The Eccentric

BIRMINGHAM

$1.00 PER YEAR IN ADVANCE

WHITEHEAD & MITCHELL, Publishers

To Our Friends

WHEN TRADING WITH ANY OF OUR ADVERTISERS, EITHER IN BIRMINGHAM, PONTIAC OR DETROIT, IT WILL BE A GREAT FAVOR TO US IF YOU WILL MENTION THE FACT THAT YOU NOTICED THEIR ADVERTISEMENT IN OUR PAPER. A WORD FROM YOU AT THE TIME OF TRADING COSTS YOU NOTHING AND BENEFITS US GREATLY. WILL YOU BE GOOD AND DO SO?

THE PUBLISHERS.

Entered as second-class matter in the postoffice at Birmingham, Michigan.

LEGALS.

Friends Of THE ECCENTRIC are requested when they have Probate business to ask the publication of the legal notice in this paper. By so doing they will be at no more expense than o'ers here, and will do us a great favor.

Local News

Elmer Ford, our milkman has sold out his route to Mr. Addison.

Go to Sabine, Pontiac's leading fotografer for Xmas work early. 2t

Lloyd Peck has returned home from Portland, Oregon, where he was visiting his Uncle.

Leo LaJoie of Saginaw is the guess of his brother Homer LaJoie on Merrill street.

Lawrence Morrow of Flint, spent Thanksgiving with his mother, on Townsend street.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bruce spent Thanksgiving with their daughter Mrs. H. T. Dennis of Detroit.

The first real fall of snow came Tuesday morning and though not very heavy it shows what can be done a little later on.

Raymond Monroe of Detroit spent Thanksgiving with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Monroe on Merril street.

Birmingham K. of P. Lodge No. 149 give a dancing party Thursday evening Nov. 28. Stone's orchestra will furnish music and a good time for all.

Frad V. Quarton has husked 220 bushels of corn from 17½ acres and has 11 acres to husk yet. Any one wanting a job will know where to find one.

Wanted—About 7 boarders. First class board, $4.50 per week. Furnace, bath, and all modern convenience's. Mrs. Geo. Scott, Southfield Ave. Phone 171 L. 2t

A union Thanksgiving service will be held in the First Presbyterian church on Thursday evening of this week at 7 o'clock. The Rev. Wakefield will deliver the address.

The Union Bible Class will be held in the First Presbyterian church next Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. An increasing interest is being felt in the study as conducted by Dr. Clark.

Adrian and Pontiac are two cities that do not forget the old soldiers. Both of these patriotic cities furnish free a hall for the old veterans. Adrian heats the one furnished them, but do not know about the one in Pontiac.

Here is a good chance to buy your Christmas presents. All kinds of fancy work. The Young People's Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold their annual Christmas Baazar at the church on Dec. 6. Supper will be served by Japanese girls, from 5 to 7 o'clock at 20c a plate.

Only a few weeks since our people were shocked to know of the cruel treatment of horses by a neighboring farmer and the fact that no one had the courage to make a complaint was still more shocking. Now there comes to us a story of brutal treatment of a horse by one of our own townspeople. Will no one speak for the dumb animals? It is a disgrace to us all.

The Leed's Woolen Mills have a store at Pontiac and invite your attention in this issue to call and inspect their fall line of clothes all suitable for men's wear. Suits and overcoats made to order to suit the most fastidious. This firm has a chain of stores besides this Pontiac plant, one each at Flint, Bay City and Owosso with Pontiac in the lead. This firm's business is steadily growing, which is helped amazingly by the universal satisfaction that they give to all patrons.

A merry lot of young people numbering forty four, from the Mary Palmer Methodist Episcopal church, Detroit, visited the Birmingham Methodist young people at the church here last Friday evening. The visitors rendered a fine program of music and readings, and carried back with them supplies amounting to several barrels full to be distributed among the city's poor on Thanksgiving day. The supplies were contributed as the price of admission to the entertainment. A similar plan is to be carried out at the Christmas celebration except that the local Methodist Sunday school will furnish the program in the church, on the Monday evening preceding Christmas day.

Miss Minnie Peck spent Saturday and Sunday in Detroit.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ray Clark a ten pound boy. Everybody happy.

Fred Cochrane of the Soo, is the guest of his Aunt Mrs. Seeley Peck.

For our short comings this week please remember it is Thanksgiving week.

We expected to have printed a letter from the Capitol city long before this, but nothing doing.

Well, we picked our old codfish skin over once again and for country editor's eating it ain't so bad after all.

Roy S. Paterson, administrator, on the Adams Bayley in Troy has a big auction sale Wednesday, December 11. See big bills and watch full bill next issue.

Regular meeting of Birmingham Lodge No. 149, K. of P., next Tuesday evening, Dec. 3d. Work in Second Rank.

The work on John Bairds new house is progressing fast. Jack and his good wife hope to be scozily settled in it by Christmas.

Everybody come to the Third annual foot-ball supper given at the J-S hall. Only 25c. a plate. A dance and a program in connection.

LOST:—A hand bag containing money, papers and a quantity of new handkerchiefs, on Pontiac car. Return to this office all contents complete and receive liberal reward. 2

A new meat market is being prepared for in the garage building next to the Post Office. Mr. Shepard will swing the clever for the new Palace Market, a strictly cash provider.

Don't ask for the Chicago International Stock Show tickets now soon on at Chicago. They are gone and we wise we had a dozen more to supply the demand. We said first come first served and they were.

Say you Royal Oak and Troy people, the first symptom or sign of a cold, just you run to Lamb or Baker and ask for a 25c bottle of their own brand of a cough syrup and note the result. You will not be disappointed.

The Pythian Sisters entertainment that was given last Friday night was a grand success. The hall was packed to the doors. The program was an excellent one, and all enjoyed it and went away feeling well repaid.

Attention, Birmingham Chapter No. 93 R. A. M. Regular convocation of Birmingham Chapter No. 93 R. A. M. on Monday evening Dec. 2, 1912. This is the annual convocation and election of officers and payment of dues. J.A. Bigelow, Secretary.

John Wilkinson has sent to us three of his sweet potato raising in his Florida home. Three monsters are the largest and finest we ever saw. The king potato weighs 3 1-2 lbs. and the combined weight of these three beauties is nine and a half pounds.

The Foreign Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church will be held at the church Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 6, at 3 o'clock. Subject, Ayria. Leader, Mrs. Snow. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Committee Mrs. A. Parks, Miss Anna Parks, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Schanhite.

The party who lost the hand-bag advertised elsewhere in this paper, wishes in particular that the ring that was in said bag be returned anyway as it belongs to a friend and is highly prized as an heirloom, and a keepsake. A sum of money was in this bag, and the finder will be rewarded. It was lost Saturday the 23rd inst.

Talk about being a busy man. The night of the Royal Oak fire, Manager Kelly was on the ground all night and with a force of men worked steadily until about noon of the next day, and with a temporary office location in H. F. Smith's electrical office, he had all the subscribers in connection. Quick work that for the Michigan State Telephone Company.

Talk about trouble not coming singly. The family of Mrs. Hayes who lives in the Bray Terrace Woodward avenue, had theirs Monday. During the forenoon, Master Samuel Hayes, while lighting a shot gun shell of powder, loose, didn't make his get away quick enough and was severely burned about the face and eyes. With the doctor's assistance he will recover. That same day Master Tommy Carmichael of the same family, caught a ride on a trolley car from the station bound south. He did not jump quick enough, and despite the comforting words of the motorman to hang on, the boy either, fell or attempted to jump off the swift moving car. He lay stunned where he struck the ground until tender hands carried him into the house. Doctor's attention soon had the frightened family assured that the lad should be all right in good time.

Thanksgiving is here, Christmas is coming, New Years is coming, cold winter is surely coming, when good warm fires will be a necessity. Hot furnaces, hot stoves, be watchful, be careful. Do not empty ashes in anything wooden; do not empty them when there is fire in them, as the wind will not pay any attention to where it sends the sparks. Have your chimneys cleaned, your stove pipes cleaned, and do not leave any rubbish, old waste or old rags, anything in the shape of oily waste is liable to combustion. Do not allow matches where children can reach them. Children are innocent and do not mean to do harm, yet many a loss has been caused by these innocent children. The state Fire Marshal is at work in Wayne County, looking after the rubbish, let us here in Birmingham and vicinity be prepared to have him look over our premises, and when he is through, be ready to hear him say, you are in splendid condition, I think you have a good Village Council and a good Marshal.

What is it today? Turkey.

The oyster supper and shadow social given at the home of Silas Wattles, Tro-, by Isabelle Jennings, teacher of District No. 3 was a success financially and socially. Supper was served to 70 guests. Proceeds netted about $20, to be used for a new table, pictures, etc.

Mr. Lyle Baker, son of Chas. Baker, Postmaster at Clawson, and dealer in general merchandise is a master hand at thinking out things. In his father's store hangs a sign which is really original and shows deep thought and a deduction that is surely past all dispute. This sign reads; "Man is made of dust; dust settles. Are you a man?" Pretty good for a boy in the high school yet.

Birmingham Liners

Fine home to rent on Woodward avenue, modern. See Peter Kerr. 2

Choice Strain of Barred Rock pullets for sale, inquire of T. A. Ward, Birmingham. 2

WANTED:—A man to cut wood in the woods either by the cord or on shares. Call at residence or phone 12 J-2 Joh K. Adams. 2

I will exchange corn fodder for fertilizer, dry or green wood, or service of man and team. W. T. Bradford, Phone 282, Birmingham. 2

Having decided to quit farming, and devote all my time to poultry raising, I will dispose of all my farm tools, and stock at reasonable prices for quick sale. Will sell for cash or on time. C. J. Burkman. Phone 219. 2

House to rent on Brown street seven rooms. Electric lights, bath and all modern conveniences. See Mitchell at the Eccentric office. tf

For SALE:—Corn in the shock at $10 per ton. H. B. Winegar, Pierce street. tf

Everybody attention! Cider apples can be had at the Gilbert Lake farm, one mile north and two miles west of Birmingham. Prices very low. See Sidney on the farm. Nov. 29.

TO RENT:—For this season or a term of years the ice privilege on the Endicott Farm pond. For terms apply at farm or call by telephone, John Endicott, Proprietor. tf

For Sale—Bay driving horse, weight about eight hundred. Inqnire 329 Woodward Ave, Birmingham. 2t

For Sale—Fine upright piano for sale cheap. Will exchange for cows. John F. Peters, Bell Phone 145. tf

For Sale—Regestered blue ribbon, Chester white boar and swine for sale. John F. Peters. Bell Phone 145. tf

Wanted—A few loads of cobble stones size from musk melon to water melon. Call by phone or write John H. Wendell, "Larkspur," Birmingham. 2

For sale cheap—A new Wilson incubator and brooder. Only one setting has been raised in it. Going ont of the business. See Mrs. J. C. McGrayne, Harmon street or telephone 274 Birmingham. Dec 20

Fine Garments Made to Order

We have a reputation for producing satisfactory garments. We have been making clothes for years for particular people and know how to give fashionable appearance to the individual; and at the same time make a garment which will have true wearing value at prices to suitall.

CLEANING PRESSING WE DO ALTERING REPAIRING

Chas. Peck

Tailor

Opp. Postoffice Phone 161

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—Probate of Will.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Pontiac, said county, on the 2d day of November, A. D. 1912. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

WILLIAM FALLISTER, Deceased.

Detroit Trust company having filed in said Court a petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said Court, be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to De roit Trust Company, the executor named in the will, or to some other suitable person,

It is ordered that the 20th day of November, A. D. 1912, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Clerk.

What's the News

The Detroit News
Detroit Free Press
Detroit Saturday Night

And All Sporting Extras

Are on sale at

Miner & Ferguson's

A Thanksgiving Proclamation

When thou hast eaten and art full, then thou shalt bless the Lord thy God for the good land which He had given thee. Beware that thou forget not the Lord thy God, in not keeping His commandments, and His Judgments, and His statutes, which I command thee this day: Lest when thou hast eaten and art full, and hast built goodly houses, and dwelt therein; and when thy herds and thy flocks multiply, and thy silver and thy gold is multiplied, and all that thou hast is multiplied; then thine heart be lifted up, and thou forget the Lord thy God.

Deutronomy 8:10-14.

Go Early to Sabine

For Your Xmas Fotografs

Mr. Sabine is not only a skilled fotographer, but an artist of unquestioned ability. He gives special attention to posing, and all his pictures show graceful positions.

All work is strictly first-class, and up to date in every way.

102 North Saginaw Street, Pontiac

Leave Car at Mt. Clemens Street

FITS

$2.50 Treatment FREE

Men, women and children have been permanently relieved of Fits: Epilepsy, Nervous and Falling Spells by the restoralives of a prominent Battle Creek (Mich.) Doctor.

One woman writes of her son: "He has nft had an attack since taking the first month's treatment." A man says: "I did not have a single spell after beginning the treatment. A woman writes: "You cured me of those terrible fits."

Many show marked improvement from the Free Trial Treatment alone. Write today for this free treatment ($2.50 worth), and prove the merit of the remedy to your own satisfaction. Address Dr. Peebles' Institute, Suite B6, Madison Street, Battle Creek, Michigan. nov15

At H. W. BAXTER'S Jewelry Store

You will find 100 useful things including

WATCHES

Take the most useful of all beautiful things—a Watch. Here you will see only good ones, and not one is higher-priced than you would be priced it yourself if you had been working for yourself. Call and see them. Christmas is coming.

H. W. BAXTER, Birmingham

DR. GEO. BURT F. CLARKE

OSTEOPATHIC PHYSICIAN

Graduate A. S. O., Kirksville, Mo.

Detroit Office—2d floor University Building, Grand River Ave. E., near Woodward. Hours—1 to 5 p. m. daily.

Residence—Birmingham, Mich., Woodward Ave. and Frank St. Hours—8 to 9 a. m. and 1 to 3:30 p. m. daily.

Sundays and evenings by appointment.

Phones—Office—Main 4401; City 2744. Residence—Birmingham 167.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—General.

State of Michigan the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office, in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 18th day of November, A. D. 1912. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of

LUCY LOVELS and DONALD LOVELL, Minors.

J. Allen Bigelow, guardian of said minors having filed in said Court his resignation as such guardian, together with a petition praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, that his resignation be accepted, and that George Johnson be appointed guardian for said minors.

It is ordered that the 14th day of ecember, A. D. 1912, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Clerk. 27nov-13dec

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION General.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 18th day of November, A. D. 1912. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of

MARY LOVELL JOHNSON, Deceased.

J. Allen Bigelow, administrator de bon's non of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying for the examination and allowance as his final account, determining the heirs at law of said deceased, distributing the assets of said estate, and discharging said administrator.

It is ordered that the 14th day of December, A. D. 1912, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Clerk. 27nov-13dec

Birmingham Chapter

No. 220, O. E. S.

Meets the fourth Wednesday in each month.

NELLIE M. WOOD, Sec'y.
MARTHA ASH, W. M.

Birmingham Lodge

No. 547, I. O. O. F.

Meets every Monday night in K. O. T. M. Hall, Parks Block, at 7:30.

Visiting brothers welcome.

E. B. GILLESPIE, Rec. Sec.
C. E. CONWAY, N. G.

Foley Kidney Pills

What They Will Do for You

They will cure your backache, strengthen your kidneys, correct urinary irregularities, build up the worn out tissues, and eliminate the excess uric acid that causes rheumatism. Prevent Bright's Disease and Diabetes, and restore health and strength. Refuse substitutes

Detroit United Lines

Birmingham Time Table

SOUTH-BOUND — Limited — 6:47 a. m.

Locals—4:55 a. m., 5:15 a. m., 5:35 a. m., 5:55 a. m., 6:15 a. m., 6:37 a. m., 7:17 a. m., and every 20 minutes to 5:57 p. m., 6:22 p. m., and half-hourly to 9:22 p. m., 10:52 p. m., 11:52 p. m.

NORTH-BOUND — Limiteds — 8:06 a. m., 5:47 p. m., 6:07 p. m., 6:27 p. m.

Locals—5:48 a. m., 6:48 a. m., 7:18 a. m., 7:38 a. m., 7:58 a. m., 8:38 a. m., and every 20 minutes to 6:58 p. m., 7:13 p. m., 7:53 p. m., 8:33 p. m., and half-hourly to 10:33 p. m., 11:33 p. m., 12:03 a. m.

Special service Saturday and Sunday. Limiteds do not run Saturday afternoons nor Sundays.

FLINT DIVISION

Change at Royal Oak. Hourly service to Rochester. Oxford and Romeo. Through limited cars for Flint and Saginaw at 7:12 a. m. and every two hours to 7:12 p. m.

Home Builders Want Good Lumber

In fact, most of them absolutely insist on getting the best that their money will buy, and in that particular we heartily agree with them, because that is just the way we buy all our Lumber. It must be strictly up to the grade. There are some manufacturers, however, who interpret grades more liberally than others, and you can bet your last dollar that we know who they are. Because of this inside knowledge we're not afraid to put our Lumber up against any in the country. Come in and look this Lumber over and let us make you prices.

SMITH BROS.

Child is like Dr. Miles' Laxative Tablets because they taste like candy

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR stops the cough and heals lungs

HERE AGAIN!

Those cold mornings when pancakes taste so good. But they don't taste real nice unless you have some of OUR GOOD, OLD-FASHIONED HOME-MADE PORK SAUSAGE, or some of OUR NICE HOME-GROWN CORN-FED PORK to go with them. We also have the choicest cuts of nice, tender and juicy prime BEEF, nice SPRING LAMB, real nice VEAL, and choice SPRING CHICKENS and FOWLS.

We handle the celebrated MARIGOLD and MONARCH brands Butterine. Tastes just like Creamery Butter. All kinds Cold Meats, Canned Goods and Vegetables.

Yours for courtesy and good treatment.

BELL BROS. & LAJOIE

Phone 24

Yes, They've Come

Our Packard Shoes for Men

$3.50 and $4.00

Yes, sir; our new fall styles of Packard Shoes for Men are here— and we're delighted.

Some of them you'll see in our window, but we've lots of others in the store, and you have our cordial invitation to come in and look them over.

The New English Lasts

(Low Toes and Heels)

Are here in both tan and black, in either button or lace styles. All sizes and widths.

Merritt & Tompkins

Pontiac

4% Interest Paid on Deposits

PONTIAC SAVINGS BANK

Capital, - - $100,000.00
Surplus, - - $30,000.00
Assets, - - $1,600,000.00

S. E. BEACH, Pres. F. H. HALE, Vice-Pres.
CRAMER SMITH, Cashier

Grand Values in Writing Paper

We are showing just now

At 25c, 35c and 50c a Box

All Sizes of Paper
All Shapes of Envelopes
All Tints and Colors

Initial Paper and Gold-Embossed Paper by the pound, with Envelopes to match.

Charles J. Shain

Drugs and Groceries

MILO A. PRESSEL

ELECTRICIAN

Birmingham, Mich.

All kinds of Fixtures for sale. Wiring, and all work done, guaranteed.

New work a specialty.

Phone 269 209 Ann St.

Electric Bitters

Succeed when everything else fails. In nervous prostration and female weaknesses they are the supreme remedy, as thousands have testified. FOR KIDNEY, LIVER AND STOMACH TROUBLE it is the best medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter.