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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.

HOME

Mrs. Flora Beattie is busy building another house in the Campbell subdivision, corner of Palm and Chester street.

HOUSE TO RENT—Nine room house on Brown street. Will rent furnished or unfurnished. Apply at Eccentric office, phone 11. 2

Charles Earl of Detroit has bought a lot from Mrs. Hannah E. Ellenwood on Maple avenue east, and will build a fine home thereon.

Friday—nearly everybody in town went to the state fair. There was not enough people in town to be counted. It beat Sunday all to bits.

The new building of Miller & Levanseler, on the O. Poppleton lot, to be used by them for a photo play building is going rapidly ahead. Men are now laying the wall.

Have you looked over our new and revised list of farms and other real estate for sale? You will find it on the third page of this paper and is well worth your attention.

An exchange says, "Mrs. Nancy Wood, aged 94, of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, took her first train ride the other day." Maybe Nancy Wood have ridden sooner if she'd had the chance.

A prisoner in the county jail evidently decided to tell the naked truth at his examination before Judge Stockwell recently. When the turnkey went after him he found him in a state of nature with his clothes torn to ribbons.

Calvin Ellenwood has bought out the draying interest of Garry Terwilliger of the Birmingham Cartage Co. Mr. Frank Luth started the first of last week in the same business but became insane.

They are kicking up a frightful row over that shooting affair at Jackson and we may have war with Turkey about it yet,—and Thanksgiving only a couple of months away. Well, the royal bird will be so high by that time that a country editor will be unable to look one in the face anyhow—so why worry?

We have recently made arrangements whereby you can secure one of those desirable lots on the new Birmingham Heights subdivision by the payment of a small amount in cash and the balance on long time and easy terms. Better secure one of these desirable building sites before they are all sold. Ask Whitehead for particulars at the First National Bank.

Herbison Bros. secured numerous premiums at the state fair on their Red Polled cattle, and H. B. Wattles and S. B. Wattles Jr. walked away with many of the prizes in the Jersey class, while W. T. Barbour of Briar Bank let his competitors know that he was entitled to consideration by taking numerous ribbons in the riding and driving horses class.

Politics in this vicinity are dead quiet. The democrats wear a smile that won't come off. The "Let-Well-Enough-Alone club" are satisfied with their work, believing that they have killed off nearly all Roosevelt ideas. The Woman Suffrage movement is alive and listened to a speech delivered on the Hoge corner Saturday night by Miss Ida Hulin, accompanied by martial music. "Hark! The Bugle Call!" is their motto for bringing out the people and it does it.

Frank Luth, son of Wm. Luth of this village, was taken to the Pontiac asylum by Sheriff Tripp and Deputy Sheriff W. E. Murchie, declared to be insane. Two years ago while working on a job for George Dawson at his farm, he attempted to slide down a rope connected with a hay fork, lost his hold and fell to the floor striking his head. Ever since this accident he has not acted right, and lately became very violent. He is 30 years of age, teamster, and got it into his head that some one was after him or going to poison his team. Armed with a Winchester rifle with 18 cartridg , it took quite a little maneuvering to disarm the crazy and demented man.

A new house is being built by John Beard on Merrill street.

Mrs. Alice Hanns and daughter, Ida visited as Warren last Friday.

FOR SALE:—A fine weanling colt. A. N. Dean, Big Beaver, phone, 67 L-3. 2

Don't fail to read the new advt. of Bell Bros. & Lajoie. It is certainly appetizing.

WANTED:—An experienced girl to work in a laundry. Inquire, C. H. Clark, Royal Oak. Phone, 66. 2

The widow of George Hicks who died in Pontiac, 1898. Mrs. Elizabeth Brown Hicks died in Detroit, Saturday last.

H. G. Spencer & Co. rise to remark in their new advt. that,—well perhaps you'd better read it, they say it better than we can.

The Rebecca Pride of Oakland Lodge, I. O. O.F. will hold its anniversary meeting Wednesday evening, October 2nd. All Rebeccas welcome. Blanche Heth, Secretary.

The wedding of Miss Dora Simonson and Mr. Fred Allen of Pontiac was duly observed Wednesday of last week Miss Simonson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Simonson.

Mrs. Sarah Sutton has returned from a visit with relatives in Hartford, Conn., and other eastern cities. Mrs. I. N. Baker is a niece of this lady and is very glad to have her back again with her.

Drs. D. M. Johnston and Fred G. Crawford, after 10 years of partnership have dissolved the business relation. After Oct. 1, Dr. Fred Crawford will be found in his new offices in the Ford block, corner of Woodward and Maple avenues.

Well, what do you think of this? It was W. A. Sutherland who painted A. R. Parks' home instead of Johnnie D. VanEvery, as we stated last week. Painter Sutherland is now artistically decorating the pretty home of Mrs. L. Stauch on Pierce street.

Through the kindness of our martial music men, a goodly crowd was called out to hear Rev. Ida Hultin's talk on Equal Suffrage, Saturday evening last. Unfortunately, when she had fairly started the rain came on driving many people away. But, despite the rain many stopped. We hope to hear her again before November 5.

Why can't we have a Young Men's Club, to meet in a room fitted up for a gymnasium? Let a Girls Club have the use of it certain evenings. We are continually complaining of many things, but we are doing nothing to provide better surroundings. True, we have our Library, but after a day's work, one wants a little recreation. Let us all help.

Just before you cut off the home paper for a city journal remember when you have a big day, or want a little money for oil, or somebody to help to promote a show, or assist the church, or get out and rustle for good of the town, or boost business, or write you a nice obituary after you have passed on, and console, and all that sort of thing, —just remember the city editor has a terrible anxiety to run out here and do for all what we do,—perhaps. Did you ever think of that? Take a daily to be sure! Don't stop the Eccentric. It is a necessary evil and guards your interests at home. It is the fort, the artillery, the army and guns, a peacemaker and a scrapper right here on the job and a mighty good as well as a cheap investment for you.

We know that some of the publishers in our county are not complying to the postal ruling and do not place a le. stamp on papers over one year in arrears. If your paper reaches you this week under cover of a one cent postage stamp please rush to this office and rescue us from all danger. Some nice day when when the guinea hens are singing on the fence, an inspector from headquarters will come snooping around here just the same as the revenue inspectors do now and then unexpectedly. If other publishers care to violate the laws and take a chance; all right. But it looks to us like a corkscrew deal for publishers to lambaste the public for violating laws and then throw stones at the swans in the government pond themselves.

The Business Institute of Detroit, offers unexcelled facilities for a business training. To prove the necessity for a thorough business education for our young men and women needs no argument in these busy days. No better place in Michigan can be found in which to acquire a complete knowledge of general business practice, book-keeping and stenography, than The Business Institute, which occupies an entire building at 163 to 169 Cass Avenue, Detroit. The location is central (just north of Michigan avenue;) rooms are large, elegantly furnished and exceedingly well lighted; all the modern business appliances are used, and the system of teaching is up-to-date in every particular. The Institute catalogue will be sent Free to all interested on request.

Our old friend and former hardware merchant, Mr. I. Lee Truax, now of Meriden, Idaho, is visiting his many old friends, and all get a glad smile for a welcoming hand. Lee is now engaged in the fruit and realty business in in his home town and doing well, where the sun shines 24 hourseach day, and cold weather never goes below freezing. His family, Mrs. Truax and all of the three little hatchets, are just growing right along with the great and growing West. On his way here he stopped off for a day or so, to visit with the family of Robert Cowan, at Richfield, Idaho, and there unexpectedly met Volney Nixon and wife. Tableau! Mr. Truax goes on to Lansing and will visit relatives there before returning to his Western home. Out in his Idaho home, Mr. Cowan is also prospered and growing in wealth and influence.

Miss Ruby Jamieson is spending the week with friends in Saginaw.

Mr. Don Ferguson will attend the law college in Detroit this year.

Mrs. Sarah P. Carter is visiting relatives in Saginaw for a few weeks.

Mr. Aaron Levinson left this week for Ann Arbor where he will enter the literary department.

Miss Olive Denison of Detroit spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Charles Stearns.

Miss Maude Berry, after enjoying a two weeks vacation, returned to her work in the telephone office Monday.

Misses Stella and Leihla Billings of Pontiac, are spending the week with their sister, Mrs. L. D. Califf, on Bates street.

Mrs. Lou Reynolds and sister Miss Elsa Kauska left Monday for Denver, Colo., where they will make an extended visit.

Miss Mayme Daniels left Monday for Shreveport, La., after spending two weeks with her father, H. F. Daniels on Townsend street.

Read Mrs. Edith A. Baum's Royal Oak millinery advt. of Opening Days, which are Sept. 26 and 27. It is of interest to Birmingham ladies.

WANTED:—A large unfurnished room within one block of the ECCENTRIC office. Address, Barnaby, Eccentric office, with price, location etc. oct11.

LOST:—Knight Templar charm between the Grove greenhouse and Mr. O. E Shattuck's house on Woodward avenue. Finder return to Angus Carmichael, 206 Frank street, and receive $5.00 reward. 2

Walk-Over shoes must be good shoes for thieves broke into a freight car at the G. T. R'y and stole six pairs, belonging to M. Levinson. From the looks of the car it seems the rascals took their time and got fits.

The Foreign Missionary society of the First Presbyterian church, will meet with Mrs. Floyd, Pierce street, Wednesday afternoon, Oct. 2nd. at 3 o'clock. Subject; Persia. Leader, Mrs. Barr. A large attendance is desired.

Just strolling along the aisles of the agricultural building we noticed that James Bauman of Birmingham had drawn second prize for cut flowers at the state fair. And our resident Will Brown had captured first prize for palms too.

Flip, Doctor Shaw's most popular hound dawg in town last Monday, at the rail-road wreck was badly injured. He was professionally chloroformed, and it took nine humanitarium stitches to sew Flip up and make him good. He is breathing at this writing.

This Friday evening, the ladies of the First Presbyterian church, will hold a reception in honor of Mrs. Emma Snow, and Mrs. Emma Hupp, and their pastor, Dr. W. H. Jamieson, who has recently returned from his month's vacation spent in Canada; and also to the new comers.

Wm. H Smith's friends reminded him of his 79th. birthday anniversary, the fore part of this week. He received nearly a bushel of congratulatory cards. One from a dear old pal showing a stork busy at work, read: "Busy day for the Stork 79 years ago today in the Smith family."

Willits street on the Boom! Mr. M. W. Beals has bought out Claud Beltz' home on this growing thoroughfare. New sidewalks have been ordered along the street without much opposition on the North side. When Mr. B. gets through with his purchases and improvements, we will all want to go live on Willits street.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper is to be dispensed in the Southfield Covenanter church Sabbath, Sept. 29. Preparatory services will be held on Friday at 11 o'clock and on Saturday at 2 p. p. On Sabbath the service will begin at 10:30 a. m. Evening service at 7:30 The pastor will be assisted by Dr. W. P. Johnston, for many years president of Geneva college, who will preach at all the services.

Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Brown entertained the Button-Hole Club of the Baptist church, at the home of Mrs. Stewart, Maple avenue, Tuesday afternoon and evening. Forty five were present. The house was profusely decorated with flags. Refreshments were served in a darkened dining-room by candle light. A guessing contest was amusing. Mrs. Mary B. Cooper gave three pleasing readings. Everyone was delightfully entertained by the charming hostesses.

S. W. Clingan & Son who have rented Mr. Guy Watkins' place on Woodward avenue, took the following prizes at the state fair last week all on Shetland ponies: Four in hand or four abreast, third prize. Matched team, third prize. Under saddle, first, second, third and fourth prizes. Stallion three years old, fourth prize. Stallion one years old, second prize. Stallion colt, first prize. Mare three years old or over with colt under two, fourth prize. Mare one year old, second prize. Mare colt, first, second and third prizes.

Monday last while driving along Woodward avenue, Mr. Dr. F. W. Young of Evangeline Farm, and her two children, Margaret and Fred, in a pony outfit, were struck by an auto mobile going at a fast speed, thrown into a ditch, with the buggy on top of the frightened family, a la turtle. Fortunately the pony stood still, or some of the victims might have been killed. As it was Mrs. Young had a sprained ankle, and was bruised black and blue from head to foot. The buggy and harness were a total wreck. Dr. F. W. Young is determined to stop this fast auto driving, as this is the third mishap his family has had with autos. The owner of the auto is Joseph Berman of 74 State st. Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanna attended the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. John Bell of Clawson, on Tuesday.

FOR SALE:—Cheap, if sold at once 2 Golden Pheasant cocks, in full plumage. JOHN WILKINSON, 535 South field avenue. 2

House for rent or sale. On Quarton Road, near Woodward ave. Ready to occupy. Write, A. E. Quarton, B'ham, or call phone, 73-J. 2

Miss Viola Hauna returned from Chicago last Saturday where she had enjoyed a very pleasant two weeks visit. She starts for the Normal at Ypsilanti, to-morrow, Saturday.

If you did not see one of Alex. Groves or Will Perkins' big auction sale posters, you can read their entire lists, and get full particulars in another column. Hunt 'em up.

William B. Brown, florist, of Southfield ave. won 1st. prize at the State Fair on his handsome exhibition of palms. We heard many words of commendation for Brother Brown's corner.

Tomorrow is a big day for, and means much to Birmingham. Why? Because it is J. F. Rundel's big auction sale of lots in his sub-division, Wardell, the Detroit successful auctioneer has charge of the sale. Be sure to. All the afternoon.

The following left this week to attend the Michigan Agricultural college at Lansing: Misses Jennie Todd, Nina Johnston, and Messrs Allan Starr, George Henning, Ford Peabody, Austin Ford, Turner Broughton, Ralph Coryell and Archie Allen.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet in the church parlors, Friday Oct. 4th. Officers for the coming year are; President, Mrs. Van Auken; Vice Pres., Mrs. Rowe; Secretary, Mrs. Alice Hanna; Treasurer, Mrs. McDonald. Supper will be served after the meeting for only 15c.

The Shadbolts are traveling! George and Wm. are going west on a visit to relatives in Washington. They will be gone over a month. They will visit their brothers, Owen at Seattle, Fred at Auburn and a son of William's, Elvy, at Spokane. This certainly is the trip of the lives of the two Shadbolt brothers and we wish them a safe and pleasant trip.

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JOHN FURDY, Deceased.

Ann Furdy, executrix of the will of said deceased, having filed in said Court a petition praying for a decree allowing and settling her final account, distributing the assets of said estate in accordance with the terms of the will of said deceased, discharging said executrix and cancelling her bond.

It is ordered that the 28th day of September, 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.

(A true copy.) KLEBER P. ROCKWELL, Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. FRENENBURGH, Probate Clerk. 6-21sep

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