Boosters' Barbecue

Wednesday, July 22

AT PONTIAC

THE PEOPLE OF OAKLAND COUNTY are invited to Pontiac on Pontiac Day—July 22. Mayor Johnson has proclaimed a holiday for the occasion, the stores and factories will close, there will be a parade of civic and industrial floats, a band concert during the entire afternoon, a barbecue at which a roast ox and other good things will be served, besides many other features. And everything is FREE.

THE CITIZENS OF PONTIAC have constituted themselves a committee to sell 400 lots in the Pontiac Industrial Addition on that day. The Addition lies along the Michigan Air Line Railroad in the southeastern part of the city. The land on three sides of it is occupied by homes, and it is within a few blocks of two modern school buildings. The lots are priced at a figure which makes them a splendid investment.

THE MONEY RECEIVED over and above the cost of these lots will go into an industrial fund to bring factories to the city. For six years this fund must be used to locate manufacturers on the factory sites which adjoin the Addition. The placing of one factory there will raise the value of these lots materially. But the effort will not end there. Industries will be brought to Pontiac until no sites are left.

PONTIAC TODAY STANDS as one of the most progressive cities in Michigan. Its location, just at the threshold of Detroit and the wonderful market that metropolis affords, is causing it to be favorably considered by manufacturers who are thinking of a change in location. Two industries have moved there from other States within the past month. Pontiac is growing every day. Why not invest your money there to grow with it?

TO CAP THE DAY One of the most valuable lots in the Addition will be given away absolutely free.

YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT

JULY TWENTY-TWO MEANS A LOT TO YOU

FIRE!! FIRE!! FIRE!! FIRE!!

Where are You Located? Listen!

Following are the fire signals, according to districts of the village. Remember the wailing whistle of the water-works is not a part of the fire signal.

Commit these signals to memory and if it comes your turn to help save village property, give the district number to the operator in a cool, calm manner. Remember when you do this, you are a good soldier and cititen:

"The village is divided into five Fire Districts, as follows:

District No. 1—A radius of about 500 feet from the intersection of Woodward and Maple avenues—one long blow.

District No. 2—North of Maple and west of Woodward avenues, one long and one short blow.

District No. 3—North of Maple and east of Woodward avenues, one long and two short blows.

District No. 4—South of Maple avenue and west of Pierce street, one long and three short blows.

District No. 5—South of Maple avenue and east of Pierce street, one long and four short blows.

When giving an alarm of fire be sure to give the District Number.

Should you want the Night Officer at any time during the hours of 7:30 p. m. and 4:30 a. m., telephone the Central Office and give your house number." tf

TALES OF SOME TURTLES.

By BLACK FOOT.

They are two honest (?) fisherman, you
know them very well,
They had a little accident and swore
they'd never tell,
They motored out to Maceday lake and
found the fishing right,
So they finally decided to stay there
over night.

And oh, the string of pike and bass
and other fish galore
That these two guys did gather in and
carry off to shore,
They put 'em on a stringer to keep 'em
fresh and sweet,
For size and other qualities this catch
was never beat.

They slept the sleep of tired men and
when the morning broke,
They rose up bright and early and put
their heads to soak,
But when they came to view the fish
they'd caught the day before
The air was blue with sulphurous fumes,
and some folks say they swore!

For that lake is full of turtles with
dreadful appetites,
And when they start to dine on fish
they surely do it right;
Just what they did in this case was
sure enough a binger,
The only wonder of it was, they didn't
eat the stringer.

Now, when you ask of Corson or Huston, either one,
What they know about a turtle, and
think to have some fun
You'd better be prepared, for they're
feeling awful sore,
And like as not they'll fix you as you
ne'er was fixed before.

If Kidneys and Bladder Bother—Then Foley Kidney Pills.

Overworked kidneys will break down if not helped. When they can no longer protect the blood and the body from the poisons that come to them, then look out for Bright's disease, serious kidney trouble and bladder annoyances. Foley Kidney Pills are your best protection, your best medicine for weak, sore, overworked kidney and bladder weaknesses. For sale by all druggists.—Adv.

NOTICE TO VILLAGE TAX-PAYERS

I will be in my office in the First National bank, to receive Village taxes, every day except July 4 and Sundays, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m., until August 18, 1914.

CHARLES D. RANDALL.
Aug. 14. Village Treasurer.

United States Postoffice

GEORGE H. MITCHELL, Postmaster,
LUCY PEARL WARD, Ass't P. M.
MARIAN GOLDEN, Clerk.

Arrival and Departure of Mails from the Birmingham, Michigan, Postoffice, via G. T. Railway.

GOING WEST.

Train No.	Mail Locks A. M.	Lvs Depot A. M.
19	7:06	7:26
	P. M.	P. M.
13	12:06	12:26
11	3:55	4:15

GOING EAST.

	A. M.	A. M.
12	11:12	11:32
	P. M.	P. M.
22	3:35	3:55
18	7:30	9:45

Franklin, Michigan, by R. R. Carrier, leaves at 8:30 a. m. Also at 5:00 p. m. by Star Route, Abel A. Burns, Carrier.

PARCEL POST.

Rate is very low for all Fourth-class Matter, with the limit raised to 50 pounds up to and ifcluding the second zone. Lowest rate is 5 cents for one pound, and 5¢c for 50 pounds. Farmers along Rural Routes can give to their Carrier for local delivery, butter, eggs and fresh meat. All parcels must have the name of sender as well as receiver, plainly written thereon or it is unmailable. Outside the second zone the old rules and regulations still are in full force.

GEORGE H. MITCHELL, P. M.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR
stops the cough and heals lungs

The ONLOOKER
HENRY HOWLAND

The MAN with the PIPE

He sat and smoked his gurgling pipe,
I heard him sadly sigh!
"Now, prythee, tell me, poor old man,
Why are you grieved?" said I.
He gazed at me and shook his head,
Yet motioned me to stay:
"I've just been thinkin'," he replied,
And sadly puffed away.

"Pray tell me, poor old man," I said,
"Has Fortune used you ill?
Your clothes are poor and old and
frayed—
But you are living, still."
"It ain't my clo's that bothers me,"
I heard him sadly say,
And then he filled his pipe again
And sadly smoked away.

"Perchance," I said, "you sigh because
You have not won renown,
Because you do not sit upon
A proud height, looking down."
"The work it takes to git renown
Don't hardly make it pay.
I don't care fer no heights," he said,
And sadly smoked away.

"Some one you love," I said, "lies dead
Where yonder white stones gleam,
And you are waiting to embark
Upon the broad, dark stream?"
"It ain't that. No one that I love
Is layin' there today."
He made reply, and with a sigh
He sadly puffed away.

"Pray tell me, then, old man," I said,
"Does grief assail your heart
Because you may not grasp a sword
And play a hero's part?
Or do you sadly sigh because
Men's greed is holding sway,
Because for love of gold they put
The love of worth away?"

"I've just been thinkin'," he replied,
In accents of despair,
"That when I go to heaven they won't
Allow no smokin' there;
I'll have to leave my pipe," he sighed
As only grieved men may—
I went along about my tasks,
He sat and smoked away.

A Matter of Opinion.

"You are a good deal of a bohemian, old man, aren't you? I've always been tied down more or less—had to travel in a social rut, you know. Tell me, what is there about bohemian life that makes it peculiar? I mean to say, what is the most noticeable thing about it?"

"I should say the general homeliness of the women bohemians is the most noticeable thing; but, of course, that may be a mere matter of opinion."

Luck.

"Do you think luck cuts much of a figure in the success or failure of a man nowadays?"

"Yes, I believe it does. There's Bagshaw, for instance. What show would he ever have had to live at ease and belong to clubs if he hadn't had the luck to find a banker with a daughter who was so homely that a large premium had to be offered with her?"

CRUEL WOMAN.

"My wife is one of the most inconsiderate women in the world."

"Why do you think so?"

"She put a net over the baby's bed last night, and consequently the mosquitoes hardly gave me a chance to get a wink of sleep."

Completely Surprised.

"Colonel," asked the beautiful girl, "were you ever taken completely by surprise?"

"Yes," replied the grizzled warrior. "Once in a New York hotel I asked for a room with a bath, and the clerk didn't reply that they hadn't any such rooms left."

A Merciful Man.

"Do you always tell your wife everything you hear?"

"No. I love her too well to tell her all the old stories I am compelled to listen to at the banquets which I attend."

He Took It.

"There's a man who once took an insult from me without protest."

"How did it happen?"

"I had cut on the handle of my umbrella the words 'You're a thief.'"

No.

"The Bible says the earth has four corners."

"Yes, but it doesn't mention that any of them is a poet's corner."

Why?

"In Vienna the organ grinders play only between noon and sunset."

"Why do you say 'only'?"

He Deserves No Sympathy.

It is merely a waste of time to pity a man who is being made a fool of by a pretty woman.

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Pontiac

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Who Buys the Next War?

Civilization has at least advanced to the point where a war cannot be precipitated without consulting the money powers of the world.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for at Birmingham Postoffice on July 18th. 1914.

Black, Mrs. S. (2)
Barkley, Mr. Gerald (3)
Hutchinson, Mr. Frank
Lockard, Mrs. Melvina
Worth, Harry care of Standart Bros

CARDS.

Cooper, Mr. A.
Klingensmith, Charles
Klingensmith, Thomas
Klingensmith, F. L. (2)
Smith, Miss Cora

Anyone calling for any of the above letters will please say "advertised."

George H. Mitchell, P. M.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

From this date, July 10, all dumping of refuse on "dump ground," west Willetts street, is absolutely prohibited.

BY ORDER OF VILLAGE COUNCIL. 2t.

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Offers you his services in any line connected with plumbing—from a little repair job to estimates on new work, no matter how large.

Satisfaction guaranteed.

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Call phone 108.

William Hilliard

News to Him.

"Why is it that they never place the pictures of living men on bank notes?" asked the fellow who had become rich by writing the words of "popular" songs. "Don't they?" the poet replied.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

State of Michigan. In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland. Edward E. Smith, complainant, vs. Ada G. Dewar, et al, defendants. At a session of the said Court, held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 15th day of June, A. D. 1914. Present, the Honorable George W. Smith, Circuit Judge. In this cause it appearing, by affidavit on file, that the defendant, Ada G. Dewar, is not a resident of this State, but is a resident of the State of Pennsylvania, on motion of Jefferson G. Thurber, Esq., solicitor for complainant, it is ordered that the appearance of the said defendant, Ada G. Dewar, be entered in this cause within four months from the date of this order; and that in case of her appearance that she cause her answer to the bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof served upon the solicitor for the complainant within 15 days after the service on her or her solicitor of a copy of the said bill, and in default thereof that said bill be taken as confessed by the said defendant, Ada G. Dewar. And it is further ordered that the said complainant cause this order to be published in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, and that such publication be commenced within 20 days from the date of this order, and that such publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that the said complainant cause a copy of this order to be personally served on the said defendant, Ada G. Dewar, at least 20 days before the time above prescribed for her appearance. GEORGE W. SMITH, Circuit Judge.

JEFFERSON G. THURBER, Solicitor for Complainant, 1010-11, Ford building, Detroit, Michigan. Examined, compared and entered by me.

26jun-7aug F. B. BABCOCK, Register.

Only the Half.

Maiden Aunt—"Venice at last! One half of the dream of my youth is now fulfilled." Niece—"Why only half, auntie?" Aunt (sighing)—"I contemplated going to Venice on my wedding tour."