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FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Newsy Items Taken From Other Papers Over the County and Surrounding Territory.

James Leonard of this township was taken by Dr. Baker and Mrs. Leonard to the Pontiac state hospital Wednesday to which he was admitted on an emergency order. A hearing for a permanent order was set for Feb. 19th.—Milford Times.

J. A. Tillson of Pontiac, senior member of the firm of Tillson & Tillson, is seriously considering the question of getting into the race for the republican nomination for prosecuting attorney. There are liable to be several aspirants for the place, as Prosecuting Attorney Frank L. Doty is now serving his second term. He, however, may decide that he would like a third term, as did his predecessors, K. P. Rockwell and F. L. Covert.—Holt Advertiser.

A bill introduced in the Wisconsin legislature would forbid all educational institutions supported wholly or partly by public money to employ a teacher who smokes cigarettes and would not allow a diploma or certificate of education to be granted by any institution to a cigarette smoker. That reminds us that all school boys would do well to "cut out" the cigarettes for more reasons than one. Anyone under 21 who is caught smoking cigarettes can be dealt with according to law.

What Children Need Now

In spite of the best care mothers may give them this weather brings sickness to many children. Mrs. T. Neunauer, Eau Claire, Wis., writes: "Foley's Honey and Tar cured my boy of a severe attack of croup after other remedies had failed. It is a wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, croup and whooping cough." It stops the gripple coughs. For sale by T. H. McGee.

Local News

Wm. Shear is on the sick list. Ice harvest is again in progress. Will Ely was in Detroit Wednesday.

Mrs. Fred Westfall is on the sick list.

Rev. A. C. Stange was a Detroit visitor Thursday.

Ben Meyers was in Northville Monday forenoon.

Mrs. Burley, who lives on the Priano farm, is ill.

Supervisor James Hogle was in Pontiac on business Monday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Chamberlain is sick with grip.

W. E. Heeney and wife were Salem and Northville visitors Wednesday.

Miss Minetta Gilmer of Grand Rapids, visited last Sunday with Edessa Warner.

Miss Edessa Locke of Detroit, has been spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. Mark Bachelor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Simmons and two children of Elm, Sundayed at the home of the former's brother, Guy Simmons.

Herman Kraeger, who has been ill with rheumatism the past few days, was a Northville visitor Tuesday evening.

The basket ball games between Farmington and Redford high schools at Firemen's hall Wednesday evening were won by the local teams.

Misses Ernestine Pierce, Nettie Dickerson and Mildred Adams, of the Ypiliti Normal, spent the week end with their parents in this village.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack McMillan and Mrs. Chester Smith and two children of Detroit, visited last Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Randall.

Miss Mildred Prindle pleasantly entertained a number of her girl friends at her home last Friday evening. Light refreshments were served and a delightful evening spent.

Miss Mary Lee went to Owosso Monday to attend the funeral of Wellington Warren, a former resident of this town. Mrs. Warren is survived by her husband, four sons and two daughters.

E. S. Grace was in Pontiac Monday, attending the hearing of "wet and dry" arguments before Judge Smith. The case was adjourned for one week, on account of the illness of the "wets" attorney.

A large number of farmers and citizens of the village were in attendance upon the oyster supper and entertainment given by the Warner Dairy Co. to their milk patrons at Odd Fellow hall last evening, and as we go to press seem to be enjoying every minute.

Clarence Bicking, who has been with Carl Ely in the Park Garage, gave up his position this week to accept a position as traveling salesman with the General Sales Co., of Detroit, one of the oldest auto sales firms in the city. Mr. Bicking leaves Monday for Detroit, where he will put in a week at the store before going on the road.

The forty-second banquet of the Oakland County Pioneer and Historical society will be held in Pontiac February 22nd, in the Central M. E. church, and a good program has been prepared for the occasion. The banquet will be served by the ladies of the church in the evening, and every pioneer of the county is urged to be present. John Power, of this village, is one of the trustees of the society.

We have been sending in a number of subscriptions lately to Detroit Free Press. The combination offer that has been advertised proved very popular and still holds good. If you are on a rural route you can get the Free Press, Michigan Farmer, The Farmington Enterprise, Green's Fruit Grower and The Housewife all for the very low price of \$3.00, regular price \$5.00. The Free Press is the only real morning paper printed in Detroit at the present time, and reaches the rural patrons the same day it is published.

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WORK OF THE COMPRADOR

Important Personage in the Business Life of the Great Republic of China.

Americans and Europeans going to China to establish import and export business naturally find at the outset a barrier to intercourse with the natives in the language and customs of the country. The foreigner may know how to transact business with other whites, but is ignorant of how to do business with the Chinese.

To overcome this difficulty the comprador came into existence. He is a Chinaman, speaking "pidgin" English (corruption of "business" English), a strange mixture of English with Chinese accent, Portuguese and Chinese, and the principal means of communication between foreigners and the commercial Chinese. The comprador is usually a man of good financial standing who handles business with other Chinamen, and he is to some extent in partnership with the foreign import and export merchant.

All sales to Chinese are referred to him. He passes upon their credit, makes the sales, collects the money, and simply accounts to the foreign partner, who knows little or nothing of the Chinese end of the business, just as the comprador knows nothing of the American or European end of the business. In fact, each keeps a separate set of books, and the comprador often employs his own clerks and salesmen.

RETALIATION



The Scholar—My folks is dead set on me gettin' a education, but, by gum! I'm goin' to make it cost 'em somepin'.

NOT AN UNUSUAL CASE.

Smith—Say, old man, you haven't a place for my son in your office, have you?

Brown—Why, I thought you had taken him into your office.

Smith—So I did, but I couldn't run my business to suit him, and rather than get out myself, I let him go.

MATRIMONIAL JOYS.

Husband (reading)—This paper says a woman seldom achieves anything great.

Wife—It's a safe bet that article was written by a married woman.

Husband—How do you know?

Wife—Oh, because—and she was thinking of her husband when she wrote it.

THE REASON OF IT.

"How stuck-up all the Comeup family are!"

"No wonder. The head of it made his money in a glue factory."

DOUBLE MISHAP.

"Misfortunes never come single." "No, they don't. Here, just because I lost my head the other day you boss cut it off."

We are well equipped to do all kinds of job work, and we know how to do satisfactory work.

The Village Caucus

Candidates Placed in Nomination for the Several Village Offices.

Last evening some 30 citizens of the village assembled at Firemen's hall in the water works building, in response to the call for the village caucus, and placed in nomination candidates for the several village offices, to be voted on Monday, March 13th.

T. H. McGee was chosen chairman, F. H. Nichols, clerk and Dr. Miller and Edgar Pierce tellers.

The following were nominated, there being no great rivalry for the offices:

President—George Francis. Clerk—Ralph Hogle. Treasurer—John R. Walters. Trustee—Floyd H. Nichols. Trustee—Benjamin F. Meyers. Trustee—William P. Pauline. Assessor—John H. Thayer.

As we are about to go to press word comes to us that close to a thousand people were served at the Warner Dairy Co. oyster supper.

At the Races.

"Do you suppose that suspicious man over there is trying to pick winners?"

"He looks more to me as if he were trying to pick losers."

The Cause.

"What makes women go crazy over wounded soldiers and battered-up football players?"

"I suppose it is their instinctive passion for remnants."

Try the Enterprise liners.

Photographs made in the home, (by a traveling photographer even) may please you now. But in fifteen or twenty years they will be priceless. Then—suppose they begin to fade? Better not trust a traveling photographer. There is a very good reason why. I guarantee my pictures to be good. C. O. Wisdom, Photographer. Northville.

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A. H. Francis, Zenith, Kansas, writes: "I had a severe pain in my back and could hardly move. I took about two-thirds of a 50c box of Foley Kidney Pills and now feel entirely well." Middle-aged and older men and women find these safe pills relieve sleep disturbing bladder ailments. For sale by T. H. McGee.

LEGAL NOTICES

Probate Order

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland. At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the second day of February, A. D. 1916.

Present: Hon. Kiebler P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Charles M. Doherty, Deceased.

Thomas H. McGee, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is ordered, That four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further ordered, That the 3rd day of June, 1916, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

KIEBLER P. ROCKWELL, Judge of Probate. JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH, Probate Clerk. 25Feb-16