BISSING CHOIL ECCENTRIC-THURSDAR, DECEMBER 1, 1839

Some twenty rifles rest at ease In racks along the wall; Some twenty tired-muscled men Await the dinner-call. While hunters dine they do not dream Of human ache or pain; Neuritis, influenza, and

Of human sene or paus,
Neuritis, indusersa; and
Gastritis, not again.
When hunters talk, imagine not
A home, a wife, or child;
Describing game they almost got,
And other far too wild.
They talk of "trail," and "runway," "drive,"
Of "twelve-point," "ten," and "eight";
Their wives and sweethearts miles away
May have a long, long wait!

VI.—REVERIE

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With songs all ung and games all played,
The camp-fres fade and face,
Deep blankets wrap these weary men,
They say a slient prayer:
For Providence is kind to them,
Things were not always so;
With muzzle-loading shot-gun they
Squirrel-hunted long ago.
Some men were born in humble homes,
For most of them were poor.
This camp is cause for gratitude,
Its happiness is sure.
The wilderness is cure for care,
Here worry never mars:
Above the slumbering hunting-camp
Keep guard God's myrital stare!

—JOSEPH DUTION.

—Joseph Dutton

said, "Perhaps I will see my old friend, Rowland Trowbridge to-day, we used to go to school to-gether, and have had many a Jolly time."

We thought by the singing that the long headed chimney sweep had arrived in town again one day last week, but on rushing to the door we found that it was Ed Lamb cleaning out his own chimney, and loudly singing.

Dedicated to Allan, John, and Albert Mc-

November, 1929. The Birmingham Hunting Club, 35 miles southwest of Alpena, Michigan.

Girr, Pioneers

# ILLS FIREMEN

#### COMMUNITY HOUSE CALENDAR

Today, Business Girls' Lunch-tion at noon; Miss Field's class in Dramatics from 4 to 6 p. m. Dec. 6, Miss Smith's danc-ng class from 3 to 7 p. m. Dec. 7, Miss Bauer's Class in nterpretive dancing from 9 a. until noon.

Interpretive dancing from 9 a.m. until noon.
Dec. 9, Mrs. Charles Shain's
class in International Relations;
Miss Smith's dancing class from
3 to 7:30 g. m., the Scout
Council at 8 o'clock.
Dec. 10, Mrs. Shain's class in
Fatternational December 1, 100 to
5:00 p. m. Public appearance
Class for young men.
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WEST MAPLE AVE.

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#### A DREAM COME TRUE

Saturday Night at the Birmingham Hunting Club

L—Super Eastward of coder swamp, the moon Half veiled in hazy cloud Smiles like a bushful misten when Her lover love avowed. Westward in crimson, gray, and pold, Deep cardinal, and blue, the glory of November night is spread in sunset view. Above west hills in silhouette Tall sornes and halsam stand:

Above west hills in silhouette
Tall spruce and balsam stand:
Safe sentinels who guard the camp
When darkness drapes the land.

II.—HUNTING-GROUND

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Five thousand acres shelter game
Between this moon and sun:
If measured up and down the hills,
'The scale is scarce begun.
Here countless antiered rangers roam
'Red-oak ravines among:
While graceful herds of does and fawns
Lope leisurely along!

III.—HUNTERS
These hunter-men of Birmingham
Are quite a varied crew:
A lawyer, doctor, alderman,
In business, not a few.
A banker, builder, realtor,
A sherifi, preacher-man,
Contractor, iron-artist, and
Each one a hunting-fan!

Each one a hunting-fan!

IV.—CLUB-HOUSE.

The Club-House, facing south and west, Is builded on a hill:

In front unbroken widerness, Mysterious and still:

A dream of beauty is this Camp.

Of dignified deugn,

Its walls of concrete, brick, and stone, Its roof of timbered pine.

Gigantic fire-places light

The ratters, walls, and floor;

In fondest fancy hunting men Could ask for nothing more.

FROM THE ECCENTRIC COLUMNS

—of Long Ago

Of News Gleaned From Old Files Of The Eccentric— The Items That Make Up The Historical Background Of The Birmingham Of Today.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

Bloomfield township is to vote Nov. 4 on the annexation of 550 acres of their township to Pon-acres of their township to Pon-way Bloom and Pont of the November way Bloom and the November and Lu-ther Allen, supervisor of Bloom-field township, this week.

A musicalle next Tuesday afternoon in the parlors of the First Prebyterian church will open the season for the local Woman's Literary club. Under a music committee composed of Mrs. R. W. Chissus, Mrs. L. G. Welch and Mrs. George Singers, teachers will be considered to the control of the con

The prospect of a new Baptist Church at the corner of Bates street and west Maple ayenue on the site of the present Baptist parsonage, was discussed at a social meeting of church members held at the church.

Resulting from the noticeable success shown in the formation of a number of service clubs in Birmingham, a movement was start

tures in the Baldwin High School of last Priday noon to form an auditorium. Shades have been organization of the younger men placed on the northern windows to make it possible to show the provided the Birwood tures in the auditorium in the evening.

Taft Hall and plans for the new club discussed.

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# **BUSINESS MAN** RECOMMENDS

WELL-KNOWN

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VERY EASY MONTHLY TERMS

"The Musical Genter of Birmingham" GRINNELL BROS.

Steinway Representatives

Arnold Haskins has opened a sarber shop in the rear of E. Car-er's Grocery store. Give him a rial, boys. Tuesday the hog market got a lack eye, and consequently pork only worth about three cents er lb. live weight. TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO Miss Bessie Bigelow is a stu-dent in one of the finest semin-arys in New York state, at Tarry-town, and is much in love with her studies. The stork has been very busy in his locality. At Mr. and Mrs. Jan'l Case's home on Pierce street e left a pretty little girl haby amed Charlotte, and with Mrs. L. M. Grinnell near Franklin a ound go baby boy, weight 11 younds.

Ellsworth Piumstead is on a estern tour traveling over Illiois and Indiana and will not be ome much before Christmas. He most successful in his profeson as an impersonator.

A pretty little reception was tendered Mr. and Mrs. Fred G. Crawford by Miss Belle Ward at her home in this village. A large number of the young friends were present. Dainty refreshments were creed in a handsomely decorated ione and all went as merry and as happy as we thrust the future of the newly wedded pair will be.

Feather social at National tel, next Wednesday evening.

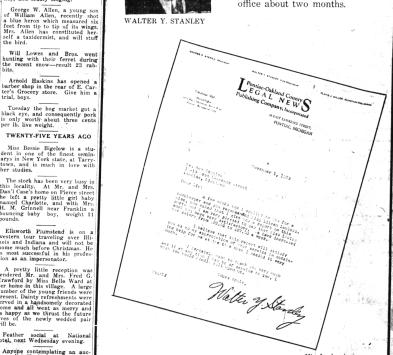
Anyone contemplating an auction sale will please bear in mind that Auctioner Blunt will be away on a hunting expedition until after Dec. 3, when he will be pleased to resume business at the dol stand, and be pleased to make dates, with anyone for a sale.

The tural carriers are asking heir patrons to buy stamps of hem and stamp their letters beore putting them in the mail soxes. Cold weather is coming on and the carriers find it very inonvenient and, it consumes their inne if they have to remove the inner intensity of the property o

FIVE YEARS AGO

H. H. Corson was elected com-mander of the Gharles Edwards Post of the American Legion Wednesday evening at their meet-ing in the Community House.

The placing of the boulevarights on west Maple avenue har pring has proved to be the men of bringing about several change the presentation of motions.



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