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Here And There.

Summer McCoy is ill with pneumonia.

Ben Meyers was in Detroit last Monday.

Mrs. Mary Osmus spent Monday in Detroit.

Remember the Dunham Bros. concert next Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Vogt entertained nine friends from Detroit recently.

Mrs. Luke Hake from Northville visited Mrs. Ben Meyers last Friday.

Mrs. Nellie Cogswill has returned to Farmington after an absence of six months.

Mrs. Henry Pantine visited her sister, Mrs. Harry Newcomb in Detroit Monday.

Fred A. Bean of Detroit, was a Thursday night guest at the home of Lyman Sprague.

Miss Lou Grace leaves Tuesday for New York City where she will spend some time with relatives.

Dr. F. F. Holcomb and wife have adopted a baby girl, who will take the name of Alice Elizabeth Holcomb.

Mrs. R. A. Rapson and daughter, Florence, of Detroit, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Sprague.

Everyone is interested in an item of local news. If you know of any local happening communicate the fact to this office.

Harry Horton and bride of Munger, departed for Amy Monday after a few days' visit with friends and relatives here.

The East Farmington Mystic Workers will have a dinner at Mrs. Wm. VanAlstyne's Friday, Feb. 10. All are invited.

M. E. sermon topics for Feb. 5 Morning, "Salt." The evening service will be taken by J. A. Giffin (M. A. Tor.)

The annual chicken pie dinner and donation for the M. E. church will be given by the Ladies Aid in the town hall, February 17. Reserve the date.

Mr. and Mrs. Sewell Bennett and Mrs. Theodore Chilson and daughter, Avis, spent last Saturday with Mrs. C. J. Sprague and Miss Electa Chilson.

Harold Riley departed Monday for Valdosta, Georgia, where he expects to remain for at least a year and superintending a stock ranch for his uncle C. S. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Meyers entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sanger and granddaughter, Marcella, of Chicago, and Mrs. C. Hotchet of Detroit last Sunday.

The Ladies' Union will meet Thursday, February 9, at the home of Mrs. C. J. Sprague. A short program will be rendered. All members are requested to be present.

The Dunham Bros. Trio, assisted by Miss Helen Wyrick Shafar, reader, will give one of their fine concerts in the M. E. church, Wednesday, February 8th; Admission 25c.

Two important games of basketball will be played in the town hall Saturday evening. High school girls, Blue vs. White; Farmington vs. Delmonts of Detroit. These both promise to be lively games.

General admission, 15c. Everybody welcome.

The masquerade ball held at the Grace Hhouse last Friday evening was attended by 112 couples and royally entertained. The parties that are being given this winter at the Grace House are proving a great success. Stone's orchestra of Detroit, furnished the music which was enjoyed by the large attendance.

Mrs. H. L. Weaver arrived here last Friday from Colorado Springs, Colorado, and will spend a few weeks with her parents in Northville. She reports that Mr. Weaver is improving and getting fleshy.

Mrs. Weaver came to Michigan in the capacity of nurse for a young man whose case was hopeless and who desired to return to his home at Eden, Mich., dying a short time after reaching there.

Valentines at F. C. Schroder.

Miss Minnie Meyers has recovered from a two weeks' illness.

Mrs. Rhoda Perry of Capac, visited Mrs. Sam Walker this week.

The U-go-Igo club was entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Seeley in Northville last evening.

The little daughter of John Landon, who has been seriously ill, is getting better under the nursing of Mrs. Eldred of Northville.

Raw potatoes are better for frying than cooked ones. Slice them very thin into cold water; have a frying pan well covered with boiling hot fat; throw the potatoes in with all the water that will adhere to them—it lightens and puffs them. Season and turn over them another frying pan. Lift it often and turn the bottom ones on top. When nearly done take off the frying pan and let them brown.

Redford.

Lugh Houk was quite sick again this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Clark are visiting relatives in Chicago.

Mrs. Chas. Labser, Sr., is convalescing from an attack of grippe.

H. C. Burgess of Detroit, spent Sunday with Geo. Burgess and wife.

Miss Etta Smith of New York, is visiting relatives in Redford and Detroit.

Miss John Cort, Sr., was visiting at the home of her son, J. M. Cort, this week.

A party of relatives of Mrs. Davey gave her a pleasant surprise on Wednesday.

F. W. Hempel of Detroit, was visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. E. Davison, Wednesday.

There will be another pedicure at Bell Branch hall Tuesday evening, Feb. 7, 25c.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Labser were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Wright of Detroit Sunday.

Arthur Westlake has sold his interest in the coal and lumber business to his brother, Roy.

Much sympathy is felt for Eugene Smith in whose condition there is no change for the better.

There will be a dancing party at Southfield hall Friday, Feb. 10. Everybody invited. Wm. F. Frederick, Mgr.

Mrs. David McGaffin is enjoying a visit from her brother, Mr. McArdie, who just arrived from Scotland.

Miss Esther McClelland is now one of the number of Redford young people, who is attending the Central high school.

Mrs. Martha Roberts of Farmington, and Mrs. Clarissa Sackett of Detroit, were the guests of Mrs. C. A. Lahser Wednesday.

Mrs. Nate McClelland and son, Walter, went to Ypsilanti Thursday to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. Rachel Cummings.

Little Frances Lamphere, who recently was vaccinated, is having a very painful time, the result of having the seat accidentally taken off.

A fine new parsonage has been placed in the M. E. parsonage, thanks to the Aid societies of the Bell Branch, Duboisville and Southfield churches.

Messrs. I. A. and Jay Newman and families were guests at a party given at the home of a relative in Detroit Monday evening, in honor of Miss Etta Smith.

There was a meeting of the Redford Improvement Co. Wednesday evening for the purpose of considering plans for the erection of several houses in the spring.

Next Sunday will be observed as Christian Epiphany day by the Y. P. S. Topic, "Why do you believe in Christian Endeavor?" with Miss Phena Paulger as leader.

Mrs. W. T. Coversale and Miss Mabel Appling will present the topic to the B. Y. P. U. meeting Sunday evening, the subject to be "When to become a Christian."

Edwin Grace, son of Wallace Grace, who for the past four years has been in the U. S. navy, has returned home. He will assist his brother, Amasa, in conducting their farm at North Farmington.

The second and third quarterly conferences combined will be held at the M. E. parsonage on Feb. 11 at two o'clock. Please make an extra effort to be present as business of unusual importance is to be transacted.

Mr. Davey will be absent from his church tomorrow, preaching at Arnold M. E. church, Detroit, and Bell Branch and Rev. Geo. Gullen of Farmington, will occupy the pulpits of Duboisville and Southfield churches.

Mrs. Fred Reynolds of Howlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Woodruff, while drawing water from a well, lost her balance and fell in. Neighbors came quickly to her assistance and pulled her out, more frightened than hurt. It will be several days before she will be able to attend to her household duties.

The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Union will be held Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 5. Members are requested to be present, as the annual election of officers will be held and the annual report given. In the evening of the same date the ladies of the society will give an oyster supper in the church dining room, beginning at six o'clock and continuing until all are served. Admission 25c and 15c. A social invitation is extended to all.

Edward N. Hines, county road superintendent, was present at a road meeting at the Haverhill House Tuesday evening.

About forty taxpayers were present and all were interested in listening to what Mr. Hines had to say regarding the good roads question and all were pleased with the proposition presented by him.

Another feature of the occasion was the excellent repast, which reflected much credit on the hostesses, Mr. and Mrs. Whitford.

Dr. Tupper was made toastmaster and the occasion was closed by some very good speeches.

Take the milk but, when you are chopping wood, also milk the cow.

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THREE MARK TWAIN ITEMS

is a Characteristic Letter From the Well-Known Humorist to a Friend.

Three interesting Mark Twain items are in the George Bentham library, which will be sold at Anderson's on Wednesday, February 23. One is a twopage letter to Mr. Elmhurst, July 12 (no year, but presumed to be about 1884), to a friend named Conway, and refers to the publishing house of Webster & Co., which Mark Twain founded in 1854. The letter reads in part:

"We are full, clear up to the chin—we can handle only two books a year and are now under contract for six. We have already declined a book of my own—no room for it, and we could do better, anyway. My book was ready nearly a year ago and is likely to remain ready a long time before I get it into print by our consent."

The failure of Webster & Co. will be recalled, involved Mark Twain in heavy losses, which he made up later by the success of his own books and lectures. It is thought that perhaps the unpublished book he refers to in his letter was "Huckleberry Finn," which was issued in 1884.

Another Mark Twain lot consists of five characteristic telegrams from him to James Redpath, 1869-74. In one of them he says: "Notify all hands that from this date I shall talk nothing but selections from my forthcoming book 'Roughing It.' Tried it last night. Suits me tip-top." In another telegram he says about going to Amherst to lecture: "If I had another engagement I would rob before I would talk it."

There is also an amusing three-page letter, in pencil, signed "Mark" and written in 1869 to James Redpath. It is as follows:

"I don't want to lecture in Brooklyn any more. This is the very scenery I thought that infernal woman was representing. But I've got enough. I never will lecture outside of New England again, and I never will lecture in Brooklyn at all. Suspend lecture till you see me. She made that ad. read as if I was talking on my own hook, and for no society."

SAW THE FUTURE CLEARLY

Husband of Nagging Wife Knew Exactly Just What Prospects Life Had for Him.

Mrs. Locke was one of those stout women who although she loved her family dearly, had developed a habit of nagging her husband and children. Mr. Locke once had a vision to cross the Atlantic, and on his return booked his passage in a steamer that met with an accident and was very much delayed. "What did Mr. Locke say when he found himself safe after those hours of danger?" asked a friend of the family of Mr. Locke on his journey. "He says the ordinary thing: 'No, not the other, with a snarl, 'the devil take this time I said to him, 'James, you ought to make something more of it in this way, for I felt pretty solemn when I saw you. I've no doubt you did, too, but what he said was, 'I saw a good share of the rest of the world while I was spent in explaining to the stewardess how I happened to escape that steamer when there were dozens of others that reached home without any accident.'"

Whale as Escort.

The story of the capture of a whale for epiphany 1878 is the most peculiar which is in the habit of taking place between the north and south straits of New Zealand, off Pelorus Sound, and occurring the vessel on her way is sometimes regarded as a failure of the De Ronde type. A recent traveler, however, has sent to the Fishing Gazette a photograph of this remarkable fish, accompanied with full details. The correspondent took a trip from Wellington in Nelson on Jack, and he was not disappointed as the vessel approached Pelorus Sound Jack came out and rubbed himself against the side of the vessel like a cat, escorted the vessel for some four or five minutes, and then disappeared. A special act of parliament was passed by the New Zealand legislature for the protection of this historic fish, by which heavy penalties are inflicted on any one molesting him.

Curious Old Custom.

The Swiss understand the art of public dinners. In the eyes of some persons there is, however, one drawback—the after-dinner speeches are interminably long. In bygone days the people of Bern seem to have awakened to a sense of the inutility of long after-dinner speeches, and they have hit upon a plan, which is observed to this day, for the purpose of cutting orators short when they become too long. A man wearing a bear's skin stands near the speaker, and if the latter becomes prolix and wandering in his remarks, then the bear advances very gravely and lays its claws upon the orator's mouth. This method has never failed so far.

Something of That Nature.

Miss Guehlieb—Didn't it seem to give you strange thoughts of the other world when you were up in the clouds, far removed from this mundane sphere?"

Aeronaut—You bet it did, ma'am; I nearly froze to death!

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