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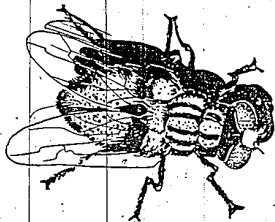
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Local News

Mrs. James Wilcox is getting better of an attack of grippie.

Miss Minnie Toomey is recovering from a severe attack of flu.

Barbara Empson will spend the week end with friends at Birmingham.

Mrs. Tom Erwin, who has been quite sick the past two weeks, is able to be up again.

Mrs. McDaniels and daughter Evelyn of Wayne were guests at the John Sherlock home, Monday.

Supervisor Isaac Bond, who has been very ill, is now gaining although still confined to his bed.

Caleb Jackson and son Lloyd of Birmingham visited Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Pike.

Mrs. Elmer Empson has been quite sick with grippie the past ten days, but is some better at this writing.

Miss Hazel Everett, teacher of the Thayer School, was ill at her home at South Lyon Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Rev. James McGee of Flint was an overnight Monday guest of his mother, Mrs. A. McGee and sister, Mrs. Margaret Truscott.

The farm home of Don Buiton at North Farmington is undergoing extensive alterations, and will be considerably enlarged by an addition.

Ralph Auten was out for the first Wednesday after a week of illness. His sons, R. J. and Ormond have also been very ill but are some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard I. Lord of Hadley, spent the first part of the week visiting his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lord and calling on friends in Farmington.

Miss Ellen Perry returned to school Thursday, after an absence of two weeks because of the illness of her mother, Mrs. Chas. Perry. Mrs. Perry is much improved.

Mrs. John Morris has been ill for several weeks and still confined to her bed. Mrs. Chas. Habermehl has been staying at the parental home during her mother's illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bicking spent a few hours Sunday with Mr. Bicking's mother, Mrs. James Gilchrist of Walled Lake. Mrs. Gilchrist is recovering from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aldrich and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Landis of Columbus, O., visited Sunday with the former's daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hughes at Flint.

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Baptist Church will hold their regular meeting with Mrs. Orville Taggart, Grand River avenue, Thursday, April 1. Every member is urged to be present.

Mrs. W. L. Richardson left last Sunday to spend a week with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Watson in Washington, D. C. She was accompanied by Mr. Watson's mother of Pontiac.

J. W. Cornair has in his possession a copy of the Ulster County Gazette, published at Kingston, N. Y., in January, 1800. It contains an account of the death of George Washington which occurred shortly before that date.

The winners in the spelling contest in Pierson District are Ernestine Wolfe, eighth grade; Nelson Cronley, seventh grade; Ruth Taylor, sixth grade; Vivian Addis, fifth grade. Each one will receive the dictionary given by the News.

Mrs. Will Pangborn and daughter, most pleasantly entertained the members of the Pleasure Seekers Club to a St. Patrick's party on Thursday, March 18. The decorations were in keeping with the day and a fine pot luck dinner was served at the noon hour. The next meeting will be on April 1 with Mrs. Frank Bryan.

Miss Dorothy Wikom, accompanied by Miss O'Connor, County helping teacher, attended the annual banquet of the Rural Department of the Michigan State Normal College at Hotel Huron, Ypsilanti, last Thursday evening. Miss Geraldine Everett of Redford, a cousin of Miss Wikom, was one of the after dinner speakers.

H. C. Thayer is numbered with the sick.

Grant Putnam has gone to Grand Rapids for treatment.

Mrs. Floyd Schroeder and children are recovering from hard colds.

Miss Helen Bradley was a week end guest of friends in New London, O.

Miss Jennie Lamphere is ill with pneumonia at the home of Mrs. Mary Carey.

Mrs. F. E. Bradley was a Wednesday afternoon guest of Mrs. Carl Ely at Northville.

Clayton Putnam suffered the loss of the end of his finger Friday while assisting at digging a well.

Miss Edna Watkins of Milford was a guest two days this week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Switzer.

Mrs. Claude Leach had the misfortune to fall and sprain her knee, tearing several ligaments loose. She will be laid up for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bradley, Mrs. H. Fuller and friend, Mrs. Louis Thomas of Lansing, attended the Builders Show in Detroit, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Enchebnee Esther Myers, of Pontiac, the Misses Agnes and Renatta Myers of Detroit, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. H. A. Myers on the Seven Mile road.

Three friends of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark are celebrating their birthday anniversaries Saturday and are entertaining at a party in the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Clark are invited guests.

OAKLAND COUNTY SCHOOL WINS IN CONTEST

One of the schools in Oakland county is a pennant winner in the first tournament of the Modern Health Crusade for the school year 1925-26. The tournament consists of a twelve weeks wrestling with health chores on the part of small youngsters. The health chores comprise both things to be done and things to refrain from doing; one chore consists of abstaining from tea and coffee while another consists of drinking milk three times daily. Children in localities where there is a large foreign population find the tea and coffee chore hard to perform. For American children the sleep chore, ten hours of sleep each night with windows open, is sometimes hard.

The pennants are awarded by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association to those schools in which every pupil in the entire school does every week 54 or more health chores. Five Oakland county schools were enrolled in the tournament but up to March 15 when the returns were checked up at the Lansing office of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association only one had won a pennant.

A new tournament for the new semester is already under way so that it is highly probable that some who failed to win last semester will succeed this time. The school winning the pennant was Kemp School, taught by Miss Mary Stark.

OAKLAND COUNTY STATE PARK IMPROVEMENTS

Improvements in many of the State parks were authorized by the State Administrative Board Tuesday. A tentative budget of \$129,000 was presented by the State Conservation Commission and accepted by the board.

The parks in and near Oakland County getting appropriations for improvements are, Birmingham \$2,500; Cass Lake \$5,000; Island Lake \$2,000; Walled Lake \$5,000; Dodge Brothers at Highland Park \$6,000; Cedar Hills \$6,000; Bloomer, near Pontiac \$5,000; Bloomer, near Rochester \$6,000; St. Clair \$25,000.

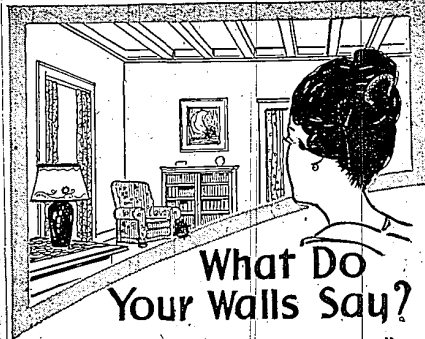
FARMINGTON WOMAN'S CLUB
The Farmington Woman's Club will meet Wednesday evening, March 31 at Community Hall. The speaker will be Prof. Hollister of the University of Michigan. This will be an open meeting. The public is invited.

SPECIAL COMMUNICATION
A special communication of Farmington Lodge No. 151 F. & A. M. will be held Monday evening, March 29 for work in the second degree.

James L. Hogle, Sec.

EXCHANGE CLUB

The Exchange Club will meet next Tuesday noon as usual. The program is not ready to be announced at the time of going to press, but all members may be assured it will be up to the usual interesting standard, if not better.



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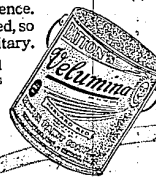
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