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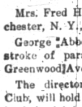

Mrs. Fred Hopson has gone to Rochester, N. Y., to visit relatives.

George Abbott suffered a recent stroke of paralysis at his home on Greenwood Avenue.

The directors of the Birmingham Club, will hold a meeting this evening in their club house on South Woodward Avenue.

Fred W. Allen, a D. U. R. conductor made a complaint Thursday against Marshall Bigler of Pontiac, on a charge of being intoxicated on a D. U. R. car. He had his hearing Thursday in Justice Campbell's Court, pleaded guilty and paid a fine of $15 and $8 65 costs.

John Sullivan, Ross Fuller and James O'Neal of New York, were arrested on a charge of being intoxicated on Woodward Avenue in Birmingham. They had their hearing in Justice Campbell's Court, pleaded guilty and each was let off on suspended sentence by paying $10 costs.

George Stephenson, deputy sheriff, made a complaint Thursday May 24, against J. E. Eckenrode of 513-17 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, and Samuel C. Arthur of 253 Field Avenue, Detroit, each on a charge of violating the automobile speed law on Woodward Avenue. They had their hearing Thursday afternoon in Justice Campbell's Court, pleaded guilty and each paid a fine of $20 and $5.60 costs.

When a man sells his property, no matter what the price obtained or the reason for selling, his intimate friends all join hands and circle to the left, to make him feel badly by telling him he sold too cheap. When he buys property they sit up nights to tell him how badly he has been soaked by paying such an awful price for property not worth half the money. What's the matter with this old world anyhow? Or was it ever thus.

John Priestly of Birmingham has made Mrs. Matilda Priestly defendant in a suit for divorce in the Circuit Court. The bill states they were married May 25, 1910, and separated Aug. 28, 1916. They have two children five and three years of age. The husband was the care of the children and obtained a temporary injunction prohibiting the wife from removing or concealing the little ones until the case is heard.

Talking about country homes and little farms, the now "Brooklands" estates on the Rochester Road are attracting a lot of attention. These lots are as large as three to thirty city lots and are adjoining the new Brooklands Golf and Country Club, on the Flint line D. U. R. The terms are ten per cent cash and one per cent a month. They are for sale by the Whitehead & Standart Co., who will be pleased to give you further particulars.

Representative A. E. Pettermann of Calumet, whose name is attached to the law providing for the $5,000,000 Michigan war loan, was a caller at the executive office last week. He says the Calumet and Hecla, as well as nearly every mining company in the north country, is plowing up its vacant property and dividing the land among the heads of families, in plats of 50x100 feet, for potato raising. "Why Houghton County will raise potatoes enough this year to feed all Michigan," said the Calumet attorney. I noticed down here the Food Preparedness Committee has issued a corn bulleton, "Enlist Under Kernel Korn." Up our way the slogan is, "Enlist Under Major Spuds," and you had better believe me when I say the Upper Peninsula to the last man is seriously and actively in this campaign for increased food production, the Peninsula has never known such an extensive movement as is now in progress north of the Straits. Mr. Petermann took occasion to compliment Mr. McCormick, a member of the Food Preparedness Committee, and said many instances had come to his personal attention where Mr. McCormick's energy and enthusiasm had resulted in stimulating the interest and increasing the crop areas in the upper peninsula.

Albert Bixburg, of Detroit, has been a recent caller.

Mrs. I. B. Hale of Pontiac, has been a recent caller.

Mrs. B. C. Mitchell and daughter Ida are visiting Mrs. Ray Dane.

Miss Clara Schoonover is ill with appendicitis at the Pontiac hospital.

Mrs. Ellen Peabody has bought Mrs. Jennie Clark's house on Willets Street.

Miss Lorene Groves of South Woodward Avenue, is ill with measles at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Childers, will move soon from East Maple Avenue to Ferndale Avenue.

Biroch and Coy each paid a fine of $20 and $5.60 costs. Card paid a fine of $25 and $5.60 costs.

Miss Wilma Wood, attended a house party Saturday, at the home of Miss Goddard at Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Donovan and Mrs. Frank Bromley have gone to the Donovan hunting lodge Oscoda.

O. Smith of Hamilton Avenue, has returned from St. Mary's Hospital in Detroit, where he underwent an operation.

Miss Clara Benedict, who has been ill in Harper Hospital, in Detroit, has returned to her home on North Woodward Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer LaJoie and daughter Helen, of Milford, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wendorph and family.

Mrs. Cooper who has spent the winter with her daughter Mrs. T. W. Miner, has gone to Ionia for a weeks visit with Dr. and Mrs. Haskell.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union, will meet Wednesday afternoon June 14, at the home of Mrs. William Elwoodon Oakland Avenue.

Curtis Kling, of Detroit, pleaded guilty Friday in Justice Campbell's Court to a charge of speeding, and paid a fine of $20 and $5.60 costs.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Lillicrop of Flint, a daughter, Retta Hope. Mrs. Lillicrop before her marriage was Miss Effie Kidd of this place.

George H. Mitchell, Sundayed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hendrick, near Clifford, Michigan, and celebrated his 163rd birthday university.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Methdist Episcopal Church, will meet this afternoon at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Frank Young, on South Woodward Avenue.

The annual meeting of the Birmingham auxiliary of Michigan Children's Home Society, will be held in the Presbyterian Tabernacle on Monday June 4, at 2:30 p. m.

The Big Beaver Ladies Aid Society will hold food sales at Mr. Lamb's Stor, Saturday afternoon, June 2, 9, and 16. Members please bring or send something before 2 o'clock on those dates.

Mrs. Bert Faint and Mrs. Mary Daniels have gone to Akron, Ohio, to visit at the home of the former sister, Mrs. Walter Learned. Mrs. Learned was formerly Miss Orabelle McKay of this place.

A boy's banquet will be given by the Y. M. C. A. boys of Big Beaver, June 8, at the Church parlors. Supper will be served at 6:30 p. m. A grand entertainment will take place after supper, and everybody welcome.

D. A. Biroch, of 538 Dequinder Street Hamtramck, Roy Coy, of Pontiac and David Card of 29 South Saginaw Street Pontiac, each pleaded guilty Monday in Justice Campbell's court, to a charge of violating the automobile speed law.

Mrs. T. A. Ward, after a winter with her sister, Mrs. Belle Schmuck, at Cleveland, Ohio, is in town visiting with her many friends. After this visiting is finished she goes to her daughter's, Lucy P. Hendricks, near Clifford, Michigan, for the summer.

Mrs. Caroline M. Carpenter, age 87 years, died of apoplexy, Monday night at 12:30 o'clock, at her home on Oak land Avenue. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. R. B. Hewitt and Miss Cora Carpenter, both of Oakland Avenue. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at her late home, Burial took place in Greenwood Cemetery.

Remember tonight at the M. E. Church, Mrs. Grace Stewart Godfrey of Detroit, and Mrs. Mary M. Fredowa will delightfully entertain you with readings and pianologues. Mrs. Godfrey was the East Indian Missionary in the great pageant just closed in Detroit. Mr. Louis Haschel has kindly consented to sing during the evening. Admission silver offering.

George Stephenson, deputy sheriff, made a complaint Friday against Edward Griffin of 221 East Jefferson Avenue, Detroit, on a charge of being intoxicated on East Maple Avenue in Birmingham. He had his hearing Friday afternoon in Justice Campbell's court, pleaded guilty and was fined $10 and $8.65 costs or 30 days in the county jail. In default he was committed.

Deputies Mack Hunt and Ernest Phillips, each made a complaint against Donald Dondero of Royal Oak, on a charge of driving his automobile without lights, and E. G. Wiedman of Ypsilanti, on a charge of violating the automobile speed law on Woodward Avenue. Dondero was let off on suspended sentance by paying $5.60 costs. Wiedman was fined $20 and $5.60 costs. He paid.

Mrs. Bertha Jezierski of Troy township made a complaint Thursday May 24, against her husband Walter Jezierski, charging him with assault and battery. He had his hearing Friday in Justice Campbell's Court, pleaded not guilty and the case was adjourned to May 31, for trial. He was placed under $200 bonds which were not furnished and he was committed to the County Jail until trial.

W. A. Groves is building a house on Ann Street.

John Harriman is ill at his home on Watkins Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore of Detroit, were callers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fenn Watkins have gone to Boise Blanc to spend the summer.

Emory Hanna, of Chicago is visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Hanna on Southfield Avenue.

Attention, R. A. M. 93. Regular Convocation on Monday evening June 4, 1917. E. L. Bailey, H. P., J. A. Bigelow, Secretary.

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The Willing Workers met with Mrs. Homer Rundell, Wednesday.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the Presbyterian church Sunday afternoon June 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chissus have returned to their home, after visiting their daughter at Milford.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Green and family attended the wedding of the formers brother Howard Green at Pontiac last week.

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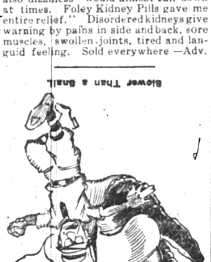

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The average suit or shoe box has a story of its own, and is not the simple, prosaic article it looks. If milady who unpacks the container of dainty shoes, slippers or garments as received from the store, could reconstruct the materials of which the box is composed, she would be more amazed than the subject of a fairy enchantment, for forests have gone to the making of the newspapers which form the substance of the box, the earth has given up claim to its fashioning and interwoven with it are the streamers, firecracker cases and the various apparelings of many a carnival. Added to all this there might stand revealed many a thrilling story of life's comedy or tragedy as told in the day's news.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—General.

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 26th day of May, A. D. 1917. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

MARION I. WHITE, Deceased.

Mary A. White, administratrix of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying for the examination and allowance of her final account, the determination of the heirs-at-law of said deceased, the distribution of the assets of said estate, and the discharge of said administratrix,

It is ordered that the 23d day of June, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. 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, Judge of Probate.

(A true copy.)
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Register of Probate.
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STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland—In Chancery. At a session of the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, held in the Courthouse in the City of Pontiac, on the 23d day of May, A. D. 1917. Present: Honorable George W. Smith, Circuit Judge. Eugene Brooks, Plaintiff., vs. Gen'l. John McNeil, Mrs. Charles A. Trowbridge, the wife of Charles A. Trowbridge, whose first given name is unknown, Joseph Chase and Charles W. Talmadge, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants. On reading and filing the sworn Bill of Complaint of Eugene Brooks, plaintiff in the above entitled cause averring that Gen'l. John McNeil, Mrs. Charles A. Trowbridge, the wife of Charles A. Trowbridge, whose first given name is unknown, Joseph Chase and Charles W. Talmadge, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants, on reading and filing the sworn Bill of Complaint of Eugene Brooks, plaintiff in the above entitled cause averring that Gen'l. John McNeil, Mrs. Charles A. Trowbridge, the wife of Charles A. Trowbridge, whose first given name is unknown, Joseph Chase and Charles W. Talmadge, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, claim to be the owners in fee of certain lands situate in the Village of Birmingham, Township of Bloomfield, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, to-wit: Lots Thirty-seven (37), Thirty-eight (38) and Thirty-nine (39), of Merrill's Plat of the Village of Birmingham, Oakland County, Michigan, located in the Northeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section Thirty-six (36), Township Two (2), North, Range Ten (10) East.

JOHN J. GARGAN,
Attorney for Plaintiff
Business Address: 910 Ford Building, Detroit, Michigan. 4jan-6jun

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS.

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 25th day of May, A. D. 1917. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

DAVID CASE, Deceased.

William A. Patteson, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate. It is further ordered that the 25th day of September, 1917, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Clerk.
1-15jun

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION—General.

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 28th day of May, A. D. 1917. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of

LOUISA REYNOLDS, Deceased.

Mary A. Gravlin, administratrix of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying for the examination and allowance of her final account, the determination of the heirs-at-law of said deceased, the distribution of the assets of said deceased, and the discharge of said administratrix,

It is ordered that the 25th day of June, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition. 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,
Judge of Probate.
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JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Register of Probate.
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In the matter of the Estate of Frederick Brede, 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 8th day of May, A. D. 1917, 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 8th day of July, 1917, and on the 8th day of September, 1917, at 10 o'clock a. m. each day, at the office of Webster-Oliver-Street Company, in the Village of Royal Oak, in said county, for the purpose of receiving and adjusting said claims.

ARTHUR L. DAVENPORT,
HARRY B. REED,
Commissioners.
11-25may

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said Probate Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 11th day of May, A. D. 1917. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

NOBLE GRAVLIN, Deceased.

Thomas H. Cole, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said Court.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate. It is further ordered that the 11th day of September, 1917, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
Judge of Probate.
(A true copy.)
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Register of Probate.
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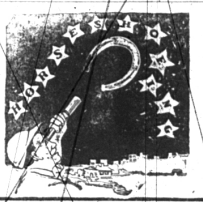

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Every country has a nickname, and is represented in pictures by an animal. The British lion is the animal which stands for England, and John Bull is its owner and master. The lion is the country; John Bull is the nation. The name John Bull comes from a work written by John Arbuthnot, a witty doctor and writer, a great friend of Swift and Pope. He was born in Scotland in 1667 and died in 1735. The sketch that he wrote dealt with the political affairs of Europe at the time and the countries were made to appear as if they were men and women.