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Home

Walter Thuriby of Detroit has been a recent caller.

Miss Nina Johnson has returned from a western trip.

Mrs. Henry Poole of Pontiac has been a recent guest at the home of her mother Mrs. Henry Benedict on Merrill Street.

Mrs. F. J. Foss of Princeton, New Jersey, spent last Friday at the home of Mrs. E A Abbott on Greenwood Avenue.

The Franklin Auxillary Society will meet Tuesday afternoon May 22, at the home of Miss Sly on North Woodward Avenue.

The Presbyterian Church Society will meet Wednesday afternoon May 17 at the home of Mrs. John Endicott in Bloomfield Hill.

Mrs. Emerson Beardslee of Redford has been a recent guest at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. McKinney on Purdy street.

Mrs. Milo Millard and Mrs. Millicent Cooper of Pontiac, have been recent guests at the home of Mrs. Nellie Camp on South Woodward Avenue.

Mrs. Robert Allison and two children of Rochester have been recent guests at the home of her mother Mrs. A. Sturman on Chester street.

Mrs. Hattie Horn of Denver, Colorado, who has been a guest at the home of Frank Germin on Oakland Avenue, has gone to Tiffin, Ohio, to visit relatives.

An adjourned meeting of the Birmingham Memorial Association, will meet at the residence of the President John N. Heth, Monday evening 7:30 May 14.

The regular meeting of Birmingham Chapter No. 220 O. E. S. will be held Wednesday evening May 16, instead of the usual time May 23. This change is made on account of the Oakland County Association which is held at Rochester May 23.

The Public Library has a good many books on the war, its causes, etc. "The secrets of the Hohenzollerns", "Germany and the next war", by Bernhardi. "The Pan-German Plot Unmasked" by Andri Chéradame, called the most valuable work on the war of this year.

Charles Gunkel of Detroit, Joseph Spencer of Pontiac and Joseph Taylor of 43 Wilson Avenue, Pontiac, pleaded guilty recently in Justice Campbell's court, each to a charge of being intoxicated on a D. U. R. car. Gunkel and Spencer each in default of paying a fine of $15 and $7.85 costs were committed to the county jail for 30 days. Taylor in default of paying a fine of $15 and $8.65 costs was committed to jail for 30 days.

The United States, by reason of being the United States, is the greatest nation on this little green globe. The United States should have a law on its Statute Books under the caption, "Universal Military Service" says Captain John Allen Bigelow, and he gives his reasons as follows. The Government aims to give to all law abiding citizens, protection and freedom, and if we love our homes, we should love our country, and the solidity of our Patriotism should be unequivical. Therefore, there should be a solidity of response and Patriotism when our Country is assailed. And when a call should come for defenders of our nation and it's honor, the response would be so spontaneous, that the Gods as of Liberty would smile and look down upon the tumultuous crowd and say, "Nay, nay my children, you cannot all go, but to be fair with you, I will divide you into classes and take such as shall be chosen. The first class shall be all male citizens from the age of 21 to 31. The second class shall be all from the age of 31 to 41. The third class shall be all from the age of 41 to 51. All others must wipe away your tears and stay at home. For by the time the above classes have all been used, the enemy will be taking the reference count, or our homes will not be worth having.

I. N. Baker is building a house on Oakland Avenue.

Miss Wilma Wood spent the week end at Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Fred Fisher has returned from a trip to Wisconsin.

Miss Madeline LaJearne of Detroit, was a caller Saturday.

J. M. Fallon has moved his family from Townsend Street to Frank Adams farm in Southfield.

Christine Hunt of Detroit is visiting her grand-mother, Mrs. Henry Bowers of Southfield Avenue.

The Home Missionary Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church met in the church Thursday afternoon.

The Friday Bridge Club will meet this afternoon at the home of Miss Florence Grant on Oak street.

Miss Maude Babcock was called to Pontiac Monday, on account of the illness of her sister, Mrs. Wm. Kandt.

Claude Smith has gone to St. Louis Missouri, where he has accepted a position with the Doris Motor Company.

Mrs. Arthur Payne and daughter Marion have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Perring of Ford City.

Joseph Bellaby, age 84 years, died of old age Tuesday at his home at Clawson. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. William Cinder of Clawson. The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of his daughter.

Daniel Burke of Birmingham, was arrested Monday on a charge of being intoxicated on the public streets in Birmingham. He had his hearing Monday afternoon in Justice Campbell's Court, pleaded guilty, and was let off on suspended sentence.

Nick Salmac of Pontiac, was arrested Sunday night by Guy W. Lyons, Deputy Sheriff, on a charge of being intoxicated that night on a D. U. C. car. He had his hearing in Justice Campbell's Court, pleaded guilty, and paid a fine of $10 and $9 costs.

Vincent Calderville of Bloomfield township, was arrested Sunday night, on a charge of being intoxicated on a D. U. R. car. He had his hearing Monday afternoon in Justice Campbell's court, and pleaded not guilty, and the case was adjourned to May 10.

James Elwards of Birmingham, was arrested Monday by Deputy Sheriff Mack Hunt, on a charge of the larceny of one suit of clothes valued at $10.00, and a pair of suspenders valued at 50 cents, from the room of Frank Yager on West Maple Avenue. Elwards had his hearing Monday afternoon in Justice Campbell's court and was sent to the County Jail for 45 days.

John Sinckton and John Johnson, of Pontiac, Albert J. Miller, of Ohio, and John Haines of Royal Oak, were each arrested on a charge of being intoxicated Saturday and Sunday nights on a D. U. R. car. They had their hearing Monday morning in Justice Campbell's Court. Suckton in default of paying a fine of $15 and $8. costs, was committed to the County Jail for 30 days. Johnson paid a fine of $15 and $8. 15 costs. Haines in default of paying $15 fine and $8.15 costs, was committed for 30 days in the County Jail.

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Robert F. Henry of 392 Cory Building, Detroit, Orbin J. Wright of 327 Virginia Park, Detroit, and James Wright of 82 Smith Avenue, Detroit, were arrested Monday by Deputies Guy W. Lyons, C. M. Cross and Ernest Phillips, each on a charge of violating the automobile speed law, by driving 35 and 40 miles an hour on Woodward Avenue. They had their hearing Monday afternoon in Justice Campbell's Court, and pleaded guilty. Henry and Wright paid a fine of $20 and $5.60 costs, and James Wright paid a fine of $20 and $9.60 costs.

We were pleased to learn that Miss Rhea Schlaack, won first place in declamation at the District Contest held in Pontiac, Friday evening May 4. The judges were, Prof. Charles Layton, head of the Oratorical Department, in Muskingum College, Ohio, Mack Bailey and Wm. T. Adams honor debater of the Psi Beta Kappa. Miss Schlaack, who is attending school at Pontiac, will give her selection, "Lloyd George" at the State Contest soon to be held. Here is hoping she again wins first place, thus keeping Birmingham in the foreground.

G. W. Dickinson, Manager of the Michigan State Fair will make every effort possible to stimulate a greater crop production among its members and the farmers of the State generally. Earnest co-operation to this end will be given the Committee, recently appointed by Governor Sleeper, to take charge of the State's campaign in this patriotic movement. The State Fair will award substantial cash prizes to farmers growing the largest crops on a given acreage. Besides this, other plans are under consideration, which we hope will prove of assistance in bringing about a most gratifying response to the nation's call. The farmers of the State may be depended upon. They fully appreciate the situation, and with the co-operation that can and will be given them, they will see to it that Michigan will not be found lacking in what may be here to do, on this call for increased crop production, or in any other respect.

Herbert Earle has purchased Eugene Brooks house on Pierce Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Rush Haskins of Walnut Lake were callers Saturday.

Mrs. Estella Hemingway has returned from a winters stay in Florida.

Burial took place in Crooks Cemetery. Mr. Bellaby formerly lived on the West Road.

Fred Lambert is building a new house on Ann Street. Frank Clark is doing the work.

A nice letter in another column, tells you all about Texas, the Lone Star State, and what "Plum" tells you, you can rely on.

The Barsca Class of the Baptist Church, entertained the Philathea Class Thursday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Todd.

John Weston of Romeo changed his plea from not guilty, Saturday in Justice Campbell's court and was committed the Detroit House of Correction for 65 days.

Mrs. E. Birge, Mrs. T. Cheggett of Detroit, and Mrs. Henry Birge of Pontiac, were visitors at the home of Mrs. Halsey and Mrs. Crane on Frank Street Monday.

Mrs. Margaret V. Halsey has sold her home at 207 Frank Street, to Mrs. Grace Gordon, and will move to 314 Willetts Street soon. Purchase was made through the Whitehead-Standart Company.

A Shadow Social will be held at the Big Beaver Church parlors, Saturday evening May 12. Ladies please bring a box lunch for two people. Coffee will be served by the Big Beaver Epworth League. Everyone invited to attend.

The banquet to be given the girl's of the B. Y. P. U. by the boy's, as the result of membership contest of last month, will be held in the Church parlors on Tuesday evening of next week. All members and former members of the B. Y. P. U. are requested to be present.

Little Miss Virginia Hupp is back home again amongst mother, home, and ham sandwiches. After her experience in Pontiac Hospital, the operation and all, she says, "Birmingham for me first, last and all the time." She is coming to the front fine and is fast recovering her usual good health, which we hope will always continue.

Birmingham Temple No. 94, Pytian Sisters, will entertain District Convention No. 7, of Michigan, next Wednesday May 16. There will be delegates present from Pontiac, Oxford, Fleet and Lapeer. The morning session will be called to order at 10:30, afternoon session at 2:30. The initiatory work will be exemplified in the afternoon by Lapeer Temple. All sessions will be held in Pythian Castle, Ford Block.

The Temple Theater, under the management of Mr. Fay, is fast coming to the front. His pictures are fine, expensive and satisfactory to his large audiences "Patria", running weekly is shown often at 25 and 35 cents admission. His price only 15 cents. You should read the story in the Eccentric and then see the pictures. Other films of the comedy order are shown, and fill the audience with convulsive laughter. Go, see and be convinced.

Word is received of the death of Miss Thelma Hamlin, age 13 years, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hamlin of 23 Thorpe Street Pontiac, who was killed Friday night at 11:30 o'clock, when she was struck by an automobile which was being driven by E. H. Leroy of Pontiac. Thelma and her sister Gertrude were returning home after attending an Epworth League Convention at the Central Methodist Episcopal Church in Pontiac. Gertrude was also quite badly injured. The Hamlin family were formerly of this place.

An italian who has been working for the Baker Paving Company, who are paving at Royal Oak, and who was repairing the pavement on south Wood ward avenue near the Thirteen Mile road, was nearly burned to death Thursday afternoon May 3, while at work. He was struck by an automobile which was being driven by Mrs. E. M. Davis of 775 Woodward avenue, Detroit, and fell against a hot kettle of tar which tipped over and which spilled on him. He was brought to Birmingham on a D. U. R. car where he was attended by the physicians of this place and later taken to the Pontiac hospital.

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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 19th day of April, A. D. 1917. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

JOHN W. BASSETT, Deceased.

Will A. Bassett, administrator of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying for the examination and allowance of his final account, the determination of the heir-at-law of said deceased, the distribution of the assets of said estate, and the discharge of said administrator.

It is ordered that the 19th day of May, A. D. 1917, at 9:30 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,
(A true copy) Judge of Probate.
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Register of Probate. 27apr-11may 4t

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 30th day of April, 1917. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

HENRIETTA LOCKEMANN, Deceased.

William Lockemann, 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 1st 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,
(A true copy) Judge of Probate
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Register. 4-May

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, said county, on the 21st day of April, A. D. 1917. Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of

ANTHONY BILKOVSKY, Deceased.

Charles Bilkovsky, executor of the will of said estate having filed in said Court a petition praying for the examination and allowance of the final account, distribution of the assets of said deceased, and the discharge of said executor,

It is ordered that the 19th day of May, A. D. 1917, at nine 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,
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