

## LOOK BACKWARD

Memories of the Past, Gleaned From THE BIRMINGHAM ECCENTRIC, Thirty-Three Years Ago.

Married: at the residence of S. F. Joyce in Southfield, by Rev. J. P. Gibson, October 27, Mr. Frank B. Hollister and Miss Jessie L. Seger.

The ladies of the Library society having completed the addition to their hall, will give a social.

J. P. Gibson, superintendent of the schools for Bloomfield, will sell at the school-house on the Town line near John Snow's residence, one stove and pipe, 1 set of stove-wood, 1 Webster's Unabridged dictionary and 1 office chair.

Rice's Temperance house, corner of Bates and Congress streets, Detroit, advertises meals at 30 cents.

Milton M. Kneeland entered complaint before Squire Bodine that Page Miller had stolen his pocket-book. Miller pleaded guilty before officer James O. Beattie, paid \$5 fine and amble to Jackson county again.

Mrs. T. Caswell is visiting her mother at St. Clair.

Thomas Ackerman, of St. Louis, is the guest of Harvey Perkins, of Troy.

Miss Ladd, of Detroit, has been visiting Mrs. Lizzie Irving.

Miss Mamie Peairsall rejoices over a new organ.

Alex Parks and wife and Mrs. Eugene Brooks are visiting relatives in Ionia county.

Frank Jenks killed a coon weighing 37½ pounds.

Mrs. Samuel Alger and children, of White Lake, Mich., are visiting at the home of Mr. Cyrus Jarvis.

Joe Soulas, editor of the Capax Argus, called on The Eccentric.

Martin Rhunt and Samuel Groves had a runaway.

Mrs. Joseph Mead is getting up her annual club of subscribers for Pearson's magazine.

Mr. Reese and Miss Alice Hanna, of St. Louis, were married October 27. The bride is a sister of Mrs. Mary McAllister.

Dr. Edwin R. Adams, 52, at his residence near Gilbert lake.

L. Green, of Farmington, 80, brother of Cal Green, staked out and built 80 rods of rail fence in three days.

The D. G. H. & M. R. Co. have made a very low rate of \$1 for the round trip to Detroit to give the public an opportunity to the celebrated Union Amusement Theatrical company of New York, at Whitney's Grand Opera House, Detroit. The plays are "The Dancheffa" and "Daniel Kochan."

D. M. S. C. P. This is a fraternal society. These letters stand for one of the greatest helps in the world. Dr. Herrick's Suffered Pills. They relieve biliousness, tired feeling, constipation, and all disorders of the stomach and bowels.

Dr. Herrick's Pills have been in use over 60 years, and are the standard family cathartic in thousands of homes. Price 25c per box. Sold by Cobb & Jennelle.—Adv.

## Avenue Theatre.

"The Factory Girl" is another play which was presented by Charles E. Blaney and which scored a tremendous hit all over the country. In "The Factory Girl," there is one big scene which never fails to arouse interest. It is that picturing the inside of a big aluminum stamping mill with the giant presses in motion. In this particular play, the hero is bound under one of the gigantic presses and his life is about to be crushed out when the heroine comes to the rescue just as the wheels are beginning to turn. There is a fiery, worked out romance in which Roy Walling and Miss Jennie Cantwell will be seen to advantage.

Matinees will be given Sunday, Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday. Out of town patrons may have the same seats retained from week to week by simply leaving their names at the box office. This does not involve paying for the seats in advance.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC. I will be in my office in the First National Bank building on December 1, 1914, for the purpose of collecting one-fifth of the special tax on the lateral Sanitary Sewer, beneath the surface of Woodward avenue in the Village of Birmingham from George street thence north to the Cemetery Road. From all property owners on Woodward ave. between said streets after said date there will be 5 per cent interest charged on the balance not paid.

CHARLES B. RANDALL, Village Treasurer.

## Destroy the Viper with your Emphatic "No."



The duty of every Michigan legislator, in the presence of this threatening calamity, is unambiguously plain.

WHENCE COMES THAT DOLEFUL SOUND? Whence comes that doleful sound, that scream of terror, as if all of earth had passed and hope of heaven was lost!

It is the ghost of the G. O. P. that it seems to be! It chatters in vainly of the long past—a generation ago as this world moves. Amid the clash of armies such as the world never dreamed of, forecasting the crash of nations; amid the burning cities, destroyed homes and the millions of widows and orphans; destitute of homes, shelter, clothing and food; amid the damed up streams of commerce—damed as it were with rifles, bayonets, machine guns, great cannon and the bodies of the dead; amid ships rotting at their wharves; amid the wails of mothers on the north for sons whom they will see no more, and with a great crop to the south of us with its markets cut off; with Mexico in chaos and South America in the grip of a money panic, with every exchange in America closed and this country called on by frantic Europe to pay for the hundreds of millions of securities sold before its exchanges closed, this ghost rises as from the dank and noisome grave to gabble about setting factory wheels to turning.

What would you do? Stop the war of the great nations now mutually destroy one another and also millions of dollars of the savings of generations of men; would you command them to restore the debt to their former places? Would you return to the seas the thousands of ships and load them with the products of the farms, mills and factories?

No, you can not do any of these things, but you would have kept the country under a monetary system, which under the stress and strife of the great European disaster, would have plunged the country into a financial panic, compared with Black Friday would be but a shadow.

With wheat at \$1.16 to \$1.22, Chicago, with oats at \$49, corn 65 and hogs, \$7.00 to \$7.50, cattle \$9.00 to \$11.00, and with money in such a state that one would buy or borrow this most rare and mumbles through bloodless life its selfish wish to be returned to power, that the "ranks of the unemployed may grow thinner."

What did you do to the people of this country in 1907? What did you do to the business man and the employed? Did you give them the business and the other work? No; you denied cash to the business man and turned the other out of his job; and even to the transient with good checks in his pocket and money in his hand, you compelled the latter to deny him the cash to pay his daily bill, and among strangers.

Ghost that you are you cannot have forgotten these things, and then to talk to be restored to power—to thin the ranks of the unemployed—now, by starvation?

Barring your gull, it is the cry of hysteria and the wail of despair. Confronted in a day by such a debacle as it never faced before, this country, which was born under the beams end, when for the eyes of merchants, bankers, manufacturers, congressmen—of all men upon the planet in the White House and ready obsequy. His every wish, it righted itself and rose grandly to meet the storm.

And now as if gifted with almost superhuman knowledge, the grand pilot in the White House seems to have foreseen every step, and to have fortified against it, and is carrying us safely through the sunken rocks and shoals.

We are not at war with Mexico, as you would have had us; no streams of the crippled and dead are being returned from there; we are at peace with Latin South America and ready to trade with her as soon as we can arrange to do so; we are ready to sell, and equally ready to supply the demands of Europe's destructive arms; with no financial panic nor fear of one upon the country, with all the great measuring instruments which will be in force effect within thirty days, we bid this ghost to rise in vain from the habitations of the grave and return to the eternal silence from whence it came.

A new day has dawned upon America, and your day sleeps with the dead of yesterday.

## Broadway Theatre

Beginning with the matinee Sunday, "The James Boys in Missouri" is a stage story which describes the part played in the early frontier days by his band of outlaws. Sloan's Lumber is a form of rheumatism, and yields perfectly to Sloan's, which penetrates quickly all in through the sore, tender muscles, limbers up the back, and makes it feel like a new man.

"The James Boys in Missouri" reflect accurately the spirit of the times immediately preceding and following the Civil War. Much historical information can be gained from this production.

The story of the play closes with the violent death of the leader of this historic band in Ford's saloon.

The play will be mounted on an elaborate scale. "The James Boys in Missouri" has not been presented in Detroit for many years.

Apply Sloan's Freely for Lumbago. Your attacks of lumbago are not nearly so hopeless as they seem. You can relieve them almost instantly by a simple application of Sloan's Lumbago on the back and legs. Lumbago is a form of rheumatism, and yields perfectly to Sloan's, which penetrates quickly all in through the sore, tender muscles, limbers up the back, and makes it feel like a new man.

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What possible use can Halloween be when even the gates and fences are no more?

## NEW HIGH SCHOOL

The Committee of Fifteen Met Last Friday, and Selected C. W. Bruce's Home for Site.

If the recommendation of the committee of 15 selected to decide if a new high school was needed and locate it goes, then the site of the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bruce on Pierce street will see an elegant high school building with an auditorium, a natatorium, a gymnasium, shower baths, etc., to cost between \$80,000 and \$100,000 built there in the near future.

This decision has come from a very careful analysis of the school needs and requirements by this committee, aided and helped by the school board. They have met several times with the board, interviewed architects and decided that we needed the building to care for our ever increasing school needs. This building when completed will qualify for 450 high school students.

One week ago today the committee met and visited all sites offered. There were 14 sites in all offered, running in price from \$4,000 to \$18,000. The decision at last came down to two, J. F. Rundle's site on north end "Elmercrest" and C. W. Bruce's home on Pierce street, both offered at \$10,000. By a vote of 9 to 5 the Bruce site won.

In due time the school board will give all voters a chance to vote on raising the amount to purchase a site, and will also give you a chance to vote your preference on any four of the best sites offered. This is a fair move on the part of the school board and will also give everybody a chance to express their choice.

The four locations to be given a preferential vote no doubt will be John Hanna's north end four acres, J. F. Rundle's "Elmercrest," C. W. Bruce's and the old O. Poppleton's property owned by Mr. Rundle.

We need this building and the people will say "yes" to the amount voted for and will also express their preference.

Your Fall Colds Needs Attention. No use to fuss and try to wear out. It will wear you out instead. Take Dr. King's New Discovery—relief follows quickly. It checks your cold and soothes your cough away. Pleasant, antiseptic and healing. Children like it. Get a quart. It checks your cold and soothes your cough away. Pleasant, antiseptic and healing. Children like it. Get a quart. It checks your cold and soothes your cough away. Pleasant, antiseptic and healing. Children like it. Get a quart.

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## A CARD TO THE PUBLIC.

In Justice A. W. Campbell's court last Friday morning, the case brought by Edgar Parks against Frank Dunham, Norval Davenport and Floyd Dunham was dismissed there being no ground for prosecution.

Prosecuting attorney Doty appeared in behalf of the people and quoted from the court record he said "From an examination of the facts that I have there is not a criminal case under the statute." Then on motion of the prosecuting attorney the case was dismissed.

The facts to which the prosecuting attorney refers were these: That Frank Dunham, who was driving the automobile injured in the accident, was still in the employ of Mr. Parks. He received the key to the garage from the manager of the barn for the purpose of taking a Mr. Alfred Langdon in search of run-a-way horses that had escaped in an accident that had occurred. It keeps Langdon paid for the use of the automobile and Frank was acting as chauffeur, taking with him besides the other two boys.

An accident occurred on the way in which there was a collision with another machine. Neither party blamed the other but as the machine of the party they met was put out of commission, they took them in and drove them to Pontiac. There was no trouble from that source, neither party even taking the number of the other's machine.

The machine the boys were in was not seriously injured, the fender bent, and other slight injuries. We believe that in fairness, as this matter has been made public, this that is written should be said in behalf of the boys.

J. S. DENHAM, WILL DAVENPORT.

Keep Your Stomach and Liver Healthy. A vigorous stomach, perfect working liver and regular acting bowels are guaranteed if you will use Dr. King's New Life Pills. They insure good digestion, correct constipation, and have an excellent tonic effect on the whole system—purify your blood and rid you of all bad poisons through the bowels. Only 25c at your druggist's.—Adv.

PEARLS OF THE ORIENT. Paul L. Whitmore who has for years been principal of a grade school in the Phillipsburg, will lecture in the United Presbyterian church on Friday evening, November 5, at 8 o'clock. Admission, 15 cents. Children free. Mr. Whitmore has had large experience among the people of the Islands and his lecture will be entertaining and instructive. You are cordially invited.

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## "ECONOMY" says BUY THEM BY THE DOZEN

Lay in your winter's supply now. Canned Fruit, Vegetables, Fish, etc. See Mr. Miner for prices on California Fruit, Corn, Peas, Hominy, Baked Beans, Succotash, Mackerel, Hake, Herring, Salmon, Tuna, Shad, Trout, and many others. We have just finished delivering 30 cases of Hawaiian Pineapple on orders, and have a few more left for our friends at same low price.

Dear Madam, on your next call take home a can of Fuller's Pie Filler--Lemon--10c. It makes four pies better than mother ever made. Can you beat it? Everything of the best in Food Supplies.

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These Kidney Pills Will Do You Good. Neglect is responsible for much of our ill-health. Prompt treatment results in relief—not only from the minor ailments but from the resulting complications.

If you value permanent good health you cannot afford to neglect the slightest trace of kidney weakness.

—the important duty of filtering the blood—cleansing the system of impurities, falls upon the kidneys. They require constant attention and demand it. They must be assisted.

If they fail in their duty the certain result is impure blood, loss of all nourishment, and a poisoned system.

Don't allow it to go that far—Nyal's Kidney Pills insure certain action of the kidneys—rich red blood and the proper nourishment.

They are not a "cure-all"—just a kidney medicine—one that we personally recommend.

Fifty cents the box. When we had a chance to get the exclusive selling agency for Nyal Family Remedies we jumped at it. They are known among all druggists as the highest quality line on the market, and are prepared by a great firm of manufacturing chemists, famous for 50 years.

## Cobb & Jennelle

Oakland county has not had a State Senator in six years and the present Democratic candidate from Washtenaw county. Do you not think it would be wise to have one now who knows the needs of our county in a legislative way, and one with whom you can easily consult with reference to proposed legislation? If you do,

Vote for Frank L. Covert

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