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Farmington people are well pleased to have a "Movie" once again.

John McClure, a young man about 16, living on the Seven Mile road, suddenly went insane and was taken to Detroit for treatment last Thursday. He is a great student and, it is believed, too close application to study, caused the breakdown. His condition was first noticed on Monday and it increased until Thursday he was in a very serious condition, it taking three men to conquer him. He at one time attended school in Redford and has a host of friends who trust for a speedy recovery. Redford Record.

Red Cross Notes

The Unity club met with Mrs. Arthur Green Wednesday, all day, for Red Cross work. The club voted to donate \$17.00 to the Patriotic League for the Red Cross.

The Red Cross Circle of the German church held its semi-monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Maas, when 2 1/2 dozen bandages were completed. Victrola music was enjoyed, and a fine luncheon served, which was very much relished after the cold drive. Next meeting will be with Mrs. George Nacker, at Clarenceville. Hope to see all present.

Local News

Only 14 days to Christmas. Little Ellen Perry is back in school again.

Mrs. Lapham is in poor health at this writing.

Watch for our Christmas edition next week.

Mrs. Bert Gates was on the sick list last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins were in Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. Mesdames Caskey and Leon Green are in Detroit today (Friday).

Mrs. Glen Green and sister, Mrs. Ida Langston, were in Detroit Tuesday.

Miss Blanche Anglim was a guest at the Henry Evert home Tuesday night.

What's the matter with Farmington's having a "community" Christmas tree.

Kenneth Wixom and Thomas Botsford were Detroit business visitors Saturday.

Albert Bruder and wife, of Redford, visited the parental home Monday night.

Mrs. William Spaller was taken quite ill Tuesday night, but is better at this writing.

Tommy Tetso and friend, of Detroit, were Sunday visitors at the Charles Leach home.

Mrs. Elva Tolman has gone to Northville, to care for Frank Thompson's father, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Van Kenneth, of Algonac, visited over Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Conway.

Miss Horton was in Ann Arbor Saturday, visiting her sister, who is very ill in the hospital there.

Mrs. Margaret Truscott was absent from her duties at the M. E. Sunday school last Sunday on account of illness.

"Jack Frost" made great work with the water pipes in this village this week—even some people's clocks stopped, 'tis said.

Mrs. E. A. Schweim entertained a Detroit club, the "Peaceful Eight," at her home recently. A fine time was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Perry Prindle, of Detroit, was in town Friday, visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ralph Lepley, and attending the M. E. donation.

The Free Press of last Sunday contained a fine photograph of Lieut. Harley D. Warner, who is now stationed at the Wright Flying Field, Fairfield, Ohio.

Homer Barber, of Charlotte, and son came Tuesday to conduct the auction sale of his father's household goods. The latter is in good health at the former's home.

Rev. and Mrs. J. S. Priestley, accompanied by Mesdames Leon Green and Charles Collins, attended the Home Missionary society meeting at Mrs. William Hendryx's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McFarland and Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Crossman left the first of the week for Detroit, where they will spend the winter, owing to inability to secure coal.

Chas. Shear and wife entertained their son, John, and family and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barnhart of Farmington, and Mrs. Anna Shepo, of this place. South Lyon Herald.

Mrs. Charles Leach, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Emil Geitzel and husband, went to Chelsea Saturday, where they attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Negus, who had been ill for a year, but in bed only three weeks. She had suffered a stroke in the beginning, which caused her illness. Capt. Negus is also very ill at this writing, making the home very sad. With the spirit of the old civil war days, the aged veteran says he is "still on the firing line, and will fight 'til the last." As he is 90 years of age his recovery is doubtful.

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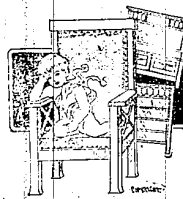
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