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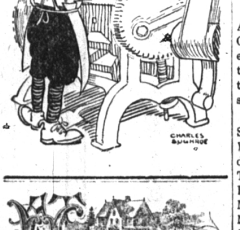

Mrs Hock and sister, Mrs Asby, of Chicago, have been spending a few days at the home of Mrs Retta M. Barr.

George Johnson, Jr., is in training at Fort Dodge, Ia., and writes home to his father that he enjoys the work first rate.

Mr. and Mrs Wm. Cockerline and family have returned from Sylvan Lake, where they have been spending the summer.

John Johnson and family of Pontiac, were guests of Mr. Johnson's brother George Johnson, 409 Oakland Avenue, Sunday.

Mother Nature is most resplendent in her autumnal garb which she has donned rather earlier than usual owing to the frigid September of 1918.

The Mazie Hat & Blouse Shop, formerly located in the Quarton Block, has stepped down and out, and is now enrolled on the Pontiac business list.

Mrs. S. W. Fuller, 215 Martin street, has returned from a week's sojourn with friends in Detroit, where she certainly improved every moment of her time attending Methodist Conference, visiting the famous Eagle Instruction Camp and adjacent aviation fields and accepting various other invitations.

The mothers of our soldier boys who are in service were most enjoyably entertained last Friday by members of Mrs Bert Peabody's class. The scene of this patriotic gathering was the home of Mrs Jessie Wightman on Oakland Avenue, and the "Class" conducted the affair in a manner characteristic of Methodist Sunday-School workers. The attendance was good and the occasion was one long to be remembered.

Ernest Burtraw, of Camp Custer, has been home on a furlough.

Gordon Leach, of Port Huron, is visiting Mr. and Mrs William Walker, in Troy.

Mrs. Jessie Barnhart, of Detroit, was a caller on Birmingham friends Sunday.

Leslie Drace, of Rochester, spent Sunday with his parents on Oakland Avenue.

Miss Myrtle Tyrrell, of Rochester, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drace.

The Baracca boys, of the First Baptist Church, met last Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Patchett.

Mrs. Bessie V. Crane, of Willets street, entertained Mrs. Bassett and Miss Mary Ureh of Adrian, last week.

Miss Maxine Taylor celebrated her thirteenth birthday Wednesday afternoon, at her home on Southfield Ave.

The Woman's Literary Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. William Stephens, on East Maple Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Fellows, of Detroit, have been recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hopsor, on East Maple Avenue.

Miss Jessie Phelps, Birmingham Heights, gave a 9 o'clock dinner recently in honor of Detroit and Ypsilanti guests.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Cromwell and little son, of Detroit, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McElroy, 211 Euclid Avenue, Sunday.

Mrs Lillian Slocum and Miss Alta Brown, of Cleveland, Ohio, have been recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs William Brown, on Bates Street.

Mrs. C. J. Fulmer, of Highland, and Mrs. L. P. Nicholson and son Louis, of Milford, have returned, after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoyt, on Brown street.

Late Wednesday evening fire broke out in the Bakery located in the Ed. Parks building, on East Maple Avenue, but the blaze was speedily subdued by the prompt services of our Fire Department. Damages slight.

Ray Winnegar, son of H. J. Winnegar, has been appointed Second Lieutenant, we are informed. Quite a promising record for a young man who has only been in training about three months.

The Kroger Grocery Co., who have been doing business in the Wooster Block on Woodward Avenue are soon to occupy the building recently vacated by the Mazie Hat and Blouse Shop; on Maple Avenue East.

Master William Rice aged 8 years, son of Rev. Earl R. Rice, had the misfortune to fall from a tree and break his right wrist. Although it was a bad fracture, the little fellow is doing nicely under the skilful treatment of Dr. Shaw.

Miss Marion Johnson, 403 Greenwood Avenue, entertained a few friends at Oakland Hills Country Club one evening last week. Dancing was the order of the evening and to say that the young people enjoyed themselves is a mild way of expressing it.

The Franklin Cemetery Auxiliary Society will meet at the home of Mrs. W. J. McKinney, 216 Brown St., Tuesday, October, 8, for 1 o'clock dinner. The committee is as follows: Mrs. F. D. German, Mrs. Jennett Dunbar, Mrs. J. D. VanEvery, Mrs. Frank Nichols, Mrs. William Weclow and Mrs. Will Edwards.

We again request everyone having church or club notices that they wish published to bring same not later than Monday night, as we can not positively assure you that they will appear if brought in LATER. We can only say "we will do the best we can by you, friends." We very much regret the omission of some church notices in this issue which were sent in too late for publication.

Miss Mabel Whittenberger whose millinery parlors have occupied space in a portion of Mrs. I. N. Baker's store, for the past six months, has removed to the Hanna building, one door east, on Maple Avenue. Miss Whittenberger is exceedingly grateful to Messrs. Olson and Whittenberger for the artistic interior decorations, which have completely transformed the building and made it a very attractive place for the line of business displayed.

"Professor Swanson," from Stevens Point, Wis. has been awarded several medals. Swanson, somewhere about 30 years of age, and claiming no dependants, did not win his laurels in military service. He became notorious through performance on the ballroom floor at Detroit dancing pavilions. When the professor left Northern Wisconsin several of the citizens felt the loss very keenly. He had diamond rings, unpaid board bills and borrowed automobiles all to his credit. It seemed like playing a long shot when a Wisconsin Sheriff notified us to make the capture. On the Deep Run Stock Farm Captain Richard Lake recognized the Professor disguised as a farm hand. Swanson is now rooming in one of the strong rooms as the headquarters of Charles M. Cross, in Pontiac, where he admits two things, namely, that he has been making a collection of precious stones, and that Birmingham has some detective outfit.

Rule McKinley, of Camp Custer, is home on a furlough.

James Cobb has returned from a trip to Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Fanny Shain is visiting Mrs. A. Meyers, at Northville.

Dr. J. L. Campell is spending a few days in Mt. Clemens, Mich.

Miss Nellie Camp spent the week end with relatives in Mt. Clemens.

Rev. Cassius Wakefield, of Detroit, has been a recent Birmingham caller.

Mr. and Mrs Donald Ferguson, of Detroit, have been recent callers here.

Miss Lsila Billings was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. L. D. Califf.

Poppleton Unit reports 1 Helmet and 7 pairs of socks. 265 yard rolls of gauze.

Mr. and Mrs Fenn Watkins have returned from a summer's stay at Boise Blanc.

Mr and Mrs. Thomas Roy have moved to their new home on Oakland Avenue.

William Stanger and daughter, Gladys, have gone to Chicago to spend a few days.

Mrs. Martha Lasier will move here soon from Holly, and will reside on Brown street.

The Woman's Literary Club will meet at the Red Cross work rooms Tuesday, October 15.

Mrs. Henry Spicer has gone to Southfield to spend the winter with her son, Irving Spicer.

Lynn Allen, of this place, who is in the U. S. Navy at River Rouge is seriously ill with pneumonia.

Word has been received that Earl Mudge, who is with the U. S. Army, has reached France in safety.

Thomas Cockran, of Detroit, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Seeley Peck, on East Maple Avenue.

The Excelsior Degree will meet at the Maccabee Hall here November 16. A pot luck dinner will be served,

Mr. and Mrs. Major Jones, of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Staley, on Brown street.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday afternoon, October 9th with Mrs. Henry Stephens, on Watkins Street.

Homer LaJoie, of Milford, was a caller Tuesday at the home of Mr. and and Mrs. Richard Lake, on Hamilton Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Schlaack, J. W. Brown, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reynolds, have returned from a trip to Hale, Mich.

A reception will be given Tuesday night in the Methodist Episcopal church for Rev. Earl R. Rice, pastor of the church

Miss Ann Young, of this place, and her sister, Louise Young of Washington, D. C., have gone to Eden, Ohio, to visit relatives.

The Philathea class of the First Baptist Church, met Wednesday night of last week with Miss Maud Stephens, on Watkins street.

Mrs Martha Spear, of Idaho Falls, Idaho, has been a recent guest of her sister, Mrs. O. E. Shattuck, on South Woodward Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blakeslee, of Detroit, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Mattie Blakeslee, on West Maple Avenue.

A reception for the Teachers, Friends and Husbands, given by the Woman's Literary Club, will be held October 8, at Baldwin High School, at 8 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wilkinson, of Southfield, have gone to their Florida home for the winter. Our best wishes go with them for a warm and "comfie" winter.

The Woman's Literary Club met with Mrs. L. D. Califf. An exceptionally interesting paper and talk were given by Mistreses Wightman and MacKay.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hanna have returned from Chicago, where they visited their son Mark, who is in the U. S. Navy at the Great Lekes training station.

Among other guests at the home of Matthew McBride during the past week were two Presbyterian clergymen from a distance, en route for the Synod in Saginaw.

Someone was wondering, not long ago, what would be done with the Kaiser when the end has come. We would respectfully suggest that he be sent to Southfield Township and get it.

The ladies of The Holy Name Catholic Church of Birmingham, will give a Harvest Festival and Chicken Pie Supper in Johnston-Shaw Hall, Saturday, October 26, 1918. Supper will be served from 5 to 8 p. m. Everybody come and sample the good things.

Mesdames Farmer, Brooks and Trumble, of St. James Church, joined the Detroit party on a special car to attend the Woman's Auxiliary at Mt. Clemens, held on Monday. They report a very interesting meeting.

Charles Kieling, a farmer of Walnut Lake, northwest of Birmingham, was arrested last week for having $1,500 worth of liquor stored in his cellar. Kieling was formerly proprietor of a saloon in Detroit, on Beaubien Street, known as "Hunter's Headquarters."

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The Ninth Annual Oakland County Teachers, Institute is being held at the High School Auditorium in Pontiac, today. Three interesting sessions are scheduled, and the literary and musical program prepared is excellent. Prominent speakers are in attendance, with Ex-Gov. Woodbridge N. Ferris as Instructor. The Institute is very ably conducted by School Commissioner A. L. Craft, of Pontiac.

Miss Carrie E. Mitchell was home for a visit of a few days the fore part of the week. The great store of J. W. Knapp Co., of Lansing, where she presides as Advertising Manager, went 100 per cent before noon Monday last in the purchase of Liberty Bonds. This store is very patriotic. Before opening every morning for business, the whole force (over 100) gather around a piano, in the center of the store, and with a leader repeat in unison an allegiance to the United States. Then a patriotic song like "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," is sung and while dispersing to their various places of duty they all sing "Keep the Home Fires Burning." Surely a fine way to start the day.

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Mrs. Anna Armstrong, aged 80 years, died of old age Monday noon, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. David Currie, on Bates street. The funeral was held Tuesday afternoon from the Currie home, and the remains were sent to Philadelphia, Pa., for burial. Rev. W. F. Armstrong, of Southfield, is a son of the deceased.

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CHANCERY ORDER.

State of Michigan, in the Circuit Court of Oakland, in chancery. Harry W. Hainey, Plaintiff, vs. Elijah Willetts, Elijah Willitts, Rachel Willits, Fractional School District No. 1, Bloomfield and Troy, Albert C. Hastings, the unknown wives of Andrew C. Wallace and Lyman B. Peabody, John Harmon, John Harmon, Trustee, and George W. Sherman, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants. At a session of said court held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, on Tuesday the 20th day of August, 1918. Present, Honorable Kleber P. Rockwell, Circuit Judge. In this cause, it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Elijah Willetts, Elijah Willitts, Rachel Willits, Fractional School District No. 1, Bloomfield and Troy, Albert C. Hastings, the unknown wives of Andrew C. Wallace and Lyman B. Peabody, John Harmon, John Harmon, Trustee, and George W. Sherman, are necessary and proper parties to the above entitled cause and it further appearing to the Court that the said defendants, except Fractional School District No. 1, Bloomfield and Troy, are dead or their residence unknown. On motion of Andrew L. Moore, Attorney for Plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, except Fractional School District No. 1, Bloomfield and Troy, be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order and that in case of their appearance or the appearance of any of them, they respectfully cause their answer or answers to the bill of complaint in this cause to be filed and a copy thereof to be served upon the attorney for plaintiff within fifteen days after service on them or such of them as shall appear respectively or their respective attorneys of a copy of said bill and notice of this order and that in default thereof, that said bill be taken as confessed by them, the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, except Fractional School District No. 1, Bloomfield and Troy. It is further ordered that within twenty days from the date of this order that the said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Birmingham Eccentric, a newspaper, printed, published and circulated in the County of Oakland said County of Oakland and that such publication be continued therein once in each week for at least six successive weeks or that they cause a copy of this order to be personally served on each of the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, except Fractional School District No. 1, Bloomfield and Troy, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
Circuit Judge.

Countersigned.
MARTHA C. MAURER,
Deputy County Clerk.
A. L. MOORE,
Attorney for Plaintiff, Pontiac, Michigan.

To the within defendants:

Notice is hereby given that this suit is brought to quiet the title to the following described parcels of land situated in the Village of Birmingham, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: Lots nine (9) and ten (10) of Willets Plat in the Village of Birmingham, Oakland County, Michigan. Also a strip of land twenty (20) feet in width across the south end of lots fifteen (15) and sixteen (16), on the above named Willets plat according to the recorded plat thereof. 30aug-10oct

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Birmingham Time Table

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South-bound—Limited—6:55 a.m.

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North-bound—7:18 a. m., and every 30 minutes to 8:18 p. m.; then 8:58 p. m., and hourly to 12:58 a. m.

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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 24th day of September, A. D. 1918. Present, Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of

SAMUEL S. ARTHUR, Deceased.

James G. Arthur, 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 heirs-at-law of said deceased, the distribution of the assets of said estate, and the discharge of said administrator,

It is ordered that the 21st day of October, A. D. 1918, at 9:00 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.
GEORGE A. BROWN, Probate Register.
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