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\$1.50 A YEAR.

BADLY BURNED MONDAY

Fire at Talbot Greenhouse Office Destroys Furniture and Damages Building

Monday afternoon C. A. Herrington, employed at the Talbot greenhouse on Shawnee street, and living in the little office building just recently erected, lighted an oil heater and put on some water preparatory to taking a bath when the stove went wrong and caught the room on fire.

In attempting to get out of the room and save their furniture Mr. Herrington was overcome by the smoke and flames, and fell unconscious, being badly burned about the breast, hand and lungs.

Seeing smoke issuing from the windows a young man next door attempted to rescue Herrington, but he was too heavy for the boy and before he could get help Herrington had breathed so much smoke and flame that his lungs, throat, and face were so badly burned that it was unnecessary for a number of hours.

Herrington was taken to the hospital where his burns were attended to and is on the road to recovery.

The building and furniture were badly damaged by fire and water, Mr. and Mrs. Herrington losing nearly all of their wearing apparel.

Dropped Dead

Carl H. Heise, one of Clarencville's prominent citizens, died at his home in that village last Monday evening very suddenly of cardiac paralysis.

Carl Heise was born in Germany and came here when a boy, where he made a home and was respected by all who know him.

Mr. Heise was 72 years, 10 months and 23 days of age, being born on September 18, 1846, and leaves, besides many friends, his wife to mourn him.

The funeral was held Thursday afternoon at the late home, with burial in Clarencville cemetery.

Injunction in Force

Tuesday afternoon a delegation of citizens went to Pontiac to see what could be done toward preventing the D. U. R. from putting into effect the proposed raise in interurban fares on this division. Not finding prosecuting attorney Gillespie in the city, another trip was made to the city Wednesday, when it was found that preparations were being made to enforce an injunction issued several months ago when a former attempt was made in the same direction, until the utilities commission can fix equitable rates.

The prosecutor assured the delegates from Farmington, Rochester, Royal Oak, Oxford and West Bloomfield that officers would be placed on the cars, which will start proceedings to prevent the proposed raise.

We understand the new schedule was put into effect by the company yesterday morning, and all who went to the city were taxed 30 cents to the city limits.

Masonic Picnic

Thirty-five Masonic lodges have been invited to Lake Orion on Wednesday, August 20th, to participate in a Masonic picnic given by the lodge No. 46, F. & A. M.

Farmington lodge has received an invitation and we understand a number of the local members will take advantage of the good time assured.

There will be many attractions, including a Vanderville performance, music, speakers, etc., in addition to the usual amusements Lake Orion affords.

On Inspection Tour

The midsummer meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural society will be held August 19th and 20th. The meeting will take the form of an inspection trip through the heart of Southwestern Michigan's Fruit Belt. Several hundred cars will start from Bangor on the 19th. The party will stop at Woodward's hotel, Paw Lake for dinner and at Benton Harbor for the night. On Wednesday dinner will be procured at St. Joe and the tour will end at the home of Ballard Brope, at Niles, where a short business session will be held. This tour will be very valuable to the practical fruit grower, as well as to the amateur, and will be very thoroughly investigated.

Local News.

Hazel Lytle has diphtheria. Harry Habermehl in Detroit Friday. Muri Sbeppo was in Pontiac on business Saturday.

Leon Green is building a new garage at his residence. Mr. and Mrs. Will Pagel spent Sunday at Cass Lake.

Little Mildred Graham spent last week with Eudala and Dortha Ash.

Geoff Adams, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Jerome Adams and family. H. Lee & Sons has secured the agency of the Buick cars for this territory.

Mrs. Ben Meyers, daughter Mrs. Yerks and baby were in Northville last Saturday evening.

Alma Molliven and Loretta Smith, of Detroit, visited Mrs. Fred Goers and family last week.

George Green and wife and daughter, Eleanor, of Detroit, called on Leon Green and wife Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Almon Adams, of Detroit, are spending the week with the former's brother, Jerome Adams and family.

Miss Maude Tucker, and nephew Donald Berry, of Jackson, visited the past two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Wesley Seeley.

Nate Easwell and family and Mrs. Lena Green attended the funeral of the former's niece, Dorothea Norton, at Ypsilanti, Monday afternoon.

Ethel Lytle is home from Big Rapids, and on learning the nature of her sister's disease, she went to the home of Arthur Scott and wife east of Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin and daughter, of Detroit visited last Sunday with Mrs. L. Gildemester and family. Mrs. Gildemester and daughter Emma visited in the city one day last week.

Mrs. Anna McCaw and son Will, of New York City, came last Friday for two weeks' visit with her aunt, Mrs. Ellen Graham and other relatives. Mrs. McCaw will be remembered by her friends as Anna Graham, daughter of George Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Parker and son Gerald attended the funeral of Mr. Parker's uncle, C. S. Borvers, of Pontiac, Wednesday. Burial was at Wixom. Clayton Childs and Floyd Peterson, of New Hudson, visited Thursday with Master Gerald Parker.

Rolland Soland, assistant cashier at the Farmington State Saving Bank, left for Owendale Thursday, to pack and ship his household goods to this village. The family will occupy the F. J. Haugh house on Maple Grove avenue, which Mr. Soland recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Benedict, of Green, N. Y., visited with their cousin, Mrs. C. A. Caskey and wife from Saturday until Wednesday. Mark Caskey and wife, Mr. Benedict and wife drove to Ains Arboc Monday afternoon and brought back Hugo Caskey, who has been spending a week with Roland Randall. Mr. and Mrs. Benedict returned to their home Wednesday by way of Niagara Falls.

Our Liner Colubin on the first page is making friends with the farmers as well as the village.

CHURCH NOTES

Salem Evangelical
Rev. A. C. Stange, pastor, will preach each alternate Sunday morning at 10:45, alternate time in the Farmington and Clarencville Evangelical churches.

The Farmington Ladies Aid meets on the first Wednesday of each month at the parsonage.

Methodist Church
Morning 10:30 Evening 7:30
Sunday School 11:45
E. C. C. Benson, Pastor

Dr. D. J. Warren was present and conducted in his masterful way our last quarterly conference for the conference year.

There was a large attendance, with three auto loads from Novi. Yearly reports were made, officers were elected and the program for next year talked over.

By order of the "judge of election" a lay delegate and a alternate will be elected one week from next Sunday morning.

You are cordially invited to the services of the church and Sunday school next Sunday. Subject in the morning "The Transferring Power"; in the evening "Lessons from an Intrepid Leader."

FOR SALE—Three houses in the village of Farmington. Easy terms. See Warner Bros. 27c



America's Foremost EXPOSITION

Acknowledged the Acme in State Fairs

The Michigan State Fair holds first place among the fairs of the nation. In 1918 more than 500,000 visitors were entertained during ten days. In 1919 preparations are being made to take care of twice this number. This year the Fair Management is giving \$75,000 in premium money. Extra streets have been laid out to take care of the concessions. Additional buildings are required to house the exhibits. No such interest has ever before been demonstrated by the residents of the state as they are showing this year. This institution of the people has no peer. Such intensive support has been accorded the Fair that the management has been put to a test in exploring the markets of the world to secure the attractions demanded.

No public spirited citizen interested in the welfare and progress of Michigan can afford to miss this great educational and entertaining

SEVENTIETH ANNUAL EXPOSITION
10 DAYS - 10 NIGHTS

TOTALLY BLIND WRITES SISTER

Ernest Bayliss Says He Is Happy and "Making Good" at Government School

Some days ago Mrs. Harry Heidrich, who lives on the Farmington place received a long typewritten letter from her brother, Ernest Bayliss, who is totally blind from the effects of "going over the top" in France during the war.

Mr. Bayliss is at the government school for the blind at Roland, Baltimore, and is rapidly learning to use the typewriter, make baskets, carpenter work, and is studying arithmetic, music, English and taking part in the gymnasium work of the school.

Ernest Bayliss was a common farmer boy when the war broke out, enlisted, went to France and we are told was one of the bravest in his company until in "going over the top" he was caught by an exploding shell thrown many feet into the air and picked up to dead, but later recovered, except for his sight, and was taken to the government school for an education, and we are informed that it is "simply wonderful" what they are doing for him.

He expects to make his sister here a visit in the near future and is looking forward to the event with much pleasure and anticipation.

You will get "value received" many times over if you make a practice of reading the advertisements every week.

Council Proceedings

Council Chambers, August 6, 1919. Special meeting of Common Council of the Village of Farmington, called to order by Trustee Nichols.

Trustees present: Nichols, Durban, Woodruff, Ely, Hoyle, President Francis absent.

Motion made by Trustee Ely and supported by Trustee Durban that clerk be instructed to write a letter to the Detroit United Railway requesting them to pave between the tracks through the Village. Carried.

A proposition was presented by the Detroit Edison Co. to install not less than twenty boulevard lights on Grand River avenue, using underground conduct, each light to be 500 C. P. The monthly cost per light for a ten year contract was \$5.50.

Motion made by Trustee Ely and supported by Trustee Durban to accept the proposition presented by the Detroit Edison Co. and to turn the matter over into the hands of the Lighting committee. Carried.

Motion made by Trustee Hoyle and supported by Trustee Ely to extend the time for the paying of village taxes until September 15th. Carried.

Motion made by Trustee Ely and supported by Trustee Hoyle that the ordinance committee be instructed to draw up an ordinance requiring the removal of all out-houses within one year. Carried.

Mr. Ols was present and presented a proposition as to the paving of the street west of the Dr. Moore property. The matter was turned over to the street committee.

Meeting adjourned.
H. D. WARNER, Clerk.

Village Taxes

I will be at the Warner Dairy Co. office on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 2:30 p. m. to 5:30 p. m. until further notice for the collection of Village Taxes.
JOHN LAPHAM, Village Treasurer.

CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS

Deputy Sheriff Grimmer Made Haul of Berry Thieves Last Sunday

Last Sunday Deputy Sheriff Grimmer was called to the F. J. Kilne farm just west of North Farmington, where he found two women helping themselves to Mr. Kilne's thimble blackberries, having picked about 29 quarts. The women were taken to Pontiac, where they gave their names as Ida Williams and Mary Foster, and their residence as Detroit.

Monday forenoon they were taken before Justice Fritzenburgh on a charge of stealing the fruit, and given a fine of \$7.50 each.

This is the starting of an effort to prevent the wholesale thievery along the main roads in Oakland county, which has been practiced by people of all classes coming out from the city for the past few years, and obliging the farmers to "hand guard" over their farm produce all day Sunday.

Many people coming out from the city on Sunday seem to have the idea that anything in sight is "made for them" and often even dispute the right of the owner to prevent their appropriating everything not securely "walled down" or guarded with a gun, whether along the road or back in the field.

FROM OUR EXCHANGES

News Items Taken From Other Papers in and About the County.

P. N. Sawyer, newly appointed superintendent of the Redford school was in town last Friday to attend the meeting of the school board held in the evening.—Redford Record.

An explosion which almost totally wrecked the home of Lawrence Kittel of Whitmore Lake, and shook houses for almost a mile around, occurred Friday evening about 9:30 when an acetylene lighting machine in the basement of the house blew up.—South Lyon Herald.

It is a popular move by congress to eliminate the ten percent tax on soda water and ice cream. We can pay for the war without going to such lengths. It is noted that the fall elections are hearing and congressmen give increasing evidence of a willingness to listen to the complaints of constituents. If there is anything a man wants reformed, now is the time to make complaint.—Oxford Leader.

In the midst of all the talk about lowering living prices, the cost of sugar is moving steadily upwards. It hung around 9-12 cents for a long time after the government ceased control, but this week it was selling for 12 and 13 cents in Detroit with prospects of advancing further. A pound of sugar is worth as much as a quart of milk seems to be the argument.—Detroit Courier.

A game of baseball scheduled for Saturday at 4:30 p. m. is being looked forward to with much interest. It is the first two-light game of ball that the Northville fans and surrounding community will have to witness. It will be a game of unusual interest owing to the close games already played by the home team and Howell. The fact that the winners of the game played in the on Saturday, August 16, will take down prize money of \$300, has put enthusiasm and vigor in both teams and they have fitted themselves for the occasion.—Northville Record.

George Francis is driving a new Buick car.

Miss Toomy is in the city Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Leon Green visited relatives in Detroit Friday last.

Mrs. Ben Meyer attended the Chaouqua at Northville last week Thursday.

The "Want Column" will interest you.

Many Visitors at State Fair to Camp on Grounds

Detroit (Special)—Plans for a city of campers, at the Michigan State Fair, in Detroit, from August 29 to September 7, have been completed by G. W. Dickinson, secretary-manager, of the fair association. Each year since the use of the automobile has become general among the agriculturists of the state, Mr. Dickinson has received queries concerning the possibility of people desiring to see the exposition and bringing their camping outfit.

At the coming exposition complete arrangements have been made to take care of the visitors who wish to camp on the grounds. One section has been set aside placing of tents. Special arrangements have been made for permitting the members of this colony to go to and from the grounds. Mr. Dickinson announces that he expects to make this a permanent feature of the fair.

LITTLE WANT ADS

FOR SALE—New potatoes, \$2.50 a bushel, at Warner Farm. 40tf

FOR SALE—Jersey Cow, Inquire of John Morris, phone 44W5.

FOR SALE—Modern House and one acre of ground, on easy terms. Inquire of P. E. Perkins, Farmington, phone 72.

FOR SALE—Peaigreed and Registered Red Rock Seed Wheat, grown on Warner Farm. See Howard Warner. 40tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—Remington Repeating Rifle, 22 Cal.; in good condition. Inquire of Harrison Johnson. 40p.

WANTED—Help for digging sewer, \$5 a day. Apply at Malcomson farm, Farmington Junction 40p.

FOR SALE—Visiting cards—either printed or engraved. Best of work and prices right. Ask the Enterprise man.

WANTED—A conscientious girl for house work. Good wages, modern conveniences, nice surroundings. Address R. M. Champe, Walled Lake Village.

FOR SALE—A Parlor suit, antique mahogany and oak, with velvet tapestry upholstery, 1 x 12 axminster rug. Inquire of Mrs. Carl Ely. 40c

NOTICE—During our stay at the lake I will be here each day to attend to my practice. Call 301 J. 6, Northville if wanted at night. Dr. E. F. Holcomb.

FOR SALE—Large sheets of Blotting paper, also Bristol Board, Cards of all kinds, either printed or plain. Call at the Enterprise and see what we have.

FURNITURE—Upholstered and refinished. Hunt up that old Walnut and have something useful made out of it. Prices reasonable. R. B. Botsford, shop back of house, Farmington. 29tf

STATIONERY—Let us print you some nice stationery. Good work and reasonable prices.

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Price of \$4.01 per 100 Pounds milk delivered at our Farmington and Novi Milk Plants.

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