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FOR VICTORIES OF PEACE

An army is being mobilized in America. From all parts of this land of ours millions of young folks are assembling at meeting points in every community. And each individual will become a member of some unit in a huge system.

But this army is not being formed to shed blood. It is rather being organized and trained to do battle against the forces of ignorance—to make America a land of better opportunity, greater comfort and finer culture.

It is the army of school children who are being prepared to assume the burdens of American citizenship.

In Farmington the preliminary details of getting the school year started are being attended to. Classes will be formed next week and the pupils' task of mastering the intricacies of arithmetic or algebra, of English or Latin, of writing or spelling tackled in earnest.

So it is well now for parents to pause and think for a moment upon the duty they owe to their schools and to their children. It is not the part of wisdom to dismiss children from home to classes day after day with never a thought of how they are getting along in their work. School teachers can do most for your child's future only through your help.

Schools impart information and knowledge, but the more important task of building character and creating a desire for learning and culture must ever depend largely upon home influence.

Our admonition to parents is this: Keep watch of that boy and girl during the coming year. Show an interest in their school work—help whenever you can—in every way to keep them interested in their studies. They really mean as much to you as your business or your housework.

SPORTS AND SPORTSMEN

Sportsmen will soon be out in the fields and marshes and at the same time a lot of sports will be out playing with guns, violating game laws and endangering the lives of others. We are glad to say that we have more of the former than of the latter here in Farmington. But even one sport is too many.

Hunting is one of the best of sports and should be encouraged. Game must be protected and preserved for the years to come.

But a word of caution to the sport who doesn't know that the unloaded gun always does the damage, should be sounded at the same time.

Don't play with firearms. They were not intended as playthings.

Don't violate the laws that were made to preserve outdoor sports for you ten years from today.

Look before you shoot. You will stand a better chance of getting your game and you will take less chance of killing some member of your own party.

Herrin, Illinois, is getting plenty of publicity these days, but it is not the kind that attracts new residents to a community.

The man or woman who is not a good citizen of Farmington is not likely to be a good citizen of the United States either.

Now that the Daves plan to help Germany pay her war debts is accepted, we wish some expert would devise a scheme to help a few Farmington citizens meet their obligations.

Crowds gather to meet the Prince of Wales on his American tour, announces newspaper headlines, but after all, we are much like our ancestors who cheered Louis XIV or Charles I.

And Bowles bowled right along as a dark horse.

Did Not Want Her to Go Out of His Life

By CLARENCE PUGH

(C. 1924, Western Newspaper Union.)

THERE goes Doc Rogers up to the Wheeler place," remarked one gossip of Tarboro to another.

"I guess the Doc will be glad to have his bill paid," remarked the other. "That Miss Lucy's always ailing, ain't she?"

"Dr. Frank Rogers was shown into the living room, where a pretty, dark-haired girl lay on the lounge.

"If you are doing what the matter with Lucy," her mother said, "she has been under the care of the best specialists for years. Can't you tell me frankly, doctor?"

"Yes, madam," answered Doctor Rogers sharply. "She is an invalid. I should be false to my duty if I did not tell you so. There is nothing at all the matter with her except boredom and distaste for mental and physical occupation."

"Why, how—how—dare you!" stammered the girl, sitting bolt upright upon the lounge.

"I seem to have dared successfully, for already you are looking better, Miss Wheeler," answered Doctor Rogers. "You need stimulation. Plenty of exercise, less eating, and something to occupy yourself with besides novels such as that one you have just been reading."

"The man's a perfect bore!" declared the girl, furiously.

"I am a physician, and I treat the sick, not the well," replied the young man.

"Well, I guess you won't have many more people to treat, sick or well," answered Miss Wheeler. "My husband has a few friends in Tarboro, and he will see to that."

Lucy Wheeler had never been crossed in her life before. What added to her anger was the fact that she believed the doctor had discovered her motive in sending for him. For she had been distinctly impressed by his appearance.

A woman scorned has been the same since ancient times. All the enervated of the Wheeler family were devoted to making life in Tarboro impossible for him, Cyrus Wheeler, hearing a garbled story to the effect that Rogers had insulted his daughter, vowed that he would drive the young man out of town.

Frank Rogers hung on that winter, hoping that his relentless enemies would have forgotten their grudge when the next summer came; but it was soon evident that they had not turned bent upon giving him the coup de grace.

But with July came the crash of a dozen bolts in the East, and Cyrus Wheeler's complaint was wiped out in a day. He had just figured out that the sale of all his holdings and property, including the big house, would about liquidate his debts when poverty seized him.

Frank Rogers was passing at the foot of the hill when the terrified mother, who had been unable to locate any of the other physicians on the telephone, came rushing out and summoned him.

A brief examination was sufficient to show that Wheeler had no chance of recovery. Frank stayed with him all that night until the next morning, when he died. Then he remained to care for the prostrated mother.

Frank Rogers was the only friend the Wheelers had in those dark days, for malice breeds malice, and the sentiment of the town, which had been maliciously set against the doctor, now automatically swung round against the Wheelers in their poverty.

"I don't know how to thank you for your conduct, doctor," faltered Lucy one day. "She was looking very different now from in the old days."

"You know—we may not be able to pay you for a little while," she continued. "We don't know where we are going to get any money. The house used to be sold next week. Mother is going to live with her sister, but I suppose I shall have to try to find some employment."

Frank felt that he was more than repaid by the privilege of seeing Lucy every day—two or three times a day, for he was indefatigable in his attendance. People in Tarboro began to speak of it in their gossiping way.

And then the second catastrophe occurred, for one morning Mrs. Wheeler called her daughter and, when the girl arrived, tried to speak, could not speak, and died. She had been unable to sustain her husband's death and bankruptcy.

A week later Lucy Wheeler stood in her traveling dress upon the steps of the house that she was never to enter again. At her feet was a suitcase.

"I have waited for you—to say good-by," she said, when the doctor called. "Yes, I am going away. You have suffered a good deal from us Wheeler girls, but we are going out of your memory with my departure, and—won't you forgive me and try to think better of me?"

"But I don't want you to go," stammered the young man. "You have come to fill my life so much—won't you think about remaining permanently in it?" he continued.

"Then each of them understood that it had not been a really bad one. And though she went away, she returned two months later as Frank Rogers' wife.

Keep Clean

Cleanliness is the foundation of sanitation and sanitation, the first step toward good health. Clean food is very apt to be safe; but clean hands will not often carry disease to the mouth; and a clean body will resist disease far more successfully than a dirty body will.

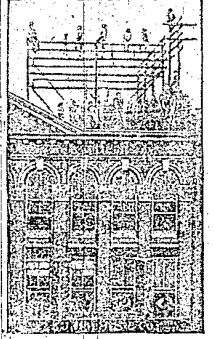
Took Years to Write

Noah Webster began his preparation for his American Dictionary of the English Language in 1807, and published it in 1828. Previous to 1807 he had published a spelling and a "Compendious Dictionary," both of which were probably helpful in the new undertaking. The American dictionary contained 12,000 more words and about 40,000 more definitions than had appeared in any English dictionary published before his.

COOFS ONCE SERVED AS TELEPHONE POLES

Obliging Neighbors Let Lines Run Over Houseposts in the Early Days

In the early days of the telephone, all the circuits entered the buildings which served as exchanges by way of the roof. A frame structure which was subject to damage from weather conditions was erected on the roof to support the wires. During the first two years few poles were erected and the wires were strung on houseposts and walls.



Superstructure on roof on First Telephone Exchange.

The first telephone exchange in Boston was located on the top floor of a building at 312 Washington street, which was constructed by E. T. Holmes, and in the beginning was used as a telephone system by day and a burglar alarm at night.

Nowadays, in the larger companies the telephone wires are in underground cables, and instead of entering the central offices by way of the roof they pass into the cable vaults without being exposed to the effects of the weather and where in what is known as the terminal room, on their way to the switchboard.

JAPANESE BEETLE REPORTED FROM LENAWEE AND WASHTENAW COUNTIES

The Japanese beetle, a crop pest introduced to this country from the Orient about a dozen years ago, and confined so far to restricted areas along the eastern coast, has been reported in Michigan, individuals having been found in Washtenaw and Lenawee counties by M. E. Lockwood, of Tecumseh.

One of the insects was identified last week by Prof. H. H. Pettit, head of the Michigan Agricultural College entomology department, as a "true" Japanese beetle, and as a result state and federal authorities are starting a careful investigation to determine whether or not the dangerous crop pest has really been established in the state.

The Japanese beetle "works" on many different crops, being capable of inflicting severe losses. Fruits, vegetables and field crops are included in the list of plants upon which it feeds. For several years the beetle was confined in this country to sections of New Jersey. It has also been reported in Pennsylvania, while the recent Michigan report is the first from a western state.

Authorities of the U. S. Department of agriculture who are working on the Japanese beetle problem have been notified by Professor Pettit of the Michigan occurrence, and one of the beetles has been sent east for positive identification. An investigation by federal authorities will undoubtedly follow, it is said, with prompt steps to prevent the spread of the beetle, if it is found to be established here.

DEFAULT having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage by Ben C. Hughes and Eleanor V. Hughes, his wife, of Detroit, Michigan, to Shelly V. Gates and Minnie Gates of Farmington, Michigan, dated July 25th, 1923 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, on the 27th day of July 1923 in Liber 315 of Mortgages on page 14, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice, the sum of \$350.00 interest, and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOW THEREFORE notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the State of Michigan, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Friday, the 12th day of December A. D. 1924, at eleven o'clock A. M., Eastern Standard time, at the Easterly or Saginaw Street entrance to the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Oakland County, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, is held, the premises described in said mortgage or sufficient thereof to satisfy said indebtedness with interest at six per cent and all legal costs allowed by law and provided for in said mortgage.

The description of which said premises described in said mortgage is as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Farmington, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, described as follows:

The West half of the West half of the West half of the Southeast quarter of Section 20, Town 1 North, Range 9 East, containing 20 acres more or less.

The above described premises will be sold subject to the terms and provisions of the mortgage on which there is unpaid the sum of \$550.00 principal and due with interest, accruing thereon from the 25th day of July A. D. 1924.

Dated September 8th, 1924.

SHELLY V. GATES,
MINNIE GATES,
Mortgagees.

Pelton and McGee
Attorneys for Mortgagees
First National Bank Bldg.,
Pontiac, Michigan. Sep12De5

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

September 3, 1924.

Council called to order by President Wilber.

Trustees present: Cook, Lamb, Bickling, Warner, Russell Johnson.

Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

The following bills were read by the clerk. Moved by Warner and supported by Lamb that bills be allowed as read and orders drawn for the same. Carried.

George Grant	75.00
Harvey Blough	62.50
Ray Richardson	62.70
Tom Banks	11.00
Jessie Pensley	55.45
James Smith	55.65
Lew Ricker	65.40
William Taylor	55.45
Harvey Blough	62.50
Ray Richardson	55.00
Jessie Pensley	57.75
Alvin Smith	57.75
Lew Ricker	75.00
Howie Boyd	66.00
Frank Boyd	66.00
E. D. Hutches	22.00
William Taylor	60.50
George Grant, freight bill	28.95
Wm. Ringle	46.80
Herman Kraeger	85.35
Howie Boyd	21.00
Frank Boyd	21.00
Virgil Cornwell	15.95
Harry Durwall	26.95
Ed. James	16.50
Henry Salvo	22.00
George Grant, freight bill	63.50
Interest on 1922 Water	5.69
Bonds	190.00
George Grant	75.00
C. W. W. W.	35.75
Detroit Edison Co.	549.30
Alex Keith, trucking	15.00
Farmington Lumber & Coal Co.	45.86
Lea & Co.	19.21
Andrew Salvo	20.17
Arthur Lamb	95.90
John E. Bice	493.75
George Gilmeister	105.50
N. H. Power	62.50
F. Fend	27.00
H. J. Jones	21.75
Farmington Enterprise	22.65
L. E. Burlingham	50.82
Lee & Schreder	14.90
Elmer Weston	31.24
J. T. Wing	3.70
Farmington Hardware Co.	74.01
Kenneth Anderson Co.	574.47
Consumers Paper Co.	21.44
George Grant, freight bill	3.57
D. U. R. freight bill	.50
Sullivan Machinery Co.	600.00
Freight Bill	6.81
A. Harvey's Sons	347.06

Moved by Lamb and supported by Cook that President and Clerk of Village be authorized to borrow money for payment of bills and expenses of Village in anticipation of 1925 taxes at rate of 6 per cent, not to exceed 6 per cent. Carried. All yes.

Moved by Warner and supported by Johnson that the Village of Farmington furnish and spread approximately 350 yards of gravel on Prospect and Valley View avenues, Malcomson Subdivision, provided that Mr. Malcomson grade the streets in a proper manner under the supervision of the Street Committee and Village Engineer. Said grading to be done at the expense of Mr. Malcomson. Carried. All yes.

The water situation was discussed at length by the President and Council. It was decided at the present time are furnishing an abundant supply of water, but owing to the bursting of the old wooden pipes much of it leaks out and is not available. Iron pipe is being laid as fast as the conditions will permit and it is hoped that the cause of complaint will soon disappear.

Adjourned.

N. H. POWER, Clerk.

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Russell, Johnson, Lamb and Warner. Bickling not voting.

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Adjourned.

Proposition to Amend Sec. 13 of Farmington Village Ordinance No. 1, Relative to the Regulation of Traffic.

Licensed Motor Vehicles shall be driven at a rate of speed not to exceed 20 miles per hour in residential district and 15 miles per hour in business district, provided that no vehicle shall enter Grand River Avenue without coming to a complete stop. 44-3

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland

IN CHANCERY

Philemon J. Miller and
Charles O. Miller,
Plaintiffs

vs. No. 11634

The unknown wife of Gilbert W. Prentiss, Jesse Tuttle, Martha E. Tuttle, Martha E. Crumb, Ann Tuttle, Ann Merithew, Ann Merithew, George W. Tuttle, Jane S. Tuttle, Joseph J. Tuttle, George R. Tuttle, William Noe and Shubal Hammond, or the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, and assigns of each and every of them, Isabella Tuttle, Rollin Jesse Tuttle, Samuel Douglas Tuttle, May Tuttle, Blanch Tuttle Quackenbush, Burr D. Tuttle and Viola T. Goodrich, Defendants.

At a session of said Court held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, on the 26 day of August A. D. 1924.

Present: Hon. Glenn C. Gillespie, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the Bill of Complaint duly filed in said cause, and the affidavit of Philemon J. Miller, from which it satisfactorily appears to the Court that the defendants above named or their unknown heirs, devisees legatees and assigns, are necessary and proper parties in the above entitled cause; and

It further appearing that after diligent search inquiry and investigation it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known whether the persons named in said Bill of Complaint as defendants, or any of them, are living or dead, or where he, she or they may reside if living, except Isabella Tuttle, Rollin Jesse Tuttle, Samuel Douglas Tuttle, May Tuttle, Blanch Tuttle, Quackenbush, Burr D. Tuttle and Viola T. Goodrich, or whether the right, title, interest, claim, lien or possible right has been by them, or any of them assigned to any person or persons, and if dead whether he, she or they have personal representatives or heirs living, or where they or some or any of them may reside, or whether such title, interest, claims, lien or possible right has been disposed of by Will; and further, that the present whereabouts of such persons, their heirs-at-law, personal representatives, devisees, legatees and assigns, are unknown, and the Post Office addresses of none of them can be ascertained, nor can it be ascertained whether any of them are minors or incompetents, except Isabella Tuttle, Rollin Jesse Tuttle, Samuel Douglas Tuttle, May Tuttle, Blanch Tuttle, Quackenbush, Burr D. Tuttle and Viola T. Goodrich;

On motion of Pelton and McGee, attorneys for plaintiffs:

IT IS ORDERED that the appearance of each and all of the foregoing defendants be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this Order, and in case of their appearance, or the appearance of any of them, that they cause their Answer to the Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy served upon the attorneys for plaintiffs; within fifteen days after service upon them or their attorneys, of a copy of said Bill of Complaint in default thereof said Bill be taken as confessed by said defendants who shall fail to comply with the requirements of this Order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the said plaintiffs cause this Order to be published within forty days in The Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that plaintiffs cause a copy of this Order to be personally served upon each of said defendants herein, at least twenty days before the time prescribed for his, her or their appearance.

GLENN C. GILLESPIE,
Circuit Judge.

Countersigned:
W. H. CRYDEN, Clerk.

By Nellie B. Ross, Deputy.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that

this suit, in which the preceding Order was made, involves and is brought to quiet the title to the following described lands situate in the Township of Commerce, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, more particularly described as follows:

Lots fourteen (14) and fifteen (15), Block two (2), of a plat of the Village of Walled Lake, Oakland County, Michigan, according to the record- ed plat thereof.

Pelton and McGee,
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DETROIT UNITED LINES

Farmington Time Table
(Eastern Standard Time)
(Effective September 24, 1923.)

Cars leave Farmington for Detroit at 6:08 a.m.; 6:38 a.m., limited at 6:54 a.m., 7:48 a.m., 8:48 a.m., 9:48 a.m., and hourly to 3:48 p.m., 4:48 p.m., 5:48 p.m., then hourly to 8:48 p.m., also 9:53 p.m., 10:53 p.m., (to Junction only 11:48 p.m., and 1:03 a.m.)

Cars leave Farmington Jct. for Orchard Lake and Pontiac at 6:40 a.m. 6:40 a.m., 7:10 a.m., 7:55 a.m., 8:48 a.m., and hourly to 6:10 p.m. and 12:20 a.m.

First car leaves Farmington for Northville at 6:05 a.m., 7:00 a.m., hourly to 11:00 p.m., also 6:15 p.m. and 12:22 a.m.

Cars connect at Northville with those for Plymouth and Wayne over the D. J. & C. Hourly limited service to Ann Arbor.