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ALL OVER TROY

Little Thelma King is so well, as to be apparently all right again.

M. Sharp of Clawson, has a bad cold and trouble with his teeth.

Several of Beltz children near Harris stop, are sick with the measles.

H. A. Jackson and F. J. Chapin of Detroit, were viewing Clawson last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Warner at John Davidson's in Troy, is still very sick, seemingly no better nor no worse.

Mrs. Jerry Farmer on the Parmenter farm in Troy, was visiting her parents last week at Mt. Vernon, Mich.

Bernice Measels of Troy, works in a store in Rochester, and does her housework at home nights and mornings.

Stanley Dudac of Coldrain in Troy, leaves Tuesday to spend several days with his brother in Cleveland, Ohio.

Another inmate came last Sunday into the family of Gerald Ford—a bouncing boy to make more joy there.

W. H. Codner is tied up by inconveniences in making a show of the business he follows or anything else now.

Samuel Allen James, who lives with his son, Warren James, of Big Beaver, is very sick and being 90 years old, his recovery is doubtful.

Judson Bradway and family and several other families of Detroit, left Saturday for Florida to spend the rest of the winter there together.

Dr. Gass and Gus Dundaro, of Royal Oak, have an option upon Thomas Cole's farm near Harris stop on the Flint Division of the D. U. R., to sell.

Samuel Smith of Pontiac bought the John Bell farm of about 90 acres at $500 per acre from Ephraim Bell at Clawson, who reserved five acres having both houses upon it.

Albert Wilbert of Coldrain in Troy, bought a farm five miles east of Utica, Mich., where he intends to move in the spring. Who wants to rent the 40 acres when he moves off?

W. H. Codnor would call your attention to Detroit Free Press with its premiums making over $5 worth of reading also inquire about the "Sparks of Truth" at a bargain. Don't forget the Woman's Home Companion, decidedly low, alone or in unison with others as a small or large club, any way the reader wishes.

Don't Scold Fretful Children.

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BIG BEAVER

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Bert King on Sunday, February 6, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trumbell were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Vanderpool.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sullivan of Toledo, Ohio, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith for a few days.

Miss Helen Walker returned from Colorado Spirings last Monday, where she spent the past few months.

Mrs. Theresa Harris has returned from a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Wycoff, of North Detroit.

Mrs. W. B. Ford spent Tuesday, February 1, with Mrs. Charles Smith, the occasion being Mrs. Smith's birthday.

Esker Forsythe has purchased two acres of land from Charles E. Scherff for $700 and has built, a house which will satisfy his present needs. They moved into it last Monday. Mr. Forsythe is a carpenter and will later build a fine residence on his land.

The most modern and beautiful home here is owned and occupied by George Ford and family and was recently finished. It is as complete as any city home, with sewerage, water, furnace, and electricity and is brick exterior. The carpenter work and finishing was done by Esker Forsythe. Mr. Ford purchased the Gillett Farm of about 60 acres, last fall, which he expects to plat. R. Milton Ford, Clerk of Highland Park, is a brother.

About $32 was realized for the benefit of the school by the home talent play, "Aaron Bogg's Freshmen," presented at the K. O. T. M. hall last Wednesday. The play, which was greatly appreciated by the large audience, was one of the best ever seen here, the characters each doing their parts to perfection. Herbert Terry, as Aaron Bogg, is worthy of special mention. Credit for this success is given the teachers, Miss Minnie Eseman and Miss Johnson, who rehearsed the play.

What "Penny" of Nails Mean.

The terms ten-penny, etc., as applied to nails came from the number in a pound, pronounced pun. Nails of such a size that it took 1,000 of them to weigh four, six, eight or ten pounds were popularly known as four-pun' nails, six-pun' nails, eight-pun' nails and ten-pun' nails, respectively; and in the course of time, four-pun' nails, six-pun' nails, etc., were gradually corrupted to the meaningless four-penny nails, six-penny nails, etc.

Maxwell Cutting of the U. of M., was home for a few days last week.

Born to Mrs. Emma Houghton Shaw of St. Johns, a daughter, January 31st.

H. C. Martell and wife had guests over Sunday from Romeo and Detroit.

Gertie Lawrence has been confined to her bed with grippe at her parental home.

The Epworth League entertainment was postponed until the 25th of February.

Mrs. Lee Wattles is able to see her friends tho she cannot leave her bed for some time.

Mrs. Baldus and Gladys Page of Birmingham, were callers on Mrs. P. Girmus, Sunday.

Mrs. William Jennings visited her daughter, Mrs. Eda Lawrence on the 4th of February.

Mamie Lovell of Clawson, was a visitor at the home of Mrs. Frank Schearman on February 5.

Mrs. Frank Schodelies is critically ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carrie Bailey, West of Troy.

Mrs. Pauline Houghton left for her daughter's, Friday last, after a week's stay with her sick mother.

A grand time was had at the Farmer's Club at the home of Edward Williams on February 5th.

Gustave Wilbert of East Troy, had a house full of German friends from Detroit at his farm home Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Harris has returned from the Battle Creek Sanitarium and a few day's visit at Kalamazoo at Prof. Paul Hickey's.

The Ladies' Aid meeting was postponed until February 24th on account of the Troy Milk Association Banquet at the hall the 16th.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Button and nephew, Mason Briggs, of Jackson, were Sunday guests at the home of C. Button of East Troy.

The Missionary Society met Thursday for a social hour and to sew with Mrs. John Shearman. The Tea Meeting and Mite Box Opening will be held March 2nd.

The fathers of the Senior group of the Y. M. C. A. boys are requested to be present at the Saturday evening meeting to hear the lecture Mr. Chase was to have given last week. The boys are anxious to have their fathers attend and men, young and old, are invited to all the meetings.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer $100 for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by all druggists, 75c.

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Southfieldburg

Stella Render is working for Mrs. Martha Brooks of Detroit.

Anthony Bilkosky died at his home here last Sunday. The funeral was held Tuesday.

A number of the Southfield men attended the Linebin Banquet at Pontiac last Wednesday.

About twenty-five guests spent a very pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair Chissus, last Tuesday evening.

The men of the Presbyterian church are asked to meet at the home of Sinclair Chissus for practice on Friday evening, February 11.

The regular meeting of the Banner League will be held at the home of Alta and Maud Stephens on Saturday afternoon, February 12.

The regular meeting of the Willing Workers will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brooks on Wednesday, February 23rd. All are invited.

Don't forget the Shanty Supper given by the men of the Presbyterian church at the Southfield Town Hall on Friday evening, February 18. The program will start at nine o'clock, Eastern time. All are invited to attend.

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Analyzing the Boy.

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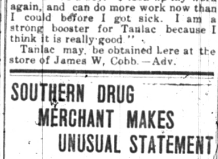

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A. WHITEHEAD, President.
Birmingham, Michigan, January 19, 1916.
21jan-15feb

COMMISSIONERS' NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of Sey Sour Adams, deceased. The undersigned, having been appointed by the Honorable Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate in and for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims against said estate, and four months from the 23d day of January, A. D. 1916, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present them to us for examination and adjustment, notice is hereby given that we will meet on the 23d day of March, 1916, and on the 23d day of May, 1916, at 10 o'clock a. m. of each day, at Blakeslee & Blakeslee's office, in the City of Pontiac, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting said claims.

JAMES VAN WAGONER,
ELMER E. BLAKESLEE,
28jan-11feb Commissioners.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.—Sale of Mortgage of Real Estate.—

State of Michigan, in the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held in the Probate office, in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 31st day of January, A. D. 1916. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

STEPHEN F. DURKEE, Deceased.

Genevieve Young, administratrix de bonis non of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition for license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered that the 20th day of February, A. D. 1916, at 8 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted. It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. PARDEENBURGH, Register of Probate.
Sullivan & McGee, Attorneys for Administratrix, Pontiac, Michigan. 4-18feb

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.—Sale of Mortgage of Real Estate.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate office in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1916. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

ADENIA DOWNS, Incompetent.

Thomas H. Cobb, guardian of said incompetent, having filed in said Court a petition praying for license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is ordered that the 20th day of February, A. D. 1916, at 8 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said Court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate should not be granted. It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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