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**Walnut, \$18**  
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**Organs for school or**  
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Our teeth are necessary things—God made them to be used  
To masticate the food we eat, but not to be abused.  
Decayed and broken, they become a menace to our health.  
But well preserved, are more to us than mere material wealth.  
The crown and bridge work we have done has never been excelled.  
A couple of many old teeth, our fillings all have held.  
Our plates are made to stay where put, it is not on our docket  
To manufacture teeth for you to carry in your pocket.  
Full set teeth, \$4 to \$8, 20 years guarantee.

Infant or man in his prime.  
Fair maiden, or stalwart youth.  
What pain is more cruel to be borne  
Than that of an aching tooth?  
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Hear what the "Best Dentists" say,  
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## ON THE SQUARE

This is the attitude of this Bank toward all its patrons;  
the large depositor, the small depositor; in fact every  
customer receives the same SQUARE treatment.

We will be glad to explain the many advantages  
offered by being financially connected with this strong  
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All kinds of Osborne Farm Tools, Henderson Steel Gear  
Thimble 24 in Wagon. All at right prices.

**H. W. LEE.**

## CREDITABLE AFFAIR.

**Christmas Exercises at the M.**  
**E. Church.**

In spite of the serious handicap  
of being deprived of both Supt.  
Truscott and Asst. Supt. Lou  
Grace the Sunday-school gave a  
very creditable account of itself  
last week Thursday evening.

Helen Bradley, Mildred and  
Ruth Prindle, Thomas and Helen  
Botsford, Forrest Green, Harold  
and Burlaw Groves, Hinman  
Nichols, Lloyd Pierson, Norman  
and Walter Lee, Leo Hendryx,  
Minnie Meyers, Marl Rithbone,  
Charles Habermehl, Edward Thayer,  
Locece and Howard Osmus,  
Harry Wolfe and Leo Fendat gave  
recitations.

Alice Cole, Lucy Sprague, Er-  
nestine Pierce, Helen Whipple,  
Lettie Sprague, May McGee,  
Marion Prindle, Minnie Meyers,  
Ethel Schuett and Helen Warner  
took part in the exercises.

Thelma Bond, Helen Bradley  
and Eva Bradley sang solos.

Tessa Pierson gave a violin solo  
accompanied by her mother on the  
organ.

Rhethel and Edna Schuett sang a  
duet.

Boys and girls from several  
classes sang a Christmas song, and  
the choir responded with three ap-  
propriate hymns under the direction  
of Mrs. Stoncy.

Most of the recitations were  
short and the program was finished  
within 75 minutes.

There was a large audience who  
seemed pleased with the work of  
the children.

The candies and nuts were dis-  
tributed and to meet the expense  
involved, \$5.63, a collection was  
received which amounted to just  
\$4.00.

The tree was generously fur-  
nished by the family of Richard  
Wolfe.

The church was tastefully deco-  
rated by the young ladies of the  
League, assisted by several friends.

The Ladies Aid made a very  
substantial Christmas gift of ten  
dollars to the pastor and his wife.

The pastor who also presented  
with a miniature bride in hopes  
that before long a real bride and  
groom would make their appear-  
ance.

## JANUARY SESSION

**Of Board of Supervisors Will**  
**Be Held Next Monday.**

The January meeting of the  
board of supervisors will commence  
next Monday lasting for one week.  
The board at this time will dispose  
of the business accumulated since  
the semi-annual meeting in Oc-  
tober. A number of reports which  
the board will consider are now  
being prepared by the county of-  
ficers.

## MRS. RYCKMAN DEAD

**Formerly Lived in Livonia—**  
**Dies in Buffalo, N. Y.**

Cora May Ryckman, eldest  
daughter of John B. Lapham, for-  
merly of this place, died at her  
home, 77 High street, Buffalo, N.  
Y., Tuesday morning, Dec. 22,  
aged 46 years, 10 months and 11  
days.

Mrs. Ryckman was born in Li-  
vonla township, where her girl-  
hood days were spent, and many  
friends mourn her loss. She leaves  
a father, husband and one daugh-  
ter, Delephine; two brothers, John  
and Norton Lapham, of Detroit;  
three sisters, Laura Hertkom of  
Buffalo, Daisy Waller and Irene  
Lapham of Toronto, Can.

You will find a fine line of Out-  
ings and Fleece Goods at Cook &  
Co.

## PLEASANT TIME.

**Farmington Masons Have Enjoy-**  
**able Meet.**

The members of Farmington  
Masonic lodge enjoyed a very  
pleasant time at their last meeting  
when M. E. Barney of the D'Ar-  
chambal school for boys received  
the M. M. degree and at which  
time nearly all the stations were  
filled by old past masters of the  
lodge. Lectures being given by per-  
sons nearly 80 years old. An oys-  
ter supper was served and installa-  
tion of new officers followed. Vis-  
itors from several localities includ-  
ing quite a lively bunch from Pon-  
tiac were present. A parting grip  
was taken with retiring warder, E.  
A. Drake, who has gone to Wash-  
ington state.

## Has Appealed.

An appeal has been taken to the  
circuit court from the decision of  
Justice John H. Thayer in a civil  
suit of Wm. Groves vs. Eugene  
Ames, both of the township of  
Farmington. Groves brought suit  
to recover \$53.50 which he claimed  
was due him for services rendered.  
Ames' justice Thayer gave Groves  
the full amount claimed and costs  
amounting to \$7.20. Ames takes  
the appeal.—Press Gazette.

## RICH IN DAIRY PRODUCTS

**Oakland County Large Feeder**  
**for Detroit Market.**

One of the chief industries of  
Oakland county is the production  
of milk. According to reports fur-  
nished by the state dairy and food  
commissioner, the number of farms  
in the county producing milk for  
Detroit markets is 218. On these  
farms are 3,166 cows, 2,225 of  
which are giving milk. The daily  
production from these cattle is  
111,823 pounds, making an aver-  
age of 32.35 pounds per head. Al-  
though a few of this number are  
thoroughbred stock, the majority  
of them are of a mixed breed.  
Oakland county dairies rank  
among the highest in the state in  
health of herd, cleanliness and  
sanitary conditions, this in most  
instances being marked excellent.

Besides the milk exported is an  
enormous quantity manufactured  
into butter by the several cream-  
eries throughout the county. The  
yearly output of these creameries  
is estimated at 200,000 pounds of  
butter. It is thought that at  
least 300,000 pounds of butter  
finds its way into the Detroit mar-  
kets in the course of a year. Cheese  
is also manufactured in Oakland  
county to a large extent, an enor-  
mous quantity of milk being dis-  
posed of in this manner.

## MARRIED AT NOVI

**Miss Daisy Buell, Popular Young**  
**Lady, Becomes Mrs. Par-**

**menter.**  
Foster E. Parmenter and Miss  
Daisy Buell, both well-known  
young people of Novi, were mar-  
ried at the residence of S. L. Mor-  
gan in Novi on Wednesday eve-  
ning, Dec. 23. Miss Buell has a  
host of friends in and near Farm-  
ington and all join in extending  
congratulations.

Dr. Tupper, of Sandhill has been  
called to treat Mrs. Fari, who is  
very ill at the home of Eugene  
Ames.

The Mystic Workers will hold  
their regular meeting at the home  
of Charles Heliker. The proceeds  
will go to the Pontiac Hospital.  
A cordial invitation is extended to  
all.

Have you tried "Delight" Flour  
at Cook & Co.'s.

Choice candies and nuts at Cook  
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## CORN KING MANURE SPREADERS

**TEN Per Cent Discount from now**  
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**WE ALWAYS carry an up-to-date stock of DRUGS, PAT-**  
**ENT MEDICINES, PERFUMES and TOILET AR-**  
**TICLES; also CIGARS and TOBACCO.**

**T. H. MCGEE.**

## STATEMENT OF

**The Farmington Exchange Bank.**

**December 8, 1908.**

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Dis't \$44,408.50	Capital paid in \$ 17,000
Mortgages 49,803.52	Surplus 1,767.06
Real Estate 4,683.74	Dividends Unpaid 1.30
Furniture 1,275	Deposits 127,365.84
Cash available 47,297.14	
	147,522.90

P. D. Warner, S. D. Holcomb, F. M. Warner, M. B. Pierce,  
C. W. Wilber, G. G. Collins, Mary E. Sprague, Adm.

Responsibility of Partners  
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**C. W. WILBER, Cashier,**  
Farmington, Mich

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50c Packages.....40c  
25c Packages.....20c

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