

Local News

A. R. Angell has sold his farm to J. A. Batten.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Minnie Osmus March 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beck with Highland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson Saturday and Sunday.

The Ladies' Literary club has postponed its meeting at Mrs. B. J. Warner's until next week Wednesday, March 12.

John Kluge has an auction next week Friday at his place three miles from Wixom and the same distance from Walled Lake.

Invitations have been issued to the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. McCracken at their home March 19.

The Farmington girls basketball team will go to Pontiac Friday evening and in the armory at that place they will meet the Owosso team.

John Farmington will have an auction sale of 17 high grade Holstein cows, horses, farm implements, etc., at his home near Bell Branch on Tuesday, March 18.

Mrs. Melville Osgood of Royal Oak and Mrs. M. M. Pike and daughter, Alice, of North Yakima, Washington, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCracken.

The M. E. choir, assisted by the band will give a St. Patrick's supper at the town hall Friday evening, March 14, from 6 to 8 o'clock, after which there will be a short Irish program. Tickets, 25c.

Remember the lecture to be given by Dr. A. I. Snyder of Toronto on "The Influence of the World's War" on Friday evening, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society. Subject: "A Woman's Tongue." Admission, 15c.

CAT DIES; TOWN IN GLOOM.

A maltese cat put Winsted, Conn., in darkness for three hours, but paid his death penalty in doing so. All street lights in the borough went out simultaneously, and people who were out in the rain stumbled and fell in dark streets amid broken New Year resolutions.

Linenmen were sent out to ascertain the cause of the trouble, but three hours elapsed before they found the body of a cat which had climbed a lamp pole and fallen, or jumped on to the terminals, causing a short circuit.

Pneumonia Follows a Cold

But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound. It stops the cough, heals the sore and inflamed air passages, and strengthens the lungs. The genuine in yellow package with bee on cap. Refuse substitutes. Sold by T. H. McGee.

PAID TRIBUTE TO THACKERAY

Whitelaw Reid, an Admirer of the Great Novelist, Told of His Popularity in America.

The London Daily Chronicle tells us that England has lost a Thackeray enthusiast in Mr. Whitelaw Reid. Speaking one night at the Titmarsh club—of which he was a member—Mr. Reid bore testimony to the popularity which the author of "Vanity Fair" still enjoys in America. "For years I was constantly hearing gossip about Thackeray from those who had met him during his visits to us," he said. "Their accounts all ran one way. They admired his talk and they loved him. . . . They pointed out the corner in the Century club where he used to sit exchanging literary chat, or, in Yankee parlance, 'swapping stories,' with a group of club men about him. They could tell you years afterwards what had been Thackeray's favorite chair, and some had even been so observant of the least trifles about the great man as to know what particular concession in a club tumbler had been his favorite 'nightcap.'"

SILVER PLATE OF THE NAVY

Unrivaled for Beauty and Value—Service Belonging to the Maine Has Been Restored.

One of the most sacred possessions of the navy is a beautiful silver service, the gift of the people of Maine to the ill-fated battleship of that name. It was the first gift of the kind in the history of the navy, and the beginning of a custom that up to date has given to the government the finest collection of silver plate in the world, a collection the total value of which is rapidly approaching the \$450,000 mark. The Maine's service rested at the bottom of Havana harbor for a dozen years, and was found in good condition, all things considered, when the army engineers brought the wreck of the famous old ship to the surface a few months ago, and the silversmiths had no great difficulty in making it once more a thing beautiful to look upon.

SAFE.

Two old friends met in the sanctum of the Congressional Record and cordially shook hands. "Well," said one, "I guess the change in administration isn't going to affect us any." "No danger," said the other. "The Record can't do without you and me." They both shook hands again, and stroiled into the copy room. One was "Laughter." The other "Applause."

CUT THIS OUT.

"Am I all the world to you, Jack Reed?" she cooed. "You are certainly a fair portion of it," he told her, and so made the dainty double play of pleasing her and keeping to the exact truth.—Boston Transcript.

NOT ENCOURAGING.

"Madam, do you think you can use your influence with your husband to induce him to support me in this campaign?"

"I don't know, sir. I've never yet succeeded in inducing him to support me."

KEEPING IT DARK.

"You know," remarked the Observer of Events and Things, "it isn't merely a sign that a girl's economical when she cuts down the number of candles in her birthday cake."

HAVE YOU SEEN THEM?

Bacon—This paper says New York has a shortage of lobsters. Egbert—I think there's a lot down there that can prove an alibi.

LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON.

Mrs. Dix—Your little boy minds you beautifully. Mrs. Mix—Yes; everybody says he's just like his father.

NATURAL EFFECT.

"Are oculists irritable?" "Not particularly. Why do you ask?"

"I thought perhaps their profession developed eye-rate tendencies."

EASY REVERSES.

"How did your son at college settle up with his creditors?" "By settling down on me."

ROYAL Baking Powder

is the greatest of modern-time helps to perfect cake and biscuit making. Makes home baking pleasant and profitable. It renders the food more digestible and guarantees it safe from alum and all adulterants.

DISCOVERY.

Bacon—I see to deceive the unauthorized, safes are built to resemble sideboards, talourets and other articles of furniture.

Egbert—But when one of the unauthorized has carried one about six blocks he comes to the conclusion that the thing is really not a tabouret or other article of furniture.

GOING TO HIS SHRINE.

"Good evening, my young friend," said Rev. Mr. Tidbits to a young man who was passing by, "do you ever attend a place of worship?" "Yes, indeed, sir," was the answer, "every Sunday night, and I'm in my way to see her now."—Said and Done.

COMING!

A RARE OPPORTUNITY

is here offered to the Sick and Suffering of this community

Read this Carefully VISITING SPECIALISTS

from the CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY of Cleveland, Ohio

will pay their first visit to FARMINGTON, MICH.

and will be at the OWEN HOUSE MONDAY, MARCH 17th

Tell your Sick Friends ONE DAY ONLY

8 A. M. to 6:00 P. M.

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This Institute, composed of a group of regularly graduated physicians and surgeons, licensed, legally associated under the laws of the State of Ohio, sends at its own expense these eminent medical specialists in order to introduce the newest methods and discoveries in medicine and surgery, such as the system of treatment under X-ray, Violet ray, Finson ray, Hydrotherapy, etc., to give to those who call on the above date, consultation, examination, advice and all medicines required to complete a cure, absolutely free. These specialists will diagnose your case and give you the benefit of their skill and medical knowledge free.

There is in this case no experimenting or guess work at your expense. You will not be told whether you can be cured or not. If your case is curable they will put you under treatment immediately; if incurable they will give you such advice as may prolong your life. Their treatment always gives quick relief and ultimately positively cures. Being prepared to cope with each individual case the human system is thoroughly cleansed of the disease in a natural and direct manner, and improvement is noticed at once; even the worst cases are treated without any inconvenience to the patient or the pursuing of his or her daily vocations.

If you are improving under your family physician, do not come and take up their valuable time, as they absolutely refuse to treat anyone who is under the care of the local physicians. They wish to give each patient plenty of time and their undivided attention, but cannot listen to long stories not pertaining to your trouble. They have discarded the old methods and remedies used for ages by the medical world, and which it would be folly to depend upon any longer, for they are not known to cure, as thousands die, depending upon them for relief. The following list of

NEW DUST LAYER.

The highway department of the city of Leeds, England, has recently treated part of a macadam roadway with granular calcium chloride to combat the dust. Solutions of the latter had previously been tried at greater cost and without such satisfactory results. The road is first well swept and two applications of the chloride are made on the succeeding evening of about one-half pound a yard.

Discharges only are taken under treatment. I advise of the Nervous System, Heart, Stomach, Lungs, Kidney, Catarrh, Arteries or dry, Co. Scurvy, Epilepsy, Deafness, Diseases of Women, Tumors, Piles, Cancers, Piles, of Chronic Nature only. They treat diseases by an entirely new method, and hearing in many cases is restored at once. Catarrh in all its varied forms, like other diseases if once taken under treatment, is cured permanently to remain so and to never return. It matters not whom you have seen, or with whom treated, do not fail to call as a visit will cost you nothing and may restore you to health, or even save or prolong your life, as thousands will testify by unsolicited testimonials in all parts of the country. If you suspect kidney trouble bring a two-ounce bottle of your urine for chemical and microscopical analysis.

REMEMBER—The free offer is during this visit only and will not be repeated. Persons commencing treatment upon their future visits will be required to pay, but not one cent will be asked from those commencing treatment during this visit for any medicine necessary to effect a cure, irrespective of your position in life or the number who come on the above date. When accepted, or if whom wanted, a positive guarantee to cure will be given under their system of treatment. Those having long standing and complicated disease, who have failed to get well and become discouraged, are particularly invited to call.

NOTICE—Married ladies without their HUSBANDS, and minors without their FATHERS, will positively not be admitted to consultation unless accompanied by one of the local physicians.

Office hours: 9 A. M. to 7:30 P. M.

DON'T FORGET THE DATE

Monday, March 17

Call for Dr. Siskler.

Foley Kidney Pills will reach your individual case if you have any form of kidney or bladder trouble, any backache, rheumatism, uric poisoning or irregular or painful kidney action. They are strengthening, tonic and contain no habit forming drugs. Sold by T. H. McGee.

Told in a Few Words.

Chas. Castleden, Cumberland, Wyo., says he had the worse cough a man ever had and cured it in a few days with Dr. Warner's White Wine of Tar.

For Sale or Rent—A good seven-room house on W. Main St. Inquire of Fred M. Warner Cheese Co. 18w2

J. E. PHELPS

AUCTIONEER

Phone 15, Farmington

For Sale—House and lot on Grand River avenue.—J. E. Phelps.

For Sale—Fairbanks-Morse gasoline pumping engine at the Owen House.

Good timothy hay for sale.—J. B. Dellung. 2w

FOLEY'S URINO LAXATIVE

FOR STOMACH TROUBLE AND CONSTIPATION.

What Three Bushels More to the Acre Means

EIGHT years ago the farmers in a central state averaged crops that ran three bushels less to the acre than they now get. Suppose each acre of farm land in the country were so tended that it produced an increase equal to that of this state. How much more money would you have with which to buy the luxuries of life that you earn and deserve? Your share in this prosperity depends entirely upon yourself. The first step is to fertilize your land properly with manure spread by an

I H C Manure Spreader

The spreader that does its work as it should must have many excellent mechanical features. The apron should move without jerking; the beater should rock the load at exactly the right point to pulverize the manure without too greatly increasing the draft of the machine; the speed changes of the apron should be positive. All these features are provided for in the construction of I H C spreaders.

I H C spreaders are made in low styles which are not too low for use in 40 inch or 42 inch, narrow and wide, with both open and endless aprons, for use under all conditions. The rear axle is located well under the beam and of at the rear. Placed in that position under the box it carries over 70 per cent of the load and insures ample traction power.

See the I H C local dealer for complete and full information, or write

International Harvester Company
Detroit Mich.

Detroit United Lines

Farmington Time Table.

Cars leave Farmington Junction for Detroit at 5:20 a.m., 8:25 a.m., and hourly to 9:25 p.m.; 10:35 p.m.

Those cars, except first morning car, leave Farmington six minutes earlier.

Cars leave Farmington Junction for Onondaga and Pontiac at 4:15 a.m., 5:45 a.m., and hourly to 10:45 p.m.; 12:00 p.m.

First car leaves Farmington Junction for Northville at 4:45 a.m., Farmington at 5:15 a.m., and thereafter cars leave Farmington for Northville at 6:50 a.m., and hourly thereafter until 10:50 p.m.; 12:00 a.m.

Cars connect at Northville with those for Plymouth and Wayne over the D. J. & C. Limited service to Ann Arbor.

Wanted—Cook and dining room girl at the Owen House.

Joshua Hill, H. P. Messenger, President, Vice-President

F. L. Perry, Cashier.

Oakland County Saving's Bank

Pontiac, Mich.

Capital, \$50,000; Surplus and Profits, \$100,000

4 per cent interest paid on Savings Accounts and Certificates of Deposits. Interest on savings accounts compounded semi-annually.

Money Loan on First Real Estate Mortgages

Farmington Postoffice.

MAIL SERVICE.

M. B. Pierce, Postmaster

Mails arrive at 8:05 a.m. and 5:05 p.m. Depart at 7:50 a.m. and 4:50 p.m.

Rural Route No. 1—Will Sprague

Rural Route No. 2—Clyde Adams

Rural Route No. 3—Lyman Sprague

Rural carriers leave the P. O. at 8:30

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Maybe only \$100.00. Maybe \$1,000.00—but here's the point. Invest your savings, \$35.00 or more, whatever the amount, in a lot—and you have caught Rockefeller's system of making money.

AUBUN GARDENS NO. 2

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Offers a splendid opportunity for investment. These lots, undoubtedly, will show an increase of 50 per cent in one year to you. They have sidewalk, sewer, shade trees and graded streets. Prices range from

\$99, \$119, \$159, \$249 to \$399

Terms—\$5.00 down; \$5.00 per month

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