

Farmington Enterprise

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ODD FELLOWS TO HAVE NEW HOME

Will Occupy the Second Floor of the New Park Garage.

The new garage that is nearing completion on Grand River avenue is destined to be one of the most imposing structures in the village. The size makes it available for many uses and the Odd Fellows of the piece were quick to grasp the opportunity to get a home that will be an ideal one in every respect. They have leased the second story for a term of years and will be arranged with a large lodge room with the necessary ante rooms and property rooms and will also have a fine reception room, a dining room and a kitchen. Everything is to be in first class shape and the lodge certainly is fortunate in securing the building.

On the ground floor there is to be one of the best equipped and most modern garages in the state. Aside from the repair department there will be a supply department where everything needed in accessories can be procured.

Ample room for the storage of cars will also be provided and all in all the place is a great credit to the village and to the proprietor, Carl Ely, who has the foresight to see a good investment in the venture.

Farmington Beats Redford

The local basket ball tossers opened the season last night by completely outclassing the Continentals of Redford in a practice game. Our boys passed the ball all around the Redfordites and at times fairly rained baskets. The outlook for the season is extremely bright. The summary:

Farmington	Redford
Pierce R. F.	Woodruff
Clark L. F.	Wilhelm
Finch C.	Priestly-Reid
Gullen R. G.	Rosworth
Johnson L. G.	Baker

Baskets from field—Finch, 9; Pierce, 3; Clark, 2; Johnson 2; Woodruff.

Fouls—Clark, 0 in 2; Pierce, 4 in 5; Woodruff, 3 in 6.

Time of halves—15 minutes.

Referee—Reid.

The Profit in Good Roads

With its close proximity to Detroit, which, by the way, is one of the greatest markets for the farmers in the country, Oakland county is bound to become a county of small farms in due time. Intensive farming is really the most profitable if not retarded too much by lack of labor. In time this particular section will likely be pretty well taken up with small farmers, truck gardeners and such like. Land will be too valuable to hold for general farming as is now the rule.

That time can be hurried along materially by the building of more good roads. The locality that is first supplied with good highways will be the first to feel the effects of the new order of things that is bound to come.

The farmers of Oakland county may as well be owners of land that is worth \$200 as to own the same land at a value of only \$100. Good roads will make the difference.

Oyster Supper To Night
Friday night of this week the Fireman are going to give an oyster supper in their hall and arrangements are being made for a big time. There will be a fine supper for all who attend and all are invited. The proceeds are for the benefit of the firemen's fund.

Eat oysters tonight. It's the proper caper.

THE LADIES CLUB

Old Contest Finally Settled by the Ladies

The vexed question whether or not anticipation is more pleasurable than participation was forever settled in the minds of the members of the Ladies' Literary club on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Whenever a special program is due every member is on the tip toe of expectation as to what surprises will be in store for them and the joy of anticipation holds sway in every mind. Never has disappointment been met with, but never before have we had a program which so completely carried out the literary features of the year's course of study and at the same time furnished the diversion and recreation which these special days are designed to do, as did the one prepared by the committee consisting of Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Irish and Mrs. Hutton, namely, a rendition in pantomime of several scenes from the Merchant of Venice. Among them were the bond scene, the casket scene, the court scene and the final scene containing the episode of the rings. The parts were very cleverly taken by Mrs. McGee as Antonio; Mrs. Steele, Shylock; Mrs. Cook, Portia; Miss Atma Ely, Nerissa; Mrs. Moore, Judge, while the characters of Bassanio and the two suitors, the Prince of Morocco and the Prince of Aragon, were taken by Mrs. Imogene Bicking.

Before the "rise of the curtain" a little Italian organ grinder furnished inspiring music and was rewarded by a shower of pennies.

At the close of the program a typical Italian lunch was served, the first course consisting of spaghetti, bologna sausage, rye bread and olives. The second course of apples and bananas was served from a gaily decorated push cart-propelled by another cute little dago, while small cakes and grape juice completed the feast.

Mrs. Edna Dohany contributed very much to the afternoon's enjoyment by playing in her usual delightful manner a polonaise by Scharwenka. During the social hour, Mrs. Horner delighted her audience with two solos, Romance by Schumann and a Chopin Mazourka. Mrs. Horner, who is the wife of the M. E. pastor, is a highly accomplished musician and the Literary club is very glad to welcome her as their honorary guests during her residence in Farmington.

The next meeting of the club will be held Dec. 18th at the home of Mrs. Della Payne.

Methodist Episcopal Church

SHERRON W. HORSBUR, Pastor

Services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. conducted by the pastor.

Sunday school at 11:45 a. m.

Epworth League at 6:15 p. m.

At 7:00 p. m. instead of the usual sermon, the pastor will give a Christmas sermon story, entitled "When Santa went to Church." A cordial welcome to all.

The regular monthly meeting of the official board will be held at the church Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 17, at two o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

Annual Meeting F. & A. M.

The annual meeting of Farmington Lodge, No. 151, F. & A. M., will be held Saturday, Dec. 21, for the election of officers and the payment of dues.

JOHN H. THAYER, Sec'y.

Our beautiful fall weather was delightful while it lasted but it is getting altogether too near zero for comfort.

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