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## GLEANED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

News Items Taken From Other Papers Over the County and Surrounding Territory

Plymouth is making plans for a gala day August 19th.

Birmingham will hold their Chautauqua August 10 to 15.

Howell will vote July 19th to bond for \$15,000 to pave its main street, Grand River avenue.

Ex Supervisor Backer of Royal Oak has recently sold his 180 acre farm for \$52,000. Some price that.

The Moose Lodge at Holly is enjoying a strenuous growth and are looking for some more commodious quarters.

Henry Ford wanted the saloons at Dearborn closed during the celebration so bought 'em out for that day for \$500.

The Orion Review says that 10,000 people celebrated the Fourth, Monday last week at Lake Orion. Some crowd.

The apportionment of primary school money will be made on the basis of \$7.85 per capita—the largest amount in several years.

South Main street at Plymouth is being paved. The construction will cost \$2,735, \$860 of which was raised by popular subscription.

Last Tuesday and Wednesday were "tree trimming" days at Northville, the council having so designated them as such. Good idea that.

The Alter Car Company at Plymouth is reported as doing a rushing business, and according to newspaper reports is in excellent financial condition.

Holly jumped into the limelight last week by digging up a couple of bootleggers, one of whom has been bound over in \$500 bail and another is being sought by officers.

The Hastings firm, who offered to build three miles of state trunk line in Brighton township, withdrew its bid and now the township is up against it. This firm offered to build the three miles for \$10,000.

Wellie Coe has the distinction of having a small skunk farm. He has four old skunks and 11 young ones, four of which he took from their nest in the woods. They are as tame as kittens and follow him about.

This morning's Detroit Free Press contains an account of the finding of several sticks of dynamite under the Farrar and Hemingway cafe and road house several miles south of this place in Livonia township. It is known that there has been some hard feeling over the opening of the place, and the sheriff's office is working on the theory that the dynamite was placed by someone who was against the opening of the place. It is said that a fuz had been attached, and lighted, but doubtless the flame had been extinguished by rain.

The Township board awarded the contract for the construction of two new cement bridges to the Sage Bridge Building Company of Plymouth. The bid accepted was for 28 cents per cubic foot. The cost of the two bridges will be in neighborhood of \$500. The bridges will be constructed according to the original plans and specifications.

Fred H. Allen, formerly of this place and well known here has disposed of his furniture and undertaking business at Northville to Schraeder Brothers of that place.

## PLAN TO SINK ANOTHER WELL

Council Holds Special Meeting Tuesday Evening and Discuss Matter at Length

The village council held a special meeting at the water works hall last Tuesday evening, at the call of President Francis to investigate and discuss the necessity and approximate cost of the sinking of another well at the water works plant.

Members of the council have been mindful for some time that another well, was becoming a grave necessity, and the compulsory shutting off of the big well some days ago for needed repairs, brought the need more forcefully home.

The big well with everything in working order is entirely adequate, and furnishes plenty of water, but for a period of 36 hours a few days ago, this well was entirely out of commission, and the small pump showed itself unable to anything like handle the demand for water.

In case of fire, or other emergency, should the big pump happen to go out of commission, it would be practically impossible to secure enough water, and pressure would be minimum.

The council has authorized the same company that dug the first well to give an estimate for a second well, and the matter will be reported in a short time.

### Rural Farmington

F. Bade was a Detroit visitor, Sunday.

Mrs. McHugh was a Pontiac visitor Wednesday.

Mrs. Raymond Roediger was a Detroit visitor Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Delling were Detroit visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hyde spent the Fourth with friends in Detroit.

Miss Rose of Detroit spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. R. Powell.

Mrs. McHugh and son, William, spent Sunday with friends in Lapeer.

Mrs. William Sheppard and daughter Ione, were Pontiac visitors, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Hyde of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Tibbitts of Detroit spent the Fourth with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Souraby.

Mrs. Raymond Roediger will entertain the Gleaners Wednesday afternoon. All are invited.

Grant Wixom of Detroit is spending two weeks with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dell ing.

Dr. and Mrs. Kinney and son, Stewart, of Lapeer, spent the Fourth with her mother, Mrs. McHugh.

Horace Kinne of Taft, California, was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Romayne Pike the latter part of last week.

Mrs. P. Sorrell and children of Windsor are visiting with Mrs. Joseph Baufort.

### When Hot Weather Oppresses

When you feel oppressed, dull and stupid, are inert and lagging—do not blame it all on the weather. Heat will not affect you so much if the bowels are regular. Foley Cathartic Tablets are ideal for indigestion and constipation. They relieve stout persons of that bloated, heavy feeling. For sale by T. H. McGee.

## HEROES OF EVERYDAY LIFE



### New Fire Marshal Law

Section 2 of the new Fire Marshal Law provides that the fire chiefs of the state, the president of each village and the supervisor of each township in which no fire department exists, shall report to the state fire marshal every fire occurring in such city, village or township within three days of the occurrence of such fire. For each report so made the person making same will be paid twenty-five cents as compensation from the funds of the fire marshal bureau.

Since the organization of the state fire marshal bureau these reports have been furnished by the fire chiefs without remuneration and in the majority of instances they have furnished their own postage. It was largely through the efforts of Fire Marshal Winship and Assistant Marshal Robinson that the law was amended notwithstanding the fact that these reports will each year take several thousands of dollars from the fire marshal fund. There were 9,960 fires reported in 1913 and 7,995 in 1915 in Michigan. Clerks in the fire marshal's office are now busily engaged preparing to mail out copies of the new law, new regulations, new forms, inspection blanks, etc., to all the fire chiefs and local authorities in the state. The fire chiefs will receive their fees quarterly, January, April, July and October, the first payment being made October 1, 1915.

The Red Rose Club was entertained Sunday afternoon by Miss Hyacinth Roy, at her home. The young ladies enjoyed an ice cream luncheon and a very pleasant afternoon.

Miss Ruby Webber of Plymouth is a guest of her brother and sister, Clarence Webber and Mrs. Leon Green.

Hinman Nichols accompanied his cousin, Miss Ruth Bailey to her home at Pontiac for a week's visit.

Fred Bosawick of Detroit is visiting at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Sophie Fendt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stelle attended the Chautauqua meeting at Pontiac Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Mary Crosby is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Brannack in Pontiac.

Mr. Perlick and three sons of Detroit spent Sunday at the Herman Schaupter home.

### New Fish Laws

The new fish law which goes into effect August 13th limits large and small mouth black bass to 10 inches in length and but 25 in one day or 25 at any one time. Wall eyed pike the same conditions. White, calico and rock bass six inches in length and 25 in one day. Blue gills, sunfish, perch and crappies five inches in length and 25 in one day. Grass pike, numbers and size unlimited.

Glenn Green has accepted the position as Conductor on Refrigerator Milk Car, known as 99. Fred Stamann who has been in charge of the car since it started making regular runs, has taken his former freight run.

### Few Attend School Meeting

The annual meeting and election of officers for the local school district was held at the school house last Monday evening, with only a few persons in attendance, in fact, only about a half dozen persons attending.

Fred M. Warner and D. L. Dickerson were re-elected as trustees, and the selection of officers will shortly be made.

The report of the finances was examined, and will be ready for publication soon.

The Ladies Union will meet at the home of Mrs. Elliott Sprague, Thursday afternoon, July 22. A ten cent lunch will be served. All friends of the Union invited.

## MAY TRY FOR OLDS' REWARD

Meeting Probable to Discuss Advisability of Accepting Olds' \$300 a Mile for Road

A meeting of interested people will probably be called here within a few days to consider plans of furthering the stone road from Detroit to Grand Haven, which would cross this corner of the county of Oakland. In Kent county a board of directors will be organized to look after the matter and much the same plan is advocated for this county.

The road is the one on which R. E. Olds of Lansing made an offer of a reward of \$300 a mile when completed, which was accepted by the supervisors at their meeting at Pontiac a year ago, tentively. The same offer was duplicated in other counties through which the road would have to pass, and it is now proposed to rush it to completion before any possibility of losing the state reward may arise.

Meetings are planned for Sunfield, Lake Odessa, Lansing, Williamston, Fowlerville, Howell, Brighton and Farmington.

### Wanted Now

Right now, when hay fever is attacking its victims and when asthma is causing so much distress, there is a demand for Foley's Honey and Tar Compound—the remedy that brought relief to thousands in previous years. Don't continue to suffer. It will help you. Contains no opiates. Sold by T. H. McGee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bell have leased the C. F. White house on State street, and will remove there to next week.

Wm. Pauline has purchased twenty feet of ground adjoining his present residence in the village, of Fred M. Warner.

## FARMS AT ALL PRICES

### Also Some Residence Property in the Village

If you want to buy or sell your farm or village property come in and see us. We have inquiries every day.

### Here is a Partial List of Property Priced Right

20 acres, 3 miles north of village	\$2,200
10 acres just off Grand River on Orchard Lake Road	\$2,750
40 acres in Livonia Twp., with first class buildings	\$5,500
40 acres 1 1-2 miles west of village—new buildings	\$6,200
20 acres, practically adjoining the village—level	\$3,000
10 acres, 1 1-2 miles southwest of the village	\$1,700
New residence property on Grand River, a bargain	\$3,800
First class 8 room residence with fine lot on Grand River	\$3,000
Fine home just completed, on Grand River	\$3,500
A little farm two miles west of village on Grand River Road. This won't last long at	\$1,075
A nicely located Cottage at Walled Lake for quick sale	\$1,200

Wanted—30 to 40 acres with buildings, near car line

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