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**TROY**

F. D. Cutting passed his 70th mile post, July 22.  
Mrs. Minnie Wilson left for Fayetteville, the 21 of July.  
Miss Lucy Elliott is on a summer trip to the coast of Maine.  
Many of the Ford employees from here are on a vacation.  
The house of Minnie Parkers in Cutting Park is enclosed and ready for the shingles.  
Hay and wheat harvest is in full swing about here, farmers unload hay by moon light.  
Park Cutting and son Maxwell are off on their summer vacation on French River, Canada.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lawrence, are off on a two-weeks vacation visiting relatives at Harris, night at the church, was a pleasing affair.  
The Floyd Lawrence family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown, spent Sunday on the west bank of Cass Lake.  
Mrs. Moore of South Royal Oak formerly at Harris was visiting the Ledbetter family the first of the week.  
Cousins from North Dakota, Frank Sprague, Henry Page and sisters Sara and Adelaide Coe called on Miss Niles July 28.  
Professor Isabelle and family are now settled in their home for the rest of the season, having bought the Lundy home.  
Mrs. Jane Downs and little daughter of Cleveland will spend the balance of the summer at Mrs. Downs's father's, Lyman Bellis.  
Tom Cole who was badly hurt when his team ran away recently, will have to go on crutches for awhile. No bones broken but an injured leg and back.  
There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than all other diseases put together, and for years it was supposed to be incurable. Doctors prescribed to cure with local treatment, pronounced it incurable. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions and therefore requires constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Medicine, manufactured by P. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio, is a constitutional remedy. It takes internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. One Hundred Dollars reward is offered for any case that Hall's Catarrh Medicine fails to cure. Send for circular and testimonial.  
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**MANY OPERATIONS ARE UNNECESSARY.**

Hospitals for women with diagnosis laboratories to prevent unnecessary operations, was a topic considered by the national convention of business women held in Chicago this week, under the auspices of the Woman's Association of Commerce. It is said there are thousands of cases on record where developments proved operations already performed were not required. It was in realization of this fact that Dr. Enoch Mather a few years ago purchased the property in Mt. Clemens, where at considerable cost, he has fitted up Gray Gables, a model sanitarium, where he could continue his study and give special attention to all chronic ailments of men, women, and children, particularly female diseases, and prevent unnecessary operations.  
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Those interested in this sanitarium should write Dr. Enoch Mather, 228 S. Gratiot, Mt. Clemens, today.

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Dutton, T.  
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Fisher, George E.  
Graves, Thomas  
Hardin, J. K.  
Hadlock, Mrs. Wm. Haninen  
Hickox, Mrs. Francis  
Harley, Frank  
McDonald James  
Miller, Oliver  
McLean, Miss Lizzie  
McDonald, J. C.  
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Preisel, Henry  
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