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THE PUBLISHERS.

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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 elsewhere, and will do us a great favor.

Local

Everyone seems pleased with our oiled streets.

Miss Helen Shaw is with relatives in Cincinnati, O. for a short visit.

Miss Ethel Finnely, of Pontiac spent Sunday with Miss Beryl McClelland.

Be sure and attend the cake sale Saturday afternoon at 2:30 at Mr. Hoge's stote.

Stories of Avonlea and Kim are two new books just added to the Baldwin Memorial Libraey.

The D. U. R. has set out a fine flower bed on its depot grounds, and further improvements are to follow.

Miss Pauline Rohrer of Vassar, bnent last week with her cousin, Miss Marie Ferguson, on Woodward avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Walrath have returned to their home on Southfield avenue, after an outing at their farm north of Pontiac.

House to Rent—A fine modern home at 219 Ann St., seven rooms. Cozy. Comfortable. See Fred Taylor, at Barber Shop.

The Will of Mr. Martin Beekman provided for a monument on the graves of his mother and sister. It will be in place soon.

Editor House and family from Brown City, Mich, made us a pleasant call Monday. By auto to Orion, then 'Rah for Cadillaqua.

The Young People's society of the First Presbyterian church will hold a cake sale Saturday afternoon at Mr. Hoge's store.

The Grange, the Maccabees of the World, and the Federation of Labor, have all declared for Woman's. Suffrage in Michigan.

Young "Zim" son of J. N. Zimmerman of Owosso, a fine, manly young lad made us a pleasant call Monday. He was bound for Cadillaqua.

Don't, please don't throw papers, paper bags, tobacco boxes etc. etc. on our streets. We want your help for a clean, sanitary spotless town.

Mrs. W. D. Clizbe and daughter, Miss Marion, of Southfield ave. are visiting Mrs. Clizbe's brother, Bert Richardson in Bay City this week.

Don't forget the Exhibition of Woman's work at the home of Miss Baldwin, this (Friday) afternoon. Every one invited. Collection for the Village Improvement Society.

Mrs. John L. Pidd ard daughterr, Pearl and Hazel of Milwaukee, Wis., and Mrs. Erwine Thompson and children, Stuart and Grace, of Chicago, are visiting their sister, Mrs. William Campbell.

The Misses Hazel Welwood and Gladys Doherty of Marlette, who have been spending a few days with their aunt, Mrs. William Campbell, have gone to visit their brother, Mr. James Doherty in Detroit.

Mrs. A. W. Campbe'l left Saturday last for Alpena, where she will visit her son, D. W. Campbell, for three weeks or more. The Judge follows on Aug. 5th., and will return with the good lady after a week's visit for him.

Cadillaqua fever seems to have held our people all the week. The big crowds in Detroit surpass all previous history. Detroit people who viewed the Fir works did not reach their homes many of them until three A. M. Tuesday. Big doings and everybody happ .

Last week Wednesday Mr. Ed. F. Dani is struck for Jim Todd on his 5 acre farm, one mile south of our village, a flowing well,—a regular gusher that beats the beater for many a day. Jim is so happy over the event that he has sure signs of Cadillaqua fever.

W. E. Murchie will make a hustle for the office of County Surveyor in the Primaries. He is now circulating petitions for the nomination. After the nomination all his friends irrespective of politics will vote for him. He is a sober, honest young man and when elcted will fill the office with honor to hi self and to his constituency.

Get ready for the fourth annual Masonic picnic Aug. 20 at Bois Blanc.

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Mr and Mrs. John Shea, Mrs. Grace Sanborn and son of Detroit were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Edwards.

Mrs. Frank Pike has returned to her home in Fairgrove, after a two weeks visit with Mrs. T. Edwards on Woodward avenue.

L. H. Rousseau, the versatile Carrier of Rural Route, No. 1, is enjoying his annual vacation. No work. No worry. Just a needed rest all the time.

Dr. and Mrs. Walter McBride, of Portland, spent Wednesday with their parents here, leaving Thursday for Toronto and other Canadian points.

Mr. George Ford, son of Arthur, is home for a few days vaestion. George's looks show prosperity of the Progressiveness kind in its broadest sense.

Mrs. J. Allen Bigelow is home again after several weeks visit with her daughter, Mrs. Neff, of Foxboro, Mass. She has enjoyed a delightful visit and trip.

Since the Story & Clark Piano Co come to town, we have seen more pianos on drays than ever before in a whole year. Verily, they are the busy boys among the piano buyers.

Mrs. Elizabeth Thurlby with her two daughters, Mrs. Matilda Rundell and Mrs. George Hupp with little Virginia, and Robert Wilson of Youngstown, Ohio, have taken a cottage at Pine Lake for the summer.

Miss Jennie Fairbane of Essex, Ont. is spending several weeks with her cousin, Miss Irene Phillips, of Woodward ave. To say that the little Misses are having a good time would be putting it rather mild.

Mr. J. R. Waters of Detroit, was a delegate to the National Prohibition Convention at Alantic City, N. J. On his return trip he spent some time in Washington, D. C. Mr. Waters is a nephew of Mrs. Fuller, on Pierce st.

The death rate in the Panama canal zone has decreased over 90 per cent since the U. S. government scientists, in cooperation with the local canal authorities have succeeded in eliminating the mosquito. Get a bottle of Rexall Skeeter Skoot, at Shain's and be safe 10c. and 25c.

Owing to a notice received from the Post Office department at Washington D. C. we are told not to mail the Eccentric to subscribers who are one year and over behind unless we put a penny stamp on each paper. Wow! Look at the date after your name and see how YOU stand. Try it.

Again one on the Grand Trunk R. R. For obstructing the Stanley crossing 40 minutes last week, on complaint of Mr. Ed. J. Ferguson, the Company drew a judgement from Justice A. W. Campbell that cost $14.14. Attorney John H. Patterson, of Pontiac, saved his Company the usual fine of $25 by his earnest effective pleading.

The ladies of the Aid Society of the Methodist church have decided to postpone their regular monthly meeting until August 23rd. on account of so many of the members being out of town. At that time the annual election of officers will take place and supper will be served to all who will come. Only 15 cents gets you all you can eat. MRS. HANNA, Secretary.

Mrs. Heathcote entertained at luncheon, Mesdames E. J. Newell, G. B. Hoops, M. Bing, S. J. Bradt, F. M. Sage, A Bricker and E. I. Chase, of the Comet Club of Detroit, Friday July 19th. The ladies enjoyed a game of cards in the afternoon. Everyone voted it one of the most enjoyable times they had spent. Everything was done in Mrs. Heathcote's hospitable Heath Cote way.

The McStay brothers, Stokes and Jim, of Helix, Ore., sent us postals from their far west home and prove their being actual and real farmers. Jim is shown plowing in the Oregon hills with 5 seven horse team and he looks capable of handling them easily. Of couse Jibletts McStay is over at Pendleton, enjoying the Round Up, an annual event. Mr. McKay is shown sting a high jumper, an exciting event. Thanks boys for the cards.

One of our subscribers is "hot under the collar" and for this reason. On July 22nd, Senator Fall from New Mexico made this statement on the floor of the senate hall in Washington. "That while China and Germany had exacted retribution from Mexico for indignities upon their citizens, these great United States had not even taken notice of the complaints and protests which Americans had many and many times sent to Wassington This being true, we ought to be ashamed of our State Department and the head of our Great Nation.

Birmingham U. P. Church Notes

Services at Birmingham. Preaching service at 11 o'clock. Sabbath school at 10 o'clock.

U. P. C. U meeting at 6 p. m.

Service at Troy congregation at 1:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 2:30.

Wednesday evening meeting prayer at 7:15. All are cordially invited to attend these meetings and your presence will be appreciated.

WILSON REID, pastor.

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Admiral Turns Artist.

Admiral Charles Henry Davis, U. S N., retired, began studying art at sixty-three, and within four years has become one of the foremost American water color landscape artists. He now has thirty-two pictures on exhibition at the Corcoran art gallery in Washington, and says he has only started on his art career. Raus mit Osiarl—Nashville Tennessean.

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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, in said county, on the 9th day of July, A. D. 1912. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of

ALBERT BABCOCK, Deceased.

May Babcock 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 May Babcock, the executrix named in the will of said deceased, or to some other suitable person,

It is ordered that the 3d day of August, 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. 12jul-2aug

HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT

State of Michigan, County of Oakland, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, made on the 22d day of July, A. D. 1912, four months from that date were allowed to creditors to present their claims against the

Estate of Elizabeth Pritchard,

Late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office in the City of Pontiac, for examination and allowance, on or before the 26th day of October next, and that such claims will be heard before said Court, on Saturday, the 26th day of October next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day. Dated June 22, A. D. 1912.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Clerk.
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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 5 th day of July, A. D. 1912. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of

JOSEPH GRAVELIN, Deceased.

Joseph Gravelin, Jr., administrator, having filed in said Court a petition praying for the allowance of his final account, distributing the assets of said estate and discharging said administrator,

It is ordered that the 10th day of August, 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 publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Birmingh m Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
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NORTH-BOUND — Limited — 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., 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.

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COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Miriam Jane Curtis, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed by the Honorable Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate in and for the County of Oakland, S ate of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said estate, and four months from the 8th day of July, A. D. 1912, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present them to us for examination and adjustment, notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 9th day of September, 1912, and on the 8th day of November, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day, at the First National Bank of Birmingham, in the Village of Birmingham, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting said claims.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN, IN THE CIRCUIT Court for the County of Oakland. In Chancery. Henry A. Miller, complainant, vs. Unknown heirs of William Ives, Jr., unknown heirs of Franklin Foster, unknown heirs of Thomas Stevens, defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in Chancery, June 22, 1912.

It satisfactorily appearing to the Court, by the affidavit of Henry A. Miller one of the that William Ives, Jr., Franklin Foster and Thomas Stevens are dead, and that the names, residences and whereabouts of their said heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns are unknown, on motion of Patterson & Patterson, solicitors for complainant, it is ordered that the unknown heirs of William Ives, Jr., unknown heirs of Franklin Foster and unknown heirs of Thomas Stevens cause their appearance to be entered herein within four months from the date of this order, and in case of their appearance that they cause their answer to complainant's bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof to be served upon said complainant's solicitors within twenty days after the serving on them of a copy of said bill and notice of this order, and in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by said defendants. It is further ordered that within twenty days from the date hereof that the complainant cause a copy of this order to be published in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper published and circulating in the County of Oakland, and that such publication be continued once in each week for six successive weeks, or that they cause a copy of this order to be personally served upon said defendants at least twenty days before the time prescribed for their appearance.—Dated, Pontiac, Mich., June 17, 1912.

GEORGE W. SMITH.

Please take notice that the above-entitled suit is brought to quiet title to the following-described real estate, as set forth in said bill of complaint, and to remove certain clouds on the title thereto, towit: The entire southeast quarter of section fourteen, in the township of Southfield, Oakland county, Michigan.

PATTERSON & PATTERSON,
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Business address: Pontiac, Mich. 8jun-8aug

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Elmer R. & Charles P. Webster, Attorneys - at - Law, Treadway Building, Pontiac, Michigan.

MORTGAGE SALE.

Whereas default has been made in the payment of principal and interest overdue on a mortgage dated February 20, 1905, made by Albert M. Eckler, and his wife, Sarah J. Eckler, to the People's Loan & Investment Company, of Pontiac, Michigan, a corporation, and recorded in Oakland County Register's office, February 20, 1905, at 5 o'clock p. m. in Liber 167 of Mortgages, on pages 232 and 233, and the whole amount claimed to be due and unpaid thereon at this date is the sum of two hundred and thirty-two dollars and six cents ($232.06), of principal and interest, and also thirty-five dollars as an attorney fee, as provided for in said mortgage and by law, and no suit or proceeding at law has been instituted to recover the same or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative; notice is therefore hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and of the statute in such case made and provided, the premises described in said mortgage will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front or easterly door of the Court House, in the City of Pontiac, Oakland county, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for said county is held), on the THIRD DAY OF AUGUST, 1912, at 10 o'clock a. m., which said premises are described as follows, towit: The south west quarter of the southeast quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter, all on section thirty, in Town 3 North, Range 9 East, being the Township of White Lake, Oakland county, Michigan, containing sixty acres of land, more or less—Dated April 29, 1912.

THE PEOPLE'S LOAN & INVESTMENT COMPANY, of Pontiac, Michigan, a corporation, Mortgagee.

ELMER R. & CHARLES P. WEBSTER, Attorneys for Mortgagee. Business address: Pontiac, Michigan. 3mar-jul26

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HEARING CLAIMS BEFORE COURT

State of Michigan, County of Oakland, ss. Notice is hereby given, that by an order of the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, made on the 2d day of July, A. D. 1912, four months from that date were allowed creditors to present their claims against the

Estate of Margaret Stickney,

Late of said county, deceased, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Probate Court, at the Probate office in the City of Pontiac, for examination and allowance, on or before the 30th day of November next and that such claims will be heard before said Court on Saturday, the 30th day of November next, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day.—Dated July 2, A. D. 1912.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Clerk. 12jul-3aug

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