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CHURCH AND HALL AT NOVI BURNED

Farmers Used Their Spraying
Outfits as Fire Engines. Fire
Caused by Lightning

During the electrical storm Monday night the Baptist church and town hall at Novi were struck by lightning and burned to the ground.

Fire was first discovered in the belfry of the church, but as Novi is without fire protection the few pails of water that could be sent to that point were insufficient and the blaze soon spread to the town hall, which also burned to the ground. Some of the surrounding farmers who own spraying outfits for their orchards certainly deserve great forbearance in producing them at such a time. They were run by gasoline engines and the force with which the water could be sent made good fire fighting apparatus.

It was only by diligent work on the part of the neighbors that the home of Elmer West, which was close to the town hall, was saved.

The church and town hall were fully insured.

SAW SOME FUTURE BUSINESS

Lawyer Was Willing to Cut Present Fee on Condition of Employment He Saw Would Ensur.

The beautiful lady consulted her lawyer and was received with bows and smiles.

"I am glad to tell you," said the legal gentleman, "that your breach of promise suit has already produced results. The defendant has offered to compromise by marrying you."

"That suits me," declared the beautiful lady. "I'd rather do that than stand the chance of losing a suit. Well, you have done beautifully. What do I owe you for your services?"

"Shall we say sixty dollars?"

"We shall not. That is altogether too much."

"Well, I'll tell you what I'll do; I'll cut that bill in two if you will promise to retain me when you sue for divorce."

LESSON IN VIRTUE.

The shop girl may not have a comfortable home, where, in safety, she might meet and be properly introduced to a few available men. She may not move under the so-called "protections" of society. But she has a right to her love affairs, and she can be chaste and discreet and strong, in spite of all her disadvantages.

Many a carefully nurtured child, protected in her home, could learn much for her safety and happiness from the hundreds of store girls that fight so magnificently for their good times, giving young men lessons in courtesy and decency, maintaining their good names under the most trying conditions at times.—W. R. Hitchkin, in the New York Times.

IDEAL BOSS.

"Can you let me off this afternoon, sir? I want to see the ball game."
"Sure, young man. Let's go together."

THE REASON.

"Bessie always takes a rosy view of every subject."
"That's because somebody told her once pink was her color."

NOT HARMONIOUS.

"Your landlord's face fairly radiated satisfaction."
"Humph! that is more than his steam heaters did."

HINT.

"Will you be engaged this evening, Miss Maude?"
"That depends on whether anybody asks me."

Touring Through the East Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Grace and family have gone on an extended automobile trip through the east. They went by boat from Detroit to Buffalo and the rest of the trip to New York and various places, returning through Ohio, will be made in their machine. They will be gone about two weeks.

Picnic at Orchard Lake

The North Farmington Cemetery Auxiliary will hold their picnic at the home of Frank Bachelor, Sr., at Orchard Lake next Tuesday, July 22. Members are requested to take the ten o'clock car and get off the car at the crossing leading to the Polish seminary grounds. A full attendance is desired as the building committee wishes to confer with all the members.

M. E. Church Notes

[By the Pastor]

On Sunday morning and evening the pastor will preach. Subject for morning, "True Worship;" evening, "The Meaning of Friendship."

On Friday afternoon and evening a croquet and tennis tournament will be held on the church lawn and the high school court. The contest will be for the championship of croquet and tennis for Farmington. In the evening a lawn social will be held in connection with the tournament on the church lawn. Ice cream will be served. This is under the auspices of the Epworth League.

Our Sunday school is keeping up its attendance in splendid form, but we still urge parents to bring their children to bible school. It is as cool in church as in the home.

Farmington contributed \$33.85 to the McKinney institute of Kentucky. We are to make an effort to clear away all outstanding indebtedness on the church before conference. The task is not a hard one if all will get in and pull. We have faith in you to do your best.

ANOTHER MOUTH TO FEED.

Father—Aad did he give you any encouragement, dear?

Daughter—Yes, father; he asked me if you and mother were pleasant to live with.—Yonkers Statesman.

DRAWING IT FINE.

"Pa, what is meant by a 'nice distinction?'"

"Telling the difference, my son, between spring fever and sheer laziness."

REASON.

"Why do you call the mine you discovered the 'Porphyry mine?'"
"Because perhaps it will pay and perhaps it won't."

VALUABLE ASSET.

Tommy—Pop, what is flattery?
Tommy's Pop—Flattery, my son, is an ability to pay compliments instead of bills.—Philadelphia Record.

FIRST DEFEAT ON HOME GROUND

Detroit Y. M. C. A. Team Were the Lucky Ones to Turn the Trick. Score 7 to 3

The home team was beaten Saturday by the Detroit Y. M. C. A. for the first time this season on the local grounds by a 6 to 3 count.

Errors at critical times, the breaks of the game the enemy's way and the inability of the Farmington boys to hit the ball where one of the opponents wasn't; all conspired to turn the tide of victory toward the "Y" camp.

Only one hit and one run fell to the lot of the locals up to the ninth while the "Y" were picking up one or two at intervals.

In the ninth it looked as if the old fighting spirit might produce a winning rally when hot singles in succession by Maas, Warner and Wilber produced two runs, but Johnson's best was a fly to center and Harger killed our hopes by carving three nicks in the twilight atmosphere.

This Saturday the boys hope to get back in the winning way against the D. U. R. team from Detroit.

Mrs. Grace Lovett of Detroit called on Mrs. B. Lapham Wednesday.

Dr. and Mrs. Miller have returned from their outing at Walled Lake.

Joshua Hill, President.
F. L. Perry, Cashier.

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