relatives here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Maul visited relatives in Hudson county Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lawson, of Arma, visited relatives here last week.

Walter Stiff is so badly crippled with rheumatism that he can hardly get around.

W. E. Prouse spoke and sang at the Rescue Mission at Pontiac Saturday evening.

Joseph Range is in Pontiac attending the circuit court as a juror from this township.

One of our citizens says that he is going to make application for postmaster at the north pole.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Brace, of County Line, called on their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Wilson, Monday.

Theodore Radke, the man of many troubles, had his horse stolen from the pasture Saturday night.

Herbert Anderson and lady friend, of Detroit, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew's parents Sunday.

Mrs. Adam Reid held the lucky number that drew the shoe at the state fair last week Thursday, No. 1449.

Noah Rushworth smashed one of his toes while working at carpenter work last week and is quite lame in consequence.

Wm. Ford, who has been visiting relatives and friends here for several weeks past, has returned to his home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Mrs. Joe McKibbin and her niece, Miss Sarah McKibbin, of Kansas, and Mrs. Wm. Evans, of Detroit, were the guests of James McKibbin last week.

BIG BEAVER

Wedding bells will soon ring here. Charles Quick made a business trip here Monday.

Mrs. Lillian Frank visited friends in Detroit Saturday.

Frank Allen is visiting relatives in Pontiac this week.

Ed. Dongoero made a business trip to Birmingham Friday.

Thomas Lavery, of Royal Oak, spent Saturday on the farm.

Miss Kate Levy visited relatives in Detroit a few days last week.

Wm. Troy, of Highland Park, spent Wednesday with friends here.

Miss Elizabeth Levy visited friends in Detroit a few days last week.

Miss Clara Strong spent last Saturday with Mrs. E. Cross, at Troy.

Miss Martha Ackley, of Detroit, is visiting relatives here this week.

Rudolph Schneider, of Detroit, spent a few days with friends here.

Mr. Hudson, of the National Biscuit Co., made a business trip here Tuesday.

Miss Fern Harris, who is working in Detroit, spent Sunday with her parents here.

Joe Dickinson and daughter Rhoda, of Uly, visited Wm. Pallister one day last week.

Miss Hazel Gibbs, of Detroit, is spending her vacation with friends and relatives here.

School started here last Tuesday with Miss Minnie Easman, of Royal Oak, for teacher.

Misses Carry Davidson and Maud Hertz, of Birmingham, called on Miss Clara Strong last Monday.

Mrs. Rob. Schuller, of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dongoero one day last week.

Wm. Stronz, who has been visiting relatives in Petoskey and vicinity, returned home Saturday after a very pleasant and enjoyable trip.

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Good and McVicar are doing good business with their grinders. They report over a \$100 worth of grinding a week and a steady increase in business. Glad to hear it.

The notorious Sarah Decker is back in town, having been released on her own personal recognizance in the sum of \$300 to appear on the first day of the December term of court.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Williams returned last week from Portland, Oregon, and other points in the west, where they have been all summer. They report having had a very pleasant time on their trip.

A petition for an administrator in the estate of Gilbert M. Newton, of this place, was filed in the probate court at Pontiac last week. In the petition it is stated that the deceased left no estate except personal property to the value of \$100 and a claim against the D. U. R. which has never been collected. There are three children, Dr. Edward P. Newton, of Hamtramck, Mrs. Henry Baehert and Miss Mary Newton, of this place.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Clark and grandson, Louis Clark, spent the fore part of the week with Mr. B. Smiley of Colerain.

John Hadden is remodeling the interior of his home and will remove the old brick part on the west side of the building.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sullivan will attend the wedding of Mr. Chester Cole and Miss Hazel Newman, of Amy, Wednesday, Sept. 15.

Park Cutting and son Frank were among those entertained by the wholesalers of Detroit Thursday. A boat ride and banquet was given the entertainers.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

First State Savings Bank. All Deposits, including the close of business September 1, 1901, as called for by the Comptroller of the Currency.

Assets: Loans and discounts, \$75,000.00; Real estate, \$10,000.00; Bonds, mortgages and securities, \$75,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$3,000.00; Cash, \$10,000.00; Total, \$173,000.00.

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