

Local News

Sunday is Easter.  
School again Monday.  
Mrs. Henry Pauline is on the sick list.  
Murray Moore home from Lansing.  
Joe Gravelin was in town Thursday.  
Mrs. William Irish was in Detroit Monday.  
Mrs. N. J. Eisenlord was in Detroit Monday.  
Dorothy Wixom was in Southfield Wednesday.  
Mrs. Thomas Lytle was in Pontiac Thursday.  
Mrs. Ada Groves was in Northville Thursday.  
Ford Winslow is working on a farm in Lenawee county.  
Marl Pettibone and wife were out from Detroit Sunday.  
Miss Orene Habermehl was in Detroit Saturday, returning Sunday.

Leo Hendryx took a load of goods via auto truck to Pontiac Saturday.  
Mrs. Grace Anglim and daughter Blanche were in Detroit Saturday.  
Rev. W. A. Moore, of Detroit, called on Mr. and Mrs. Carlos Steele Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Walters and daughter Madeline were in Northville Monday.  
Hudson Sherman, of St. Johns, was visiting relatives in town this week and part of last.

Several Northville people attended the mass meeting in the Town Hall Wednesday night.  
Several of our Redford friends were in Farmington Wednesday night attending the local theatre.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bartlett were visitors of her sister, Mrs. Rue Langbecker and family, Sunday.

A letter from John Phelps to his mother states that all are well and everything is lovely in Dixieland.

The O. E. S. have turned over their dining hall to the local Red Cross for a work room—a place which has been needed badly in Farmington.

News comes indirectly to Dr. and Mrs. Miller that their nephew, George Miller, is not far from Paris, but in good health at that writing.

Word from Mrs. Ida Langston, at Beaverton, states that she is located in her new surroundings and likes it very much, but that just at present mud and water conditions are rather prevalent.

G. P. Conroy has purchased a home in Northville, and is moving his family there this week. Mr. Conroy will still continue in the service of the D. U. R. as conductor on Milk freight No. 99.

Attorney Clinton McGee, of Pontiac, motored over Sunday to visit his mother, Mrs. A. McGee and other relatives. The latter enjoyed a drive with him. They were accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Truscott.

Stanley Collins and Paul Wadsworth, Scout boys of Troop 1, Mr. Clemens, "hiked" over from that place Wednesday, and spent the night with their grandfather, G. C. Collins, "hiking" back again Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ryder entertained his sister, Mrs. Charles Coldren and husband, and their daughter, Mrs. Mae Noble and her little son at dinner Wednesday. They were all from Northville.

The Sargeant Major at the M. E. church Sunday night said in regards to the Red Cross, that five cents given here did a dollars worth of good to the soldiers over there, as money did not count in their dire necessities when in battle.

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Miss Della Kuhn, sister of Mrs. John Turner, had the number on the "dresser scarf" made by Miss Wilma Shoultz, of Royal Oak, a former Ford stenographer, who was stricken with paralysis, and since convalescent has taken this means to earn a livelihood. Mrs. D. Stearns sold the tickets for her.

to do work on adjoining farms, so that, as we pass on any road, we can do all of the work that may be requested for a period of at least two weeks, after which they may return over the same roads.  
I propose to confine the work, for the time being, within a radius of three miles of the above villages. Farmers desiring work done, as above outlined, should communicate with me as early as possible, stating approximately the number of acres they want to be operated upon, the time that they desire the work done (always give a range of two weeks for us to do the work), so that we can work to good advantage.  
In requesting work to be done, be sure to give name of farm, owner's name and the distance from center of town, as well as the distance travelled in each direction, in order to reach your farm.  
In as much as it is my purpose to help increase the acreage and to assist the farmer and accomplish as much as possible in the shortest space of time, I must refuse to operate on any fields that are too stony, too hilly, too swampy or too small to be worked to good advantage. Therefore do not request that work be done on such fields.  
We urge that you work your small and odd shaped fields with your horses, and let us work your larger fields with tractors.

Farmers Attention

I have decided to put a few Tractors, with plows, disc harrows, and spike tooth harrows, at work around Birmingham, Michigan, and Farmington, Michigan. I propose to do ploughing, double disc harrowing and spike tooth harrowing cheaper than the farmers can do it themselves, and thereby enable farmers to plant a greater acreage, and to assist them in producing more food to help even in a small way to win the war. I hope that the work that I may be able to do will be in addition to, and in no way interfere with your regular work.  
I propose to charge \$2 per acre for ploughing, 75 cents per acre for double discing, and 50 cents per acre for spike-tooth harrowing, and 50 cents per acre for pulverizing and packing with a double corrugated roller.  
Or will lease the tractor, including the operator and any equipment that is regularly used with the tractor, for \$15.00 per day.  
I propose, as far as is practical, to take the work in regular order,

E. R. SWEET,  
195 Chandler Ave.,  
Detroit, Mich.,  
or  
P. O. Box 15, Birmingham Mich.  
or  
Farmington, Mich.

Announcement

TO OUR CUSTOMERS:--

After very careful study from all view-points, we have decided, both in the interest of our patrons and ourselves, that we must make a change in the handling of our credit accounts, and beginning April 1st we will only extend credit for a period of 30 days, viz., accounts made during one month are to be paid before the 10th of the following month.

Accounts which are now past due we ask and expect to be settled before April 10, 1918.

The war is teaching us many lessons. The U. S. Food Administration tells the dealer what and how much he shall sell, fixes the profit on the goods and names a heavy penalty for failure to comply with these regulations, and we believe it is only asking what is justly due us when we specify a particular time of settlement.

We value very highly the friendship and good will of our patrons, and that no refusal may be necessary we ask that you look at this in its true light, and comply with the new rule of our store.

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