

## The Farmington Enterprise

W. E. Lord, Editor

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## Just a Word

In coming to Farmington and taking charge of the Enterprise we have no "big things" to say as to guiding the policy of the paper. However, we hope, with your co-operation, to at least maintain the same high standard that our predecessor, Mr. Price, has followed.

While we have had a number of years of experience in the newspaper business we are not "too old to learn," and not adverse to well directed criticism. The human family is prone to mistakes, and we will undoubtedly have many to our credit, but we hope to make and hold many warm friends in this vicinity, and shall endeavor to merit your friendship and co-operation in making for the growth and prosperity of Farmington and the surrounding territory.

We want to print a paper that will be looked for and read in every home in this vicinity, and ask your help in making the Enterprise a newspaper in every sense of the word. You can materially assist us by informing us when anything of a news nature occurs in your neighborhood—such as visitors, entertainments, births, deaths or any number of interesting happenings. We want correspondents from every town and neighborhood in this section of Oakland county, and will welcome a visit from you to our office. Come in and see what we look like and get acquainted.

In conclusion, we have come to Farmington to make this village our home, and wish for the happiness and prosperity of everyone in this locality, to which end we shall aim at all times.

W. E. LORD

Doubtless, ere you have read this far, in the column that I have seen fit to call my own, this column, you will have noticed a change—in the place where my name once stood stands a new name, which means that henceforth the Enterprise has passed into the hands of a new owner and a new editor.

There is little pleasure for me in making such an announcement as it means that I must enter a new field—will make my home among strangers, where I have been used to friends. I could write on for hours in expressing the feeling of good will—of satisfaction—of thanks for the treatment and support that I have received at the hands of Farmington and Farmington people, but mere words fail to express, or to satisfy.

The new editor, W. E. Lord, is here and in possession. Of his policies, it is not for me to speak, as he himself has expressed them in his announcement which appears in this issue. He comes to Farmington well recommended, and with recommendations backed by long years of experience in the news paper field of Michigan. The benefit of this experience comes to Farmington and to the Enterprise.

Before signing my name in fare well, my only wish is that the same patronage and good will that has been my good fortune, be extended to Mr. Lord, and in extending such, you may rest assured that the favor will be returned a hundred-fold in a better paper for the growing—the bigger and better Farmington, by the new publisher.

Sincerely,  
J. A. PRICE.

Notwithstanding the British meddlers and the German businessmen, President Wilson continues to run the United States.—Pontiac Press-Gazette.

Sport shirts are all right for an outing—somewhere in the wilderness.

Experts think our army should adopt the Swiss system, which might mean watchful waiting with a different movement.

Buy your Sweater Coats of Cook & Co.

## Notice of Special School Meeting

By virtue of the order and direction of the District Board of School District Number Five of Farmington Township, Oakland County, Michigan. Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of said School District will be held at the School House in Farmington, in said District on the 4th day of October 1915 at six o'clock p. m. Central Standard time, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said district, the proposition to borrow the sum of \$9,000 and to issue the Bonds therefor, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5 per cent per annum payable semi-annually. Said Bonds to mature as follows: \$1,000, March 1st, 1917; \$1,000, March 1st, 1918; \$1,000, March 1st, 1919; \$1,000, March 1st, 1920; \$1,000, March 1st, 1921; \$1,000, March 1st, 1922; \$1,000, March 1st, 1923; \$1,000, March 1st, 1924; \$1,000, March 1st, 1925. Said Bonds to be in the denomination of \$1,000 each. Said Bonds to be used to defray the expense of building a new school building in the Village of Farmington in said District. The polls for said election are to open for two consecutive hours. Notice is further given that the District Board of said District has estimated the amount necessary to defray the expense of bringing to completion said new School Building to be the sum of \$9,000.

Dated this 23rd. day of September, A. D. 1915.

FRED M. WARNER,  
Director.

## Blessing in Disguise.

"I don't see any billboards about here," said the visitor. "Do the residents object to that kind of advertising?"

"Yes, but their wishes in the matter had nothing to do with the disappearance of billboards hereabouts," said the Kansas man. "We have provided to thank for that."

"I don't understand."

"Well, every time we accumulate a flock of billboards a cyclone comes along and scatters them over six or seven counties."

Try an "ad"—it will bring results.

## Our Jitney Offer—This and 5c

Don't miss this. Cut out this slip, enclose with five cents to Foley & Co., Chicago, Ill., writing your name and address clearly. You will receive in return a trial package containing Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, for coughs, colds and croup, Foley Kidney Pills and Foley Cathartic Tablets. For sale by T. H. McGee.

## LITTLE WANT ADS

For Sale—Two forty acre farms, both highly improved with excellent buildings. Either one a good bargain. One for \$5,500 one at \$6,200. Call this office.

FOR SALE—½ acre farm, 2 miles west of Farmington on Grand River road, 7 room house, wood house, and garage. Price for quick sale \$1,075 and worth double. Enquire at Enterprise office.

For Sale Potato Crates, 14c and 17c each. Enquire of Geo. Helm, ½ mile north of Stark Station. Postoffice, Plymouth, Mich., Route 3.

Wanted—Small farms well located, three, five or ten acres at once. With or without buildings. J. A. Price, Farmington.

For Sale—Base Burner in good condition. Will sell cheap. Anthony Thibideau, Farmington, if

Wanted for Cash—Five or ten acre tract with buildings and fruit. Call this office.

For Sale—One Deering Corn Harvester, nearly new at a low price. Fred M. Warner, 47-27

## Are You Saving Part Of Your Income

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## Farmington Exchange Bank

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Baby Grand - \$750  
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The product of experience, 102 inch wheel base, cantilever springs

Motors in All models  
**VALVE IN HEAD**  
**J. A. Miller, M. D.**

Detroit is waging a big campaign on the proposition of the city purchasing the street railway system, and an election will settle the question in November. Three daily papers oppose the scheme while the News favors it.—Escanaba Journal.

See Cook & Co. for Ribbons.

Ambler's Ice Cream with fruits are especially inviting as served at M. A. Briggs Confectionery.

**Preacher Was Laid Up**  
Rev. C. M. Knighton, Havana, Fla., writes: "For three months I suffered intense pain in the kidneys and back which at times laid me up entirely. I used 1½ bottles of Foley Kidney Pills and all the pain disappeared. I feel as if 20 years had been added to my life." Relieves rheumatism, backache, sore muscles, stiff joints. For sale by T. H. McGee.

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The Standard for 49 Years. Makes Perfect Finish for any and all purposes.

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**J. R. WALTERS**  
Farmington, Mich.

## Two Children had Croup

The two children of J. W. Nix, Cleveland, Ga., had croup. He writes: "Both got so choked up they could hardly breathe. I gave them Foley's Honey and Tar and nothing else and it completely cured them." Contains no opiates. Cuts the phlegm, opens air passages. For sale by T. H. McGee.

Anyway the Georgia jury in investigating the Frank lynching might have recommended a fine for some of the automobilists for not having their lights lit.

Ice Cream and Soft drinks served just right at M. A. Briggs confectionery.

## Announcement

## FORD

## UNIVERSAL CARS

THE FOLLOWING PRICES F. O. B. DETROIT, EFFECTIVE AUGUST 2nd, 1915:

Ford Runabout - \$390.00  
Ford Touring Car - 440.00  
Ford Town Car - 640.00

No speedometer included in this year's equipment, otherwise cars fully equipped

There can be no assurance given against an advance in these prices at any time. We guarantee, however, that there will be no reduction in these prices prior to August 1, 1916.

## Profit Sharing with Retail Buyers

On August 1, 1914 we made the announcement that if we could make and sell at retail 300,000 Ford cars between August 1, 1914 and August 1, 1915 we would share profits with the retail purchaser, to the extent of from \$40 to \$60 on each car. We have sold over 300,000 Ford cars in the time specified, and profit-sharing checks of \$50 each will be distributed as rapidly as possible after August 15, 1915. Retail purchasers who have not yet mailed us their profit-sharing coupons, properly endorsed, should do so without delay.

Our plan to profit-share with retail purchasers of Ford cars during 1914-15 has been most successful. We thoroughly believe in it, but realizing the uncertainty of conditions generally makes it advisable to defer any announcement of future profit-sharing until a later date.

We are, however, confident of our inability to reduce costs for several months, and therefore can offer no profit-sharing for cars delivered during August, September and October, 1915.

## The Park Garage

CARL R. ELY, Proprietor

Farmington, Mich