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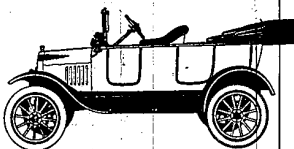
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"My Country 'Tis of Thee, Sweet Land of Liberty"

NEW AND OLD FRIENDS.

The Enterprise has been in existence for 30 years, during which time it has had many ups and downs and changes in management, but it has ever been ready and willing to do "its bit" in the betterment of Farmington and the surrounding territory. When the business was taken over by the present management two years ago in October it was our intention to work for the upbuild and development of this part of Oakland county; and therefore the betterment of the paper and business connected with it—the making of the Enterprise one of the best local papers in Oakland county, and Farmington one of the best and most progressive townships in the county.

The encouragement and support we have had during those 18 months of labor has been greatly appreciated, and has shown us that the people of this section recognize the necessity of a good local paper, for without solicitation on our part, except the ever foremost desire to make the paper a little better the coming week than it was when it made its last appearance, the Enterprise circulation has steadily increased.

However, we know there is still room for improvement; both on our part and the citizens of this corner of the county, and that there are a lot of people unacquainted with the Enterprise as it is today. Therefore, with the idea of getting the paper properly introduced to all newcomers in Farmington and the surrounding country, and especially to have old friends and readers of the Enterprise renew their acquaintance, which has for some

cause or another been dropped, we are each week sending out a few sample copies to persons not now on our list, and hope thereby to secure many new additions to our ever increasing subscription list.

Henry Ford is in favor of taxing big incomes to raise funds for the war. He says, "Many of our best and brightest young men are going to the front to risk their lives—their all, and in the same spirit we should give freely of our incomes that our government may lack nothing in the way of equipment and supplies to carry on the campaign."

The government will issue a daily newspaper during the war, known as the "Official Bulletin." It is also planned to issue a weekly bulletin, from which all newspapers are asked to copy as many items as possible for the information of the public.

Government officials announce that coal prices will be reasonable next winter, even if it is necessary to commandeer the mines to bring about the result. Maybe the war will bring a little bit of good to everybody.

"Teddy" goes to France, with a big company of volunteers. When a telegram was sent him from Washington announcing the decision of congress, his remark was "Bully!"

From All Over.

Plymouth is advocating the "manager" form of government for that village.

Northville stores were visited by robbers last week and goods valued at \$200 taken from one store.

The Oakland County Road Commission has installed three fifteen and two three-ton trucks in the road building operations of the county, to take the place of teams.

Dr. Arthur C. Adler, with the Rockwell drug store at Plymouth, aged 37 years, was struck by a D. U. R. car last Friday night, and was almost instantly killed when the auto he was riding in to Detroit became stalled on the car tracks near Sheldon stop on Michigan avenue.

Otto Lindenberg, aged 47, of Detroit, was drowned last Saturday night at Cass Lake when a boat in which he was riding overturned. His companion William Friedhond, also of Detroit, narrowly escaped by clinging to the capsized boat until his cries for help brought assistance from the shore.

We have received a copy of that most useful and handy little volume of 48 pages, Booklet 272 "Roster of the Sixty-Fifth Congress of the United States," published by The American Protective Tariff League, New York, and mailed with the compliments of The League to all of its connections. The Roster is a convenience which should be on every man's desk. It contains a full list of the Senators and Representatives of the Sixty-Fifth Congress, and the Congressional Tariff Committees. The large number of letters from congressmen and business men expressing unabated interest in Protection as the right American policy in peace or in war are very interesting.

CORRESPONDENCE

Items of Interest From the Surrounding Country, Cleaned by Our Correspondents.

Clarenceville Items.

Little Arthur Fulkerson is getting along nicely.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Waack is very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Simpn Johnson spent last Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. V. G. Lockwood was a caller in Farmington Monday.

Mrs. Will shoots, of Pontiac, was a Clarenceville caller Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jensen, Mrs.

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B. Cook and Jack Lundy motored to Orchard Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hutchins, of Detroit, spent Saturday and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Will Eckler.

Miss Lottie Davison and Miss Marie Brown, of Redford, spent Saturday evening and Sunday with Mrs. Otis Jensen.

The cemetery meeting that was held with Mrs. Cook was well attended. Will meet with Mrs. Adolph Nacker the second Thursday in June.

There will be a free entertainment given May 25th at Clarenceville school District No. 5, at 8 p. m. At the end of the entertainment the Junior Circle of King's Daughters and Sons will sell ice cream and cake. Come Everybody.

About 50 friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon gave them a farewell party at their home Saturday evening. The evening was spent in games and dancing. At 11:30 a very dainty lunch was served, and they were presented with a very nice gift. The neighbors and friends regret to see them leave our village, for they are fine people. They left for their new home at Walled Lake Wednesday morning. We all wish them success in their new home.

Powers Station

George Stuckey was in Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beach, of Pontiac, Sundayed in this vicinity.

Mrs. George Simmons and Mrs. Kathryn Grey and baby were in Northville Monday.

Mrs. Frank Bryan is entertaining her father, Mr. Mackentire, from Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Simmons and sons, Marlin and Stanley, and Mrs. Wm. Greer went to Pontiac Tuesday in the former's auto.

The Busy Bee club met at the home of Mrs. Joe Graham Thursday. The afternoon was spent in crocheting, and light refreshments were served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held at the home of Helen Rackham Thursday, May 31st.

Little Edward French got his arm fractured by being shut in the door by one of the pupils at school last week. The doctor set it and it is getting along slowly. School children, especially the older ones should be more careful while playing with the smaller children.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schultz and little son Donald, from Inkster, visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Greer. Mr. Greer taking them as far as Wayne on their return home in the evening, in his auto. Mrs. Schultz will be remembered as Meta Zimmerman.

LEGAL NOTICES

Probate Order

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 15th day of May, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. Neil E. Reid, Judge of Probate of Macomb county, acting as Judge of Probate for Oakland county, Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate for Oakland county, being temporarily absent from the State of Michigan.

In the matter of the estate of Butler W. Eward, deceased, J. Gilman Madison, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying for license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described it is Ordered, That

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The Ninth Day of June, A. D. 1917, at 8:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate should not be granted. It is further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

NEIL E. REID,
Acting as Judge of Probate for Oakland County
JUDSON A. FREDENBURGH,
18m7 Register of Probate.

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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 15th day of May, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Carl L. Fendell, deceased, Mary Fendell, administratrix of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying for the examination and allowance of her final account, the determination of the heirs at law of said deceased, the distribution of the assets of said estate and the discharge of said administratrix. It is Ordered, That

Second Day of June, A. D. 1917, at 8:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL,
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Probate Order

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 twenty-sixth day of April, A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Christopher Brassow, deceased, George A. Brassow, having filed a petition, praying that an instrument filed in said court be admitted to probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to himself, the executor named in the will, or to some other suitable person. It is ordered, that the

Twenty-sixth Day of May, A. D. 1917, at 8:30 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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