

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, it is generally conceded that the two banks doing business in the village of Birmingham, Michigan, are the only financial institutions known to the banking fraternity opening their places of business earlier than nine o'clock in the morning, and

WHEREAS, the opening hour of a very large majority of banks in the smaller cities and villages of the state have established the rule of opening and making their regular business hours from nine o'clock in the morning to three o'clock in the afternoon, now therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that on and after the first day of November, 1925, The First National Bank of Birmingham, Michigan, and The First State Savings Bank of Birmingham, Michigan, will be open for business at nine o'clock a. m., closed at three o'clock p. m., and on Saturday evening from 6:00 p. m. until 8:00 p. m., upon each business day.

In witness whereof, the said Banks have hereunto set their hands and seals by their regularly authorized officers this twenty-fourth day of September, A. D. 1925.

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Random Doings of a Random World

Herman Frey of Los Angeles wants a divorce because his wife made him quit his job, believing the world would come to an end last February, as predicted by Mrs. Rowen.

Mrs. Lola Dixon of Hagerstown, Md., is only 30 years old and is a grandmother. The mother of her grandchild is 15.

When bull-fighters at Mexico City refused to fight on account of a mud-dust arena, spectators staged a riot in which 13 were wounded, some fatally.

Prayers were offered in a Wesleyan, N. J., church for the acquittal of town officials on trial for violating the liquor law.

Mrs. Laurence Durkee drove the volunteer fire department truck to two fires in West Peabody, Mass.

Several hundred unemployed communists in Vienna stopped traffic by lying down on the street car tracks and it took the police several hours to disperse them.

In Idaho about 500 pounds of nails, tacks and other metal wire were picked up less than two miles of highway by dragging an 1,800 pound magnet over it.

John Hubert, excutitioner at Sing Sing, has electrocuted 14 men already this year, for which he received \$2,100 in fees besides his regular salary as prison electrician.

Clifford Liden, whose first left him a cripple when in his illness leg year, has graduated from the University of Iowa through instruction by radio.

A couple at Murmansk, Russia, were married by radio by a soviet official in Alexandrovsk.

Magistrate Bruce of New York upheld Wilson Hunter for raising and pay his fare when a taxicab in which he was riding broke down.

Trustees of the estate of Ponsi, the sensational swindler, have returned more than \$1,200,000 to his dupes, but their losses were much more.

W. I. Kelly, blind and 73 years old, flew from England to Paris and return in an airplane.

E. J. O'Mara of Elgin, Ill., was fined \$100 for whipping two boys he caught trespassing on his place.

Suing for divorce, Mrs. Mary Klimek testified that her husband would not speak to her but communicated by writing her notes.

Mrs. Rachel Abrams of New York gave birth to a baby while on an all day steamboat excursion.

Convicted of teaching their children to steal, Chas. Czowski and wife of St. Paul were sent to prison.

Mrs. Fred Morley of Hull, England, asked a newspaper to correct an item which said she had won a cake-baking contest.

Beating 200 competitors, Capt. D. E. Massey was selected as city marshal of London, a post requiring a handsome man.

George Land, new premier of New South Wales, sold newspapers as a boy on the wharves of Sydney.

Miss Abby Cretwick of Sheffield, England, left a fund of \$50,000 to provide for the care of her 32 pet cats.

Returning home, Mrs. C. F. Teller of Chicago met a man coming out of her yard who apologized for calling at the wrong house. Later she missed \$3,000 worth of jewelry.

Mrs. Arthur Lawson of Worden, Mich., declares one of her ducks laid an egg with another inside it fully formed and having a shell.

Queen Elizabeth of Belgium is the first European queen to have her hair bobbed.

Mrs. Gertrude Atherfon, famed American novelist, has been decorated with the Order of the Legion of Honor of France, in recognition of her work in behalf of wounded French soldiers during the war.

Miss Fay Lanphier, unbobbed blonde of Oakland, Cal., won the title of "Miss America" in the annual national beauty contest at Atlantic City. She will immediately go into the movies.

The brain of the late Mrs. Helen Hamilton Gardiner, former civil service commissioner, was bequeathed to Cornell University for scientific examination.

Mrs. George P. Bullock, graduate of the University of California and lawyer, has been appointed judge in Los Angeles.

Miss Hilda Johnson of Brooklyn is a deep sea diver employed by one of the largest salvaging companies in the United States.

Mrs. Elizabeth Lewis, an English woman whose parents were too poor to buy toys for her when a child, has set aside in her will a \$50,000 trust fund for the purchase of Christmas playthings for poor children each year.

According to a late census there are 2,282,000 more women than men in Germany.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—in the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, in Chancery.
James F. Wooster, Plaintiff, vs. George Blakeslee and Thomas Hanks, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns. Defendants. No. 12,417.

At a session of said court held at the Court House, Pontiac, Oakland County, Michigan, on the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1925.

Hon. Glenn G. Gillespie, Circuit Judge.

Then reading and filing the bill of complaint in this cause and the affidavit of the plaintiff, James F. Wooster, it is ordered that said plaintiff make diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the whereabouts of said defendants, George Blakeslee and Thomas Hanks, and known heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, such persons or their addresses, not has such persons or their addresses, nor has plaintiff been able to ascertain the names of the persons described as the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of said defendants, George Blakeslee and Thomas Hanks, at the date of this order.

IT IS ORDERED, that said defendant, George Blakeslee and Thomas Hanks, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, to be entered herein within three months from the date of this order, and in case of the appearance of them or any of them that they cause an answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof to be served upon the plaintiff's attorneys within fifteen days after service of this order, together with a true copy of this order to be published in a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county and that said publication be continued at least once each week for six weeks in succession, or that he cause a copy of this order to be personally served upon said defendants at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for their appearance.

GLENN G. GILLESPIE, Circuit Judge.
BURTON P. DAUGHERTY, RUSSEL THURSTON, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

A true copy.
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The bill of complaint in this cause is filed for the purpose of obtaining a judgment in a deed recorded April 15th, 1924, in the County of Oakland, Michigan, in the name of George Blakeslee and Ann Blakeslee, and their heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, and the property hereinafter described to Thomas Hanks, said property being described as follows: Lot 1 and 31 of Blakeslee Addition to the Village of Birmingham, Michigan, in the Northwest 1/4 of Section 36, Town 2 North, Range 10 East, Oakland County, Michigan.

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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 4th day of October, A. D. 1925.
Present: Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Russell C. Reynolds, Deceased.
Jose Standford, 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 and 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 15th day of February, 1926, 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.

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