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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 REMEMBER THE FACT THAT YOU NOTICED THEIR ADVERTISEMENTS 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?

LEGALIS. Friends

OF THE ECCENTRIC are requested when they have legal notice in this paper to be printed at no more expense than elsewhere, and will be a great favor to us.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer LaJoie spent Sunday in Pontiac with Mrs. LaJoie's parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Davis.

Don't forget the dance tonight at the J.S. hall. This dance ought to be well attended, as there has been no dance last week and there is none next week.

Regular meeting of Pledge of Oakland Rebecca Lodge next Wednesday evening. The degree captain requests that all members of the staff be present to practice.

The regular business meeting last Friday evening. A full attendance is desired at the next meeting when the election takes place.

Lost, on Sunday, a purple stole in a tan cloth case, either on Maple or Southfield avenue between St. James' church and the Rectory. If the finder will kindly telephoe the Rector (189 2 rings) due appreciation will be shown.

All members of Birmingham Lodge, No. 347, I. O. O. F., are urged to be present on Monday evening, Dec. 16. Business of importance demands our attention, and you are requested to come and state your opinion on the subject. E. B. Gillespie, Rec. Secretary.

James B. Cooper of Hubbell, Mich., is now the King Bee subscriber on the Eccentric list. He made this office a good old fashioned visit and paid enough cash to set him ahead to October 1926. Surely such visits are like angels, unexpected and welcome. All this just before tax time and Xmas.

Saturday, Dec. 7, 1913, The Ladies of Mary D. Five No. 393, L. O. T. M. elected officers for the ensuing year. Commander, Flora Mudge; L. C., Carrie Knower; R. K., Emily S. Hunt; P. E., Helen H. Corson; Chaplain, Minnie Abelt; M. A. A., Nellie Bittner; Sergeant, Emma Ford; Sentinel, Josephine Howland; Plect, Ella Edwards; Past Commander, Anna M. Parks.

At the regular meeting of Birmingham Lodge No. 148 Knights of Pythias, held last week Tuesday night the following officers were elected: Floyd Smith, C. L. Lisle Gray, V. C. Claire Blodick, K. of R. S., L. H. Rousseau, K. of P., E. A. Mudge, M. E. Litch, M. of W., Wm. VanEvery, Probst, Geo. Edwards, Trustee for three years, Representative to Grand Lodge, D. B. Wilkinson, alternate; J. A. Windsor.

On Sunday Dec. 29, the choir of St. James church are to give two programs of Xmas music. At the morning services "The Holy Child" a sacred cantata by Adams, will be given. At 7:30 in the evening they will sing "The Holy Night" by John Henry Brewer. It will be remembered that this service was given a year ago. It is being repeated this year because so many requests have been received to that effect. Mrs. Harry E. Blaké the Director of the choir, who always has such joy, will play at both services.

"Backward; turn backward; O time in your flight, and give us a ladle of sweet pepper and right. We are so weary of hobble toed shoes, and pompadour hair that gives us the blues; peg-top trousers and daisy patterned underwear, give us a natural one in a while. Something is wrong with the ladies, we fear; O give us the boys as they used to appear; give them back as we once knew of yore, whose teeth were not glued by the dentist next door; with hair not arranged with such artificial curls, and whose hair was wavy and straight; who had a nose that was not simply that; whose hat was a good old broad brimmed straw; and who would not shy at a wood pile or raw. O! give us a boy with a skin unlike silk and minus a complexion of rosy cheeks; with curls as the auto top for just one day and with eyes like "Dobbin" in the good old safe way. Boys seem to be crowding fewer each year, but we admire them as they used to go, dear."

Birmingham Liners

WANTED—A man to cut wood in the woods either by the cord or on shares. Call at residences— phone 6 12 J-2 John Adams. 2

WANTED—Single man for farm work, John H. Weber, 1541 Hamilton Boulevard. For particulars call J. E. Valentine, 174-L Birmingham. 2

About 50 shocks of corn left. Write and I will deliver them to you at 5 cents per bushel. Satisfaction guaranteed. H. B. Winegar, Birmingham. Dec. 9.

FOR SALE—Hand picked Baldwin apples 75 cents per bushel, and potatoes 50 cents per bushel. W. J. McKinley, Birmingham, Phone 206.

The Richardson Blacksmith shop on Martin street is now open for business. Experienced horse shoe, now ready to do first class business. Geo. Lauser Proprietor. Dec. 27.

FOR RENT—Eight and a half acres with house and barn, 1 mile west of Clawson, known as the Michael Kolbas farm. Apply to 288 Grandy avenue, Detroit. 2

FOR SALE VERY CHEAP—Fine oak bedroom suit, large fine dresser, commode and bed, with first class hair mattress, and all steel springs. Also have hanging hall rack with mirror. M. W. Beals, 428 Martin street, Birmingham, phone 229. 2

House to rent on Brown street seven rooms. Electric lights, bath and all modern conveniences. See Mitchell at the Eccentric office. 15

TO RENT—For this season or a term of years the ice privilege on the Endicot Farm pond. For terms apply at farm or call by telephone. John Endicot, Proprietor. 15

For Sale—Fine upright piano for sale cheap. Will exchange far cows. John F. Peters, Bell Phone 145. 15

For Sale—Registered blue ribbon, Chester white boar and swine for sale. John F. Peters. Bell Phone 145. 15

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

Big Bargain in Buildings for sale, located at Birmingham. Barn 32x34x12 feet to square. Building 48x24x12 feet to square. See First State Savings Bank, Birmingham, Mich. E. & T.

Who has a case size 42 for young woman who is working her way through school and is in great need of one? Or who will help with money? An appeal has just come from a minister's wife in the cold north, telling us of this needy Christian girl and her struggle to get an education. Mrs. Agnew.

If you are insured in the Monitor Insurance Co., you can leave your assignment at the First National Bank, Birmingham and when the treasurer comes your card will be recognized and you can call for it at your convenience. This is much better than waiting your turn when the treasurer is here.

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of Birmingham Lodge No. 44. W. M. James H. Terry, S. W., Maurice B. Blair; W. P., W. P. Parmenter; Treas., J. M. Rainey; Secy., C. J. Shain; S. D., Lynn A. Carness; J. D., J. P. Lamby, Tyler; Jas. B. Hunt, Installation was held Thursday evening Dec. 12. Work in P. G. degree following.

At here. Following close upon the heels of James B. Cooper, comes Brown Cannon from Denver, Colo., and he did just about the same thing in the money line that "Jim" did. Brown was accompanied with his father, which no doubt accounts for Brown being so comparatively tame. Brown is not a Benedict yet, and that is just about what used up asking girls to have him and getting the cold shoulder. He is to be pitied.

On Wednesday evening of last week, the regular semi-annual election, following officers were elected: Rosetta Wilkinson, Noble Grand; Carrie Smith, Vice Grand; Blanch Beth Secretary; Bertha Randall, Treasurer; Trustee for 3 years, Chas. K. Hallock.

On Dec. 25, the Lodge will go to Pontiac to put on the degree work for Welcome Rebecca Lodge. Every member please bear this in mind and go.

Many people all over the county are signing petitions to the Board of supervisors asking for the addition of a hospital ward to our County home. At present those suffering from tuberculosis, cancer, etc., are thrown in with all the others and can not be properly cared for. The men and women in charge, Mr. and Mrs. Jenks, and the members of the poor commission are doing their best but can not provide for their comfort as they should be cared for. List your try to help out by signing this petition. Miss M. Baldwin, chairman of the County commission on jails and county houses has this matter in charge.

Well, we did hold a reception one day last week, when in come Messas. Chas. H. Leach, Henry Negas, if Farmington, and with them Mr. Dank Cook from the far West. Dan has brought load of cattle, consisting of 57 cars. Delivered them safely in Chicago, and then to a ram's over 1 year old friends. All of these old time boys are just the same old like or selves a little gray headed and somewhat stouter. Charlie has a fine farm near Farmington and dining nicely at a "Hank" certainly shows that the old world is using him well.

BIRMINGHAM

ONE WEEK ONLY—Yellow globe extra 50 cents per bushel. Miner & Ferguson.

Some people are asking why it is that so many people will put ashes and ash piles on the street. Anyone finding a gold Yellow pine can get reward by returning same to owner. Mrs. W. H. Wood, Phone 192L.

Don't forget the concert to-night at the First Baptist church. The student quartette from Detroit will have charge of the evening's entertainment. Measrs. Miner & Ferguson have a full line of everything for the Holidays that is headed this way. Read their new advertisement this week. It talks of I expect to bring a load of apples down from my farm next week good hand-picked Baldwin's and Greenings, 50 cents per bushel. Nelson Shattuck. 2

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The dedication services at the Baptist church was exceedingly fine. Rev. K. M. Traver of Pontiac gave a very eloquent address, as well as the excellent pieces rendered by the Studio quartette of Detroit.

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ONDER FOR PUBLICATION--Sale of Mortgage of Real Estate.

It is ordered that the 20th day of December, A. D. 1913, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed a day for hearing and settlement of the application of said estate, and that all persons interested in said estate do appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the same should not be granted.

It is further ordered that a copy of this order for three consecutive weeks previous to the day for hearing in the Birmingham Evening Post, in a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, and in the Birmingham Evening Post, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JOHN PATERSON, Deceased. Administration with will annexed of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying for the estimation and allowance of her legal account, determining the bona-fide law of said decedent's estate, and distributing assets of said estate, and discharging said administrators.

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