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Oakland Avenue.

The Log Cabin Gun Club held their third annual turkey shoot Tuesday at their club grounds.

Mrs. Fred Parks and Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hunt expect to start for Florida next week, where they will spend the

wood Avenue.

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist Church
give a supper Friday December 7, from
5:30 to 8 o'clock p. m. 'Everybody invited. Adults 35c. Children 12 years
and under 25c.

H. Tesehner has opened a shoe repairing and shoe shining establishment in the Thurlby Block, recently vacated by a Sanitary Bakery. See advertise-

ment eisswarer.

Burglars broke into the jewelry store
of William Smith on West Maple Avenue, Tuesday morning at about 4

o'clock, and took \$150 worth of jewelry.
The sheriffs officers are working on

the case.

Mr. and Mrs. William McBride of
Beaver Dam, Ohio, Miss Rachel Markham of Allegan, and Miss Bertha Markof Ann Arbor, spent the week end at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry McBride on Oakland Avenue.

ride on Oakland Avenue.

The Inter-Community Choral Society
over 99 voices accompanied by orseektra, pipe-organ, will sing the Christas oratorio "The Measish" on Thursas oratorio "The Measish" on Thursas vevening December 20, in the Methlist Church auditorium at 8 o'clock,
veryone interested is cordially invited
be present at this Christman concert.

De present at this Christmas concert. Writes letter to that soldier boy toay. No matter if you were intimately quainted with him when he was at one, or oot. He is entitled to your moniferation now, and when the other illows are getting letters every day do this fellow doesn't get any, it akes him feed as if the country which

Mrs. Hiram Parks of Bates Street in Harper Hospital where she under went a recent operation.

The Red Cross of Southfield will Friday afternoon December 7, Mrs. Mel Henning, in Southfield. Mrs. Robert M.

Mrs. Robert Moore of Orion, has been a recent guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Minor Spencer in Troy;

The five small children of John Lynct of East Maple Avenue, who have been ill with scarlet fever have recovered. We are showing new designs in Hard-ware, let us estimate your job, look at our line, its comlepte. "The Builders

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nop." Phone 346.—Adv. Shop. 'Phone 346 - Adv.'
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Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs.
W. P. Evans on West Maple Avenue.
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Miss Emma Friday of Davisburg: have
been recent guest of Mrs. Fanny Shain
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Mr. and Mr. Major Jones of Detroit have been recent guests of the latters parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Staley on Brown Street.

Miss Margaret Miss Rachell Eliwood of Oakland Avenue.

The Log Gabin Gun Club held their third annual turkey shoot Toesday at their annual turkey shoot Toesday at Annuancesiment has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Tyrell and John Boughner both of this place.

The Clawson M. E. Church will be fair at the Church Deember 7 and 5. Supper will be seved both evenings. Supper will be seved both evenings. Why pay rent for dark cold offices when the Field Building have every that makes your effice 100 per cent correct. Phone 366.—Adv.

A Diamond Medal contest will be held at the Methodist Church next turked at the Methodist Church next Tuesday evening December 4, at o'clock. The public is invited.

Mrs. Charles Knowles gave a surprise birthday party recently at her home on Fast Salp Avenue, for Miss Ann Parks. Twenty-four guests were prebirding property of the pro club work.

Attention R. A. M. 93. Regular Anual Convocation of Birmingham Chap-

Rush orders for painting, paper hang-

Rush orders for painting, paper hang-ing, carpenter work, any kind any time. Try our service. "The Builders' Shop." Phone 346.—Adv. George W. Chapman, '94 years old, an Oakland County pinones and the old est member of the Masonic order in Michigan, passed away at the Masonic hospital at Alma. November 22. He leaves on son and two daughters, Mrs. Carrie Clairk and Miss Florence, Chap-man of Birminaham Services were man of Birmingham. Services were held Monday afternoon at the home at 511 Woodland Avenue. Interment was at Woodlawn Cemetery, Detroit.

We'Get You, Madam.
"He used such grand words and elegant language," said Mrs. Blunderby of a lecturer she had heard; "he simply electrotyped his audience."—Boston Transcript.

Here is something from a Lansing paper about our old town boy. Charles H. Toms, worth reading. Didat hear about 'Doc' Russel's wild goose? 'Tis a goosesome story. Dr C. V. Russel' and Charles Toms, cashier of and this review obsers' get any, it about "Doc Russel's while your dealers in the country which the goose observed as if the country which the goose observed as it worth aghting for. An arrive is elter, in all worth aghting for. An arrive is elter, in all worth aghting for. An arrive is elter, in all worth aghting for. An arrive is elter, in a construction of or ducks, ones, or send in copy without the each, and the form, who foesses up that he is sling that a bill be sent, Act the head send the present of the send of the country of the send of the send of the profit is passive and send of the send of the send of the profit is passive and send of the send see any our are owing, as sending for same east sup the profit in postand stationary. Those having a sending for same east sup the profit in postand stationary. Those having a server and stationary. Those having a server are a server as the server sements inserted.

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#### First National Bank of Birmingham

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TATEO MICHIGAN.

I. M. T. Jarris, Cashier of the above-named Bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and whelef, ...

and aworn to before, me this 7til

"NSON. Bank, do solemny a-ment is true to the best of my known-a-ment is true to the best of my known-a-ment is true to the best of my known-a-ment is subscribed and sworn to-before me this? day of November, 1917.

Walter F. JOHNSON.

My commission expires June 1, 1919.

Correct—Attest:

EUGENE BROOKS.

WHITEREAD.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

First State Savings Bank

s, Tomas H. Cobb, Cashier of the above named Bank, do solominy aware that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief, several matters therein consistence, as shown by the books of the Bank. The Cobb Cashier. Subscribed and The Cobb Cashier. The Cobb Cashier of November, 1917. A RTHUR C. PECK, Mr. commission capties a logar 20, 1919. Gerrect—Attast: FRANK HAGGEMAN I

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Herrars. the Spaints historian, says that Pizarro when he handed in South America over he he had of a South America owed his life and those of his scampanions to the fact that one of the party fell off his holve by accident. The natives had succeeded in citting off the refrest of the Shahlards to their ships, when one of the riders was thrown. The Indians were so autonished at their dissolution of partnepship that they took flight as goots. They had supposed horse and man to be one animal.