

Royal Oak

Latest From Our Sister Village

Hal Gasmade a business trip to Ponton the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Halsey, of Rochester was in town Friday.

Lyle and Ethelyn McClelland were on the sick list last week.

Miss Vinka Russell has closed her school in Southfield and returned home.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shofan, of Southfield, a son, Lester Edward.

There will be a special meeting of Royal Oak Lodge F. & A. M. this Friday evening.

Mrs. Elizabeth Brice attended the funeral of Mrs. Whitney Matthews held in Pontiac recently.

The busiest and most conveniently located grocery store in our village is G. S. Hallock's. Step in and buy a loaf of Butter Krust bread.

The little daughter of John Deer was badly bitten on her arm by a vicious dog last week. The wound was cauterized and it is thought that no bad results will develop.

Miss Eloise Goodale, who broke her arm last winter, had to have it broke over again last week in order for it to knit properly. She is getting along as well as could be expected.

Be sure to read the liner of R. Prouse. It will tell you where to call to have the Saturday Evening Post delivered to your home. There are some splendid yarns running just now in the post.

Dolena Prouse calls your attention in an advt to her location as an experienced chiropodist. After two years of splendid experience in Detroit she will locate in our midst. Do not fail to read her advt.

A. D. Kidder have all the desirable groceries in the most desirable location, right next to the postoffice. The next time you call for your mail just see how handy it is to step in there and you will be treated right too.

The case of the Mellen-Wright Lumber Co. vs. John Deer was adjourned last Saturday in Justice Rose's court by consent of both parties. Attorney George A. Dondero is the plaintiff's attorney while A. L. Moore of Pontiac is looking after the defendants interests.

When a freight on the Grand Trunk pulled into this station Sunday evening about 9 o'clock, the crew discovered that one of the box cars was all ablaze. They immediately disconnected the car from the rest of the train and ran it on the side track where it was allowed to burn. It was a Pennsylvania line car and was loaded with lime consigned to Pontiac. It is supposed that the lime got wet in some way and got afire and was burning for a long time inside before it was noticed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson swore out a warrant Friday morning for the arrest of her husband, Charles H. Johnson and Mrs. Anna Jackson, who skipped off together leaving her entirely destitute, the couple taking all the cash and other available things they could lay their hands on. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have been married about 10 years and lived neighbors to the Jackson family in Urbanest. Mrs. Johnson goes out working by the day and it was while she was away that the couple took their departure. Mrs. Jackson has always been looked upon as a very religious woman and why she would do anything like this is a mystery. Mrs. Johnson says her rent is past due and she is unable to pay. She states that in the 10 years they had lived together he was very kind and provided for her well and she is of the opinion that the Jackson woman exerted some kind of an influence over him to make him do as he did. She is anxious that the guilty party may be speedily apprehended and brought to justice. She thinks they are somewhere in Detroit. They are colored people.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fields last week, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Silman spent Sunday with friends in Milford.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lederle, a son, on Sunday morning. The young gentleman's name is William John.

The Royal Tigers will play the M. B. A.'s of Detroit this Sunday at Lafayette park. Come out and enjoy the game.

Miss Sadie Hammond has been granted a third grade certificate to teach this year. We congratulate her on her success.

Episcopal services will be held at the town hall next Sunday. Morning prayer and sermon at 10:45. Sunday school at 9:30. All welcome.

Why is it that some dogs in the village are licensed and others are allowed to run at large without being licensed? Echo answers, WHY?

Now that warm weather has arrived, laundry work is the great problem of the housewife. In our town a fully equipped steam laundry is doing most excellent work. C. H. Clark is the experienced proprietor. Read his advt.

The Royal Oak Tigers beat out the Peerless A. C., of Detroit, Sunday afternoon by a 6 to 5 score. About 500 people witnessed the locals cop the honors by a strong finish Batteries-Dolby, Hyde, Robbins; Doering and Hendricks.

We wish to thank the Realty Co., for their prompt clean up of the lot adjoining the town hall. Friday evening and lo, a match touched here and there worked marvels toward the further beauty of Main street. We thank you, gentleman, again.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Hoodless, former residents here but now of Harbor Beach, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Payne this week. Mr. Hoodless attended the Grand lodge F. & A. M. in Detroit as a representative of the Royal Oak lodge.

"Bought by money I earned all myself." Such is a lad's happiest saying. Ferris Gardner, agent for the Detroit Evening News, is the proud owner of a bicycle purchased by money earned by the sale of papers. Never was there a more industrious or prouder lad than Ferris with his new bike.

"Michigan bids fair to be a leader in the middle west in granting suffrage to its women," declares the Sault St. Marie News. "The old argument that the home is woman's only sphere does not answer arguments advanced by those favoring woman suffrage. It is acknowledged that votes for women would bring an increased number of intelligent electors into politics, and no one can deny that the country demands such a boon."

A dwelling house two miles south of this village on Woodward avenue owned by Mr. Barnard in Detroit and occupied by Ernest Hunt, caught fire in some way Sunday afternoon and burned to the ground, together with all its contents, the family just saving the clothes they wore. The house was an old structure and very dry and it is supposed that it caught fire from a spark from the chimney dropping on the roof. The loss on the house and contents is approximately \$1,000 with no insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Hunt have had their share of trouble, having all been sick with scarlet fever, the quarantine having been removed only recently.

ARE THANKFUL. D.K. Smith's Royal Oak Store News

The Michigan Children's Home Society Thankful for Contributions From Our Two Towns.

Our business is increasing wonderfully fast, customers coming from miles around, from all over Detroit, Highland Park, Birmingham, Pontiac, and even further away, to say nothing of mail orders out in this and other States. At one time Saturday night we had customers from all the above towns at the store. There is a reason for all this growth. It is because our selling expense of only 5 per cent to 10 per cent allows us to sell for much less than the usual store price of 28 per cent to 37 1/2 per cent allows other stores.

GOOD GOODS LOW

It is on the good, worth-while grades of goods that you save the most here. And then in buying we are looking ahead. Last week we bought for next fall about 1,000 pairs of Bed Blankets, because they are very low in price and will probably soon raise.

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A lot of Sample Petticoats just received, go at less than the wholesale prices.

STRAW HATS GALORE

See our wonderful value in Men's genuine Panama Hats at 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

A big line of Men's \$1.00 Fancy Shirts at 50c.

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Men's 50c Underwear, 39c.

A good line of Poroskint Underwear.

A big line of Ladies', Boys' and Children's Underwear.

REFRIGERATORS

Buying so many we get the jobbers' prices on the celebrated Leonard, Grand Rapids, Cleanable Refrigerators. We have the cheap Refrigerators, but nowhere else can you get the genuine one-piece Porcelain-lined Leonard Cleanable Refrigerator in a good size at only \$75.30.

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Perfection 3-burner Oil Stoves, a new shipment, expected to sell at only \$7.88.

You save 10 per cent by buying Gasoline Stoves here as well as getting the best, for we sell the genuine Quick-Meal Stoves, which are in a class by themselves as to quality. If nothing else, is it any more important to get the best?

LACE CURTAIN PURCHASE

Perhaps you think you have got bargains before in Lace Curtains, but when you see the values that a clean-up purchase I have just made of about 500 pairs, you will think you paid two prices for your former bargains. Regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 values at 89c a pair. A lot of 3, 4 and 5-pair lots of very rich fine Curtains, that sold regularly for \$5.00 to \$7.50 a pair, go at \$3.00 to \$4.00 a pair. All kinds and styles in these lots. Beautiful new Scrim Portiers also very low.

Yours very sincerely,
THE MICHIGAN CHILDREN'S HOME SOCIETY, per Mrs. CORA LAMPING, State Superintendent, St. Joseph, Mich. May 24th, '12.

James Therio, Iron River, finds Foley's Honey and Tar Compound a family medicine that helped all the family, so he always keeps it on hand. "Both my children and I were troubled with bad coughs and we used Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It certainly cured me and I recommend it as a good cough and cold cure." For sale by all druggists.

OBITUARY.

Died at her late residence in Troy, May 14, 1912, of apoplexy, Valina Butolph, wife of John N. Lowry, in the 58th year.

She leaves beside her husband, three children, Arthur Lee, Blanche and Allan, all at home; three brothers and three sisters, Dr. C. S. Butolph, Julia C. Butolph and Henry J. Butolph, of Pontiac; Mrs. Lucy B. Gerls of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Luther D. Allen of Bloomfield Hills and Dr. W. H. Butolph of Kenton, Ohio.

Mrs. Lowry was a kind and affectionate wife, a devoted mother and enjoyed the love and respect of a host of admiring friends, who deeply sympathize with the husband and children in their great bereavement.

The funeral service was held from the home Thursday, May 23, at 2:30 p. m.

Owing to the fact that both Mrs. Lowry and her husband were deaf mutes, the character of the service was unusual. The impressive Episcopal ritual was read by Rev. F. F. Kraft of Birmingham, interpreter by Mr. Arthur Buchanan, a teacher at the state institution for deaf mutes at Flint, of which Mr. and Mrs. Lowry were graduates.

Nearer My God to Thee was sung by Miss Choate and interpreted by Mrs. John Menzies of Detroit.

Lead Kindly Light was sang by Mrs. Wm. R. Presser of Saginaw.

Burial was in Crooks cemetery, Troy.

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a. m., 7:47 a. m.,
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NORTH-BOUND - Limiteds - 5:47

p. m., 6:07 p. m., 6:27 p. m., 6:43 a. m., 7:03 a. m., every 20 minutes to 8:52 a. m.; 8:48 a. m. half-hourly to 1:48 p. m., 2:13 p. m., and every 20 minutes to 7:13 p. m.; 7:43 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.

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

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