

A GOOD RECORD.

Never Had One of the Thousand Decisions Rendered Reversed. Vote For Him.

Judge of Probate K. P. Rockwell, who is up for re-election on the republican ticket, has a record to be proud of. The recent changes made in probate law by the legislature has placed the probate courts of this state on a par with any other court, and when out of the thousands of decisions rendered by Mr. Rockwell not one of them having been reversed, it certainly shows that he gives this office his personal attention and is the most capable man we could possibly get for the office regardless of politics. Every case brought to this court for settlement receives his personal attention and this accounts for his great success. Regardless of politics, an X before his name on the ticket will insure the same service. [Rechercher Era.]

BIRMINGHAM BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES

The morning preaching service will be at the usual hour at 10 o'clock, subject will be "The Healing Touch". Bible school at 11:15 a. m. B. Y. P. U. at 6 p. m. Subject, "Zeal" Leader, Clara Hedding. Evening service at 7 o'clock, subject "How would Jesus Christ vote, if living now, on earth, as an American citizen?" or "What has religion to do with politics?" A sermon for the election. All of our members who attended the County Sunday school convention at Royal Oak were greatly pleased especially in that we, as a school, captured the banner for best attendance. Let every member of the Sunday school plan to turn out in force and march in the parade that is being planned for all the schools of Birmingham.

A cordial welcome given to all who worship with us.

"Tells the Whole Story."

To say that Foley's Honey and Tar Compound is best for children and grown persons and could not be said to tell only part of the tale. The whole story is that it is the best medicine for colds, croup, bronchitis and other affections of the throat, chest and lungs. Stops in grippe coughs and has a healing and soothing effect. Remember the name, Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. Accept no substitute. Sold by all druggists. Adv.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

We will close our stores, beginning Nov. 1, 1912, at 5:00 p. m., every day except Saturdays.

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Birmingham U. P. Church Notes

Services at Birmingham. Sabbath school at 1:30. Preaching service at 2:30. Preaching on Sabbath evening at 7 o'clock. Service at Troy congregation at 9:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 7:00 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:15. All are cordially invited to these services.

A Great Building Falls

When its foundation is undermined, and if the foundation of health--good digestion--is attacked, quick collapse follows. On the first signs of indigestion, Dr. King's New Life Pills should be taken to tone the stomach and bowels. Pleasant, easy safe, and only 25¢. At C. J. Shan's and J. W. Cobb's.

FACTS ABOUT PROBATE COURT.

The State Constitution provides that that "The Supreme Court and the Circuit and Probate Court of each county shall be Courts of Record and shall be Courts of Record and shall have a common seal." While this language does not expressly state that Judges of the Supreme, Circuit or Probate Courts shall be lawyers, nevertheless by their classification the necessity of having lawyers hold these judicial positions is now well recognized.

The necessity of having an able lawyer for Judge of Probate is now especially recognized, since many new duties have been added to this court that formerly belonged exclusively to the Chancery Court. The office is now something more than a mere clerical office which could be successfully looked by a layman. With the present jurisdiction of the Probate Court every voter should keep in mind the importance of this office without regard to politics. With this special fitness for the position we commend Judge Elmer R. Webster as his own successor.

Hiram Steele, 626 North Sixth Street, Terre Haute, Indiana, writes: "I came down with a severe case of kidney trouble. I had to get up two or three at night. There was pain and much swelling, puffiness under my eyes, back pained terribly, and I was dizzy. Foley's Kidney Pills cured me quickly, and I feel 100 per cent better. Sold by all druggists. Advertisement."

PIONEER IS DEAD

Maurice Collins, Born in Ireland Resident of this Township for Forty-seven Years.

Maurice Collins, an old and highly respected pioneer of this township, died at his late home one and a half miles southeast of this village, Oct. 27, aged 71 years. Mr. Collins was born in Limerick, Ireland, and came with his parents to Canada, at the age of six months. He was married to Elizabeth Hayes, who was born in Staffordshire, England. They came to Michigan in April, 1865, settling on the farm on which he died. Mr. Collins was the father of four children, three girls and one boy. Mrs. Robert Brown, now deceased, Henry Collins and Mrs. Arthur M. Clelland of Royal Oak and Mrs. Arthur Collins of Detroit. The funeral was held from his late residence Friday afternoon Oct. 25 and the remains were laid to rest in the family lot in Royal Oak cemetery.

Tinges of rheumatism, backache, stiff joints and shooting pains all show your kidneys are not working right. Urinary irregularities, loss of sleep, nervousness, weak back and sore kidneys tell the need of a good reliable medicine. Foley's Kidney Pills are tonic, strengthening and restorative. They build up the kidneys and regulate their action. They will give you quick relief and contain no habit-forming drugs. Sold by all druggists. Advertisement.

AN APPRECIATION.

In the passing of Grace McBrine Jenks, our world will miss a spirit free and loyal, and will lose an unusually interesting personality. She was unassuming, versatile in her work and accomplishments, making friends everywhere, and always open to service for others.

She loved children and children flock around her. For five years, beginning in 1905, all the zest and enthusiasm of her young life went into her work as principal in the West Side Settlement House, Detroit, and she lavished the largesse of a great heart upon the poorest, and most neglected children comforting them in illness and death. Suffering under great physical limitations, she not only faithfully, but with a merry outward showing, carried out her daily routine. She suffered greatly for a long time, but her bravery, unselfishness and fortitude, amounted to heroism, and she was thoughtful of those around her to the last. The expression of a wealth of affection for those she loved, her loyalty and faithfulness in every relation of life, her sweetness of disposition, and winsomeness of manner, were her most characteristic traits.

She was modest and sensitive, with a face full of beauty, and sweetness of expression. She was a member of St. James church, and passed from its altar as beautiful a bride as our village ever beheld, only two years ago, when she married Earl Renshaw Jenks, cementing a friendship from childhood. The brief two years brought great happiness, but with a constant struggle against illness.

Those who have watched her grow into a beautiful womanhood, and who have known her intimately, will always be richer with the recollection of a brave and sunny nature, always charitable and kind in viewpoint, and always a direct and animating responsive ness to meet every occasion.

Mrs. Peter Holan, 11041 Buckeye Road, S. E. Cleveland, Ohio, had a little son with a bad case of whooping cough. She says: "He coughed until he was blue in the face. I gave him Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and the first few doses had a remarkable and almost immediate effect. A few more doses cured him. Yes, indeed; I can recommend Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. In the yearly package. Sold by all druggists. Adv."

The Prosecutor's Office--One of Great Importance to The People

The office of Prosecuting Attorney is a county the size of Oakland is of very great importance. The man who properly fills this position must necessarily be a man of legal ability. He must be a man of energy, integrity and fidelity to duty. And yet above all of these things he must possess enough of the milk of human kindness so that his energy and fidelity to duty will do no man injustice. Such a man is Elmer R. Webster of Pontiac, the candidate for Prosecuting Attorney on the Democratic ticket. He is energetic and tireless in the discharge of his duty. He is worthy of the support of all voters regardless of party. His election will cause no regrets to his supporters.

D. A. McGaffey, of Pontiac was a Royal Oak caller last Sunday. If you have old newspapers that you would like to part with notify Mrs. Blair. Miss Myrtle Gillet spent Saturday and Sunday at her home.

BULL MOOSERS

Will Hold Their First Big Rally in The Town Hall at Royal Oak Friday.

On Friday evening Nov. 1st at the Royal Oak town hall at the hour of 7 o'clock the Bull Moosers will hold their first big rally. The principal speakers of the evening will be Howard H. Botsford of Battle Creek, candidate for Sec. of State on the Progressive ticket and Judge George W. Smith of Pontiac. Both are strong candidates and excellent speakers and the Bull Moosers, who number many in our midst promise one grand good show. Judge Smith is well known here and bears an excellent record as Circuit Judge. Be sure to go.

The Baptist Young People will hold a "Get acquainted" social Friday Nov. 8, at the home of Rev. F. R. Swartwout. All are invited.

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Likewise in dealing with many juvenile matters that are constantly requiring attention I have endeavored to carefully investigate both in and out of Court these matters with the hope of saving to our unfortunate boy or girl, to investigate and improve their surroundings I regard of special importance.

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Republican Candidate for Sheriff

Dwight I. Oliver

Dr. Lillian J. Courts, Osteopathic Physician.

What the Pontiac Press Gazette said in its editorial column about his conduct of the Bushnell case. "Bushnell had a fair trial and a most excellent defense on the part of his counsel." Editorial column, Pontiac Press Gazette, September 16, 1911. Dr. Lillian J. Courts, Osteopathic Physician, Graduate of the American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Missouri. Does not use women and children a specialty. Examination free. Hours--9 to 12 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m., 7 to 10 p. m. Suite 112, Devick Block, Pontiac, Michigan. Phone 214.

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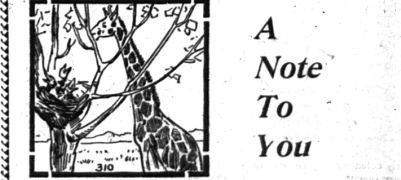
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