

## SEES RISE IN FARMER INCOME

May Be Increased by \$50,000,000 Annually in 5 Years, M. A. C. Head Tells Visitors

Within five years President David Friday, of M. A. C. hopes to increase the annual net income of the farming industry in the state by \$50,000,000, he told several thousand visitors at the annual summer farmers' day at the college last Friday. This is possible by improved production and marketing, he said.

In order to accomplish his aim, he will ask the legislature at its next meeting for an appropriation of \$2,000,000, chiefly for agricultural extension. "We must enlist the aid of every newspaper, every Grange, every Gleaners' organization, every farmers' club, every farm bureau and every chamber of commerce in the state," said President Friday. "Even the Catholic priest and the Methodist preacher and the Jewish rabbi will be glad to come along."

He referred to the egg production of the state, 50,000,000 dozen during the last year, and declared that by getting rid of the eggless hens the annual production may be raised to 100,000,000 dozen. The same can be done with dairy cattle, hogs, fruit and every other branch of Michigan agriculture, he held.

The other and more important phase of the problem is one of marketing and distribution, said President Friday. "Twenty years ago there were one million people on the farms and one million people in the cities of Michigan. Now there are still one million people on the farms, but two and a quarter million people in the cities."

"We haven't adjusted ourselves to the change. Our farmers haven't taken advantage of the markets at their doors, to say nothing of the possibilities of shipping goods to Chicago by cheap water transportation. My duty is to analyze the markets of Lansing, Flint, Battle Creek, Detroit, Grand Rapids and find out what the people are eating and what they will pay for. The middleman is too busy to do it for himself. We must do it for the farmer. We must lay out for the farmer a program of what to produce, how to pack it, how to study the market. That's what the manufacturer is doing for himself. By performing this service for the farmer, we may make it possible for him to get from 25 per cent more to double what he is getting today."

"If the people of the state will help me put through this program, we'll sow alfalfa until we have 2,000,000 acres after the next five years. We'll show the people of America what can be done when we go about it. Michigan was the first state to establish an agricultural college, even though people said the idea was a farce. I propose to duplicate this experience once more by giving the United States an object lesson in what can be done in efficient agricultural production and marketing."

President Friday warned his hearers not to expect an increase in farm prices during the next two years. However, he said, prices are becoming cheaper, he said. Taking up national issues, he declared that railway wages must be cut by \$500,000,000 annually if railway workers are not to receive an income proportionately greater than that of farmers. He deplored the bickering between industrial groups and predicted that when this strife is eliminated poverty will be unknown.

In concluding he said, "I dedicate this college and all its resources for building a nation such as the world has always dreamed of and has never seen before."

Mr. and Mrs. Delmar Morrell of Rockford and daughter, Mrs. Ivan Waite and husband of Grand Haven, visited Mrs. Clara Phelps Tuesday. They are visiting relatives around Farmington and Walled Lake for a week.

## PROVIDE MORE PARKS.

Fred L. Cook, who with his family made an auto trip down into Indiana last week, was most favorably impressed with the number, beauty and convenience of the many state parks provided for tourists along the way. Michigan is providing a number of parks of suitable and convenient points along its trunk lines that are becoming quite popular with tourists. Oakland county, the wonderland of Michigan, has many natural parks and the suggestion is made that some of them be set aside for the use of the public. Private parties are buying up the choicest sites on the lake fronts and if a move to secure a few public is not soon made, the tourists will be confronted by "No Trespassing" signs at every point along the lake fronts.

## REDFORD BOY INJURED AT ORCHARD LAKE

Harold Nelle, seven year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Nelle, living near Redford, lies in Harper hospital at Detroit as the result of injuries received Sunday afternoon at Orchard Lake. The boy was standing in front of the Orchard Lake hotel when he was run down by an automobile driven by Marlin Berg, 12303 Oakman boulevard, Detroit. Some claim that the auto driver ran into the boy in order to avoid hitting a heavy truck. Others say that the lad stepped directly into the path of the machine and was struck before the driver could stop. His left leg was fractured near the hip. He was taken to Harper hospital by Spencer Henney. The attending physicians say that he will recover, there being no serious internal injuries.

## EVANGELICAL CHURCH CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

The Salem Evangelical congregation has renovated the church property. More than \$1,000 was spent in repainting and repairing the church and parsonage.

Rev. J. Bollens is to be installed by Rev. F. Haneberg of Detroit, in the morning services which will begin at 10:30.

In the evening at 7:30 the Ladies Aid is celebrating their anniversary and the officers of the society are to be installed. Rev. Dr. Eva and Rev. Dr. Ford have promised to address the congregation. Salem church is expecting a large crowd of people from Detroit, and from this community. A special program is provided for. A hearty invitation to attend the morning and evening services is herewith extended to all.

Mrs. William Whitford and daughter of Chicago, visited the latter part of last week and the fore part of this week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Elizabeth Whitford.

## NOTES OF THE CHURCHES

### THE METHODIST PARISH.

—Farmington—

10:30 "The Moment of Splendor."

11:45 Sunday school.

7:30 Union service at the Evangelical church.

Sidney D. Eva, Pastor.

### —North Farmington—

2:00 Preaching service.

3:00 Sunday School.

### —Clarenceville—

10:30 Preaching service. Rev. W. W. Dale, preacher.

11:45 Sunday School.

7:30 Evening service.

### First Baptist Church

10:30 Dr. H. H. Ford will preach on the subject: "What the Church looks like when She puts on Her Beautiful Garments."

12:00 Sunday school.

6:30 B. Y. P. U. Topic: "Pride and Humility." James 4:6-10. E. P. Bates, leader.

7:30 In a body we will go to the Salem Evangelical church to worship with them.

### Salem Evangelical Church

Installation of Rev. J. Bollens, renovation festival and anniversary of Ladies Aid.

Services in German and English at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

## PHONE COMPANY OPPOSES ORDER

Michigan State Telephone Co. Brings Suit in Ingham County Circuit Court

Suit was filed in the Ingham county circuit court by the Michigan State Telephone company Tuesday, asking that the state public utilities commission's order of July 7, approving the consolidation of the Citizens' and Michigan State companies be set aside pending the determination of the proper value of the Citizens' property.

Following its approval of the merger, the commission notified the Michigan State that a complete appraisal and audit of the Citizens' property would be necessary before rates in exchanges affected by the consolidation could be set. The company objected and asked that rates be based on the purchase price valuation of the Citizens' property, which was about \$5,300,000.

In its petition to the circuit court filed Tuesday, the company asked that the commission's order be declared void, and that it be required to determine the proper value of the company before issuing further orders.

## BLINDING HEADLIGHTS RESULTS IN WRECK

An accident resulting in serious injury to the occupants of a light sedan occurred at the Blanchard hollow, just west of the village, last Sunday evening. The owner of the car, P. E. Traynor of 5400 Pacific avenue, Detroit, was driving it when he became blinded by the brilliant light from an approaching auto and turned the car into the ditch, where it turned over. Mrs. Traynor sustained a fracture of one arm and the collar bone, while a sister of Mr. Traynor was internally injured and her condition is serious.

The injured were taken to the Highland Park hospital. The car in a badly battered condition was brought to Park Garage.

## HARRY WESTFALL

Harry Westfall died Wednesday evening at Evangelical Deaconess hospital, Detroit, of spinal meningitis after a short illness of about a week's duration. He leaves a wife and four daughters. Funeral services will be held from the Evangelical church Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

## TIMELY TALKS FOR BOYS

One of the big features of the Oakland county farm boys' camp now in progress at the Y. M. C. A. camp at Elizabeth Lake, is the arrangement made by camp officials whereby prominent citizens of Pontiac address the boys.

At least once each day some man who has done and is now doing things, is invited to come to speak on various subjects of interest to the camp guests.

## OAKLAND COUNTY FARM BUREAU PICNIC

The third annual Oakland county farm bureau picnic is to be held on Tuesday, August 5, at Maceday Lake. Preparations are being made to call out a record crowd. There will be sport and ball games, and in the afternoon an outdoor pageant "The Spirit of Organization," will be given under the direction of Miss Eva W. Carrett.

Mrs. W. Bigelow entertained for luncheon Tuesday, Mrs. Ralph Hogle, Mrs. Garner Groves of Detroit, Mrs. Ethel Kleinschmidt of Oskosh, Wis., and Mildred Adams, all class mates of the Farmington High school.

## HONOR BELL'S MEMORY

At 6:45 p. m. August 4, 1922, all employees of telephone companies laid aside their work and stood standing for one minute in honor of Alexandra Graham Bell, inventor of the telephone, who died on August 1st. Over 250,000 employees in the United States took part in this tribute—10,000 of whom were employees of the Michigan State Telephone company.

## HOW LAKES WERE FOLLOMED.

The Mt. Clemens Monitor tells, how sons ago, great fields of ice muzzed up this portion of the earth's surface, and left for our pleasure and profit what we now find.

Anyone living or visiting in the northwest of Macomb county and in Oakland county may wonder why the hills and why the holes, the holes being the lakes. The low country, such as we have in eastern Wayne, Macomb, and St. Clair counties, was one time covered with water. There is conclusive evidence of this. The hills country is different. There is a jumble of sand, gravel, clay and stone, unlike the clearly defined strata of the low country. The two regions are fundamentally dissimilar.

We know now that the surface of Michigan is glacier created. The enormous masses of ice from the Canadian north ground down over the whole of the state. They pushed the old soil of the state down in to Ohio and beyond and brought new soil from the country now Canada. They brought along all the loose rock we find in the state. The big stones and small found in much of this country were brought by the glaciers. They were polished and rounded by attrition. In the higher land in northwestern Macomb and Oakland, for instance, the glaciers did picturesque work. They ground out deeper holes, heightened the hills about them, and filled the holes with ice. When the ice melted there were the lakes. These are not rock-bound lakes. They are guarded by heaps of dirt piled up by the glaciers.

The work of the glaciers is a most interesting study.

## WE GIVE IT UP

"If an automobile driven at making 35 miles an hour along a narrow highway, outside of city or village limits, and is to driver at his rear indicates a desire to pass him by sounding his horn, should the first driver turn to the extreme right side of the road in order to permit the passing of the second auto? If he deos so is he not aiding and abetting in a violation of the road law?"

The above question has been sent to The Enterprise for an answer. We give it up. Can some one furnish us with the right one?

## BRIGGS SCHOOL RE-UNION

The old school reunion for the Briggs Dist. No. 3, will be held Saturday, August 12, 1922. A spot-luck dinner will be served at one o'clock. Following the dinner there will be sports and speeches. Everyone interested is invited to attend.

Mrs. Keith, Sr., is spending a week with friends at Walled Lake.

## COAL AND RAIL STRIKE HITTING HOME

Unless there is a speedy adjustment of the coal and rail problems the Detroit United Railway will shortly have to curtail its passenger freight, and United States mail service, according to Vice-President and General Manager E. J. Burdick.

"Our stock on hand at the various power plants is gradually disappearing for we are eating into the surplus much faster than fresh supplies are reaching us," states Mr. Burdick.

"I had been hoping all along that matters would be fully readjusted by the first of August, but it is evident that even after harmonious settlements some time will elapse before matters will be in smooth running order with full supplies of coal available."

"I am, of course, doing everything I can to keep our machinery running, and I am hopeful that we will break in our service very soon, but the public will be better understand our exact situation when I say that our supply of coal Monday morning at the Rochester power-house, controlling the entire Flint division, will enable us to run our full schedules not to exceed 10 to 12 days. Practically a similar condition exists at the New Baltimore power house of the Rapid Railway. Unless the situation is shortly relieved, our interurban operation is merely a matter of days."

## LOTS OF FUN FOR FARMINGTON

Committees on Amusement Arrangements for Gala Day Report Fine Progress

The plans for the Gala Day to be given at Farmington, Labor Day, September 4, 1922, under the auspices of the Groves-Walker Post No. 346, American Legion, are well under way.

Under the leadership of Howard G. Eisenlord, post commander, the members, acting as a committee on the whole, will have complete charge of affairs. The various committees are making great strides toward completing the large program and obtaining amusements to be offered the public on the above date.

A parade, in which every organization of Farmington will be represented, together with a fine array of decorated automobiles and floats, will be one of the big features of the day. Prizes in keeping with this display will be announced at a later date.

Band concerts will be rendered throughout the day; also two ball games and other up-to-the-minute amusements will take place, so that young and old are assured a big day.

The members of the post have arranged to have Division street transformed into a miniature "Broadway" with decorations to fit the occasion. The legionnaires will have charge of the concessions with enthusiastic voices posting you where the numerous attractions are located.

Of course there will be a merry-go-round with bob-tailed horses for the "kiddies."

The following events for which attractive prizes are offered, will be pulled off during the day:

Boys Shoe Race.  
Girls' Sack Race.  
Three-Legged Race.  
Fat Men's Race.  
Ladies' Nail Driving Contest.  
Tug-O-War.  
Ladies Egg Race.  
Sawdust Scramble.  
Human Wheel Barrow Race.  
50 Yard Dash.  
Pie Eating Contest.  
100 Yard Dash.

"Do not wash your old 'Lizzie' because there will be a prize for the oldest automobile in the parade."

## W. C. T. U. GATHERING

There will be a rally of the W. C. T. U. of Oakland county and the law enforcement league at Taylors pavilion and grove on the south shores of Walled Lake on Monday, August 21st. A special program has been prepared with several speakers, among them are Mrs. Lockwood of Holly, and Mrs. Mudge of Detroit.

The secretary of the W. C. T. U. announces that this joint picnic for the purpose of getting together and rallying forces, to talk over and plan for the very important issues which are confronting every American home and every boy and girl—the men and women of the future. Everybody is welcome—Come and bring your family and lunch basket with what necessary dishes, plates, cups, etc., you require, and have a good time.

## MRS. OLIVER P. HAZARD

On Saturday, August 5, 1922, Lucy J. wife of Oliver P. Hazard, passed away at their home in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Hazard were united in marriage in 1857 and to this union three children were born, one daughter who died in childhood; Mrs. George H. Crane of Los Angeles, Cal., and the late Mrs. Charles A. Kaibach. The deceased was a born and bred girl, a devoted wife, mother and daughter. She was born in Rhoda E. Warner. Mr. Hazard built the house occupied at the present time by Prof. Leonard, owned by the late C. J. Sprague, and for many years was in the mercantile business here.

Funeral services were held from the chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co., 397½ Cass avenue, Detroit, Tuesday at 3 o'clock p. m. Interment was at Quaker cemetery here, where the body was laid to rest beside her father, mother, and youngest daughter.

## ELY FAMILY REUNION

Sixty people attended the second Ely family reunion when Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ely opened their cottage, Grey Gables, on Walled Lake, for the occasion on Sunday, August 6th.

Mr. Ely is the only living son of the late William V. Ely, and with him for the day were his sisters, Mrs. Martha Hatton and Mrs. Anna Ely of Ypsilanti, Mrs. Nettie Ely Clark of Dundee, New York, and Mrs. Lloyd Myers and her husband of Detroit.

Of the 26 grandchildren 17 were present; Miss Edith Ely of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. James Lapham and two children of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Lapham and daughter of Northville, Miss Mary Hatton of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hatton of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hatton of Detroit, Mr. William Ely of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Campbell of Royal Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ely and four children of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rudolph and Miss Sarah Myers of Detroit; also the five children of Mr. and Mrs. Ely and their families. There were 10 other guests in attendance.

The day was a most enjoyable one with a wonderful basket dinner and luncheon, with a reviewing of friendships that had been 10 and 20 years in the separation, and also the introduction of cousins—recent additions to the family.

It was voted to hold the reunion in 1923 also at Grey Gables.

## LEGION PUSHING AHEAD

The membership of the Groves-Walker Post No. 346, American Legion is increasing rapidly under the leadership of the following officers, who were recently elected and installed:

Howard G. Eisenlord—Commander.  
Mark B. Owen—Vice Commander.

Carl Hogle—Adjutant.

Norman Lee—Finance Officer.

Roy O. Robinson—Historian.

Alfred Smith—Chaplain.

Harley A. Schroeder—Sergeant at Arms.

## WILL OPEN OWOSSO MINE

Formation of the Owosso Coal Mining Company, headed by C. E. Fritz of Lansing, to take over and operate the coal mines at Six Mile Creek, near Owosso, is announced by Guy A. Crane, one of the former owners of the mines. The company, according to Mr. Crane, has been authorized by the state securities commission to issue stock in the sum of \$350,000. The mine has been idle for months, but men will be put to work at once repairing it for operation. It is located about six miles north of Owosso and has its own line running in from the Ann Arbor railroad at Owosso.

The advance agent for the Redpath chautauqua which opens here August 25, was in Farmington last week and when he left the town was well pleased with bills announced the opening date. Five days of pleasure and profit are promised.

## WILL MARKET OWN STOCK AT BUFFALO

Michigan, Ohio and Indiana live stock producers organized a co-operative live stock commission house on the Buffalo market July 31. It is known as the Producers Live Stock Commission association and probably will be doing business by September 1. E. A. Beam, of Blissfield, prominent Michigan live stock man and is president. Buffalo is an important market for Michigan producers.

The Michigan Live Stock Exchange, which has a co-operative live stock commission house at Detroit, represented Michigan shippers at the Buffalo conference. The new commission house has the active support of the Michigan, Ohio and Indiana farm bureaus. Producers' commission houses on the St. Louis, St. Paul, Indianapolis, Chicago, Omaha and Detroit markets are making splendid progress and effecting satisfactory marketing savings to the producers.

P. L. O'Malley of Pittsford and P. M. Granger of Charlotte, represent Michigan on the board of directors of the Buffalo co-operative commission house.