

ROYAL OAK

Miss Edith Esemann has commenced her school in Troy.

Miss Jessie Cavanaugh was a recent guest of her parents.

Attorney E. B. Howarth of Rochester was a business caller in town Saturday.

Miss Gladys McClelland, of Shaftsburg, recently visited her cousin, Clara Schrader.

Miss Helen Black spent a few days in Port Huron the guest of her friend Miss Helen Farr.

Lucene Fournier and family returned last week from Grayling where they spent seven weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward, of Chicago, Ill., visited at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. L. Mellen, last week.

Miss Ethel Kenney has returned from South Dakota, where she has been spending the summer.

The Misses Minnie and Theodosia Goodfellow of Ewart, were the guests of their brother Theodore the past week.

Nathan Goodfellow, of Ovid, was the guest of his brother Theodore a short time last week returning home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cutting and daughter Clara of Baltimore Md., visited at the home of Mrs. Wm. Lucas the past week.

The Royal Oak Tigers will play the D. U. R.'s on the home grounds Sunday, Sept. 15. The game will be called at 2:30.

D. W. Barnard, the busy grocery man, was the lucky individual to draw the shawl raffled by Mrs. Jay Harris. The lucky number was 89.

Harry Parent entertained at his home on Forest View avenue two of his old classmates, Mr. A. Menjon and Mr. N. Phillips, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Carl and Louis Hoberg of Brooklyn, N. Y., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Puvogel and Freddie Puvogel were recent guests at the home of Fred Puvogel.

The funeral of Wm. Hartwig was held from his late residence in this village Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock and the remains were taken to Greenfield for interment.

Stanley Fiertz, aged nine, who was shot in the eye by a playm to last week, spent several days with his grandmother, Mrs. E. Fiertz, of Clawson. The accident occurred in Clawson and the lad is being treated in Detroit.

Miss Margaret J. Bilz, of Spring Lake, addressed a large audience in the Congregational church recently. Miss Bilz spoke along the lines of temperance and the freedom of women in the progress of the world's activities. She is the granddaughter of Rev. O. C. Thompson, a former pastor of the Congregational church.

August Mandel, of this township, died at the home of his son-in-law in Detroit last week Thursday, as the result of being kicked by a horse. He had driven to the city and while harnessing one of his horses kicked him. At the time he felt no bad effects from the injury, but he gradually took a turn for the worse and soon expired.

Park Flewelling, of Bay City, was entertained by his uncle, Finley Flewelling.

Mr. H. Oberlin Black and bride of Winnipeg, on their return from New York City, were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. F. E. Flewelling.

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Joseph Brooks is a Circuit court jury man now at Pontiac.

The Miller boys have their silo up except the top and it is a dandy.

Miss Grace Haack started her school last Monday.—the Jackson school.

Volney B. Miller is having some painting done, and C. C. St. Clair is on the job.

Miss Lulu Jackson is home from the Spaulding Normal. She will return to school the first of October.

G. P. Hansen is overhauling his house. When finished he will practically have a new home, as G. P. never does anything by halves.

A Home-Coming at Redford all last Saturday. Greased pig, greased polo and refreshments. This annual meet will be regularly held hereafter.

Miss Eva Abbott has returned to Clyde, and resumed her duties as school teacher in the district where she has successfully taught for two years past.

L. H. Rousseau on the old Wm. Soules' farm has 12 to 14 acres of corn and corn-stalks for sale per acre standing, one mile west of Woodward ave. on the 12 Mile Road. Address, L. H. Rousseau, Birmingham, Mich. 2

Now that Dr. C. M. Raynale and the Rt. Rev. Jamieson are back from the Northwest, Look Out for fish stories. They spent 6 weeks camping out and had a good time every minute. Now, if you want a good story, just ask the Doctor to tell you the story about the judge, the whiskey, the silver-wares and the Deering house etc. If you don't laugh I'll eat the greaser.

Last Saturday evening while Charles McClure and John Cavanaugh were driving to Birmingham at the Deep Run Stock Farm, an automobile going south struck the buggy, smashing it, throwing the occupants 30 feet, horse running away. The auto hit so hard it turned completely around and was headed towards Pontiac. The auto owner settled all damages. No bones were broken.

LeVerne Levensaler, of Royal Oak, will build a nifty moving picture show building on the old Poppleton corner just north of the business section. Ground was broken the first part of the week for the long desired play house of Birmingham. Baxter & O'Neil architects of Detroit, have designed a pretty building and the show will be in operation within a short time. Over the front of the building the name of the theatre will be displayed in electric lights and Mr. Levensaler will conduct a contest for a name, the prize being \$10 worth of tickets. Notice of the contest will be published soon.

PRIZES OFFERED.

The College Equal Suffrage League of Detroit offers prizes of \$5, \$3 and \$2 for essays on Equal Suffrage under the following conditions and regulations.

Subject—Equal Suffrage.

Eligibility—Boys and girls 15 to 18 years inclusive, residents of Michigan.

Length—Minimum 500, maximum 1,000 words.

The following rules must be observed:

1. Use rhetoric paper.
2. Write in ink on one side of paper only.
3. Do not fold or roll manuscript.
4. Name and address of writer shall accompany MS. in a sealed envelope. The MS. shall have no signature.
5. The essays shall be graded on the following points:
 1. Subject matter.
 2. Arrangement of material.
 3. English construction.
 4. General appearance of MS.

Essays shall be sent to Mrs. Josephine Noring Keel, 285 Medbury avenue, Detroit, Mich., and must be received by Oct. 15.

What's the News

The Detroit News
Detroit Free Press
Detroit Saturday Night
And All Sporting Extras
Are on sale at
Miner & Ferguson's
Birmingham

REPORT OF THE CONDITION
OF THE
First State Savings Bank
At Birmingham, Michigan, at the close of business September 4, 1912, as called for by the Comptroller of the Banking Department.

Loans and discounts, viz:	
Commercial	\$2,800,000.00
Real estate	1,200,000.00
Government	100,000.00
Overseas	100,000.00
Other	100,000.00
Total	\$4,400,000.00
Deposits, viz:	
Current	\$1,500,000.00
Savings	1,000,000.00
Time	1,500,000.00
Total	\$4,000,000.00
Reserve fund	\$1,000,000.00
Surplus	100,000.00
Total	\$5,100,000.00

Capital stock paid in \$200,000.00
Undivided profits, net 1,875.00
Dividends in arrears 2.51
Commercial deposit 100,000.00
Savings deposit 1,000,000.00
Time deposit 1,500,000.00
Total deposits 2,500,000.00
Reserve fund 1,000,000.00
Surplus 100,000.00
Total assets \$5,100,000.00

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, ss: I, Thomas H. Cobb, Cashier of the above named bank, do hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, and correctly sets forth the true state of the affairs of the bank in all the particulars therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

THOMAS H. COBB, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of September, 1912. JAMES W. COBB, Notary Public.
My commission expires July 1, 1916.

FRANK FORD, President.
T. B. SMITH, Director.

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No. 22, O. E. S.
Meets the fourth Wednesday in each month.
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Solicitor in Chancery
Pontiac Michigan

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Fill the Family Jar with fruit from McCormick's Quality Fruit. Grow on our own farms in Michigan. Free Catalog and "Tree Selections": Bing Cherry, Golden Pippin and White Hairy Hamlin. \$5. McCormick Nursery Co., 55 Elm Street, Monroe, Mich. *Solewholesale Wanted.*

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How About School Shoes?

This week the school bell calls the children back to their studies. To get each one suitably shod is the first step. It will be the easiest part of all if you come here.

Sturdy Shoes for Boys and Girls in Gunmetals, Vic' Kid, Patent and Tans, at prices that are right.

Bring the children here for School Shoes.

Henry Paul
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Lifelong Eccentric Dresser.
An old man who recently passed away in Whittinsville, Wash., during the "original" winter season, was wearing worn stockings—because he hated the feeling of them; nor had he worn anything but a straw hat, summer and winter alike, to keep as he expressed it, rain and snow from going down his neck.

ALL ROADS LEAD TO DETROIT-STATE FAIR WEEK

Michigan State Fair
The Fair of An Unexcelled 50c Agricultural and Industrial Exhibition for

MANY of you have not yet seen a Fair that is so big, so grand, so interesting and so profitable as the Michigan State Fair. It is the only Fair in the world that is so big, so grand, so interesting and so profitable. It is the only Fair in the world that is so big, so grand, so interesting and so profitable. It is the only Fair in the world that is so big, so grand, so interesting and so profitable.

A Butcher Who Sells a Lot of Meat Can Sell it for a Smaller per lb. Profit

That profit-sharing idea ours is based on **VOLUME OF BUSINESS**, or it would be mere talk. If we sell two pounds of meat instead of one, we can thrive on a smaller per pound profit.

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Our Vegetables and Fruits are, strictly fresh.

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Parliensens Learn to Box.
The Fair Parliens has taken up a new pursuit, boxing among women is becoming fashionable in the "Princ" capital. Several well known social women who belong to fencing clubs, have introduced teachers of the manly art, and are becoming experts in the use of their fists.

What the Backward Child Needs.
The backward child can hardly ever be helped in a private school, however excellent it may be, because what the backward child needs is not coaching but expert observation and diagnosis.—From Reta Childs Dorris' "The Child That is Different," in the Century.

Have Your Teeth Fixed While Visiting State Fair

It will only take a little time. You can write today for appointment, and when you come you'll be ready for you and you won't waste a minute. Everybody is WELCOME to our offer of a **FREE EXAMINATION**, and then we can tell exactly what it will cost to fix your teeth perfectly, and we will not be under any obligations whatever. Visit the largest and most popular Dental Parlors in Detroit.

OFFICE HOURS
Daily from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.
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FILLINGS 50c UP
Filling a tooth quickly, with less pain than the best filling, is one of our specialties. **Silver Fillings 50c up; Gold Fillings \$1 up.**

BRIDGE WORK \$3-\$4
Bridge-work, or teeth without a plate, is built onto teeth on either side. Will match correctly. Just the thing for missing teeth. **\$3-\$4 Bridge-work \$3-\$4.**

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Our sets fit absolutely—match your own teeth. No pain. No operation. No waiting. **\$10 Sets of Teeth \$5; \$15 Sets \$8.**

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SOME of the most interesting and profitable features of the Michigan State Fair are the exhibits of the various agricultural and industrial products of the State. These exhibits are not only interesting to the general public, but they are also very profitable to the exhibitors. The Michigan State Fair is the only fair in the world that is so big, so grand, so interesting and so profitable.

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It Will Be the One Fair in All America. Come and See It and be Satisfied.