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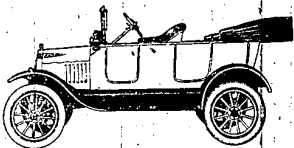
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MAKE TERMS TWO YEARS

State Senator Frank L. Covert has a bill drafted for the amendment of the election law in regard to township elections. He would make the terms of all township officers two years, except that of justice of the peace, which is at present a two-year term.

It is thought the bill will have the hearty support of the members of both houses, as well as the voters in general, as it would be a saving in expense of township elections, which are becoming somewhat of a burden since the introduction of the primary law. Representative A. B. Glaspie also has a bill requiring all school boards to file proof of the publication of their annual statements with the superintendent of public instruction, the same as is required of a bank report, with the banking commissioner. Both would seem to be good laws, the latter having the support of superintendent of public instruction.

Prosecuting Attorney, Glenn O. Gillespie has drafted a bill which will be introduced in the legislature by Senator Frank L. Covert, making it a felony for any person who voluntarily refuses to pay alimony for the support of a wife and minor children who are apt to become county charges. Under the law as it now stands, it frequently happens that a person who is arrested for non-support immediately files a bill for divorce, and as soon as an order has been entered providing for the payment of alimony for the children, it is impossible to prosecute the husband for refusing to pay the amount provided for by the order. During the past year there have been numerous cases where it has been impossible for the officers to compel the husband to contribute for the support of the wife and children, although they have been county charges, and the present bill is aimed at doing away with this evil.

Tom Lawson, of Boston, of "Frenzied Finance" fame has been having a few spasms because President Wilson's peace note shook up the Wall Street Stock Market, and enabled one set of Wall Street parasites called "The Bears" to skin the other set of parasites called "The Bulls." What does the public care about what happens to either bunch of those parasites?

The erection of a Government pulp and paper mill has been approved by the Joint Congressional Committee on Printing. The Government uses thirty million pounds of print paper a year—some of it to good purpose.

How many farmers of Michigan know the cost of boarding their hired help? According to government statistics, obtained from 1000 farmers in 14 states, the cost per man is \$128 per year.

The Congress of the United States is now figuring on passing a bill making it a misdemeanor to fail to vote at a federal election, attaching thereto a fine of \$25 for such failure.

The government will open for homestead settlement on February 8th, 4000 acres of choice land in South Dakota, and is urging its speedy settlement.

Some men who don't trust themselves wonder why others won't trust them.

What will you do during 1917 for your home town's prosperity?

Here's hoping you are still on the "resolution" wagon.

CORRESPONDENCE

Items of interest from the Surrounding Country, Gleaned by Our Correspondents.

Powers Station

Mrs. Hemple is numbered among the sick.

Dorothy Greer is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Riley Welfrom remains about the same.

Greers, Clossens and Evers filled their ice boxes this week.

Mrs. Mae Rear visited Mrs. Earl Skarritt the first of the week.

Mrs. Barney Tack was a visitor in Detroit the first of the week.

Miss Helen Rackham is entering a young lady friend from Redford.

James Tucker was in Detroit Tuesday evening to see his father, who is sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parsons are able to be out again after their recent sickness.

Little Kenneth Greer was very sick the first of the week, but is some better now.

Conroy's Corners

Mr. King, who is employed in Detroit, was an over Sunday visitor at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ceistler attended Marion White's funeral at Southfield Friday.

Mrs. Ed Conroy has been spending the past week with her son Don and family, in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Omer Conroy and Edward Conroy attended Marion White's funeral in Southfield on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Densmore were entertained at the home of John Davis and wife on Sunday, in honor of their son Roy's birthday.

The chicken pie supper, which was to have been held at the home of Roy Sowersby Saturday, January 27th, has been postponed because of the severe cold weather and sickness.

Mr. Schroege and daughter, Mrs. Tom Densmore and husband, attended the funeral of the former's son at Detroit on Thursday. The young man met his death in a fire which destroyed the house where he lived.

Clarenceville Items.

Little Willie Fulkerson is sick, so he cannot attend school.

Mrs. V. Lyons and son Robert were Redford callers Saturday.

Arthur Burns spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Waack's little daughter Ruth is very sick with pneumonia.

Mrs. Will Shoots has been sick with the grip, but is much better at this writing.

Miss Theda Younglove from St. Johns was the guest of Mrs. Otis Jensen Wednesday.

Alma Weston who has been on the sick list for the past week, is better at this writing.

Mrs. Will Brosow and daughter Mable were the guests of Mrs. Jensen Friday evening.

Miss Theda Younglove, of St. Johns, is at Lester Vincen's caring for his wife, who is sick.

The Richardson Embroidery club met with Mrs. Elmer Weston Tuesday, and was well attended. The next meeting will be with Mrs. B. Cook on Wednesday afternoon, January 31st. Hope all members will be present.

The Busy Workers will meet with Mrs. Clyde Adams, at Farmington, on the second Thursday of February, for the benefit of the Clarenceville cemetery. Everybody is invited to come and help the good cause along.

Republican state convention at Detroit Tuesday, February 20th.

A one-day farmers' institute will be held at Salem on Monday, February 5th, and one at Northville Friday, February 9th.

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