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#### The Barrier Between You and Trouble

It is a wise man who can persuade himself that there are wolves abroad in the land other than the one which dire poverty usually impersonates. "No work" may be snapping at the heels of the laboring man. "Reduction in the office force" may be snarfing even now at the salated man. "Poor Crops" occasionally prowls around the farmers' fields, and yet a little surplus in the bank is a barrier across which the wolf of hard luck" has never been known to come. Protect your home and yourself by opening an account with this bank.

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# REPUBLICANS

The result of Monday' election has proven that the republicans come back 'and that the propressives, as a party fired their biggest gun last fall and are now practically out of the game.

The republican state ticket wa

elected by a big majority and woman's suffrage was defeated. Several counties went dry and M. Ward

Old Oakland came forward, as

usual, with a big republican vic-tory and also carried the good oads proposition by over 3,000. Equal suffrage was defeated in

he county as was also the hospital ley onding proposal. Farmington did its share to carry

he road question, Brandon, Grove-land, Highland, Milford, Rose and White Lake, being the only townhips to go against it.

The board of supervisors now stands to republicans and to dem crats, a gain of three by the dem-The vote in Farmington and

najorities received is given below: Supervisor—J. L. Hogle, 127 Clerk-H. A. Schroder, 104 Treasurer-Fred Stamann, 95 Justice (full term)-Clarence E.

Vood, 99 (one year)—John H. Tustice hayer, 102

Justice (three years)-William

of Highways-Thomas Com'r vtle: 66

Overseer of highways-Chris

Bd. of Reveiw-Fred Goers, 102 Constables-John Mahorey, Bert

a sanitarium at Liberty, N Y., in the hope that a stay in the Adirondack Mountains will prove beneicial. He had been employed in Detroit and made his home with is mother here. Mrs. Horner has racated the parsonage, stored her household goods and departed this week for Germantown, Phila-

Thate the word charity—not the charity that means love—there is not enough leve to go around—but the ghad of charity that leads a man when sees a poor stivering wretch, to go down into his poolets, produce a quarter, and then go saws with his heart warming and thing: I am a fallow. We do not want sharity,—we want justion."—Woodbridge N. Farria.

"We have continued to be occupied by our little affairs and have given lit-tle thought to the nation and to our posterity."—Woodbridge N. Ferris.

"It is true that where one gets with out working, many work without get ting."—Woodbridge N. Ferirs.

"What this dear world wants barky and more Justice."— ridge N. Perris.

# PROGRAM OF THE

oe Held in the Methodist Jurch Next Wednesday Afternoon and Evening

The Sunday School Township convention of Farmington will be held in the M. E. church on Wednesday of next week, with after-noon and evening sessions. The afternoon meeting will be in at 1:30 o'clock, with the following program;

Song and Devotional, Rev. D.

"Tempeaance and How to Teach It," Mrs. Alice Way "Missions," Mrs. Minnie Wilber "Importance of Rural Work,"

Mrs. R. Wolfe

"Primary Work," Mrs. T. Brad-

"Mothers' Department," Mrs. "Adult Bible Class," Miss Mary

Stewart "Essentials of Leadership," Rev.

G. E. Gullen Question Box, G. H. Kimbali

Election of officers.

Lunch will be served in the hurch after the afternoon session Rev. H. B. Henderson, D. D., will give an address on "Staying by the Stuff," at the evening meetng which will begin at 7 o'clock. Special music will be rendered.

Everyone is cordially invited to these meetings.

Don Conroy of River Rouge caller here Tuesday.

SUBDIVISION OPENS APRIL 12

Subdivision is on Grand River Ave.

Loe, Ed. Grimmer, Fred Stamann.

In Novi three democrafs were included to the offices of supervisor, ighway commissioner and overveer of highways. All the reserver expublicans as follows:

Supervisor, Lee L. West; clerk, fred W. Durfee; treasturer, John S. Wedow; justice, Samuel L. Morgan; highway commissioner, or state of the supervisor of the supervi

How would you like to have a home of your own; a home just as you altays pictured it—where the lots are wide and deep and the subdivision is fringed with giant maples—near to an attractive village, having all the improvements of a city and the exclusivness of a country place—How would you like it?

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