

## ROYAL OAK

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Thomas N. Lavery, who has been spending the past seven months with relatives in California, returned last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Gordon, who has been visiting friends here for several days, have returned to their home in Saginaw.

The Mellen-Wright Lumber Co. a corporation, have commenced an action in assumpsit vs. John Daer. The case is set for May 25, at 1 p. m.

The ladies of St. Mary's church gave a box social and card party in the town hall, Wednesday evening and a pleasant time was had.

Miss Gladys Wilcox, who has been seriously ill for several weeks past and under the care of Dr. Campbell, of Birmingham, is much improved.

Mrs. H. L. Mellen received word last week that her uncle had been struck by a train and west and instantly killed. He was her father's only brother.

The funeral of the eight weeks old child of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Snell was held from the home Saturday afternoon at 1:30 with interment in Royal Oak cemetery.

Commencing next Sunday evening Rev. H. H. Hough of the Methodist church will deliver a series of six sermons. The first number will be "Demus, an Unfaithful Friend."

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### BIRMINGHAM BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

Sermon themes: Sunday morning, "Righteousness and Truth"; In the evening, "Divine Providence," a free will and Memorial sermon.

B. Y. P. U. prayer meeting at 6 p. m. Topic, "The Sunday School as a Missionary Pioneer." Leader, Mrs. Anderson.

The Sunday evening service is a union Memorial service held in honor of the old soldiers.

The pastor closes his work with the church on Sunday evening, having rounded out four years with the church.

### A NEW SCHOOL.

A private school will be opened in Bloomfield Hills on Sept. 17, 1912.

It will be located on or near Woodward avenue. Pupils will be accepted at the kindergarten age, through the primary, grammar and advanced grades.

Application for admission should be made before July 1.

Any other information with regard to the school will be given on application to the principal, Miss Mary Eade, Birmingham. Phone 81.

### D. K. SMITH'S PIANOS.

D. K. Smith will have on exhibition at his store in Royal Oak, for a few days before delivering to purchaser, one of the beautiful, rich, sweet-toned Adam Schaff pianos. You may pay many dollars more elsewhere for a piano, but you will get no better instrument than this one.

Mr. Smith is selling many pianos this spring, desiring them attract to purchasers from the car, so this will be an opportunity to intending piano purchasers to see just how fine an instrument, the justly celebrated Adam Schaff piano is, and how small a price he is selling expenses make possible.

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### ADVERTISED LETTERS.

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LOCALS - 4:55 a. m., 5:12 a. m., 5:22 a. m., 5:52 a. m., 6:07 a. m., and half-hourly to 11:37 a. m., 12:02 p. m., and every 20 minutes to 6:22 p. m., 6:52 p. m., 7:22 p. m., 8:22 p. m., 9:22 p. m., 9:52 p. m., 10:52 p. m., 11:52 p. m.

NORTH-BOUND - Limiteds - 5:47 p. m., 6:07 p. m., 6:27 p. m., 6:47 a. m., 7:08 a. m., 7:28 a. m., 7:48 a. m., 8:03 p. m., 8:33 p. m., 9:03 p. m., 9:33 p. m., 10:33 p. m., 11:33 p. m., 12:03 a. m.

Additional cars from Birmingham car house to Pontiac at 11:15 a. m., 12:15 p. m. and 1:15 p. m.

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