

**Chancery Notice**

STATE OF MICHIGAN.

In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland.—In Chancery.

No. 7945.

Fred M. Warner, Plaintiff.

vs.

Loren Chapin, Oliver B. Smith, Mary Herrick, H. W. Gould, The Unknown Wife of Debes Davis, the Unknown Wife of Henry N. Walker, the Unknown Wife of Thaddeus S. Kent, Williams, Harris & Company, a co-partnership composed of Mrs. C. Williams, Lowell B. Harris and Rodney C. Wood, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants.

At a session of said court, held at the Court House, in the City of Pontiac, County and State aforesaid, on the 13th day of September, A. D. 1917.

Present: Honorable George W. Smith, Circuit Judge.

In this cause it satisfactorily appearing to the court by the sworn bill of complaint, filed in said cause, that the above named defendants are necessary and proper parties to said cause, and that the present whereabouts of the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns are unknown and cannot be ascertained.

On motion of Pelton & McGee, attorneys for plaintiff.

It is Ordered, that the said defendants, Loren Chapin, Oliver B. Smith, Mary Herrick, R. W. Gould, the unknown wife of Debes Davis, the unknown wife of Henry N. Walker, the unknown wife of Thaddeus S. Kent, Williams, Harris & Company, a co-partnership, composed of Mrs. C. Williams, Lowell B. Harris and Rodney C. Wood, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cause their appearance to be entered in said cause within three months from the date of this order; and that in default thereof the said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendants, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

It is further ordered that within twenty days from the date hereof, the plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in the County of Oakland, once in each week, for six successive weeks, or that a copy of this order be personally served upon each of the said defendants at least twenty days before the time prescribed for their appearance.

GEORGE W. SMITH,

Commissioner; Circuit Judge.

MARTHA E. MAURER,

Deputy Clerk.

TAKE NOTICE, that this suit is commenced, and is brought to quiet title and correct description to the following described premises, situated in the Village of Farmington, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, and more particularly described as follows:

"A parcel of land shown on the record of the County of Oakland, on the said Village of Farmington, on that part known as Simmons' Acre and lot One (1) of said addition, and being indicated on the Northwest Quarter of Section Twenty-seven (27), Town One (1) North, Range Nine (9) East, and bounded as follows: On the southerly side by the northerly line of the Detroit and Howell Plank Road; and on the westerly side by land owned and occupied by the Farmington Exchange Bank (being land formerly owned by Warren B. Ford); and on the westerly side by land owned by Amanda M. Collins."

PELTON & MCGEE,

Attorneys for Plaintiff.

Business Address, Pontiac, Michigan.

**The Farmington Enterprise**

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VOLUME 32 NO. 1

With today's issue of the Enterprise we begin Volume 32, the paper having been established in 1886.

During the past 31 years the paper has experienced many changes in ownership, the present editor taking possession two years ago in October.

Our personal connection with the Enterprise for two years has been pleasant to ourselves and we sincerely hope it has been to our readers and friends. We have experienced a substantial growth during the two years just past, both in new subscribers, advertising and job work, but still there is room for still greater growth in the coming twelve months and we hope before another year passes we will merit and see a substantial increase in all departments.

But few of our readers, we imagine, ever give a thought to the value of a live newspaper to the town and community. The "home paper" has an influence that is hard to overestimate. It is a mirror in which those from a distance see us. The town and community is judged by the support given the local paper, and we have made an effort during our editorship to make the Enterprise representative of one of the best towns in Michigan.

It is the plain duty of all who are interested in our town to take personal interest in the town's paper and assist in every way possible in making it a true representative of our intelligent and hospitable people, as well as our enterprising and rapidly developing little city. Send the paper to your friends, bring us the news and do your duty by your home paper and it will meet you more than half way. When you help your home paper you help your town; and directly help yourself, for we are all equally interested in our town and community.

Despite the war and its bearing on conditions Farmington has experienced a substantial growth during the past year and has every prospect of becoming larger and more progressive in the next year, only lacking push and progressiveness by our citizens. Lets wake up and boost for Farmington.

In conclusion we would thank the merchants and citizens of our community for the support accorded the paper, and the friendliness extended us, and can truly say that the Enterprise stands first, last and all the time for the prosperity and growth of Farmington and its surrounding territory, and our goal is for the best town, the best local paper, and the prosperity of all.

When you hear such nonsense as that the government is to seize the money in the banks, and the housewife's canned goods, and the farmers' crops, then look out for the Prussian propagandist in the woodpile.—Ex.

Beginning today you will have to pay eight percent of your railroad or street car fare as a war tax, if in excess of 25 cents. Most every person in the United States will be subject to a war tax—not much on any one thing, but in the aggregate a large sum of money will be derived by the government.



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**Important Sale of Registered Holstein-Friesian Stock**

As will appear in the auction sale advertisement elsewhere in this issue, the Washtenaw County Holstein-Friesian Cattle Breeders' club will hold an important sale of pure bred stock at Ypsilanti on the 14th of November. The secretary of the club in speaking of the danger of a milk famine, which has been predicted, owing to the slaughtering of cows due to the high price of beef, very properly urges the importance of having these pure bred animals kept in this section instead of going into some other state. He emphasizes also the fact that America will be called upon after the war to furnish the breeding stock to rebuild the live stock industry of Europe.

Enterprise liners pay. Auction Sales. Watch the ads.

Give the liner column a try.

Oakland county bond sales reached a total of \$2,171,000.

The local draft examination board, division No. 2, for Oakland county, whose headquarters have been in Clarkston, was changed to Royal Oak, 413 Washington avenue, on November 1st, and all communications to the board should be so addressed hereafter.

The greatest asset of our nation is health. The greatest liability is disease. We should bring our books to a balance. Every day be able to charge off. Remember we are not as healthy as we should be, or may be. Disease is rampant and our hope is through the intelligent care of public health. We are gaining knowledge; this knowledge brings new laws and better results. We inherit both health and disease. If our public health had been properly safeguarded through the past generations from the thousand and one bad sources of contamination, disease would be practically unknown. Let us then instill in the youth of our land the advantages of good health for the protection of future generations.

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**OUR CORRESPONDENTS**

Items of interest from the Surrounding County, gleaned by our Correspondents.

**Powers Station**

Rackhams are picking apples. Threshers at Greens and Clossons.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Simmons were in Detroit on Monday.

Mrs. John Greer remains about the same, from her sickness of pneumonia.

Jess Johnson was visiting Mr. Closson last Sunday, having a twenty-four hour leave from Camp Custer, before leaving for Texas.

**Thayer School District.**

Mr. and Mrs. G. Pankow were Northville callers Friday afternoon of last week.

Will Herman and Lizzie Wick, of Northville, spent the week end with their parents here.

Mrs. George Simmons and daughter, Mildred, were guests of relatives in Pontiac for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Rixen entertained company from Grosse Pointe Saturday night and Sunday of this week.

Mrs. Charles King and little daughter, of Detroit, spent a few days the first of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Foster.

The Sunday school here joined the Baptist Sunday school at Farmington in a supper and entertainment Thursday evening. A good time was had by all, and the program largely enjoyed by those present.

**Novi News Items.**

(Too late for last week)

Mrs. O. S. Hulett has been ill. Mrs. Naomi Kent, of Olivet, has been visiting her son, Archie Kent and family.

Miss Ella Pickard and Mr. Howard Bollett were married last Thursday, Oct. 25.

The little daughter, Margaret, of Mr. and Mrs. George Gleason has been very ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. A. T. Rice has gone to her daughter's, Mrs. Simmonds at Northville, to spend the winter.

The little baby of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lavall died Saturday, Oct. 20, in the children's hospital in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Huey have returned from Portland, Ind., after a two weeks' visit among friends and relatives.

Rev. C. A. Slack is our new Baptist minister, taking the place of Rev. Hutton, who resigned on account of poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Cudabach, of Flint, visited the fore part of last week, with the latter's sister, Mrs. Phil Taylor and family.

Mrs. H. Creger is able to be out again, after her recent illness.

Mrs. E. Banks visited at her daughters at Farmington the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Putman called on Mrs. Frank Chapman at Grace hospital Sunday.

Miss Mae Holcomb was home from Redford, where she is teaching school, over Sunday.

visited in Toledo and Buffalo, on their wedding trip, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Richardson, of Cleveland, Ohio, visited at the Jud Richardson home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Walter and children spent Sunday with the latter's sister and mother in Detroit.

Little Margaret Gleason is still very ill, the fore part of this week. They held a council of doctors Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Chapman is still very ill at Grace hospital, where she underwent an operation about two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Flint motored to Ypsilanti Sunday, where they visited the former's mother, Mrs. Alice Flint and Mary; also found Mrs. A. Sly very ill.

As one way to save the contents of the coal bin, it is suggested that American homes be kept at 70 degrees this winter instead of 40. There is no doubt that many houses are kept much warmer than is necessary for the best health of the occupants. It is all a matter of starting right in the fall and sticking to it. A little more in the way of underclothing would call for a little less coal.—Ex.

O'Brien—O! can't you win thing. O'm a self made man. Casey—Is it best in ye or apologin'—Irish World.

Mrs. X.—I see a man died at the age of 118. Mr. X.—Well, it was about time, wasn't it?—Punch Bowl.

New York's finest preserve contains 3,325,000 acres and is valued at \$50,000,000.

Most of the lead mined in the United States is smelted in three states—Missouri, Idaho and Utah.

Spain's almond trees yield 25 per cent of the world's supply.

The United States has more than 8,000,000 factory employees and 1,900,000 railroad employees.

A man must make his way in the world, while a woman merely has her way.—Atlanta Journal.

Prussia forbids use of foreign words in public prints.

Struggling to get rich quick keeps many a man poor.

Of all colors red is the most conspicuous at a distance.

How slowly the hours pass to the unhappy—Saurin.

The art of candy making originated with the Chinese long ago.

The Spanish dining fleets employ about 80,000 men.

The fellow who has made up his mind that he can't, won't.

Joel R. Kellogg, 97 years, and one of Plymouth's oldest and most highly respected citizens, died last week. He had lived in Plymouth 87 years.

Enterprise liners sell things.

**Probate Order**

STATE OF MICHIGAN, In 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-ninth Day of October, A. D. 1917.

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

In the matter of the estate of Palmer Sherman, deceased. E. F. Holcomb, 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 E. F. Holcomb, the executor named in the will, or to some other suitable person. It is ordered, that

Twenty fourth Day of November, A. D. 1917, at 2:30 o'clock in the forenoon, 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, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county.

HELENE P. ROCKWELL, A True Copy. Judge of Probate. JUDSON A. FREDENBERG, 160077 Register of Probate.



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