

The Farmington Enterprise

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VOTE NEXT TUESDAY

Next Tuesday, August 27th, is primary election day, and you are called upon to do your duty as an American citizen—as much a patriotic duty as any you can perform.

Personal likes and dislikes should be cast aside in your decision for casting your ballot for this or that candidate, and you should put in a vote for the man you think best fitted for the position, be it United States Senator state or county officer—let it be the best man for the place, regardless of personal feelings toward him as an individual.

Many of the county offices are represented by one candidate, but others have several aspirants. Have you made an effort to learn which among them is best fitted for the office. It is your duty to find out which are the most efficient, honest and likely stand for the best interests of our county state and nation.

But, above all, your first duty is to get out to the polls next Tuesday. Every voter in Farmington township should make that his first and foremost object on Tuesday, August 27th.

A copy of the Enterprise sent to the boy at the front from this township is a help at winning the war. The morale of our soldiers is of great consequence, and every time they get the news from "home" new life and energy is infused into them. Every boy overseas should receive a copy regularly, whether sent as a subscription from this office, or sent by friends. If you don't feel like subscribing for him, just wrap your own copy in a piece of stout paper, address it to him and put on a one-cent stamp. The postoffice department will see that it is delivered to him. If, however, you wish to rid yourself of this trouble just come in and subscribe for him and we will assume all the trouble. We want him to have a copy of the paper anyway.

The sugar card system which went into effect last week in this village is working out satisfactorily. County Food Administrator, Ely states that any person found using two cards to get sugar will be prosecuted. A thorough checking system has been put into operation, so that each person's purchases will be known at a glance.

Jack Matthews Promoted

John P. Matthews, for the past year and a half manager of the local telephone exchange, has been appointed manager of the Plymouth and South Lyon exchanges with headquarters at Plymouth.—South Lyon Herald.

Mr. Matthews will be remembered as the genial lineman of the local exchange here about two years ago, and the news of his success will be looked upon with pleasure by a number of Farmington friends.

During their residence in South Lyon Mr. and Mrs. Matthews made many friends, who, as the Herald states, regret his removal from that village to Plymouth.

Notice

Beginning September 1, 1918, we will make no more deliveries from our Grocery Department.

Secarity of help and our desire to carry out as far as possible in our business the recommendations of the Food Administration has forced us to decide upon this plan.

Remember the date.
FRED L. COOK & CO.

Political Advertisement

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John A. Adams

Candidate for

County Road Commissioner

(SECOND TERM)



This being the season of the year when all departments of the County Road Commissioners office are working at top speed to complete as much construction work as possible on the county roads before the winter months, I have not felt that I ought to leave my duties as one of the present commissioners in order to devote my time to a campaign. I shall therefore be unable to personally see the voters of the county and will be obliged to leave the advancement of my candidacy in the hands of my friends and those acquainted with my record in the past.

I was appointed as one of the County Road Commissioners by the Board of Supervisors to fill a vacancy, and elected to the office for a four year term in April, 1914, but through a change in the election laws my office is to be filled at the coming election.

During my incumbency of the office we have outlined a complete program of good roads for the county and have constructed over 220 miles of the same. Although hampered by shortage of labor and war conditions we now have under construction over 30 miles of gravel and concrete road, and I am bent all of my efforts to secure the early completion of the same.

If nominated and elected to this important office, I pledge to the voters of Oakland County:

First: To give the office a clean and vigorous administration with the benefit of the experience I have gained in the past.

Second: To secure for the county as soon as possible with existing conditions a system of good roads second to none in the state, thereby developing our natural resources and increasing the value of the property of every person in the county.

Third: To use my best efforts to secure the passage of a law so that the state shall assume the improvement and maintenance of trunk line roads such as Woodward and Grand River, avenue through this county, thereby relieving us of the burden of this expense.

Fourth: To use my best efforts to further develop a system of maintenance of our improved roads so as to conserve them as much as possible.

Fifth: To use my best efforts to secure the passage of such legislation as is necessary in order to permit the money collected as penalties for violation of the speed laws to be used for road maintenance.

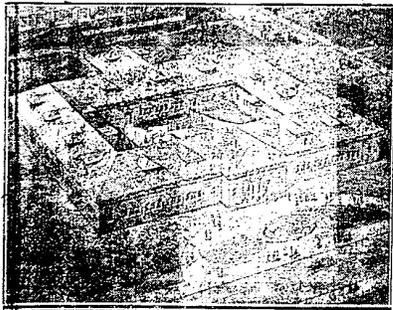
Upon this statement of my ambition, I respectfully solicit your vote at the primary August 27th.

John A. Adams

County Road Commissioner

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NEW \$30,000 POULTRY BUILDING AT STATE FAIR



The new \$30,000 Poultry Building, a large court. A beautiful fountain on the Michigan State Fair grounds, and pool have been laid out in the at Detroit, will be thrown open to the public for the first time when the 1918 exposition opens on August 30. This structure, which will house poultry and pet stock, is built of brick and stucco. It is two stories in height and is constructed around a central court. The building is a masterpiece of modern architecture and is one of the most beautiful structures ever erected at the Michigan State Fair.



A
Vote
for
Mac
Donald
for
Sheriff
means a
VOTE

For a Man who Dares!

For a man who will not wink at a violation of the law by the influential and jail the friendless.

For a man who believes in dressing blind pigs, whether operated by an American Citizen or a Foreigner.

For a man who will not send a carrier pigeon to notify law violators of his coming.

For a man who has not had political schooling sufficient to discern the difference between 60 miles an hour by a man with a pull and 60 miles an hour by the man who gets pulled.

For a man who, when ordered to destroy the contents of a raided blind pig, sees to it that it goes into the sewer direct, and not via some other route.

For a man who, if elected, will see to it that Oakland County stays Bone Dry.

For a man who favors a Grand Jury for all Oakland County. If a Grand Jury is a good thing for some corners of the county, why not for the County Seat?

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