

# Royal Oak

## Latest From Our Sister Village

Miss Minnie Esemann called on Mrs. Frank Puvoget recently.

Miss Sarah Parker spent Thanksgiving at her home in Clawson.

Attorney C. T. Christie, of Detroit, was in town recently on legal business.

Mr. and Mrs. George Penney spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. H. L. Mellin and daughter, Catherine, are visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. G. C. Tinney left recently for Kalamazoo to visit friends for a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Goodfellow spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Clarkston.

H. S. Gardner and family spent the holiday with Mr. Gardner's parents in Oxford.

Miss Lena Gilbert, of Metamora, visited their aunt Mrs. H. N. Lavery, last Saturday.

Miss Amanda Keller and Caspey Schroff attended a pedro party in Detroit last week.

A. W. Willson and sons, James and Robert, spent Thanksgiving with Mr. Willson's mother.

Mrs. Margie Earley has returned from Chicago where she had been visiting her sister.

Mrs. James Clinton of Detroit, visited her father, Phillip Denen, one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and children spent Thanksgiving with Mrs. Wilson's parents at County Line.

Mr. Jasper Winstonby with C. H. Little & Co. is now settled in his new residence in Poplar Park.

Thanksgiving is past and the next step is Christmas, which by the way, comes on Sunday this year.

Ray Russell, of Leonard, was called home last week on account of the serious illness of his sister Bessie.

Mr. Van Atta, who has been seriously ill in Harper hospital, was able to return to his home last Saturday.

It is reported that Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hawthorne have purchased the James Hill property on Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Taylor, of Grass Lake, were the guests of Mrs. Taylor's sister, Mrs. A. C. Campbell this week.

Miss Winifred Blair came home from Ohio to spend the Thanksgiving vacation with her parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Blair.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Perkins and Miss Margaret Rennie, all of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Todd.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Merrill, Mrs. George Matheson and Miss Helen Weir spent Thanksgiving with relatives at Oakwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Silman and daughter, Gladys, were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. McDowell in Detroit.

The Royal Oak Baptist church Rev. J. Mathews, pastor. Morning service at 10 o'clock. Miss Emma Barnes will give an address on "Japan," where she has been a missionary for several years.

Have you seen Wm. Folland's menagerie of Belgian hares? He has no less than 60 of the bunnies and they are beauties. Mr. Folland derives quite a revenue from the sale of them and he took first prize at the state fair on the ones he had on exhibition.

Miss Anna Hiltzinger, who has spent the five months in the New England states selling the Student's Reference Work, has returned to her home. Miss Hiltzinger will probably spend the winter here and then take up her work again in the spring.

Visitors at the home of Mrs. Quick last week were Mrs. Campbell and little son Carl of Pontiac, Mrs. Hutchins and Mrs. McBride of Detroit, and Mr. John Morse also of Detroit. Mr. Morse, who is a nephew of Mrs. Quick's, was on his way to Hadley to visit his sick father.

Mrs. Will Sullivan is on the sick list.

Mrs. A. Brinkey has been quite sick the past week.

Miss Helen Weir will spend the winter in Durand.

August Weindt and family will move to Midland this week.

Mr. George Hntington, wife and family, of Detroit, were the Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hutton, of Oakland Place.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Penney and children, of Detroit, spent Thanksgiving with their parents Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Penney, of this place.

The supper and sale given by the Baptist Ladies' Aid was a great encouragement to the society, their treasury being the richer by about \$40.

The D. U. R. cars now make a regular stop at Poplar Park for the accommodation of the families recently moved to that rapidly growing suburb.

Dr. F. G. Kennedy and son W. Y., of Detroit, spent Thanksgiving day with Dr. R. H. Kennedy, of Oakland Place, who is a brother of the former.

At a meeting of the school board held last Monday evening a resolution was passed recommending that all children attending school be vaccinated.

Dr. F. O. Brown, of Detroit, will soon commence his new residence, opposite Oakland Place, with the view of having it ready for occupancy about Mar. 1, 1911.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hawthorne postponed their Thanksgiving dinner until Sunday when it was more convenient for their son Lyle and family to be with them.

Mr. Christopher Wrien and family now occupy their handsome new home in Poplar Park. Mr. Wrien is connected with the Great Northern Rubber Co. of Detroit.

Mr. Hough and daughter Lulu of Fenton, with his granddaughter of Royal Oak, also Mrs. Mary Gallop, of California, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Quick last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cromer, of Detroit, were recent visitors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Frank Puvoget. Both Mrs. Cromer and Mrs. Puvoget have been on the sick list.

Many items of interest did not appear in last week's issue because they were received too late. The paper went to the press one day early on account of the Thanksgiving holiday.

E. A. Eastwood, of Chesaning, spent Sunday with S. W. Herald of this place. Mr. Eastwood visited Royal Oak 51 years ago, he says he came here then to attend a trial of counterfeiters.

As a result of the efforts of the Royal Oak Woman's club, sanitary drinking fountains are to be installed in the school building. This is certainly a move in the right direction for there is no greater menace to health than the public drinking cup.

A pleasant family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lewless Thanksgiving day. All the family were present with the exception of George Rush, who was unable to attend. All partook of a fine dinner and expressed themselves as having passed a most enjoyable day.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Marsland on Turkey day were Edward Barney of Market Trel, Ark., Mr. and Mrs. Harry Barney of Wyandotte, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dondro of Grosse Pointe, Mr. Sickman and Miss Caroline Linn of Detroit.

Miss Bessie Russell, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Russell, was taken to Harper hospital Thanksgiving day, suffering from an acute attack of peritonitis. She was operated on as soon as she reached the hospital, at this writing she is still very ill and her condition is considered serious.

Julius Rose has moved into his new house on the pine mile road.

Harry Brace is spending the week with his brother in Chicago.

Robert Jacobs and family have moved into their new home on Curry avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Knowles and son Ralph spent Thanksgiving at Wm. Watch's in Greenfield.

The last meeting of the Tuesday pedro club was held at the home of Mrs. Lapham. The first prize, a silver spoon, was awarded to Mrs. Lapham, the second to Mrs. Esling and the consolation to Mrs. Cassidy.

A card party and box social will be given by the young ladies of St. Mary's church on Wednesday evening next, Dec. 7, at the Storz hall. Prizes will be given for the two boxes bringing the highest price. All are invited and a good time is assured.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Judd, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Campbell, their daughters, Mildred and Doris and Mrs. A. J. Campbell attended the Cheney family reunion, which was held at the home of Hiram Cheney, in Goodrich, on Thanksgiving day.

Uncles, aunts and cousins, 38 in all, were present from Grand Blank, Davison, Goodrich, Hadley and Royal Oak. A bountiful dinner was served, a fine program given and a very enjoyable day spent. May there be many returns in the wish of all who were there.

The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Altana Campbell last Friday afternoon. After a short business session a splendid report of the county convention held at Milford, was given by Mrs. Parmenter. Mrs. Blair and Mrs. Carley are home from Baltimore, Md., where they went to attend the national W. C. T. U. convention. They brought back a glowing account of this great gathering. Surely there is no greater work than that which is being accomplished by the W. C. T. U., for with its various departments it reaches all phases of reform.

### THE LYCEUM THEATER.

"The Wolf," the sensational success by Eugene Walter, comes to the Lyceum for a week's engagement Sunday afternoon for the first, at popular prices, under the direction of Messrs. Stair and Havlin. In "The Wolf" Mr. Walter has gone to the picturesque and wild Hudson Bay country for his characters and locale.

An all star cast presents this play, named after the actor, E. Fernandez, Mildred Hyland, William Crimmas, Thomas Barrough, Roberto Deshon and J. Davis Pendleton is promised. The engagement opens with a Sunday matinee in addition to which the regular Wednesday and Saturday matinees will be given.

### TO BE FOUND IN THE LIBRARY.

Magazines and papers to be found in the public library for the coming year. Harpers Monthly, Review of Reviews, American Magazine, American Boy, Success, Little Folks, Sunset, Technical World, St. Nicholas, The World Today, Pearson's Magazine, Hampton's Magazine, Popular Mechanics, Youth's Companion, Dumb Animals; Park and Cemetery, donated by the Cemetery Association; Deimosator, donated by Mrs. Cooper; Fine Art Journal, Beautiful Homes, Woman's Journal, General Federation Bulletin, The True American, donated by Miss Baldwin; Birmingham Eclectic, donated by publishers.

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## COULD NOT GIVE UP THE GAME

WIFE OF SIX MEN DECLARES SHE WAS PURSUED BY AFFINITIES.

### MARRIES FOUR IN ONE YEAR

Blames Her Predicament Upon Marriage Bureau, the Motto of Which Was: "Try, Try Again"—Clings to Her Little Daughter.

Chicago.—The plea of Mrs. Alice Hobbs-Goodwin-Eckle - Bose-Graham-Young-Hookins as she broke into tears and sobbed a confession in which she admitted having wedded six men, five of them being collected from matrimonial agencies within a year, was that matrimonial agencies had driven her crazy.

"I was pursued by affinities, saw them in the daytime and in my dreams," she said. "It seemed as if there was a continual mist before my eyes and that the only way I could break it was to marry my way through. Yes, I am a bigamist, but I was crazed and did not know what I was doing."

The much-married woman sat in the Harrison Street Police Station and prepared her appeal defense, based on a new plea of "matrimonial madness." She was brought from Medford, Oka., where she was held on the complaint of James E. Young, almost the last of her many husbands. She was apprehended three days after she had deserted Hugh Hookins of Wellington, Kan.

"These matrimonial agencies have driven me to desperation. They used to tell me that if I liked with one man too long he would find me out and that the only safe way was to keep changing."

"At night I used to lie awake and stare into the darkness to see the husbands I had deserted march past glaring at me and threatening revenge. The next morning I would be haunted by the faces of horrible men."



The Much-Married Woman.

She were going to marry me. I told it is all over." She cried hugging closer to her pretty 10-year-old daughter, Olive Goodwin, daughter of her only legal marriage.

"I never took a dishonest doll from one of them and made each of them a good wife while I was living with him. Through it all I have taught Olive her lessons from the Bible and kept her from knowing the awful sins her mother was committing."

"Marriage is the greatest game in the world and leads to the extremes of human enjoyment or misery. Some play it once and, winning, quit the game. Others play it again and lose. It grew on me like a gambling habit."

"When my case comes to trial I will tell the truth and convince the judge that I was not to blame; that I could no more help marrying than I could stop breathing. I will be free soon and take my little girl away. I never want to see a man again."

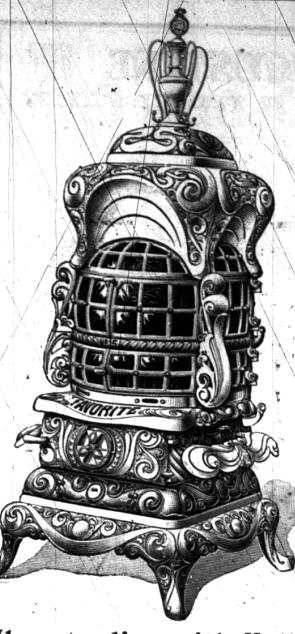
"The mysterious power which the widow exercised over men, despite her unattractiveness, was demonstrated when she stepped off the train from Oklahoma and stood facing Young. The man gazed at her for a minute and then forgot all his threats of vengeance."

"Oh, why did you leave me," he cried as he threw his arms about her. "Why did you leave me when we were so happy?"

Later he reiterated his determination of going into court and demanding that the woman be sent to the penitentiary.

### GIFT COIN LOST 54 YEARS

Woman Gets Quarter When Homestead is Moved, Which Her Father Had Given Her in 1855.  
Greenfield, Ind.—The Pearson homestead, one of the finest houses of 50 years ago, was recently bought from the heirs of F. E. Johnson of this city, and while moving the house a few days ago one of the workers found a silver quarter beneath the floor. The finding of the money was mentioned in a local newspaper and developed an interesting story.



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### ONE THING CERTAIN



"Do you know," shouted the earnest orator, "what to do with the trusts?" "No, but I know blame well what they're doing to us!" said a man in the front row.

Chinese Moon Worship. In China, moon worship still exists and the Chinese say that the man in the moon arranges marriages and ties together with an invisible silken cord the youths and maidens whom he intends to unite; he is evidently the creator of the honeymoon.

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