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**FRANKLIN**

Charlotte Wood is ill with tonsillitis. Miss Marjorie McCrumb spent Sunday with Mabel Roediger.

Glenn Milton has recently undergone an operation at Harper Hospital, Detroit.

Miss Cora Johnson spent a few days with Mildred Jubenville, of Plymouth, recently.

Costing ja fine now and the young people here are improving the opportunity afforded.

Little Helen Rayner, five years old, has been neither absent nor tardy at school for the past half year.

Services will not be held in the Franklin Church, January 28, as Rev. and Mrs. Aying are assisting in revival meetings at Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wood have been entertaining the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. Grace, of Mt. Pleasant.

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**Southfieldburg**

John Brooks lost a valuable cow last Friday.

Tom Douglas has sold his farm to Detroit people.

Llewellyn Lee is attending circuit court at Pontiac, as juror from Southfield.

John Curran, Sr., who has been sick with cancer for some months past, is gradually falling.

The funeral of Marion I. White was held at his home last Friday, with burial in Southfield Cemetery.

The Willing Workers' Society will meet for dinner at the home of Mrs. Joseph Brooks, Wednesday, January 31.

Guy Moore has returned to his home in Denver, Colorado, after having attended the funeral of his mother, Mrs. J. Moore.

Mrs. Kennedy, formerly of Southfield, died last Saturday at the County Home and was buried in Southfield Cemetery, Wednesday, January 24.

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Baker, Roy  
Bingle, Ernest  
Coleman, Ralf  
Decker, Clemens  
Forest, Robert  
Harned, Mrs. Gertrude  
Jardine, Mrs. Helen  
Miller, Miss Marian  
Perkins, Lionel E.

**POST CARDS**

Bingle, Ernest  
Folks, Miss Mary  
Hanson, Lydia  
Kramer, Mrs. J. M.  
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**BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.**

REV. F. M. MACKAY, PASTOR.

Sunday, January 28, at 10:30. Pastor Mackay will preach on "The Greatest Power in the World."  
Sunday School 11:45. The Men's Class would like to welcome you.  
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**Here's a Suggestion.**

"Ebbie" times wouldn't seem so trivial," said Tucke Eben, "if day could just some sport into it of some of 'em" give a cup or a medal or something of championship honorifics."

**THE SNOW MAN.**

"The Brownies thought it would be a fine scheme to make a Snow man," said Dandy.

"He will be the biggest and most beautiful Snow man ever made," said Billie Brownie.

"I don't suppose you'd like a little help," suggested Peter Gnome.

"Is that a hint?" asked Billie Brownie laughing.

"I must admit it is," said Peter Gnome.

"Well, as long as you admit it—I suppose it's all right," Billie Brownie said, this putting his head on one side as if it had been a matter to which he had given a great deal of thought.

"Of course Peter Gnome knew Billie was joking and having some fun."

"Well, when is this event to happen?" asked Peter Gnome. "I am ready any time."

"That's very good of you, Peter," said Billie, "and how about having it this afternoon?"

"Fine!" said Peter Gnome. "All the Gnomes were saying that we hadn't anything to do today. It will be such fun."

"When afternoon came the Gnomes and Brownies were all ready to make the Snow man."

"There are so many of us," said Billie Brownie, "we ought not be able to make a pretty good sized one."

"That's so," agreed Peter Gnome. "So they piled up snow and they

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**Gnomes and Brownies Danced** Around them cleared a space for the man to stand upon. They all had brought their snows and they worked very hard.

"At last it was time to start with the Snow man," Billie Brownie made his first of all, and so they went on and on until his head was all ready.

"Then, of course, he had to have a hat, and Peter Gnome made him a very handsome high one."

"We have forgotten something," said Billie Brownie.

"What?" they all asked.

"A pipe for his mouth," said Billie.

"To be sure," said Peter Gnome. "A Snow man isn't a real Snow man without a pipe. We'll make it right away."

"So they got some twigs off the tree and some wood and with their little pen knives they all made pipes. The very best pipe of all was chosen for the Snow man, while the other pipes they put around on the ground beside him."

"For," said Peter Gnome, "he ought to have a little collection of pipes. Different ones for different times."

"And indeed he was the tallest Snow man that had ever been made and he looked so jolly and happy—just as if he had thought of being made out of the snow for some time."

"He reached so far up that when it grew dark, Mr. Moon came out and said:

"What is it I see? A man who is almost tall enough to talk to me. What fun?"

"And then how he grinned when he found out the man had been made out of snow!

"I might of known there was some joke when I saw so many Brownies and Gnomes about," laughed the Moon.

"Well," said Peter Gnome, "will you give us bright light?"

"Yes, indeed," said Mr. Moon. "But tell me what you want it for."

"We want to sing songs and dance around our Snow man," said Peter Gnome.

"What's that you just said?" asked some little Star who came out blinking and twinkling. "We want to see the fun."

"We're going to sing songs around our Snow man," said Peter Gnome again.

"We'll help you give light, too," said the Stars.

"Splendid!" shouted the Gnomes and Brownies.

So at the evening the Gnomes and the Brownies started to sing songs around their Snow man, and he had been made so firmly that some of them climbed up and sat on his arms and even on his shoulders when they grew tired.

"How Mr. Moon did enjoy it! And the Stars were so happy and bright."

"But Billie Brownie was the proudest Brownie in Brownland that night because he had suggested making the tall Snow man!"

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State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Oakland, at a session of said Court, convened at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, on the 23rd day of January, A. D. 1921, **DREW H. HENNING**, Clerk of said Court, do hereby certify that the following is the matter of the estate of **W. K. BEAL**, deceased.

**JAY CHAPPELL**, executor, having filed in said Court a petition for location of said estate and for the appointment of said executor, and that the same was duly heard and that the said Jay Chappel, he said and hereby appointed for said estate and that the said Jay Chappel, as said executor, did appear before said Court, at said time and place, and did read and explain to the said Court the contents of said petition and that the said Jay Chappel, as said executor, did thereupon give by publication of a copy of the order for the location of said estate, as required by law, and that the said Jay Chappel, as said executor, did thereupon give by publication of a copy of the order for the location of said estate, as required by law, and that the said Jay Chappel, as said executor, did thereupon give by publication of a copy of the order for the location of said estate, as required by law.

**KLEBER F. ROCKWELL**  
(A true copy.)  
Judge of Probate,  
County of Oakland, Michigan.

**COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.**

The undersigned, **Arthur M. Young**, do hereby certify that the following is the matter of the estate of **W. K. BEAL**, deceased, and that the same was duly heard and that the said Arthur M. Young, as said Commissioner, did thereupon give by publication of a copy of the order for the location of said estate, as required by law, and that the said Arthur M. Young, as said Commissioner, did thereupon give by publication of a copy of the order for the location of said estate, as required by law, and that the said Arthur M. Young, as said Commissioner, did thereupon give by publication of a copy of the order for the location of said estate, as required by law.

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