

The Eccentric

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To Our Friends
Remember-Be There! Michigan
The sweet clover in the Campbell
addition has been mown.

Have you noticed the beautiful
vases in Mrs. J. Allen Bigelow's yard?
Enjoying country air and the best
there is in Troy are Mr. and Mrs. Jas.

Mr. Charles Smith does his best to
keep our streets in good condition. If
each business house helps a little, we
may indeed be a clean town.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Baptist
church will meet at the home of
Mrs. Harvey Carter on Thursday, Aug.
18th.

Pleasant things! One of the many
beauty spots about town is the flower
garden in front of Mr. and Mrs. Rou-

Mrs. Emma Tibbills is the guest of
her friend, Mrs. Mcweeney, of De-
troit. Next week this happy couple
will together visit friends at the flats

Strangers often step into the Eley-
ry to look up something in the Eley-
rylopedia, to look for a place on the
map, to ask about certain books etc.

Lots of new cameras, Kodaks and
supplies just received at Shain's.

Mrs. Blanche Heth left home for
Memphis, Tenn., Tuesday morning, to
begin her duties as book-keeper in her
brother's auto garage.

The funeral of Mrs. L. M. Hubert
took place in Detroit Tuesday morning
of this week. Her many friends here
are shocked at the sad news.

For sale: Eighty well bred
Shropshire sheep, ewes, lambs etc.
Can't keep them with cows. See the
owner, Thomas Cook, Birmingham. 2t.

Miss Blanche Hay of Birmingham,
Ala., is expected here Monday next, for
a visit with relatives and friends in
this vicinity, and enjoy her vacation.

Mrs. George Heatherington and Miss
Lillie Katz of Romney, and Miss Adelaide
Whaley, of Florence, Ont. visited Miss
Maud McDonald, at her home on
Pierce street last week.

Mrs. R. G. Pinkerton slipped and fell
at her home the fore part of this week
and had the ill luck to break a leg. She
is as comfortable as one can be under
such a painful misfortune.

The Girls' Friendly Society have an-
nounced to meet at the home of Miss
Glenice on Southfield avenue, next Monday
evening Aug. 15th, for a Russian en-
tertainment. On the 25th, of August
Mrs. Hulbert will expect the Society to
meet with her.

Mr. Farmerman if you want to be
sure of getting the very best corn-
bind made see H. F. Parks & Co. Either
one of the boys will demonstrate to
your satisfaction that they will sell you
the most compact and best balanced
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ment at Washington. Not long ago he
started proceedings to secure for Mrs.
Alfred J. Adams, a widow's pension. In
less than 20 days she received it.

The Prohibitionists of Oakland Co.
will hold a County conference, in the
Free Methodist hall at N. Saginaw, on
Monday, August 15th, at 1:30 p. m. The
Hon. F. W. Corbett, who led
the Dry fight in Ingham County, and
gave the state a dry capital, will speak
in the M. E. church Tent, August 16th,
at 8 p. m. POSTUMUS HEADQUAR-
TERS, per A. M. Kidder.

Apent the coming Masonic Picnic! It
is important that you use our tickets,
which the lodge can get no credit for
your presence otherwise. Last year
we lost considerable advantage by this
oversight on some. So please use our
tickets. This outing is not confined to
Mason's, this includes their friends al-
so. It is our aim to give every one a
good time and take out ourselves.
Come with us. COMMITTEE.

John L. Keyser is the happiest man on
earth, even when the joke is on
himself, even as it is now. Last week
he advertised old windows and saah for
sale, call at his house etc. Buyers do,
but Bro. Frank Young, ovalocal, one
two old houses adjoining John's has a
good supply stacked up on John's side.
Buyers see 'em, hunt up Frank and
buy 'em. Jack don't expect a deal
until Frank's are all sold out.

Last call for 2nd annual Masonic
Picnic! Don't forget the date. Thurs-
day Aug. 18th. '10. All aboard for Bois
Blanc. Special cars leave Maple avenue
about 7 a. m. standard time with room
for everybody. Tickets can be secured
from Charles Baker, Clara, 1190 South
Bluff, Royal Oak; Chas. J. Shain, Bir-
mingham, Adults, fare, round trip,
from Birmingham, 65 cts. Children,
45 cts. Other points in proportion.

An editor is a cross between early
piety and cranky old age. He never
sweats in a paper without a headache
a dash. He rolls along like a stone
gathering moss until the lambazo
strikes his back. The gathering of
wealth has but a faint hope and shadow-
ing night be' in his mind. He lives
from day to day in the hope of getting
conscience money from his subscribers
who owe him several years of subscrip-
tions, but the subscriber sleeps well
every night while he struggles on and
always having something coming.

MR. ECCENTRIC: Does the law pro-
hibit selling liquor to habitual drunk-
ards? This is the question that our vil-
lagers are asking, as they see night af-
ter night a man staggering home to a
dying mother. Can't our good citizens
do something to protect that home?
CITIZEN. Ana. Citizen don't have to
wait for any one act. It is up to Cit-
izen to move at once and move fast and
quick if he or she knows this to be a
truth. There is a law dead against the
liquor seller in this case.

Many visitors at the coming Mich-
igan state fair, the same as visitors at
our fair or exhibition, will become in-
terested and many will need the services
of trained nurses and possibly phys-
icians. With these needs in view, the
fair management has arranged for a
Red Cross station on the grounds. At-
tention shall be need of rest, and consid-
erable attention can be cared for. A com-
fortable headquarters will be established
by the Detroit Red Cross workers and
there are nurses and attendants who
suffers from too much enjoyment of
the many good things to be seen and
had at the fair can go and be made
comfortable. Careful attention to de-
tail, like the arrangement for the Red
Cross station, make the fair plan-
ning carried out by the fair manage-
ment.

Shain sells camera supplies and cam-
eras just as cheap as Detroit dealers.
Give him your order.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary So-
ciety will meet Friday August 19th, at
2:30 p. m. with Mrs. Eugene Smith. A
ten cent supper will be served. Sub-
ject: Austria. Leader, Miss Colby. Ev-
ery one welcome.

When you want any Notary Public
work, any insurance, all kinds, or you
want to buy, sell or rent property,
come to J. Allen Bigelow, office in Tele-
phone bldg. first floor, from office
phone, 111. Reside at home 75-21.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Kirk, of Akron,
Mich. rejoice very much over the safe
arrival of a son and heir, Aug. 6th. Inst.

Our old friend Stephen Newman, has
a little earlier than the birds this year
gone to his sunny Southern home for
the winter. His friends here all wish
him the best of luck and health for
1910 and '11,--and then lets more.

Mrs. Mary E. Adams and daughter,
of Ann Arbor and Mrs. G. O. Will-
iams and daughter of Rockford, Illa.
are visiting Mrs. John W. Perry and
Miss Chapman. The young ladies and
the four sisters are having a fine time.

The Misses Trowbridge, Walker and
Mrs. MacDougall will entertain the
Ladies' church society of the First
Presbyterian church, at the church, on
Wednesday afternoon next week at 3
p. m. Members and friends are most
cordially invited.

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When you need or discover
the Best Hour of Life
is when you need or discover
this hour came to J. R. Pitt, of Rocky Mount,
North Carolina, who was out-
rigger the ideas of the management
than any of the four hundred odd
alongs submitted and will be used in
many ways in the advertising cam-
paign to be started soon. With the
addition of the words "Drops," Sept.
19-14th" it tells the story and tells
it in a way that will be remembered.

Ladies! Save Money and Keep in
Style by Reading McCall's
Magazine and Using McCall's
Patterns

McCall's Magazine will
help you make up
at a moderate
price. It includes
you posted on the
of the latest fash-
ing and hats. 50
each. Trade De-
in each issue. Also
valuable information
No. 10 home and
social patterns. Only
free pattern. Send
free. Send for a
for free sample copy.

COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.
In the matter of the estate of Miss Elmer
deceased. The undersigned having been ap-
pointed by the Honorable Judge T. M.
Judge of Probate and for the County of Oakland,
State of Michigan. Commissioned to receive,
examine and adjust all claims against said estate,
and to make a report thereon to the said Judge,
I do hereby give notice that I will meet on the 15th
day of September, 1910, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each
day at the County Court House in the City of
Detroit, Michigan, for the purpose of receiving
and adjusting claims against the estate of
said deceased.

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KIDNEY CURE
WILL CURE YOU
in any case of Kidney or
Bladder disease that is not
beyond the reach of medicine.
Take it at once. Do
not risk having Bright's Dis-
ease or Diabetes. There is
nothing gained by delay.

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Detroit United Lines
Birmingham Time Table
Cars leave Birmingham for Detroit at
10:10 a. m., 5:20 a. m. and every 15 minutes
until 8:50 p. m.; then hourly until 10:55 p. m.
Cars leave Birmingham for Pontiac at
8:47 a. m., 7:02 a. m. and half-hourly thereafter
until 1:08 p. m.; then hourly until 12:55 a. m.
Cars leave Detroit for Birmingham at 6:00 a. m.
and every half hour thereafter until 8:00 p. m.;
then hourly until midnight.

On Sundays the first car out of Detroit is 7:00
a. m. For First Division to Romeo, Flint and Saginaw,
change at Royal Oak.
NOTE-EXTRA SERVICE SATURDAY AF-
TERNOONS and EVENINGS, and ALL SUN-
DAY.

WHEN YOU THINK
Of good, honest, substantial
Tailoring,

THINK OF US
Color Right
Style Right
Price Right
Everything Right

CHARLES PECK
Tailor
Ford Block Birmingham

Buggies
For Sale
New and Second-hand
Buggies for sale all the
time. Come and exam-
ine my stock. I can and
will please you. A word
to the wise is sufficient.

E. A. PARKS
Livery and Sale Stable
Birmingham Michigan

Electric
Bitters
Succeed when everything else fails.
In nervous prostration and female
weakness they are the superior
remedy, as thousands have testified.

A Business Proposition
Did you ever stop to think,
Mr. Business Man, that the
news of your business is as
much a part of the local
events as a wedding or a
church fair? The ladies
are just as much interested in
what you have on the shelves as they are
in any home happening. Your store
news and announcements in these
columns will reach a large circle of
eager buyers. This will enable you
to sell your goods while they are
new and fresh and you will not
have to sacrifice later at remnant
counter prices. Think it over.

WHY HAVE GRIP
When you can avoid it
by getting a bottle of
National Life Balm
at Shain's or Wooster's

THE BEST
REMEDY
FOR
RHEUMATISM
Lumbago, Sciatica, Stiff Neck,
Headache, Kidney Troubles,
and LaGrippe.

SWANSON
PILLS
THE GREAT REMEDY
FOR CONSTIPATION
SICK HEADACHE
SOUR STOMACH
Heart Burn, Bloating and
LIVER TROUBLES
25 Cents Per Box
at DRUGGISTS

WHEN YOU THINK
Of good, honest, substantial
Tailoring,

THINK OF US
Color Right
Style Right
Price Right
Everything Right

Watch it
grow
Advertising is the fer-
tilest of all business
soil. Its work is magic. Think
weakened trade becomes a thing of
power when its roots feel the healthy
sunlight of publicity.

A FREE Prescription
ADVICE
From a physician of 22 years' experience in
the West, nervous men regain their
strength and vigor.

Since purchasing this Mill, the under-
signed has discarded all the old machin-
ery and replaced it with the most modern
and up to date in the market. A full
line of the best Wheat and Graham Flour,
Corn Meal, Feed, Bran and Middlings al-
ways on hand.
Custom Grinding done on short no-
tice at reasonable prices.
Wanted--Wheat, Corn and Oats, for which
the highest market price will be paid.
N. J. HANSEN.

Annual Sale

Big sale of Oxfords to make room for Fall Shoes, which are
arriving daily, now on.
Last season the people of Pontiac and Birmingham realized that
we gave real value values, and the response to the sale announcement
was more than noticeable. This sale will be no exception, any one
offering genuine values.

KEEP YOUR EYE ON THIS SALE
Special lot of 20 pairs of Workovers in Tan, Gunmetal and
Patent Leather, regular \$3.50 and \$4.00 values, while they last,
\$2.50.

4% Interest Paid on
Deposits
From and after June 1, 1910

PONTIAC SAVINGS BANK
Capital and Surplus, \$68,000.00
Assets, \$60,000.00
S. S. MATTHEWS, Pres. F. H. HALE, Vice-Pres.
CRAMER SMITH, Cashier.

Gluten Meal, Dairy Feed
and Bran at
Smith Bros.

Ice
Cream
Delivered to you in Bricks. Makes the finest,
simplest and dressiest possible.
No trouble--no worry. Just phone us. We
do the rest.
You can carry out any color scheme you wish.
Get your Cream with Fruit and Nuts. BE SURE
TO GET YOUR ORDER IN EARLY.

Charles J. Shain
DRUGS and GROCERIES

Birmingham
Pioneer Mills

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