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## WOUNDED BANDIT DUMPED BY ROADSIDE

A man about 28 years of age, supposed to have been the victim of bandits was found by the roadside on the South Lyons road Sunday morning by Hugh Owens, 722 Field avenue, Detroit. Owens reported the find to Deputy Wilson here, who went to the place designated but in the meantime the man had been picked up by William Stebert of Detroit who took him to the Sessions hospital at Northville where it was found that he had been shot in the temple. He was taken to Grace hospital at Detroit where he died Sunday afternoon without gaining consciousness.

Through laundry marks on his collar it was found the dead man was known as Jimmy Wright, a bandit. With this knowledge a number of the witnesses to the Ainsworth Mfg. Co. \$18,000 pay roll holdup which occurred Friday were summoned to view the body. Several of them at once identified him as one of the thugs.

The superintendent of the plant who fired from a second story window at the fleeing thieves also identified the man as one he shot at and was certain he hit him. As the ball which struck the dead man in the temple took a downward course it is evident that he was shot from a point above him. It is evident that his companions realizing that he was mortally wounded kept him under cover until Saturday night and then brought him out to the spot where he was found and dumped him into the ditch to die like a dog. Before leaving him they turned his pockets inside out in order to create the impression that he had been robbed and shot by a bandit. It was evident from the condition of his clothing and marks in the soft soil that he had been dragged some little distance by the heels before he was thrown into the ditch.

## SEES BIG GRAND RIVER ROAD IMPROVEMENT

Speaking of highway improvement activities on Grand River road west of Redford Max A. Ram, a Detroit motorist, says: "With the completion of a bridge over the Rouge in Redford, it is now understood that the State Highway Department can start the widening and paving of Grand River avenue from the old city limits outward, on a right-of-way 204 feet wide.

"The wider Woodward movement received nation-wide publicity, and when it is realized that the vehicular traffic out Grand River avenue is nearly as great as out Woodward, it can easily be understood why, with all the traffic moving out toward the lakes, and toward Lansing and Grand Rapids and other northern and western points, our Grand River property will see eventual development."

## DIPHTHERIA PREVENTION IN THE SCHOOLS

November 30th, next Monday, is the date set for the first treatments of toxin anti-toxin. Parents who have not signed slips for this, are urged to do so at once, to simplify plans which must be made. Outside schools which are co-operating should report before Thanksgiving. Individuals who have not the regular form slips to sign, may write the request, giving names.

Please notice that pre-school children are to come at 3:30 p. m. Schools may come as groups at any time during school hours (the earlier in the day, the better). For any information, telephone Saturday afternoon, Farmington 186; Miss Safford.

## MEN AND BOYS

About thirty young men were guests of the members of the Exchange Club at the Tuesday noon-day luncheon. It was a fine meal, a fine time and greatly enjoyed by both men and boys.

**NOTICE**  
A special communication of Farmington Lodge, No. 151, F. & A. M., will be held Monday evening, November 29, for work in the first degree. The order of the Worshipful Master.

## ORCHARD LAKE ROAD ELECTRICALLY LIGHTED

Orchard Lake road from Farmington at the Junction to the North Farmington road is now electrically lighted.

The system was put into commission for the first time Saturday night after a short tryout at 4:00 o'clock that afternoon. At last spring's election the township authorized the lighting of the road by an overwhelming majority. There are now somewhat over ten miles of lighted roads in Farmington township, outside of Farmington village. The Detroit Edison Company has the contract and the service has been most satisfactory.

Steps have been taken for the paving of a three-mile stretch of Orchard Lake road from the Fourteen Mile road to Orchard Lake, which at present time is a gravel road. When it has been replaced with concrete Farmington will have direct concrete roads to every point of importance in this section.

A move is on to light the highway from Farmington town line to Pontiac and it is expected that another season will see the lamps installed.

## ANOTHER INCOMING MAIL ADDED

Farmington now has three incoming mails daily. Last week the department put into effect additional service by delivering pouches to this office at 11 a. m. With the improvements made, a short time ago Farmington is getting a fairly good mail service. The morning out-going mail, closing at 10 o'clock instead of 7 is a decided improvement. Detroit mail matter posted at that time arrives at its destination in that city by the first afternoon delivery.

## SALE OF CHRISTMAS SEALS AIDS T. B. CAMPAIGN

Beginning the day after Thanksgiving and continuing until Christmas the annual sale of tuberculosis seals will be carried on throughout the country. This sale of Christmas seals is the only means of support of the Oakland County Branch of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association which in the past year held four clinics at which eighty-eight people were examined by a tuberculosis specialist. The Oakland County Branch also enrolled all villages and all but three rural schools in a health crusade, promoting educational work through talks on prevention at club, community and zone meetings, and distributed leaflets, posters, and other forms of literature.

It is the hope of this branch that enough money will be realized during the next month to take care of the enlarged program that is planned for the coming year. This program will include more clinics (sixty people were turned away from one clinic last year), and permanent monthly clinics, a full time trained tuberculosis worker, office equipment and supplies, health crusade material furnished to schools using the crusade, regular physical examinations for all campaigns to arouse interest and educate the public to its need, support of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association in legislative work for better health laws, employment for arrested tuberculosis patients and several other prevention campaigns.

## M. E. CHURCH BAZAAR

**DECEMBER 3**  
A bazaar will be sponsored by the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. Church at Farmington Community Hall, Thursday, December 3. Mrs. David Woodruff, chairman of the fair is assisted by the chairman of the four groups into which the society has been divided, namely, Mrs. E. F. Holcomb, Mrs. Frank Macomber, Mrs. Vivian Evans and Mrs. Glenn Green. Dinner will be served, beginning at 5:30 until all are served. The four circles of the society have made many articles for attractive Christmas gifts that may be found at the various booths.

Max Lake Tipton and two sons were back in town at the

## High School Spotlight

### First Grade

We are making Thanksgiving books, from the first Thanksgiving story.

The doll bed is ready for the bed clothes.

Ernestine Drake is absent, being sick with the measles. Several others are absent because of chicken pox.

Miss Shiffler.

### Second Grade

We expect to finish our Pilgrim books so we can take them home for Thanksgiving.

Beatrice's class started to read from their second readers.

Wanda Targart is back to school after an absence of three weeks.

Miss Percy.

### Second Grade—2nd Division

William's class finished reading the "Progressive Road to Reading" books.

The scene on our table changes with our story. It is hard work to keep up because we read fast, but the boys and girls are hard workers.

We played pilgrims one day last week. Some boys held out yarn while other children wound it into balls.

Miss Koterba.

### Third Grade

Patricia Russell, Virginia Greene and Mary Chesbro are back to school after a month's absence.

Miss Phillip is very sorry, that because of illness, she was unable to be at school Thursday evening and meet our parents. We will be very glad to have them visit us any time during the day the rest of the year.

Thanksgiving is almost here and we are working hard so we can enjoy our vacation.

Miss Phillip.

### Fourth Grade

The fourth grade dramatized "The First Thanksgiving Day" from their Elson Readers, Book IV.

We wished to have the third grade as our guests Thursday afternoon, so we wrote individual invitations to each one of them for our English lesson.

In geography we have studied various methods of transportation and we were especially interested in ships this week as it is nearing Thanksgiving.

We are very glad to have nearly a perfect attendance record once again.

Miss McClellan.

### Fifth Grade

In reading we have been acting for the "Merries." We may all be Pickfords and Valentinos some day.

In English class we wrote letters to those home because of illness.

We have studied the Thanksgiving

ing poem, "The Quest." We enjoy the lines where the boy quotes:

"Sweet mother, from East to West, The loveliest home and dearest and best,

Is a little brown house, An old brown house, Under an apple tree."

Miss Tapio.

### Sixth Grade

In our history class we are now studying about the barbarians destroying the Roman Empire.

Monday we had to write a letter to someone in the rooms inviting him to a Thanksgiving dinner.

The maxim for our board this week is, "Speak not but what may benefit others or yourself; avoid trifling conversation."—Franklin.

Miss Hudson.

### Eighth Grade

The girls in our club have taken charge of the sale of Red Cross memberships for 1926.

Watch this space for an interesting story on "Modern Rip Van Winkle." The class votes soon on the best one which will be published.

Irene Stewart.

### Athletics

Basketball practice has started and the team looks promising. The following games are to be played:

December 4—Redford there.

December 11—Walled Lake here.

December 18—Fowlerville there.

January 15—Northville here.

Jan. 16—Orchard Lake there.

January 22—Wayne there.

Jan. 29—Plymouth here.

Feb. 5—Dearborn here.

Feb. 12—Open.

Feb. 19—Northville there.

Feb. 26—Orchard Lake here.

Feb. 26—Wayne here.

March 5—Plymouth there.

March 12—Dearborn there.

March 19—Ypsilanti Normal High here.

### Funnybone Ticklers

Carl Drake (in algebra)—How far are you from the correct answer?

Bob Forrest—Two seats.

Donald Shaw—Have you seen the new balloon tires?

Walter Neilson—Why, whoever heard of a balloon needing tires?

Mrs. Turner (at dinner)—Harold, I wish you would stop reaching for things, haven't you a tongue?

Harold T.—Yes, mother, but my arm's longer.

Helen E.—Don't you think this fall dress is a perfect fit.

Maurice G.—Yes, it's almost a convulsion.

Lois Y.—My father nearly broke his ankle yesterday.

Walter N.—How?

Lois Y.—He fell three stories and lit on his back.

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## LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark, daughters Jean and Janice, ate their Thanksgiving turkey at the home of Mrs. Clark's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bullen, at St. Clair.

Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson entertained at Thanksgiving dinner, Miss Leola Ike, Mrs. M. Brand, Miss Corinne Joseph, and Miss Marie Marquet, all of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Butterfield and Miss Butterfield were Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. Buttrick's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. James Butterfield, at Highland Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Graham had as their Thanksgiving dinner guests, Thomas Cairns, the Misses Daisy and Sadie Cairns, Mrs. Mary Carey, Miss Jennie Lamphere and Mrs. John Graham, Sr.

Mrs. Olin Russell and children left Wednesday afternoon to spend the Thanksgiving holidays with her people, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jubb at Howell. Mr. Russell is returning next Monday from the north woods.

Mrs. Leon Green and Lucile Austin with their guest, Mrs. Eric Peterson of Chicago, spent Saturday with relatives at White Lake and Milford. Miss Florence Hopper of Milford returned home with them for a Saturday overnight and Sunday visit.

Ada May Chesbro is ill, suffering a severe attack of grippe and crown at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Leach.

## JURORS FOR DECEMBER TERM CIRCUIT COURT

The following persons have been summoned to serve as circuit court jurors at the December term of the court which convenes at Pontiac December 7:

H. A. Aderholdt, Pontiac.  
Carrie Ballard, Pontiac.  
G. Barkley, Royal Oak.  
Anna Bothwell, Pontiac.  
Lou Brown, Addison.  
Charles Burnett, Highland.  
John Bush, Milford.  
Roby Calderwood, Pontiac.  
W. E. Carpenter, Pontiac.  
James Clark, Lyon.  
Ralph J. Cobb, Pontiac.  
Anna W. Cook, Farmington.  
Linus Covert, Brandon.  
D. H. Donovan, Pontiac.  
John Dunn, Addison.  
Mary M. Farrar, Pontiac.  
Tracy Foot, Bloomfield.  
Charles George, Commerce.  
Frankie George, Avon.  
George German, Pontiac.  
Robert Gidds, Royal Oak.  
Joseph Glogowski, Troy.  
Amy Grog, Pontiac.  
Hobart B. Grow, Royal Oak.  
John W. Hawkins, Royal Oak.  
Perry Hewitt, Highland.  
Viola Jackson, Royal Oak.  
Vinnie W. Hogle, Pontiac.  
Bennie Hopkins, Pontiac.  
John Howarth, Orion.  
Maude B. Ineson, Pontiac.  
Albert D. Jones, Brandon.  
Forest Jones, Independence.  
John H. Landau, Royal Oak.  
Frank Leach, Groveland.  
W. Leisinger, Pontiac.  
Walter Looney, Pontiac.  
Frank Miller, Pontiac.  
L. J. Mitchell, Holly.  
W. P. Morrell, Pontiac.  
G. E. Niles, Avon.  
Frank Nisique, Oxford.  
Allen Olmstead, Royal Oak.  
N. H. Power, Farmington.  
Fred Quorton, Bloomfield.  
Grant M. Scott, Royal Oak.  
Fred Sener, West Bloomfield.  
Fred Simmons, Southfield.  
Fred D. Simpson, White Lake.  
Frank Sloan, Rose.  
F. B. Smith, Pontiac.  
Mrs. Maple Smith, Commerce.

ALL D. U. R. CARS RUN TO FARMINGTON  
The new car and coach schedules of the D. U. R. and its subsidiary company, the Peoples Coach Line, which go into effect today, Friday, will give Farmington a much improved service, says John Clark, superintendent of this division of the D. U. R.

All passenger cars for the rail line running out of Detroit on Grand River will come to the Farmington station, completing the trip here, with the exception of cars on a two hourly service running to Northville, Plymouth and Wayne. For turning cars here the company has just completed putting in a "Y" at the Warner factory switch at the rear of the station.

The car schedule is as follows: Leave Farmington for Detroit at 6:54 a. m. (limited), 7:35 a. m., 7:55 a. m. and every forty minutes until 5:15 p. m. and then every hour until 10:00 p. m. Leave Detroit for Farmington 6:10 a. m., 6:35 a. m., 7:15 a. m., and then every forty minutes until 5:50 p. m., then every hour until 9:50 a. m. To Orchard Lake, leave Farmington at 7:15 a. m. and then every two hours until 3:13 p. m., then 5:10 and every two hours until 9:10 p. m. To Northville, Plymouth and Wayne 6:35 a. m. and every two hours until 4:35 p. m., then 6:15 p. m. and 8:15 p. m. To Northville only at 10:15 p. m.

## CHRISTMAS MAILING

Christmas is but four weeks ahead. As all post offices will be closed on the day and no deliveries made it is important that Christmas packages be mailed early in order to insure their reaching parties addressed before Christmas. Special care should be taken in wrapping, packing and addressing.

Use strong paper and heavy twine. Addresses should be complete, and return address placed on every parcel mailed. Articles easily broken or crushed must be crated or sealed and wrapped. Use plenty of packing and mark such articles "Fragile." Perishable goods must also be carefully packed to prevent damage to other mail matter. They must also be marked "Perishable."

## PUBLIC WARNED OF NEW COUNTERFEITS

Descriptions of new counterfeit notes have been received by the Pontiac post office, from the government, and the public is warned concerning their circulation.

One is a \$10 gold certificate, check letter "C" face plate number indistinct; H. V. Speelman, register of treasury, Frank White, treasurer and with a portrait of Michael Hilligas. The work is poorly executed and the shade of yellow on the back should indicate its spurious character.

Another is a \$5 note, on the Federal Reserve Bank of New York, check letter "A," face plate 1376, A. W. Mellon, secretary of treasury, Frank White, treasurer and with a portrait of Lincoln. This is a well-executed note. The color is off-tone and the serial number is preceded by the letter "D" whereas "B" is the letter on the genuine notes.

Mrs. Martha Warner will be hostess Thanksgiving day at a family dinner at her home on Grand River avenue. The guests will be, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Slogum and two children, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Warner and two children, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Warner and son of Farmington, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Gaukler and daughter of Pontiac.

## HUDSON-LANDY

Miss Ruby Hudson and Mr. Murray Landy of Detroit were married Saturday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the farm home near Milford of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Hudson. Rev. H. S. Schwarzkoft of the M. E. Church at Milford read the ring service in the presence of sixty relatives and friends, Miss Mary Muir of Brighton playing Lohengrin's wedding march.

The bridal couple were attended by Miss Hazel Hudson, sister of the bride and Derwin D. Heller of Detroit.

The bride wore a gown of rose pink canton crepe. After the ceremony a two-course luncheon was served and following a short trip Mr. and Mrs. Landy will be at home at 14119 Westwood avenue, Detroit.

Relatives from Farmington attending the wedding were, Mrs. Charlotte E. Wolfe, grandmother of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Bond and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe and the Misses Ernestine and Lucile Wolfe.

The Michigan Older Boys' Conference is to be held in Lansing Friday, Saturday and Monday under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. Robert Cook and Arthur Crawford will leave Friday as delegates from Farmington.

The "Sunshine Club" of the M. E. Sunday School met Saturday afternoon with Miss Pearl Brown as hostess. One new member was taken in at this time. Miss Elizabeth Turner will entertain the club Saturday, November 28.

Clarence Bickling and Ralph Hogle returned the first of the week from their northern hunting trip, each with a buck. They report Olin Russell, Harrison Johnson, Harold Oldenberg and Frazier Staman have also bagged their prey. About as much snow has fallen up there as here, with nights down to zero and game plentiful. Norman Lee and Howard Elnelson are home from Oscoda—minus.

An Enterprise Liner is a good investment.