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LOST—$25.00 between First State Savings Bank and Methodist church on West Maple avenue. Finder please return to 215 W. Maple Ave. and receive reward. 37-

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SET of Degon Professional Orchestra Bells. Two and one-half octave. Inquire of M. Donald, 104 Davis Ave., Eco City. 37-

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FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping rooms with private bath. 447 Merrill St. Phone 246. 36-37

FOR RENT—Two light housekeeping rooms on ground floor with private entrance. 524 Ann St. 37-38*

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Ruth Navin of Southfield avenue, who underwent an operation at Harper Hospital recently, has been very low all this week.

The Class of 1922 of Baldwin high school was delightfully entertained by Miss Florence Wendorish at her home at 218 North Woodward avenue, Wednesday evening, Dec. 29, 1922. Twenty of the class were present. Each one told about the various things that they had been doing since graduation. The evening was spent in games and singing and although a little late for Christmas, Old St. Nick appeared and gave each one of the guests a beautiful (ten cent) present. After a light lunch which was served by the hostess, the guests wended their way home, vowing that they would have a reunion every year.

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PERSONALS

For the past six weeks, the Epworth department of the Methodist Episcopal church have had a contest on the study of the book "India on the March." Captains for the two teams were Ruth West and Margaret Green. The final decision was awarded in favor of the team led by Miss Green. Sunday night, at their last regular meeting. The losing team will serve a dinner to the League as the forfeit. The night of the banquet has not been decided yet.

Jack Gafill, who has been spending the holiday vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John J. Gafill of Southfield avenue, returned to school Wednesday. He is a student at Hobart College, Geneva, New York.

The O. G. Club held their regular business meeting at the home of Bernice Tamy of Frank street, Tuesday night. They have completed arrangements for a dance to be held at the I. O. O. F. Temple, Thursday, Jan. 11. The Club gave a dance about a month ago, and were very successful.

Miss Laura Lambert, who has been in Colorado Springs since early last autumn, has returned to her home in Birmingham. Miss Lambert is very well known in this vicinity and her friends are glad to welcome her home.

Howard C. Looney of Purdy street, who during the summer season was on radio service on board the ship "Calcite," on the Great Lakes, has accepted a position for a firm in New York on board an ocean liner. He left for New York city Saturday evening.

Miss Freda Hornecker of Bay City, was the guest of Miss Leona Service at her home on Forest avenue, New Year's Day.

Miss Emma Edy of Detroit, spent New Year's Day as the guest of Miss Jessie Wightman, at her home on Oakland avenue.

Last week, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown of Bates street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Slocum of Cleveland. Mrs. Slocum is their daughter.

The Christmas holidays were spent by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van Buck of East Maple avenue, at Lansing.

After a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Wheeler of Park street, Mr. M. G. Wheeler left Thursday for her home in Columbus, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Miller of Bates street, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. MacAdams of Pontiac, New Year's Day.

Edward Watkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Watkins of Knox street, is ill at his home with pneumonia. Mrs. Watkins has also been ill for several days this week.

Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. A. O'Dell and daughter, of Southfield, left for Detroit, where they will remain for a week or so before leaving for Miami, Florida. They will make their home for the remainder of the season in Miami.

Mrs. W. G. Coffin, who has been the guest of Mrs. Emily Wall of Park street, for a week, left Wednesday for Chicago, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Shepard, before leaving for her home at Meridan, Conn.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. George Owen of Terminal avenue, Detroit, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Young at their home on Frank street.

Among the various out of town guests in Birmingham, during the holidays, was Miss June Prist of Chicago, who was the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Yaxley of East Maple avenue.

Miss Mabel Davenport, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Davenport of East Maple avenue, during the holidays, left for Battle Creek, New Year's Day.

Miss Mabel Churchill of Detroit, visited at the home of Miss Clara Wilson of North Chester street, New Year's Day.

Thomas Williamson of the University of Michigan, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Williamson of Woodland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Yaxley of East Maple avenue, spent the holidays visiting relatives and friends at Cleveland.

L. H. Wilson of Clifford, Mich., visited relatives in Birmingham Sunday.

Miss Grace Wiley entertained Lena Graley and Margaret Nash of Pontiac, at her home on Southfield avenue, last week-end.

After a short visit with Mrs. Edith Baum of Royal Oak, Mrs. Rose Gregory Houchen of Pierce street, left for Utica, N. Y., where she will remain for two weeks. She was accompanied East by Mrs. Baum.

Guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Young of South Woodward avenue and the 13-mile Road, over the past week-end, were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Milbourne, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Young and Dr. T. C. McEwen, all of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur S. McAlpine entertained at dinner at their home on Townsend street, New Year's Day. Among their guests were Mr. McAlpine's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McAlpine, and his sister, Mrs. V. L. Lockrow and family.

PEOPLE OF OUR TOWN

The Automobilist was taking a Ride in an Airplane, when the Motor stopped and he jumped out from Force of Habit to see Wotinell was the Matter now. This teaches us that no Automobilist should take a Joy Ride among the Clouds without first being Strapped to his Seat.

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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 Second day of January, A. D. 1923.
Present: Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Thomas C. Williams, Deceased.
Thomas H. Cobb, executor 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 14th day of May, 1923, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.
ROSS STOCKWELL,
Judge of Probate.
A true copy.
DAN A. McGAFFEY,
Register of Probate. 37-38-39

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In 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 29th day of December, A. D. 1922.
Present: Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Levi L. Houghton, Deceased.
John W. Crawford, executor of said estate, having filed in said Court a petition praying that he be authorized by an order of this Court to sell the personal property described in said petition for the best price obtainable therefor,
It is Ordered, that the 29th day of January, A. D. 1923, at eight 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.
ROSS STOCKWELL,
Judge of Probate.
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Bloomfield Hills

Oh beauteous Bloomfield Hills,
With wealth of rivers, lakes and rills,
In boyhood's distant days
I knew your devious ways.
I sought your dingles and your dells,
Your verdant heights and shady fells;
Explored your tangled brakes and brakes,
And glided o'er your placid lakes.
Lulled by the music of the breeze,
While prone beneath your leafy trees,
The murmur of the rippling stream
Caused many a strange and varied dream.

I saw thy lakelands as of yore
When savage splendor graced the shore.
The wild deer, roaming here at large,
Fled from the wolf-pack's snarling charge;
The black bear sought and ate his fill
Where grew the berries on the hill;
Wild turkeys gobbled in thy dells
Or nested deep within these fells.
I heard the war-whoop as it rose
With deadly meaning to its foes.
I saw the Indian maiden take
Her silent way across the lake,
Her bright eyes seeking to discover
Where in the wild-wood lurked her lover.
And then the circling hawk's shrill scream
Awoke me from my wild-wood dream.
Vanished the scene; on hill and plain
I saw great fields of waving grain.
The orchard's deeply laden boughs
Half hid the farmer's painted house;
And childish laughter, free from care,
Made music on the fragrant air,
While nature, with a lavish hand,
Bedecked this fair and fertile land.

Oh, beauteous Bloomfield Hills!
Like Eden's garden, fair!
May life's besetting ills
Ne'er find an entrance there.
May all thy future be as bright
As shine the stars on cloudless night,
And fortune be, for thy dear sake,
Fair as the lillies of the lake.

—C. A. Brush.

THE RURAL LIFE FOR ME

The hustle and bustle of everyday strife
Tears madly away at most everyone's life.
Our bodies run down and our vision's impaired,
Because of the fate through misfortune we've fared.

If like Eve and old Adam we had fewer needs,
Just picking the fruit and planting the seeds
Would bring to us all that the times did demand.
But, oh, what a change in this age and this land.

From early in morning till nearly the night
We toil away faithfully with all of our might.
The hum of machinery, the chatter of men
Make most of us want to be in bed at ten.

For me, I'will ride for an hour or so
To be back with nature and watch flowers grow.
To sit through the evening and listen to frogs
Or build a grate fire with old-fashioned logs.

Sleep comes so easy with fresh breezes blowing
To wake in the morning without hardly knowing
Where the night could have gone, so short did it seem
Without any night-mare or even a dream.

Off to the city to earn butter and bread
But back to the country to lay down my head.
The seventeen miles between these two places
Will give to most folk a health look in their faces.

—Sandy MacGregor, Birmingham.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Schneider of Durand, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson of Ridgedale avenue, last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Starr and family of Brown street, were guests of Mrs. Starr's mother, Mrs. Barthey Burns of Lansing, Mich., during the holidays. They returned to their home Tuesday.

The next Eastern Star thimble party will be held at the home of Mrs. Gordon Bailey of Park street, Wednesday, Jan. 10.

The regular O. E. S. card party will be held at the Masonic banquet hall, Saturday evening, Jan. 6, auspices of the entertainment committee.

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