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THE WORLD'S BLESSINGS

"Work has become the blessing of the world. There is no greater happiness than that obtained through honest work. I do not pity you your hardships; I envy you your opportunities."

This is the summary of the philosophy of Jacob H. Schiff, one of the great captains of finance and development. Work for work's sake plus happiness, plus health, plus provision; that is the conclusion of the Schiff philosophy. There is nothing in this world that is worth doing that is not inspired by an aim and purpose. The aim to be useful, to have a part in life's activities; the purpose is that provision for age, for sickness, for those dependent on us. No man can avoid this responsibility and he must meet the personal question: WHAT PROVISION ARE YOU MAKING, and what care are you taking of that provision? A man isn't true to himself who isn't true to his obligations, to his responsibilities! The most inspiring and helpful thing in this life work is to sit down and discuss the matters in the sacred confidence of home.

To provide and care for the provision! In its care we can be of service, in fact that is the confidential relation to

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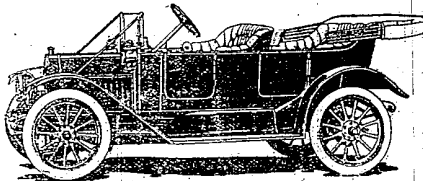
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PREMIER CLUB OF THE STATE

The Lincoln Club of Pontiac is so Called and Fully Merits the Distinction

"The premier club in Michigan" is the way one speaker put it and there is certainly no question about the Lincoln Republican club of Pontiac having no equal in the state.

The banquet tendered the members and guests Wednesday night was a sample of the "largeness" of the organization and the magnificent way they do things.

There were well up towards a thousand people at the tables and they were served with both a physical and literary feast that is seldom equalled. The menu was a delight and the music and responses were grand.

Two men of more than national reputations were provided and at the speakers' table were Former Gov. Warner, Congressman Smith, and Secretary of State Martindale, as well as many other well known men.

Major A. P. Loomis of Ionia, who has few equals as a toastmaster, presided in a very happy manner.

Gov. Warner made a short, but decidedly pertinent talk and the spontaneous and hearty applause shows the place he holds in the hearts of the people of Oakland county.

The very able, eloquent and instructive addresses of the two principal speakers, Senator Wm. Alden Smith and Dr. John Wesley Hill of New York, were never surpassed in the state and the club has the hearty and sincere thanks and the unqualified approval of the vast crowd of guests who were honored by being provided with such an elaborate treat as the Lincoln Club banquet of 1912.

The short talks by others, including one by Mr. Martindale, who is a candidate for governor, were all of a high order.

The banquet was a pronounced success in every way.

Warner and Party go to Panama

Governor Warner of Farmington, Elmer Doherty and Grant Smith of Redford, Wm. Doherty and John S. Hagerthy of Detroit expect to start in a few days on an extended trip that will take them far from the fine zero weather which we have been enjoying in Michigan for the past few weeks.

They will sail on the 24th from New York for a trip of a month and will visit Panama and numerous West India points. The trip is mostly for pleasure, but these gentlemen always have an eye for business and there is no telling what they may invest in down in the tropics.

C. D. Potter, former owner of this paper, was in Farmington for a short time on Monday. He has discontinued the paper which he started at Dearborn and expects to go on the road as a commercial traveler.

**DR. E. L. RICHARDSON
DENTIST**

Over House,
Fridays, from 7 a. m. to 5 p. m.
City office, 1353 Grand River ave.
Detroit.

ORGANIZE AGAINST HORSE THIEVES

More than 200 Horses Have Been Stolen Around Detroit Since Last Fall

The frequent and continued stealing of horses in the country surrounding Detroit has aroused the farmers in some sections to a pitch where they propose to make a strenuous endeavor to put a stop to the thievery.

Over 225 horses have been taken from the farmers around the city since last fall and not one has been recovered nor has an arrest been made. The sheriff's force seems to be unable to cope with the situation and the farmers now feel that they must take the matter in their own hands and do what they can to protect their property.

Accordingly about half a hundred Redford farmers gathered at Masonic hall in Redford Monday night and discussed the situation and then formed an organization which is called the Redford Protective association. They propose to do their utmost to make that township an unproductive field for horse thieves in the future. A fund will be raised for the purpose of rewarding anyone giving information which leads to the conviction of a thief or the recovery of the property.

Vigorous steps will be taken immediately upon the report of a theft and the robbers will be run to earth if possible.

Every farmer has provided the necessary gun and plenty of ammunition and a hot reception awaits the first villain discovered in the act of stealing.

Horse Racing at Farmington

Farmington will start some winter sport this week with a race matinee Saturday afternoon.

There will be a free for all, a 2:30 trot or pace and a green race, with three prizes for each race. The winner of the first named gets a \$7.50 horse blanket; of the 2:30 and green race a \$5 blanket, while the second prize in each race is a \$3 blanket and the third prize a \$1 whip. Best three in five heats will be the rule.

Bills were sent out to all neighboring towns and horses are expected from all quarters. If the weather is fair there will likely be a big crowd and some fine racing.

Made Centralite Eat Humble Pie

Farmington High put up a plucky fight last Saturday evening against the Reserves of the Central High, Detroit. Central has a good reserve team and they played a good game on our local floor. The game was a little rough and some tempers got a little warm but everything was settled amicably, when a stalwart Centralite apologized to our worthy centre at the game's close. Remarks were quite free that it was the best thing for our friend, the Centralite's health, that he did see fit to apologize for his rash and unmusical act. Our own player's self control was highly commendable. The score was 11 to 22 in Central's favor.

Our boys team work was hardly up to the standard. They did play a good game, however, though they were defeated. One can readily see the individual advancement the players are making in their skill at basketball. A little better team work and our high school boys ought to be quite invincible.

For the past six months Oakland county received \$9,309.27 from tax on mortgages, half of which goes to the state.

Every Day Prices

at the Store

Where It Pays to Pay Cash

Galvanic, the White Laundry Soap, 7 bars	25c
Corn Starch, per pkg.	6c
25c Can Karo Syrup	20c
50c Can Karo Syrup	35c
3 lbs. good Head Rice and a Fancy Plate	25c
Prunes, per lb.	10c
No. 1 Corn, per can	8c
Early June Peas, per can	9c
Farmington Tomatoes, per can	11c
Hand Picked Beans, per qt.	10c
Good Coffee, per lb.	25c
Red Kidney Beans, per can	8c
Shredded Wheat, 2 pkgs.	25c
N. E. Cleanser	7c
Gasoline, per gal.	13c
Oil	9c

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