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BIDS WANTED
For installing a Steam Heating System in the Library Building, Birmingham, Michigan.
The Commission of the Village of Birmingham will receive sealed bids up to 8:00 o'clock P. M., on Monday, August 6th, 1923, for installing a steam heating system complete in the Village Library Building on the corner of Woodward and Maple Avenues.

The specification under which the work is to be done may be secured at the office of the Village Clerk.
The Commission reserves the right to reject any or all bids or to accept any bid that may appear to be the best interest of the Village.
HAZEL E. CLARK,
Village Clerk.

CLASSIFIED ADS

UNDER THIS HEADING—For Sale, "For Rent", etc., per word 1 1/2c; for each consecutive insertion of same ad, 1c per word—minimum charge 25c. Call must accompany each ad.—absolutely no ad. charged.

MISCELLANEOUS
CERTAINLY we are still Dry Cleaning and Dyeing for particular people. Gravels & Gravels, 1111 North 11th St., Call 813.

HOUSECLEANING—Let us help you. We do all of your housework, including walls, ceilings, wall paper, woodwork and windows. Write to your home made by Mrs. Oliver, Phone Pontiac 1125-W, for appointment. 1111 North 11th St., Royal Oak. adv15-18

PRINTING—The inseparable companion of achievement. If you would achieve, let us do your printing. Front Street, Birmingham Eccentric, Phone 11-12. adv15-18

HYDROTHERAPY—Treatments and Baths. Mrs. E. A. Oliver and Mrs. M. L. Clough. This will be found at 110 Center St., Pontiac, Mich. Write to your home made by Mrs. Oliver, Phone Pontiac 1125-W, for appointment. 1111 North 11th St., Royal Oak. adv15-18

SITUATION WANTED—FEMALE
GOOD English woman, Phone 113-W, 218 Duane St. adv15-18

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE
FOR QUICK sale of my home, 417 Oakland Ave., will sacrifice for less than cost. Decher. adv15-18

LOST AND FOUND
LOST—From machine, W. E. King, 1111 E. 1st Monday evening, a man's Park coat, coat, to F. R. Parkard, 113 Marina, Phone 268. adv15-18

LOST—Royal Typing Pin, blue and gold, value 10c to owner, Phone 113-W, 218 Duane St. adv15-18

FOR SALE—HOUSEHOLD GOODS
FOR SALE—Ginnell, Piano, Colonial and other household goods. Call 813, Woodland Ave. adv15-18

FOR SALE—Child's bicycle, new, 15-16" (patented) updated Davenport. Mrs. E. E. B. Road, 1217 North 11th St. adv15-18

WANTED—TO rent a modern house by December or October 1st. Address Box 11, Eccentric. adv15-18

HELP WANTED—15

WANTED—Man to drive team and do light farming, George Davidson, one mile east of Birmingham on East Main Road, adv15-18

WANTED—Good plain cook, one who will assist in housework. References required. Mrs. H. W. Booth, Cranbrook Cottage, Telephone 44-M. adv15-18

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS
FOR SALE—English Horn, Wagner and Saddle, Phone Northwest 2420, Detroit. adv15-18

BONEY—Best new Clover Honey, 10 lbs. net in new jar, \$1.00; 5 lbs. net, 50c. Why say more? Kindly inform your acquaintance and call A. W. Smith, 509 Hazel St., for your usual supply. adv15-18

FOR SALE—Chloro Yellow—Smithsonian Apples, 1200 per box, Midway Farm, Woodward Ave., by mile north of Birmingham, Phone 44-M. adv15-18

FOR RENT—HOUSES AND APARTMENTS
Will let or share with congenial couple, new five-room furnished bungalow, with garage, Near Woodward. Address Lock Box 72, Birmingham. adv15-18

ROOM—House to rent; half block off Woodward on Brown, rent \$60.00 per month. See George Mitchell. adv15-18

FURNISHED—room for one or two gentlemen in private family. Phone 113-W, 218 Duane St. adv15-18

WOMAN—wants work by the day. Cleaning, washing or ironing. Write Eccentric Box 12. adv15-18

WANTED—ROOMS
YOUNG man of quiet habits, permanently employed in Village, desires furnished sleeping room. Write R. Boyd, care Eccentric Office. adv15-18

NEAR EAST ORIENTAL RUG WORKS

CLEANING, REPAIRING and HAND WASHING

By the only native experts in Oakland County

Expert Service on Domestic Rugs

Reference: White Bros., Pontiac

S. M. MARDIGIAN, Gen. Mgr. (9 years in Detroit)
Phone: PONTIAC 2718-J
307 Prospect St., Pontiac



At the Baldwin Theatre, Royal Oak, Next Tuesday and Wednesday

Franklin News

WHICH PROVES RAILROADS AREN'T SO CHARITABLE

Mrs. Carrie Bishop is spending the week in Detroit, visiting friends and relatives.

Mrs. Lizzie Simmons of Washington, formerly of Southfield, is visiting old friends in Franklin.

Most fifteen members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society were entertained Thursday afternoon by Mrs. C. E. Botsford. After business meeting light refreshments were served.

Dr. Leason of Ann Arbor, president of the Ann Arbor M. E. District visited Rev. and Mrs. Carley on Wednesday.

Mrs. Augusta Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Letcher Coleman and daughter of Detroit, were Sunday guests at Bert Wood's.

The third quarterly business meeting of the Franklin and Southfield M. E. church was held Wednesday evening. Harold Noble of Southfield church and C. E. Botsford of Franklin, were elected delegates to conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bingham and children were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bingham.

Wm. McLaughlin, who was injured in an automobile accident some time ago, is able to be out again.

Wrote First Modern Novel.

Who was the first modern English novelist? Saunde Richardson (1688-1731) is credited with that distinction. From early youth he was a printer. When he was fifty some publishers desiring a letter writer for people who could not express themselves asked him to prepare it. He made these letters tell a comic story. The result was the first modern novel, "Pamela" (1740).

Stray Bits of Wisdom.

An empty helmet, an useless sword, a shield without a grip—such is glory.—Boson.

IN MEMORY OF GRANDMA WHITE
(By Mrs. William Taylor, Jackson, Mich.)

From us there has one been taken,
Taken by the Reaper's hand,
She was ready for the Harvest,
In that good and better land.
She did not leave us in the night,
But just at mid-day she left her flight,
She slipped away to parts unknown,
And we knew that God had but claimed His own.
Then we bowed our heads in silent prayer,
And asked God to help us, our sorrow to bear.

Many years, we've had her with us,
Through our joys and through our woe,
Now we can say good-bye, Dear Mother,
For we know she longed to go.
Shall we miss her? Yes, we'll miss her,
But our loss will be her gain,
As we know she's safe in Heaven,
We could not ask her to remain.

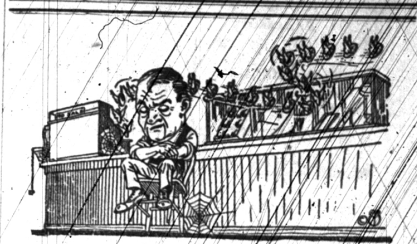
For the time will speed away quickly,
It will come to us one of these days,
For we are God's own humble children,
When He's ready, each one He will call
To His Mansion far away in Heaven,
To join our loved one over there.
Let us live so all will be ready,
Which none but His hands could prepare.

Allegro's Many Charms.
Allegro is a source of delight, for her hairpins are more plentiful than those of any other city in the country and, for the same reason, full of charm. One can buy any product of the East and the Far East from these merchants, the products of the looms of Persia, the silk of China brought thousands of miles by caravan, and wonderful brass and tin work.

Thought for the Day.
Some people are good customers only if you give them too much credit—then they quit you.

All An Difference.
The very opportunity and harvest of hearts has some musical strings to it; but they are tuned differently in every one of us.—Lounellow.

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It Costs You Money

Every day you delay placing your goods before the public is costing you money.

True, everyone may know you are in business, know where your store is, but they do not have the time to run to your store to find out about the new things you are showing, about the special bargains you are offering and the hundred and one other things that make your store an interesting place to visit.

Many people may be going past your store every day to buy something you could sell them at a lower price than they are paying—and why? The other fellow invited them to buy—*that's all, that's all!*

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Birmingham Eccentric

HER FIRST THOUGHT

"A dog bit a piece out of my leg today."
"Pray mind clear; I think we can match the pattern in your trousers."

Bride Changes Sides.
At a church wedding in Holland the bride always enters the edifice on the right arm of the groom and goes out on the left side of her husband.

Perhaps.
A club for widowers has been opened in New York, but perhaps they resent it if we called it a lodge, sorrow.

Birmingham Eccentric

From the Foundation To the Roof

We are in a position to furnish you with building materials. In large or small quantities of materials, we are ready to give you quick delivery on your orders.

You will find that our low prices on all building materials will save you many dollars in the cost of ANY building you contemplate this year.

We are building for a "Bigger and Better Birmingham"—and we help you?

Birmingham Lumber Co.

PHONE 541
BROWNELL at Forest St.

Leaking Roofs

Prove expeditiously costly! This is the time to apply the new Roof—or repair the old one. To postpone it will only increase the eventual cost and add to the present discomfort.

Why wait until heavy rains and seeping snows leak through—making it necessary to redecorate your interior?

A reliable man will be recommended to do the work, should you desire. Phone when you wish him to call and estimate the cost. This service is without charge and places you under no obligation.



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"The Coolest Theatre in the State"

BALDWIN THEATRE
ROYAL OAK

"RIDERS OF THE DAWN"
A film version of Zane Grey's Popular Novel, "Desert of Wheat"

SATURDAY
AUGUST 4th
Matinee and Evening PATHE NEWS

Sunday and Monday—August 5th - 6th
(Sunday commencing 2:30 to 11:00 P. M.)
The Al Lichtman Picture Corp. presents
Lloyd Hughes, Madge Bellamy and Tom Santachi in
'ARE YOU A FAILURE?'
"A comedy drama of youth, love and struggle"

"SO THIS IS HAMLET"
2 reel Charlie Murray Comedy PATHE REVIEW

Thursday - Friday
AUGUST 9th and 10th
Antonio Moreno and Bebe Daniels
IN
"THE EXCITERS"
The story of a speed-mad girl who finally sped into the arms of love in an original way.

PRIZMA PICTURES
SCREEN SNAPSHOTS

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Tuesday - Wednesday—August 7th - 8th
The Associated Exhibitors present
LEAH BAIRD
"WHEN THE DEVIL DRIVES"
Is it that the more a woman gives, the less she can demand?

"THE COBBLER"
2-Reel Our Gang Comedy PATHE NEWS

Saturday
AUGUST 11th
Matinee and Evening
ALICE LAKE
IN
"WOMAN'S HATE"
An off-stage romance of New York life PATHE NEWS

AESOP'S FABLES

"Always a Good Show"

Gun Club Shoot Held Wednesday

J. H. Cox High Man in Doubles And Short Singles; Potter High

A regular shoot of the Birmingham Gun Club was held Wednesday at the club's grounds, one-half mile east of Adams avenue. J. H. Cox was high scorer in both the double and 16-yard single events. In the doubles, he broke 45 pigeons out of a possible 48, and in the 16-yard singles he shot 23 and broke 37. H. W. Potter and E. V. Burroughs tied for first shooting from the 20 yard line, each breaking 41 out of a possible 50. The events and scores were as follows, the first figures being the number of pigeons shot at, and the second the number hit:
Singles, shooting from 16 yards—J. H. Cox, 75—87; R. S. Parritt, 75—86; J. F. Collier, 75—57; Fred Galpin, 75—56; Dr. Potter, 75—56; E. V. Burroughs, 50—47; Geo. Holznagel, 50—42; Fred Douglas, 50—41; F. Holznagel, 50—39; Dr. Brown, 50—38; Newton, 50—26; Wm. Shapland, 50—35; Mrs. Burroughs, 50—32; E. C. McBride, 35—19; H. W. Potter, 75—56.
Singles, shooting from 20 yard line—H. W. Potter, 50—41; E. V. Burroughs, 50—41; Dr. Brown, 50—39; J. H. Cox, 25—23; Dr. Potter, 25—23; F. Holznagel, 25—20; R. S. Parritt, 25—18; Wm. Shapland, 25—12; J. F. Collier, 13—10.
Doubles—J. H. Cox, 30 pair—45; Dr. Brown, 30 pair—32; Geo. Lee, 25 pair—31; R. S. Parritt, 22 pair—27; J. F. Collier, 22 pair—22; E. V. Burroughs, 22 pair—22; F. Holznagel, 20 pair—31; Dr. Potter, 20 pair—22; Fred Douglas, 20 pair—22; H. W. Potter, 20 pair—20; Dr. Brown, 12 pair—11; Fred Galpin, 10 pair—10; Wm. Shapland, 10 pair—6.

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BETTER PAY YOUR TAXES

BETWEEN August 1 and August 31 one (1) per cent penalty will be imposed on all taxes collected; from September 1 to October 31 four (4) per cent penalty will be imposed on all taxes collected; the tax roll will be returned to the County Treasurer at Pontiac November 1, after which all taxes will be paid there and an additional 1/4 per cent penalty will be imposed for each month or fraction thereof that taxes remain unpaid.

Up to November 1 Village taxes will be collected in the office of the Village Clerk of Birmingham.

(Signed)
CHARLES PLUMSTEAD,
Village Treasurer.