

BEAR STORY NO. 3

John Allen Bigelow Tells His Grand children Another True Bear Story of 1844.

In 1844, we lived about half way between Grandfather Bigelow's house and Bigelow's sawmill. Grandfather also had a brick yard and made what was...

Harry Bronson lived on and owned the farm that is now known as the Grinnell farm. Tommy Richards lived almost directly across the road in a good log house; he also had barn, pig pen, hen-house, and shed, all built of logs...

It happened, that as Fanny Richards came out to stir up the caldron of the soup, she heard a loud squealing and a terrible commotion in the log pig pen. Uncle Tommy Richards, as he was familiarly called, had lately shut up his old sow and litter of pigs in the pen...

Fanny screamed and yelled: "A bear! A bear!" Mrs. Richards and another daughter came running out, Mrs. Richards carrying a pitchfork...

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Garrick Theatre.

"If I Were King."

No theatrical event of the year has attracted more widespread attention than the coming week's appearances, beginning next Monday evening, of E. H. Sothern at the Garrick Theatre. He marks the farewell of America's most distinguished actor, but it will be memorialized by a noteworthy act of generosity on his part...

For this occasion, Mr. Sothern has selected Justin H. McCarty's wonderfully colorful romantic play, "If I Were King." More mature players recall it as a work of great power, alluring charm, and noteworthy pictorial qualities.

Took the Hurt Out of Her Back. Mrs. Anna Byrd, Tusconbia, Ala., writes: "I was not down with my back so I could not stand up more than half the time. Foley Kidney Pills took all of the hurt out of my back. My back, swollen ankle, backache, stiff joints, and sleep disturbing bladder ailments all disappeared. My kidneys and bladder trouble. Sold everywhere."

NOW, HE'S SAID SOMETHING.

Dear Editor: I noticed in your last week's issue, a village election is called for December 14, to bond a village for over \$10,000 for more sewers.

Over the past few years, we bonded the village for \$22,000 to put in a trunk line. The money is buried in the bowels of the earth, and no one is receiving benefits from it except a few favored ones. And our village council takes no steps to find out if it is any good.

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THE DRY REPORT

Oakland County Dry Campaign Committee Gives Condensed Statement of Affairs.

Oakland County Dry Campaign Committee treasurer's report has been filed with the Court Clerk as required by law, showing total collections, \$3,731.87; total disbursements, \$3,672.09; balance in bank, \$59.78, which balance will be turned over to the office of the Michigan Dry Campaign manager, at Lansing.

Another organization which was responsible for a large part of the splendid result, was the Woman's Auxiliary to the Oakland County Dry Campaign Committee, who did such effective work in the towns of this county, and which so splendidly aided in the victory achieved, and to those who thank of this committee in due season. This organization was made up of the W. C. T. U. and other women's organizations.

Services for Sunday, December 10: Sermon 10:30; subject: "The Four Sides of Love." Bible School at 11:45. 7:30, "A People Gospel Song Service."

Council Proceedings

Regular adjourned meeting of the village council November 13, 1916. President: Philip Schlaack, Clerk: Thos. E. Harris.

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Yeas: Brown, Trumbull, Jones, Harris; Nays: None. Motion carried.

Whereas the special assessment roll for the opening of Knox street through the Luth property to Adams Avenue of this Village, the same being Special Assessment district for street opening No. 1 pursuant to an agreement with Wm. Luth, has been reported to this council as required by law.

Resolved that said special assessment roll be filed with the clerk of said Village and numbered No. 1 and that the village clerk give notice to be published for two weeks at least in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper of said Village and, published therein of the filing of same, and that the council and the board of assessors will meet in the council rooms of said Village on Monday the 11th day of December, A. D. 1916, at 8 o'clock p. m. to review said assessment and to hear any objections thereto.

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