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**To Our Friends**  
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THE PUBLISHERS.

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**LEGALS**  
OF THE ECCENTRIC are requested when their legal notices in this publication. They will be set at no more expense than elsewhere, and will do in a great way.

**Friends**  
Get ready for the 4th. We celebrate the Fourth. Miss Bessie McDowal spent Sunday with the Wendorph family. Miss Alma Dana of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer La-Joie.

If there is anything Mr. W. T. Bradford wants he just asks for it in the Eccentric. Read what he wants in another column.  
M. H. Blunt, auctioneer, will sell for Dr. M. L. High, Prop., at auction Saturday June 28 '13 at one o'clock sharp, horses, a cow, four fat pigs, a wagon and plow, all farm tools etc. Terms easy. See big bills.  
Mrs. Sarah Vaughn of the township of Bloomfield, made a complaint against Philip Stison before Justice Campbell on June 12, for using indecent, immoral language before women and children, was brought into court by D. W. Bray, Deputy Sheriff, and was arraigned and plead not guilty thereto, the said case was adjourned to July 2, for trial.

Leonard Kolb of 990 Lotthrop avenue, Detroit, was brought before Justice Campbell by D. W. Bray, Deputy Sheriff, for violating the Motor Vehicle Speed Law, the said defendant was arraigned and plead guilty thereto, he claimed that his wife was sick and he was taking her to the Hospital in Detroit the reason that he was running so fast. The court passed sentence that he should pay a fine of \$15.00 and \$10.30 costs. He paid the fine and costs and was discharged.  
James Cole, Fred Major, and John McPherson was brought before Justice Campbell by D. W. Bray, Deputy Sheriff, and Ira Reed Constable, for being drunk and disorderly persons, they were arraigned and plead guilty thereto; the court passed sentence that each should pay a fine of \$5.00 and \$5.00 costs and default in the payment of the fine and costs shall be imprisoned in County Jail for a period of 20 days. The above names have been paid and the court thereupon discharged them.

He has a treat. Dr. C. M. Raynald at the request of Officer Fred Chastell, of the U. S. Federal Court of Detroit, is away on a trip helping Mr. Chastell get six victims of the late Mrs. Edna's deported people. People who are undesirable citizens and sent back home for that reason. The Doctor will visit New York city, visit friends and relatives in Conn., and in his way home, will stop off in Pennsylvania and do the same. Looking at the jaunt from any point it is just a good vacation for the M. D. who deserves it.  
At the home in Birmingham of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Malender, the daughter Edna was united in marriage on Wednesday last week to John E. McCormick, of Pontiac. Beside these only relatives of the bride were present. The bride is well known here, having lived in or near this place from her birth. She carries with her the hearty good wishes of many friends, especially among the young people of the Methodist Sunday school in which she has been an efficient officer for several years. Mr. McCormick is a conductor on the Pontiac division of the D. U. R. They will make their home in Pontiac.  
The Boston Stock farm owned by J. M. Bryson and under the successful management of Mr. Fred G. Kintz, has visited last week by four members of the Dairy Commission to inspect the farm barns and Mr. Bryson's herd of 115 cows. The commission were very pleased with their visit and no need, the sanitary part, the care of milk, condition of milch cows as high as good a per cent as any in the state and the highest best in Oakland Co. while the milk comes within four miles of as good as certified milk. Mr. King has good reason to be proud of his efficient work as caretaker of this large Stock farm and Mr. Bryson is correspondingly satisfied to over the result of the examination.

**Schools.**  
We celebrate the 4th. Born Wednesday the 28th, to Mr. and Mrs. James E. Poppers, a son. Alvin Mudge and Gordon Bailey are employed on a Detroit and Cleveland boat.  
Fred Blanding with his friend, Mr. Chapman, were Birmingham callers Monday.  
The Pontiac Press says: "High Robinson, 24, a painter, of Birmingham, has secured a marriage license and is to marry Estelle Kaiser, 19, a daughter of Albert Kaiser, of Royal Oak.  
Mrs. Viola DeNyse of New York City, Mrs. Harry Conroy and son Edward of Duluth, Minn., Mrs. J. D. Conroy and son Arthur of Duluth, Minn., and George of Jackson, were visitors of Mrs. Nellie Camp last week.  
You cast your eye over the entirely new list of real estate offerings in the Real Estate Exchange of Whitehead & Mitchell in another column this week.  
Soft snaps, ginger snaps, and snap-and-etch 'em. If you don't they'll be gone before you know it. Look 'em over and if you want to buy, ask Whitehead & Mitchell.  
The pleasant good sized gentleman who follows in the footsteps of Mr. Kilgore, agt. for the D. U. R. at the waiting room is Mr. Wm. D. Gerow, late of Detroit. Mr. Gerow's father is Mr. John A. Gerow, who bought the desirable hamlet on Greenwood Avenue, Mr. Geo. Newman. This gentleman is high up in office of the Knight Templars. He is Grand Recorder U. S. for this Order, and also Grand Recorder for Michigan.  
It may not be the costliest freight and passenger depot that the D. U. R. has, but certainly they have no prettier outfit anywhere on their lines than the one at Circle, to serve the fastidious tastes of their patrons in, around and among the Bloomfield hills. It is an architectural beauty. It will be heated with steam. It will have an agent there all the time to attend to the wants of their many patrons. In fact Circle is growing and will be a village all by itself soon. Remember what we told you.  
The three John's, John Allen Bigelow, John Wilkinson and John N. Heth, along with Israel Disbrow are well on their way to Gettysburg to represent this part of Michigan, where they will and the South meet to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the hardest fought and bloodiest three days battle of the Rebellion. This is a National event. Every state in the Union sends its old vets in the mass and tries to give them all a good time. Here is hoping that the Birmingham quartette go, have a good time, and safely return.  
The closing exercises of the Birmingham schools are over. The Class Day exhibition at the M. E. Church Monday night, followed by the Commencement exercises, the night after. Tuesday, closed the work for the Class of '12. Rev. Conley gave the Baccalaureate address at the Baptist church last Sunday night. All three events were well attended, in fact crowded and at each entertainment the pupils acquitted themselves with credit. The school year of 1912-13 is closed and with credit to the teachers, the Board and the pupils.  
There is just one thing that our village ought to do and do it very quick, and that is, oil Woodward avenue before the glorious Fourth. Our streets should be at their best that day. We shall entertain thousands of visitors and do want to have them in good time and clean streets. We cannot do it if the dust flies. We shall have ten street cars per hour, and hundreds and hundreds of visiting automobiles loaded with critzing people with us that day and it behooves our city fathers to be prepared for them with streets all clean and dust proof.  
The justly celebrated firm of hardware dealers Standart Bros. of Detroit celebrated the 50th anniversary of their business very nicely last week in the front row of a picture showing 25 prominent members of this firm as published by the Detroit Free Press, sits Canceled B. Sayles third only from Mr. Standart, President, the original partner in this business. Mr. Sayles is in the front row, and we are proud of him for he is a sure enough Birmingham boy, a graduate of our High School, and has proven up good in every way. He still has a warm time for Birmingham in his heart, and his last visit here was in attendance at the West, Pa. funeral.  
The first gift distribution of the Family Theatre as conducted by Mr. F. Smith, its present proprietor, came off last Monday as announced, and gave entire satisfaction to all. The drawing takes place on the stage. The winning number must be present to claim the prize. It was agreed that the tenth number out of the box should be the "winner." The tenth number did not answer "here" so another number was drawn. Nothing doing. Then the next number out was 06284, and was joyfully answered by Master Richard Carpenter Hewitt, who went forward to the stage and returned with a five dollar gold piece in his hand and a smile an inch thick all over his six year old face. All attending the Family Theatre from now till next Saturday's rehearsal will receive a number. Those that will give them a chance to draw a \$7 leather rocker, now on exhibition at Daines and Bell's Furniture Store. The next prize to be offered will be a \$7 Kodak from the stock of Chas. J. Shain. No use of expecting to win the prize unless you are there Monday nights at the drawing, people. These prizes and the shows that Mr. Smith is giving our people are very popular. We had a narrow escape from being the winners, came within 170 of it.

Miss Chapman and sister Mrs. Given are spending Commencement week in Ann Arbor.  
For Sale: Eleven acres of good timothy hay, standing. Phone Stanley Todd, at 86.  
Miss Ruth Whitney is enjoying the hospitality of the Mitchell home, the guest of Miss Emeline.  
Order Keyser Pure Ice Cream for the 4th of July, any quantity delivered at your doors. Sold only at Shattas.  
Lost: A gold watch-fob with initials "H.C." engraved. Finder return to Homer G. Leonard and receive reward.  
Wanted: A girl to tend office at Roseland Park Cemetery at mile road. Apply J. A. Wendorph Supt., 211 Merrill Street.  
Lost: A \$0.30 repeating gun, in case between the Bill Beattie farm and B'ham. Finder leave at Eccentric office and receive reward.  
Woman's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs. Wardell Wednesday p. m., July 2, at 7 o'clock.  
An energetic young man to solicit life insurance for a progressive old line company in this community. An excellent opportunity for a hustler. Address Frank T. Freeman B'ham Eccentric.  
Married at the home of the brides parents at 9:30 a. m. Wednesday June 25, by the Rev. C. E. Wakefield, Miss Marie Keyser and Rev. G. H. Whitney of Tecumseh, formerly of Birmingham, Congratulation.  
All those who have not donated to the 4th of July funds, and wish to do so, will please leave their donations at the Eccentric office, and they will be turned over to the committee. By Order of committee.  
Geo. Parkhill a teacher of our High school, will pass his summer vacation at the summer school at Ann Arbor. He is a very good teacher, well liked and will return to Birmingham in the fall to resume teaching at the old stand.  
Messrs Ellsworth & Cummings, "The Insurance Men" of Pontiac call your attention to their new advertisement this issue. Mr. Cummings is our former of Franklin, and we bespeak for him a generous share of the public patronage from this section.  
Mr. Bert R. Tuxworth, well maker of Bloomfield township has succeeded in getting for Mr. W. G. Henry up in the Bloomfield Hills, a fine well. While it is not a gas well, it is certainly a valuable affair, and gives up enough good, healthy water to supply a little city.  
Last Sunday was another day when auto passing both ways all day long so that they lapped and not once could you see a car in the place, at least that is what Mr. Danham told a visitor at his home who expressed surprise at the number of autos that he had seen while up town.  
That handsome, artistically painted banner hanging across Woodward Ave. saying: "We celebrate the 4th," is the handwork of Mr. Lloyd Chaple, a Birmingham boy who is making good in his profession. His lettering is fine. His work shows that he has the true artistic eye and we predict for him a successful career.  
Birmingham's famous drum corps serenaded the Eccentric force, Wednesday afternoon and delighted all with some of the stirring music that enlivened the footsteps of so many brave boys in the '60's. The band consisted of Major Foote and John Benjamin, fife; Prof. Sherman, of Pontiac, bass drum, and Messrs. Malcolm and Hall, of the same place, cymbals. The editor was unfortunately dragged away on business, so missed the treat; however he sincerely hopes the corps will call again in the very near future.  
Last Saturday night Ed. J. Ferguson had callers. Burglars. They made themselves right at home, took a lunch in the pantry, careless crosses spit the hulls of Agawberries all over the floor which was very annoying to Mr. Ferguson. Then they visited the sleeping pair in their bed room, and when they left away went with them, Ed's gold watch and chain, and nearly \$45.00 in good honest money. The sleepers never moved, it must be the robbers gained entrance through the cellar window, and made a clean get-away. Nothing has been heard from them since. No clue.

Best Laxative for the Aged.  
Old men and women feel the need of a laxative more than young folk, but it must be one that does not hurt and one which will not cause pain. Dr. King's New Life Pills are especially good for the aged, for they act promptly and easily. Price 25c. Recommended by C. J. Shain and Cobb-Stanley-Harris -Adv.

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