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MANY THANKS Who Will Get The Gold \$10? R. O. MINSTRELS

The Michigan Children's Home Society Are Very Thankful For Birmingham's Gift

The following letter explains itself. We are sure the contribution would have been easily doubled if our people had been advised two or three days before the collection. Coming into our midst unheralded and unexplained we feel that Birmingham did herself proud.

St. Joseph, Mich., July 26, 1911.

To the Friends of the Michigan Children's Home Society:

Dear Friends: We are in receipt of the draft for \$75.84, which was the gift of the people of Birmingham on Children's Home Day toward the fund for blind and crippled children in our care. The management of the Home are indeed grateful to all who contributed on that day and extend to you their sincere appreciation of your support and co-operation. To the Tag Day committee who worked so faithfully and strongly we also wish to express our gratitude. Our expressions of appreciation are given in behalf of our dear little babies whom we know if they could would say "thank you!"

The officers for the day were: Mrs. Austin R. Parks president, Miss Jessie Gray secretary, whose able management brought such good results for the work. The young ladies who sold tags were: The Misses Ethel Phillips, Irene Phillips, Esther Peterson, Martha Dewey, Alta Reid, Minnie Peck, Jennie Chipchase, Grace Harris, Lorraine Fugler, Vivian Pink and Mr. Preston Gray assisted the young ladies. Harold Shaw, Warren Bray, Stanley Bray kindly distributed hand bills throughout the town.

Special mention is made of the kindness and generosity of Bell Bros. & LaJorie for extending to the committee of workers the privilege of their store for headquarters for the day.

Yours Very Sincerely,
The Michigan Children's Home Society,
Mrs. CORA LAMPING,
State Superintendent.

Accused of Stealing.
E. R. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Maine, bodily accused Bucken's Arniea Salva of stealing—the thing from burns or scratches—the pain from sores of all kinds—the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of their terror," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c at C. J. Shain's.

33 YEARS AGO

The following items were published in this paper by its present owners.

Did you see the eclipse?
John Bodine, Joseph Mead and J. A. Hoffman were at Wing Lake, fishing all through the terrible storm.

A white vessel mounted by Frank F. Deakman is on exhibition at F. Hagan's.

In Detroit, prices are: corn, 38 to 44 cents; oats, 30c.; Butter, prime quality 9 to 12c. medium, 8 to 10c. per pound; unclean; eggs, 7 to 8c. per doz.

The lawn party at the residence of Edwin Baldwin on Tuesday evening of that week was a very enjoyable affair. The grounds were beautifully illuminated with numerous Chinese lanterns. King & Hoffman furnished delightful music for lovers of the dance, and Miss Mattie Baldwin acted hostess to the evident satisfaction of everyone.

Ed. Ford is gaining so rapidly. Down in Southfield Jan. W. McKinney's singing school closed July 18th, with great success.

The families of Cal. Ellenwood and Ed. Chadfield will go blackberrying the first of next week. They pitch their tents in the howling wilderness about nine miles north of Village.

Married, July 25th—by Rev. J. P. Gibson, John McClelland and Hannah Purdy, both of Southfield.

Charles Ramo, the daring burglar, who attempted to rob J. R. Corson's store was sent to prison at Jackson for four years.

Burglars were prowling around Gen. A. Tom's house last night, until Gen. got real mad, and went out with a double-barreled shot gun, and put a full stop to any further proceedings.

Our young friend, W. A. Satterlee, has secured the position of Principal of the schools at Tecumseh, Mich., and will take charge of his new field of labor at the beginning of the fall term.

Hay Fever, Asthma and Summer Colds.
Must be relieved quickly and safely. Hay Fever and Asthma Compound will do it. Sold at all drug stores.

This Count For the Special Prize Will Have no Bearing Upon the Question as to Who Will Win at the Final Count to Come off about Sept. 5th.

Second Count for the Ten Dollars in Gold, is Next Monday, August 7th. It is the Great Question.

Interest in the Ecce Tric's Popular Voting Contest is not at fever heat, but the Contestants and their friends are hustling for new subscribers, renewals and back pay in a manner that is very interesting. They realize that the one who wins the beautiful piano will get a prize worthy of their efforts and they are doing all they can to see that their favorite candidate comes home ahead.

That the Capital Prize is certainly worth a lot of hustling goes without saying. You will have to hurry and get your votes in at the extra second count in this great contest comes off next Monday evening, Aug. 7th. Remember the bonus votes hold good only until then. Don't wait! Keep right on hustling, because while you are laying off, some one else may be out working, and getting the new subscribers that you might have had if you had kept going. And remember it is the one who hustles the hardest and succeeds in getting the largest number of votes that will win the piano. And also the one that hustles the hardest and who succeeds in making the GREATEST GAIN since the first count will be awarded the \$10 in gold next Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

At the same time don't forget the merchant's coupons. Every time you get forty of them you get an extra bonus vote of 500. It does not make any difference whether the coupons all come from one merchant or in bunches of forty.

Several contestants who had no votes to their credit on the first count have

been hustling since and are bound to make a good showing when the second count is made, and when the one who makes the GREATEST GAIN will get the \$10 in Gold.

It never pays to stop even to get your breath.

Just keep on going! Your friends will see that you are doing your best to win and will all turn in and help you.

Nothing comes to the man who waits, and the ones that do the hustling are rewarded in the end.

Hurry! HURRY! HURRY!

The second count will be made Monday evening, Aug. 7th, by the former Committee, Messrs. A. W. Campbell, J. A. Higdon and F. B. Buelow. The ballot-box will close at 6:30; the count will begin at 7 p. m., following.

Hurry! HURRY! HURRY!

For every seven new yearly subscriptions, 8,000 extra, a total of 12,000.

For every seven renewal subscriptions, 6,000, a total of 9,500.

For every seven back subscriptions, 4,000 votes, a total of 6,800.

Remember that many of our leading merchants are interested in this contest and give 25 vote coupons with every dollar cash purchase. Also, those who do not fully understand the rules and regulations of the contest can call at this office or write us, and we will be pleased to go over the proposition with them.

Do not forget the prizes the merchants are giving. If you are not fortunate enough to secure the piano you may receive one of the merchants' prizes and they are all worth working for.

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Somewhere along the pathway of the years—we lost our child; fairyland but does there not ever linger within us, the hope of some day finding it again.

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Mackinac "Fairy Isle" is easily and comfortably reached by the "In Fairyland" boats of the C. & C. Coast Line to Mackinac. Send two cent stamp for "In Fairyland" booklet.

Address: D. & C. NAVIGATION CO., Detroit, Mich.

BOOST! DON'T KNOCK.

Do you know there's lots of people getting "round in every town. Growl like a bear, chide like a cat, knock! Knock! every good thing down! Don't you be that kind of a cattie.

"Cause they ain't no use on earth. 'Tis just a booster rooster."

Give a boost for all you're worth. If your horn hasn't been blown out, don't hold back and wait to see if some other fellow's willin' to sail right in this country's free; No one's got a mortgage on it. It's just yours as much as his. If your town ain't no booster, don't knock it in the boostin' bin. If things just don't seem to stir you, And the world seems kinder wrong, What's the matter with a boostin'?

Just to help the thing along; 'Cause if things should stop a goin' 'We'd be in a sorry plight, You just keep them a blowin' 'Tis just for all your year's might. If you know some fellow's failin' Just ferges 'em, 'cause you know That some fellow's got some good points There's the one you want to show. 'Cast your loaves out on the waters, They'll come back' 's a sayin' true, Maybe they'll come back 'battered' When some fellow boosts for you.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to publicly express our appreciation and sincere gratitude for the many kind expressions of sympathy, extended to us, during our recent bereavement, and for the beautiful floral offerings, and to the singers.

MR. AND MRS. F. C. DEER.
MR. AND MRS. W. L. DEER, and
FAMILY.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK BLAKES-LEE AND FAMILY.

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Mr. J. M. Bryson has offices on Maple Avenue east, and is so busy attending to his growing business, answering correspondence, shipping his remedy, that it is hard to get an interview long enough to tell of this wonderful business and its miraculous work.

Birmingham people would gasp in astonishment if we should tell them the price that Mr. Bryson has been offered for the secret of his remedy, its good name, fame and good will. Starting in a small way, the business has grown to such dimensions that many hands are required to do all the work that the enterprise calls for.

In reading his big advertisements remember that every word is true, that he has the originals of all these testimonials, that he has faith in his remedy, and will back every word he utters on the subject.

If you are a sufferer, or know of a sufferer, send to Mr. Bryson, for a sample. Write him anyway about your case. You will be properly cared for. Address, J. M. Bryson, prop'r, Noxall, Birmingham, Mich.

Do not allow your kidney and bladder trouble to develop beyond the reach of medicine. Take Foley's Kidney Pills. They give quick relief and cure all varieties with surprising promptness. Sold by all druggists.

A SAD DEATH.

Once again the reaper Death has invaded our midst, this time choosing for his own, one of earth's fairest flowers, Margaret Evelyn, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Deer, age ten months and four days. She passed away on Monday, July 24th, 1911.

Although her life with us was short, she was the sunshine of the home.

Dear little Margaret is gone from us. Her sweet smile is in our hearts. Safe in His arms our loved one. Do Jesus' home rest our little one.

Attack Like Tigers.

In fighting to keep the blood pure the tiger-like corporations attack disease germs like tigers. But tigers are multiply so fast the little fighters are overcome. They eat up strength, energy, stamina, self-reliance and appetite. Fall for the regenerative Electric Bitters to regulate stomach, liver and kidney, and to expel poisons from the blood.

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History Extract

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