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WHOLE NO. 1046

## WANTED One Hundred and Fifty Dollars

Every church that attempts to serve the people of a rural community needs horse sheds to care for the rigs of its attendants.

The Methodist church sheds have outlived their usefulness and are a reproach to the church and the village.

If one hundred and fifty dollars can be secured they can be repaired and made to look very respectable.

If fifty friends will give one dollar each and fifty more will give two dollars each, it can be done.

If you are one of our friends and would take pleasure in aiding this cause step into COOK'S and hand your donation to Mr. Dickerson, the church chairman, or see the pastor.

All who have claimed an interest in the sheds have signified a willingness to waive their claims and permit them, if repaired, to become church property for common use.

Proper acknowledgment will be made of all contributions.

**JOHN E. MEALLEY, Pastor.**

### VEGETARIAN ON BOTH SIDES

Inside and Outside, Philadelphia Was Absolutely True to His Beliefs.

"If you are not an outside vegetarian you are not really a vegetarian at all." The speaker was a member of Philadelphia's little vegetarian church up town. An odd figure in his gray health shirt, gray vented suit, gray knit gloves, gray scented hat, gray cloth boots, he continued: "An inside vegetarian is one who puts in his interior nothing that has been procured by the slaughter of animals. An outside vegetarian puts on his exterior nothing that has been procured by the slaughter of animals."

"See my gloves—vegetable gloves of cotton—not made of skins of murdered kids. See my boots—worn—owing nothing to some poor murdered calf. See my buttons—wooden—not made of gray bones. Inside and outside"—so the quaint faddist concluded—"I am a vegetarian, and inside and outside I get along without the murder of any creature, fish, fowl or fowl. There are many like me."

### Silver Medal Contest.

Members of the M. E. church at outhfield will hold a silver medal contest this evening at 7:30. The contestants are: Miss Fannie Gray, Mrs. Myrtle Larkins; Mrs. Minnie Klett, Mrs. Mary Gates, Mrs. Lizzie Miller, Mrs. Mary Douglas and Mrs. Cornelia Sturman. The program:

Invocation; music, Franklin orchestra; 1. The Orphan's Prayer; 2. Poorhouse Nau; solo, Mrs. Geo. Douglas; 3. The Resubmission Story; 4. A Curtain Lectur; music, Franklin orchestra; 5. One Stand for Both Sex; 6. The Two Armies; solo, Rev. Geo. Davey; 7. Hans Prinkerbough on the Benefits of Drinking; music, Franklin orchestra; reading, Mrs. M. E. Butler; decision of judges and presentation of medal.

### New Postage Stamps.

A new series of postage stamps which is known as the "1908 series" has been issued by the postoffice department at Washington, the denominations being 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 13, 15 and 20 cents and \$1.

The border designs are identical, the head being in an eclipse on end with laurel leaves on either side, and with the words, "U. S. Postage," written above. The one-cent stamps bear the head of Benjamin Franklin, on all others the head of George Washington in profile, the shape, size and colors being the same as former issues.

Requisition for stamps will be filled with old designs until the present supply is exhausted. Persons asking for new stamps will be supplied, but the old ones will be gotten rid of as soon as possible.

Stamps of two and five dollar denominations will not be issued again after the supply on hand is exhausted.

## THOUSANDS OF THE

best dressed people in Detroit wear "Economy Shoes." If you don't fault. Everyone knows "The Economy," and all Farmington and vicinity know



### Frank Moore,

who used to live here. He has been with "The Economy" for 17 years and nothing pleases him more than to wait on his Farmington friends.

Everything in Sh  
**ECONOMY, 52 Mich. Av.**  
Hotel Cadillac Block, Opposite City Hall's

### Sad But True.

An exchange tells the whole story as follows: "The stork appears and we look into the cradle and behold a male child. After running the gamut of measles, mumps and chicken-pox, he enters school. At the age of ten he is a tow-headed, freckled faced boy, the terror of the neighborhood; at twelve he is an apprentice in a printing office; at eighteen he has acquired a bag of type and an old press and is the proud editor of a country newspaper; at twenty-one he is married at thirty he is a bald-headed and stoop shouldered man; at thirty-five he is a corpse in a cheap pine coffin. As so delinquent subscribers file past his bier for a last look on his face they are heard to say: 'He was a good fellow, but couldn't save his money.'"

### KNOWLEDGE THAT HURTS.

Towne—So Dumbly married a college woman. My! it must be fierce for him to be tied to a woman who knows so much that he doesn't know.

Brown—Oh! that doesn't hurt him so much as the fact that she knows how much he doesn't know.

CHANGED HIS MIND.

"When I saw Trouble coming I climbed up the chimney."

"And did you get away from him?"

"No!" I couldn't get out at the top, and he built a fire under me, and coaxed me down!"—Atlanta Constitution.



Kidder—Now, wouldn't that jar you?  
Mrs. Kidder—Mebby! What?  
Kidder—To get blowed up by a blast an' light in a stone quarry.

### PRACTICE WHAT THEY PREACH

Women's clubs throughout the country are in favor of the merit system in offices, and in accord with their theories have made their practice in many of the clubs, having decided that rotation in offices is the best for the federation. In the Illinois State Federation no woman can hereafter be elected to one of the high offices who has not served two years as a director. It has generally come to be understood that the vice-president is next in the line of succession.

### Ladies Literary Club.

The following program has been arranged by Mrs. Margaret Truscott, chairman of the program committee of the Ladies Literary club, for a Bible day which is to be held at the home of Mrs. Della Payne next Wednesday, Dec. 2:

Roll Call—Quotations from the bible.

Duet—Mesdames Lee and Hogle The Bible, Number of Books, Authors, Divisions, Historical Characters—Mrs. M. Wilber.

Recitation—Mrs. Josephine McGee.

How does its literature compare with the best literature of today—Mrs. Pierce.

Women of the Bible—Mrs. Hatton.

A Reading.

Duet—Mesdames Lee and Hogle

### Canopy of the Kisser.

The nose is the culminating point of the face—the canopy of the kisser. It is the drunkard's signboard and a nocturnal trumpet. It is the door valve for sweat, a roost for flies and a punching bag in a prize fight. It is the toll gate of your smelling apparatus and a despoiler of handkerchiefs. The nose is your sneezing instrument. It is the bay window of your face and sometimes gets the light knocked out of it. It can be used as an automatic skunk detector, or, and it is the royal bumper when you come in contact with the earth.—Ex.

### Newspapers Are Best.

The good newspapers of this country are the most effective means of getting quick or certain results in advertising now or any time. They get closer and keep closer to the great American people than any other medium.—Ben B. Haupton.

### Create Good Feeling.

There isn't a man on any rural route but would get as mad as a hornet if someone should tell him he was too poor to buy a dozen or so of postage stamps. That being the case, what's the use of putting pennies in the mail box? Why not create a good feeling between the mail carrier and yourself by getting a few stamps and use them on your letters. The life of a mail carrier in the winter time is no snap, it is hard enough at best, so don't make it harder by putting pennies in the mail box.

### Walter Strauss, Northville.

In last week's issue of the Enterprise, Walter Strauss, the well clothed and "men's milliner," of Northville, inserted a 3 column ad, which included a coupon, entitling customers to a ten per cent reduction on all purchases up to Nov. 26 by presenting one of these coupons at his store.

The result was so satisfactory to Mr. Strauss that he has decided to continue this offer one more week, and will give the 10 per cent discount up to and including Thursday, Dec. 3. See ad on back page.

Mr. Strauss has been in business at Northville for a long time and has the confidence of the public, and any time he advertises a discount sale, or any other sale in fact, people know that it is the proper time for them to get bargains at this popular store.

Advertise in the Enterprise.

## DRUG STORE.

WE ALWAYS carry an up-to-date stock of DRUGS, PATENT MEDICINES, PERFUMES and TOILET ARTICLES; also CIGARS and TOBACCO.

### T. H. MCGEE.

P. D. Warner, President S. D. Holcomb, Vice President  
C. W. Wilber, Cashier

## Farmington Exchange Bank

Transacts a general banking business. Receives deposits subject to check. Issues certificates of deposit payable on demand.

INTEREST PAID ON ALL TIME DEPOSITS  
Money to loan in large or small amounts at reasonable rates. We solicit business from Merchants, Farmers and others.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES  
In our Fire-Proof Vault to rent at low rates.

Proprietors and Owners: P. Dean Warner, S. D. Holcomb, Fred M. Warner, M. B. Pierce, C. W. Wilber, G. G. Collins, M. E. Sprague, Adm.

## Still Alive

and dealing in Harness, Blankets, Robes and all kinds of Harness Goods.  
Tuggies at Rock Bottom prices.  
Try a Kemp 20th Century Spreader and be convinced they are all right.

**H. W. LEE.**

## POST CARDS At Enterprise Office

## Otis' Lumber and Coal Yard

For Hard and Soft Coal, Lumber, Shingles, Lime, Cement and Roofing Paper

**AMOS OTIS, Farmington, Mich.**

### Name the Farm.

Every farm should have a name and the name of both the farm and the farmer should be posted on a sign at the farm gate. It is very difficult for a stranger driving along the road to know where to turn off into the farm he wants to visit when there are no sign posts up. It is as bad as a city would be without the streets names or without names on gas posts. Farmers who try to find a house in the city where street names are not posted can realize what it means to have a country district with farms and roads not named. It is even worse than a city with streets and names omitted because on the streets are people to direct one, while in the country often are nothing but sky, road, beasts of the field or the birds of the air—rather unsatisfactory pilots.

### The Lay of the Hen.

Whether the great American hen has heard of the election of Taft, and therefore, in company with other earnest laborers, intends to command a handsome return for her product, or whether she imagines that the common people are paying too much homage to the beef trust and accordingly means to sulk and "lay down the job" does not much matter—but the price of eggs is going to be 50 cents this winter. That's what Detroit commission men say. They don't admit it. They say it. And like their fellow caterers to the populace, the ice man, the coal baron, the plumber and the milkman, they always mean what they say. Just to lend color to the prediction, it may be mentioned that Monday the strictly fresh assay on the part of the hen was worth 35 cents in that city when done up in dozen lots.—Dryden Echo.

### IMPROVED.

Bystander—Have any of the objectionable features of the game been abolished?

Fullback—Sure! The Athletic association discharged the faculty this morning by a unanimous and enthusiastic vote.—Pack.

### A LONG-TIME ORGANIST.

Mrs. A. F. Goddard was church organist at Abington, Mass., for 44 years, and has just resigned. This is said to be the longest term in the church history of New England. She has done quite a great deal of other work in a musical line.

### THE FIRST BLOW ONE.

He uttered a joyous cry.  
"And I am really and truly the first man you ever kissed?"  
"Yes, Clarence, the beautiful girl you kissed, her red lip curving slightly."  
"The others all took the initiative."

### A BIG PUBLIC TELESCOPE.

The only genuinely public observatory in the world is at Zurich, Switzerland. It is open every evening to the public, and during the last six months was visited by no fewer than 24,000 people. The telescope, which is mounted in an entirely new and ingenious way, is 17 feet six inches long and weighs 14 tons. Its object glass is 12 inches in diameter. Attached to the instrument is a projecting screen upon which objects in the heavens have been thrown for the benefit of those wishing to get a peep through the telescope itself.—Popular Mechanics.

### WHAT IT WAS.

She was visiting a Chinese restaurant for the first time, and had ordered among other things an omelet. After sampling the succulent chop suey and the appetizing chow mein, she turned her attention to what seemed a dish of pancakes. Panning over the combination of ham, onion and other ingredients, she suddenly exclaimed to her companion: "Why, there's egg in this!"  
"Sure! It's the omelet," he replied.