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FARMINGTON WINS FROM REDFORD

Capture a Fine Game as the Closing of a Remarkably Good Season

Every enterprising town in the state is engaged in promoting their own community and many are the ways adopted to do it.

Like everything else, from patent medicine to automobiles, publicity is the greatest factor for promotion that is known. Towns need advertising as well as everything else to attract the attention of the people and the town that does the best job at it is usually the winner.

One of the best mediums for advertising a town is a base ball team provided that it is of sufficient account to convey the right impression. This is so well known and so clearly recognized that the business men cheerfully contribute the necessary funds, year after year, to carry on the entertainment.

They consider it money well spent. Farmington has had a team this season that has made a reputation for the town. They have played a large number of games and have won in the neighborhood of three-quarters of them. They have made this record, not by selecting weak teams for their opponents, but have tackled the best they could find in the surrounding country.

Wednesday they went to the Milford fair and downed the strong Redford aggregation by a score of six to four in a very well played game. They will play there again Friday with the team that wins on Thursday, which will be either Northville or Flint.

Farmington has cause to be gratified with the showing made by her ball team this year.

M. E. Church Notes

[By the Pastor]

On Sunday morning and evening the pastor expects to preach. Our services will, we hope, be of such a warm, helpful character that large numbers of friends will gather on Sundays to worship with us this fall and winter.

We are going to arrange every month evening services of especially entertaining character, announcement of which will be made well in advance.

We are to have a Sunday school teachers' meeting every month, if possible to discuss ways and means of exciting the scholars' interest in our school sessions.

Will the teachers try this and next week try to visit the home of every scholar who has been absent for more than two successive Sunday days?

On Friday of this week the choir practice will be held at the church at 7:30 p. m. All young people who can sing are earnestly requested to be present on this occasion.

Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. E. C. Grace this Friday afternoon.

The Sunday-school will give an entertainment in the town hall early in October.

Farmington Well Represented

A large crowd of Farmington people attended the Milford fair Wednesday. They went, not so much for the fair, as to give moral aid and support to their ball team, which was one of the chief attractions that day. In this they did nobly as they have always done on similar occasions. It was a great day for Farmington and the fair management were wise when they selected the Farmington team to help draw a crowd.

Exhibition by the Akward Squad

It is rumored that the professional men of our village have challenged the business men to a game of indoor base ball to be played outdoors, on the school ground diamond some time next week. Dr. Miller will captain the professionals and Ben Meyers the business men, the losers to pay for a chicken dinner.

Car Helps Truck in Distress

A huge truck belonging to the Towner milk company of Detroit became stuck on Grand River Sunday morning. The machine was carrying 5000 gallons of milk and had slackened speed to get over a rut that had been made from a ditch across the road for water connection. The back wheels sank in the fresh dirt and all the power of the machine could not get them out. The drivers worked for about 15 minutes digging the hard roadbed away from the wheels and were still hard at work when the D. U. R. regular came up to go to Northville. The truck was so near the track it had the road blocked, so hitching a chain on the automobile and attaching it to the electric car, which slowly backed up and extricated the truck. It required some little maneuvering but the motorman showed fine manipulations of his wheel in moving the weight so easily.

Gave a Good Entertainment

The high school fund was but slightly increased by the entertainment last Saturday night. Jennie Howman proved a good entertainer in her readings from "Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm," and was deserving of a larger audience, which doubtless would have been had the weather been more favorable. During the evening Miss Bowman also gave a fine exhibition of her skill in swinging Indian clubs.

Earl Stimpson Joins Big League

Earl Stimpson, a Northville boy who has played in the Southern Michigan league this season, has been drafted by the St. Louis Browns of the American league and will play with them next summer.

The Stimpson boys, Earl, Carl and Reed, are all ball players and the two younger have played with Redford occasionally the past summer.

Ladies' Aid Elect New Officers

At the last regular meeting of the Ladies' Aid, Sept. 12, the following officers were elected:
 President—Mrs. E. C. Grace
 Vice Pres.—Mrs. A. L. Travis
 Secretary—Mrs. Alice Way
 Treasurer—Mrs. Margaret Truscott.

Federation of Women's Clubs

Mrs. J. W. Hatton, president of the Oakland County Federation of Women's Clubs, attended a board meeting at Pontiac Tuesday afternoon. The meeting was held in the school commissioner's office at the court house, Mrs. A. L. Craft being one of the members of the board.

It was decided to hold the annual meeting of the Oakland County Federation at Milford Oct. 30 and 31. All ladies interested are urged to be present as a pleasant and profitable time is planned.

Mrs. A. L. Moore was appointed parliamentarian in place of Miss Baldwin, deceased.

Wm. Dohany was taken very ill Wednesday afternoon and his condition was considered serious. As this paper goes to press on Thursday his condition remains unchanged from the previous evening.

SCHROEDERS' TEAM TAKES A SPRINT

Fall In Making the Turn at Holcomb's Corner After a Long Run. Nobody Injured

The team belonging to L. F. Schroeder that has been driven on the ice wagon all summer ran away Tuesday evening.

The team was standing near the ice pond and Louis was about six feet from them, when from no apparent cause they started on a run. The horses were hitched to a wagon and they ran with no mishap to it or themselves until they attempted to turn the corner at Dr. Holcomb's. The horses were going so fast that both fell down in making the curve, becoming entangled in the harness and sliding some distance. Aside from the horses being somewhat stiff no damage was done.

Although they ran a mile and a half they encountered no obstacles other than Louis' automobile that stood near the pond. In swinging past it they bent the fender, but that did not prevent Mr. Schroeder giving chase and reaching the spot in time to recover the fallen team.

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