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LEGALS.

Friends

of the late Mrs. J. W. ...

Postoffice Directory

Summer Schedule

Eastern Standard Time.
Office opens at 8 a. m.
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Western Mails leave office at 8:50 a. m., 12:55 p. m. and 4:55 p. m.
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Subscriptions for the Campaign Fund for the Van Leaven Browne Hospital School to be created in the County of Oakland, to be sent to Mrs. H. George Field, Mrs. J. L. Lusk, Mrs. D. M. Johnson, Mrs. J. A. O'Neil, Mrs. Geo. H. Mitchell or Mrs. Harry Muehman.

Howard Wendorph is visiting relatives at Troy, N. Y.
Miss Tillie Walker is visiting at her home in Fowlerville this week.
Mrs. Agnes Mosier, of Holly, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Reaney.
Ten thousand residents within the three-mile circle inside of next 48 hours. Remember this prophecy.
Last Saturday the Public Library gave out just twice as many juvenile books as were given for adults. Good! Do it again.
Ladies' Church South of the First Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. T. B. Smith on East Maple avenue Wednesday, December 15, at three o'clock. A good attendance is requested.
The next regular meeting of the Pythian Sisters will be held on Monday evening, December 15. Election of officers will take place and refreshments will be served. All members are urged to be present.
Mrs. Mamie J. Shain has sold her home at the corner of Frank and George streets to James F. Wood, who has already made various necessary improvements to transform it into a modern, up-to-date residence.
J. Bett Peabody, administrator of the Elmer W. Evans estate, will sell at auction on the premises, 2 1/2 miles west of Birmingham, next Tuesday, December 14, all the personal property of above deceased. M. H. Blunt will have charge of sale. See advertisement.
Prof. C. Roudoc, better known as William Henry Harrison Codomo, has among his professional friends as the "great American Demosthenes," given an exhibition of oratory, reciting "Prometheus," "The Woodman," and "The Farm Boy," at the Temple theatre Thursday, December 16.
A very large and satisfactory sale of real estate and personal property was consummated last week when the real estate firm of Whitehead & Standard Co. sold to Steyer Brothers, of Detroit, the farm of 225 acres owned by W. L. Ruppel, together with the stock, tools, and entire outfit "thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining."
Mrs. Jennie Ferguson is getting to be a regular gambler. After a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hendricks at Clifford, Mich., she then left for Cleveland, Ohio, where she is to welcome Miss M. T. A. Ward and Mrs. Bell Schuch. Are the ladies busy? They are. About Christmas time Mrs. Ward will leave for her daughter Estelle's at Chevy Chase, Md.
When speaking of the good times people have and enjoy in Birmingham, don't forget the Independent Order of Sons of Pedro Club. This is a happy crowd. Last Friday night they met with Mrs. Hannah Elenwood at her pleasant home on Oakland avenue, and the usual happy time continued running right along. First prize was easily won by Mrs. F. W. Sherman; second prize by the hostess, although unwillingly. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. E. M. Ford. We do not have to add that business and importance is to be transacted and a full attendance is requested.
The conditions of our streets all previous recent heats and our discontented condition, we should never be driven across our law; when we kick, they say "G'wan, we should worry." And all our merchants say, "I say their trade has gone to hell, where they refuse to sell, so they worry." Cross the street five times a day and each time we humbly pray that our feet won't go astray, but we worry. Still, we'll better smile than frown for the asphalt is going down! 'Twill soon be so, when we won't worry. When the police get on one more, we'll have sunny days, for we've got over being sore and cease to worry. Then our trade will come back, for they can't do it. Well, never one to make a track at by-zone worry.

Novelty dancing party at Johnston Shaw Hall, Saturday night, December 11. Admission, 75c. Orchestra from Detroit—City.

H. F. F. Kraft, Eugene Smith, Bert Tuxworth and Irving Voorhees attended the Y. M. C. A. convention at Lansing Saturday last.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet in the church at 2:30, Thursday, December 16. Program given by Mrs. Van Auker. Mrs. Barlor and committee hostesses. Supper served from 6:30 to 6:50. You are welcome.

James Kemmer, aged 70 years, died at his home at 2207 1/2 Southfield Saturday afternoon. He is survived by his widow. The funeral was held at his late home Monday afternoon. Deceased was a well known member of the township.

The O. G. Fellows elected the following officers at their meeting Monday evening: Noble grand, Robert Alton; vice grand, Milton Draughler; recording secretary, Harry Johnson; financial secretary, Charles Hallock; treasurer, Glenn Allen; trustee, Harry Cocke-line.

The Pride of Oakland Rebekah lodge elected the following officers last Thursday evening: Noble grand, Mrs. Ethel Johnson; vice grand, Mrs. Alice Hallock; financial secretary, Mrs. Lillian McQuarter; recording secretary, Mrs. Blanche Nairn; treasurer, Mrs. Carrie Smith.

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In the matter of the estate of Henry Ackerman deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed executor in and for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, do hereby give notice to all persons having claims against said estate, to file the same with me at my office in the Village of Birmingham, Michigan, on or before the 20th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in order that I may be enabled to settle said estate in accordance with the provisions of said will.

GEORGE H. MITCHELL, WILLIAM BROOK, Executors.

THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BIRMINGHAM MICHIGAN

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS—Notice is given that the Board of Directors of the First National Bank of Birmingham, Michigan, has called a meeting of the stockholders of said bank to be held at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the 20th day of March, 1916, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in order that I may be enabled to settle said estate in accordance with the provisions of said will.

Classified Liners

Under this heading—30 words or less. 1 time 2 times 40c; 3 times 50c; 6 times 75c. Cash with copy.

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FOR SALE—A large number of Elm Trees for setting out. All sizes. Grace Gordon, Southfield, N. Ave., Birmingham. Phone 109. nov5if

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FOR SALE—House and Lot, 127 Brown Street, Inquire E. R. Perrin, Northville, Michigan, Phone 54. dec-1

FOR SALE—Registered Holstein Bulls of serviceable age, from cows with high records of both butter and milk. Come and see them. C. S. Price, Lane Pine Road. sep24if

FOR SALE—10 or 12 Acres on Willow, next to R. J. Erwin's 60-foot street running south not yet opened. Grace Gordon, Southfield Avenue. Jul23if.

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LOST.

LOST—Jumped from my old Ford bus, one roll Tareed felt, between Parkers' Cor. and my chateau, via Adams and Maple Avenues. Finder kindly notify A. W. Smith. 10

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Birmingham Time Table

Eastern Standard Time.

SOUTH-BOUND Limited—6:47 a. m.

Locals—4:56 a. m., 5:15 a. m., 5:35 a. m., 5:55 a. m., 6:17 a. m., 6:57 a. m., 7:17 a. m., and every 20 minutes to 5:57 p. m., 6:22 p. m., and half-hourly to 9:22 p. m., 10:22 p. m.; 10:52 p. m.

North-bound Locals—5:48 a. m., 6:20 a. m., 6:40 a. m., 6:58 a. m., and every 20 minutes to 4:28 p. m., then every 15 minutes to 6:38 p. m., 6:55 p. m., 7:15 p. m., 7:55 p. m., 8:35 p. m., and half-hourly to 10:55 p. m., 11:38 p. m., 12:03 a. m., 12:33 a. m., 1:03 a. m., and 1:33 a. m.

Limiteds do not run Saturday afternoons nor Sundays.

FLINT DIVISION

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