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EDITORIAL

MICHIGAN'S NEW CRIME CODE Instead of following the example of New York and proposing sundry amendments for the modernization of the old criminal procedure, it was the sense of the Michigan commission that its best course was to wipe the slate clean and submit an entirely new code so drawn as to meet the needs of a new era. Such a code was prepared and finally adopted. Some members of the Michigan bar thought the innovations went a little too far. The criminal element was unanimously opposed to many provisions of the new code. Certain criminal lawyers were hostile to it for obvious reasons. Nevertheless, both houses of the legislature had the good sense to take the report of their experts at its face value and to pass the code without any hamstringing amendments. Gov. Fred W. Green, who loyally supported the commission, shares with his house and senate the credit for this highly important piece of constructive legislation. In California, after a lively tussle, the legislature was prevailed upon to enact, without much mutilation, the admirable body of new laws sponsored by the Tuller commission. California and Michigan thus divide honors for being among the first to adopt virtually complete modern criminal codes at a single stroke.—Saturday Evening Post.

DRIVE CAREFULLY

Fred D. Keisler The beginning of July practically marks the opening of the vacation period. During this month and August the most of us try to find a little time in which to forget the worries of work and indulge ourselves in a little play spell. Nowadays the automobile forms a decided adjunct in nearly every vacation jaunt. With the rubber-shod vehicle of the highways we are able to reach far more distant, and formerly inaccessible points, than we could in the old days when we had to depend entirely upon the steam horse as a means of transportation. Two means that during these two months there is a great increase in highway travel, with its dangers multiplied until they become a real and often dangerous problem. We can do our part to lessen these dangers by driving carefully and observing the rules of the road. As a rule there is no occasion to hurry, as many a pleasant journey has been turned into a tragedy by senseless speeding. Don't make this mistake. Keep close watch for railroad crossings, enter congested districts with caution, and by all means always drive carefully. It pays big dividends.

The old-fashioned girl who used to buckle on a whale-bone corset now has a daughter who parks the most of her raiment at the check room window before the Charleston gets under way.

You may talk about a good five cent cigar, but the real danger to this country will come when the native sons are no longer interested in the base ball score.

When our forefathers first called this a free and independent nation we wonder if they had any idea that some day we'd have with us the installment collector?

France bestowed the Legion cross on Lindbergh and Eryd, and apparently the double-cross on the rest of the hundred and twenty million of us.

Our idea of a regular fellow is the gent who waits three years to tell you he never subscribed for the paper.

What has become of the old-fashioned hired girl who never asked for more than one day off a month?

Home Maker's Column

PERFORATED FUNNEL AIDS IN WASHING MANY DISHES MADE WITH COTTAGE CHEESE

Some helpful washing devices are on the market in addition to various types of washing machines. When for any reason it is not possible to install a machine, considerable assistance may be obtained from some of these devices according to the United States Department of Agriculture. One is a perforated funnel made to fit in a wash boiler. This works on the same principle as a coffee percolator and increases the circulation of water through the clothes. The funnel-on-a-stick type of washer, which was the forerunner of the vacuum-cup washing machine, makes it possible to wash very soiled or infected clothing without immersing the hands. The stick can also be used to lift the wet clothes from the boiler to the tub, although a smooth broom stick is equally satisfactory. What might be termed "portable washers" are also available. One such type is a pump operated by an electric motor which maintains the circulation of water in the tub and keeps the clothes in motion. Another consists of a set of inverted cones which act on the vacuum principle mentioned above. This can be fastened to the tub and operated by hand or motor. All of these devices are improvements over the washboard method.

American co-operative associations marketing poultry or eggs or both have a total membership exceeding 50,000 and do an annual business estimated at more than \$40,000,000.

Church Notes

Evangelical Church Rev. J. Bollens, Pastor

Rev. J. Bollens returns home this week after an absence of six weeks, which was spent in Chicago, where Rev. Bollens has been undergoing treatment by a Chicago physician.

Rev. Bollens will occupy the pulpit Sunday, July 17. 9:30—Sunday School. 10:15—German, English services. All members and friends are invited to be present.

Farmington Methodist Church Rev. Edward F. Dunlavy, Pastor

10:30—Worship and sermon. Anthem by the choir. Duet. Sermon by the Rev. Norman LeMarchand of Detroit. Sunday School at 11:50. Classes for all ages. 6:30—Epworth League. No evening service.

First Baptist Church Rev. E. W. Palmer, Pastor

7:00—Morning worship. Sermon subject, "The Three Subjects of Salvation." 11:45—Sunday School. Classes for all.

7:45—Open air service in Town Park. This week the pastor will preach from the subject, "What Do You Think of the Church?" The Junior Choir will sing. Come and make the open air service better by your attendance.

In case of bad weather we will meet in the Town Hall.

Vacation Bible School each morning. Closing program for the public Friday, July 22 at 7:45 p. m. All are invited.

St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran Church, Clarencville (At Switzer Road)

Rev. Paul Graupner, Pastor 9:30—Sunday School. 10:30—German service. Sermon by Student, Theol. A. Rickett of Detroit.

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Program for next week: July 10, 10:15 p. m. (Detroit time)—"The Promise of Prosperity." July 11, 9 p. m.—Young People's Hour: "The Ideal Vacation." July 13, 10:30 p. m.—"Continuing Steadfast in Fellowship." Musical program with each broadcast.

WEST POINT PARK Mrs. William Zwahlen, Correspondent

Next Sunday, July 17, at 10:30 Mr. Sedgwick Harger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sayres Harger of Farmington (a theological student of Albion College), is to speak for us.

Well, our contest is over, and we will have our Sunday School picnic next Saturday at Island Lake, cars to leave the Community House not later than 9 o'clock. Mrs. Laura Davis and daughter Junie, and Mrs. Loney of Detroit were the guests of Mrs. Margaret J. Davis, the occasion being her birthday.

Mrs. Black of Toronto, Canada, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Charlotte Wolfe. There was no ball game last Sunday as the Zion team must have got lost as only three of them showed up.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Smith, of Detroit were the guests of Mrs. Margaret J. Davis, Friday.

Mrs. John Hill was a Detroit visitor Monday. Mrs. Homer Coolman, who was operated on last Thursday at Shirley Hospital, is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wolfe and family are home from their two weeks' vacation at the lakes. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Ault and family were Walled Lake visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Owen entertained a number of ladies at an afternoon party last Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Thomas and her two nieces, Margaret and Demetra Mills, her sister, Mrs. Dorothy Jorgenson, spent Wednesday at Bob-lo.

There was a school meeting Monday night, and Harry Wolfe

was re-elected as director. There will be another school meeting Monday evening, July 25. Every voter in Pierson district try to be present.

Mrs. Ethel Middlewood and daughter, Barbara, Baulah and Betty Gullen, motored to the Y. M. C. A. camp at Cavanaugh Lake, Sunday afternoon to visit her daughter, Esther.

West Point Farm Christian Endeavor was well represented by a delegation of fifteen members attending the convention at Cleveland as follows: Rev. George Gullen, Alice, Eleanor, George, and Harold Gullen, Mrs. Jean Scrutten, Mr. and Mrs. Rodger Whipple, Robert Hunter, Vivian Addis, Mrs. Ethel Esther, Barbara, George, and Homer Middlewood. They sure had a good time, and the report will be given August 7 by R. Whipple at the morning services—that being Mr. Gullen's return after a month's vacation.

Miss Kathryn Banfield of Farmington was the dinner guest of Miss Shirley Zwahlen, Sunday.

There will be a ball game Sunday at West Point Park.

To us it seems that a prominent citizen is the householder who can convince his wife it's poor policy to buy from a peddler.

Besides the poor, we also seem to have with us the gent who tries to beat the train to the crossing.

In making your preparations to entertain the summer tourist, it is well to remember that hospitality does not include holdup tactics upon the visitor.

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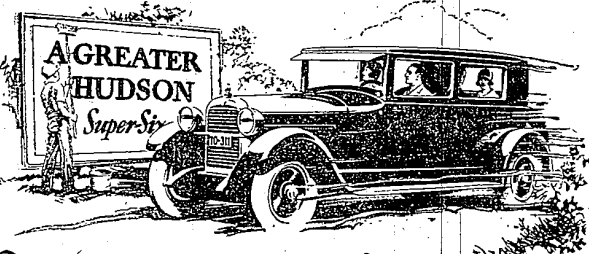
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