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ANNUAL MEETING

New School House Open for Your Inspection a Week From Monday.

The annual school meeting of Farmington School District (No. 5), will be held a week from Monday evening, July 14th, in the old building at 8 o'clock.

The present school board consists of F. M. Warner, F. H. Nichols, J. J. Webster, D. L. Dickerson and Fred Staman. Mr. Nichols and Mr. Webster's term of office expires this year, making two trustees to be elected at this meeting.

There should be a large attendance at this meeting, as it is the duty of every taxpayer to know what is being done in the schools of his district. Then you will want to inspect the new school house, which will, we understand, be open that evening, giving everyone an opportunity to see how nicely we are equipped for the coming years.

The teaching force, as engaged by the board for next year is as follows: Superintendent—R. A. Babcock. Principal—Florence Hicks. History and English—N. Gertrude Kenney.

Mathematics—Glady Thornton. Junior High—Naomi Nichols. Fifth and Sixth Grades—Drene Halberstam. Third and Fourth Grades—Mabel D. Haddock. First and Second Grades—Alice M. Verkes.

Music, Drawing and Kindergarten—Mildred Snyder.

The new building will be ready for occupancy for the beginning of the fall term, and there is every indication that we will have one of the best schools in this section next year. However a great deal depends upon the citizens of the village, and your presence at the meeting a week from Monday will be a good starter toward doing your part for the benefit of our local school system.

Remember the date, Monday evening, July 14th, and be there.

FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Newly Taken From Other Papers in and About the County.

Few things are more interesting, according to an Oxford cigar store philosopher, than a woman with a tight skirt trying to get onto a street car.—Oxford Leader

During a heavy electrical disturbance last night the commencement exercises were shortened by the fuses blowing out, leaving the house in darkness.—Rochester Era.

One prominent Livingston Co. farmer let the gypsy hold his pocket book while she told his fortune. The sherriff later got back \$50. Why should a man go into a deal of that kind and then "squeal"? What did he expect.—Milford Times.

Mr. John Krave has started work on his new dam at the Berg and Seven mile roads. The object of the dam is to beautify the ground by making a small lake set with islands connected by bridges along with a deer run and other surroundings. This will be one of the finest and most complete homes around Detroit.—Redford Record.

The situation in the Detroit postal service is getting more serious each week and unless Congress acts promptly in increasing pay of employees it may be necessary for everybody to go after their mail. Now boys and girls in their teens are carrying the mail in residential sections and while the little folks are doing their very best, they have neither strength or experience to render satisfactory service.—Detroit Courier.

The home of Charles Mather on Main street was burglarized early last Friday morning. The thieves gained entrance to the house through a kitchen window which had been left unfastened. The rooms down stairs were gone through drawers were pulled open and thoroughly "ransacked". One of the pantry drawers the robbers secured \$329 in cash, and a diamond ring was taken from the living room. A \$100 Liberty bond in an envelope on the table was overlooked, as was also a valuable pin.—Plymouth Mail.

New Library Books

The following books have recently been added to the Farmington Library:

Out of the Silence, by M. E. Waller. Dawn, by Eleanor Porter. The Sagebrusher, by Emerson Hough. Valley of Vision, by Henry Van Dyke. An American, by Mary Dillon. The Highflyer, by Clarence B. Kelland. The Sky Pilot, by Ralph Connor. The Three Black Pennies, by J. Hergeshelmer. Old Dad, by Eleanor H. Abbott. The Red Signal, by Grace L. Latta. The Green Mirror, by Hugh Walpole. Cheerful by Request, by Edna Ferber. Boy's Life of Mark Twain, by Albert Bigelow Paine. Boy's Life of Theodore Roosevelt, by Herbert Hagadone. The Young Farmer, by George B. Heill. Baldy of Nome, by Esther B. Darling. Hackberry Finn, by Mark Twain. Four School-Text Series. Four Helen Series. Jane Stuart Twin, Jane Stuart Chum, by Grace M. Emerick. Story of General Pershing, by Everett Tomlinson. The Desert of Wheat, U. P. Trail by Zana Gray. The Day of Glory, by Dorothy Canfield.

The Library is reported to be in a flourishing condition. A card system of circulation has recently been installed, and the co-operation of the patrons of the library is urged, that it may be a complete success. Especial attention is given to the needs of the children, both in the selection of proper books and in instruction as to their use. It being the aim of the librarian and her assistants to impress upon them that good books are their best friends, and should be treated accordingly.

The management of the Library association is in the hands of the following ladies, elected at the last annual meeting:

President—Mrs. Minnie Wilber. Vice President—Miss Esther Boynton. Secretary and Treasurer—Mrs. Ernestine Pierce. Auditor—Mrs. Josephine McGee. Board of Directors—Mrs. Agnes Chamberlain, Miss Zayda Steele, Mrs. Florence Moore, Mrs. Martha Schroeder, Miss Martha Stange, Mrs. Lee Wilver, Miss Emma Gildemister, Mrs. Nina Whipple.

Librarian—Miss Mary Kennedy.

Candidate for School Board

At a recent meeting of the Farmington Literary Club the matter of presenting a woman candidate for membership on the school board was discussed and out of a number of names selected at large from the village the name of Ester Boynton received the most votes.

Miss Boynton is a woman who has had wide experience and the members of the club feel that they are doing the public a real service in presenting her name as a candidate. She has taught in the Detroit public schools for many years, and has a real love for and interest in children. We feel sure that all who have the least interest of our school at heart will give her their enthusiastic support. At the annual meeting Monday evening, July 14th.

CHURCH NOTES

Salem Evangelical
Rev. A. C. Stange, pastor, will preach each alternate Sunday morning at 10:45 eastern time, in the Farmington and Clarenceville Evangelical churches.

The Farmington Ladies Aid meets on the 2nd Wednesday of each month at the parsonage.

Methodist Church
Morning 10:30 Evening 7:30
Sunday School 10:45
E. C. C. Benson, Pastor
Theme for Sunday morning: "The Psalm of Life." The evening subject will be "Tenting."

Sunday school at noon.
Special music at all services, and the choir is especially invited to attend.

Carl Brunner, of London, Ont., visited with his aunt, Mrs. Leon Green, the fore part of the week.

FOR SALE—Three houses in the village of Farmington. Easy terms. See Warner Bros. 27c

WARNER-MARTINDALE

Howard M. Warner and Miss Clarissa L. Martindale Married Last Saturday.

Last Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. Matthias church, Detroit, occurred the marriage of Howard M. Warner, son of Ex-Gov. and Mrs. Fred Warner, and Miss Clarissa Laura Martindale, daughter of Wales C. Martindale, both of Farmington, Rev. H. C. Atwater performing the ceremony in the presence of the relatives and near friends of the bride and groom.

The setting for the marriage was a large bank of palms, gladioli and lily dragons, the bride being attended by Mrs. F. Carew Martindale, of Lansing, as matron of honor, Miss Edna Martindale and Edessa Warner as bridesmaids, while Howard M. Warner, brother of the groom, acted as best man, F. Carew Martindale, of Lansing, and George C. Martindale, of Chicago, acting as ushers.

The bride was taken in a dress of tulle and lace and carried a bouquet of white garden flowers, while the matron of honor and maids wore orchid organdies. Little Miss Florence Martindale, niece of the bride, acted as ring bearer.

The ceremony was followed by a buffet luncheon and reception in the refreshment room of the church, and after receiving congratulations for their future prosperity and happiness Mr. and Mrs. Warner left in the afternoon for a trip to Michigan, when they will return to this village and make their home in their newly purchased home on Grand River avenue.

Mrs. Ralph Sprenger

Mrs. Ralph Sprenger passed away at the home of her sister, Winifred Oldenburg, Wednesday, July 2, 1919, at 10:55 a. m.

Mrs. Sprenger, formerly Cynthia A. Oldenburg, daughter of Charles T. Oldenburg and Julia Mason, was born in Farmington February 25, 1839. She attended the local schools and Cleary Business College at Ypsilanti. In 1908 she began training as a nurse in New York City and followed that profession until August 29, 1913, when she was married to Ralph Sprenger, of New York City.

In September 1913, she came with her husband to Detroit, where they resided until May 30th last, when she was brought to her old home west of town.

Besides her husband, she leaves her father, Charles F. Oldenburg, her sister, Winifred, and brother, Harold, all of Farmington, and a brother, William, of Detroit.

The funeral will take place Saturday, July 5th, 2:30 p. m. Interment will be in Oakwood cemetery.

Local News

Joe Graham and family visited Sunday with John Grace and family of Clarenceville.

Mrs. C. Bicking in Detroit Wednesday, and spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hatton.

Leo Gildemister attended the 4th Annual High School banquet at Northville Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ruth Keith and children, of Detroit, spent Saturday with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Graham.

Dr. Elmer Switzer and wife, of Milford, have been visiting with his father, Dr. G. R. Switzer this week.

Miss Reva Schraeder, of Northville, visited from Tuesday until Thursday with Misses Edna and Margaret Krager.

Mrs. K. Gullen and son, Mrs. Harry Mass and children, Mrs. Will Mass, Jr., and Misses Minnie Mais, Martha Stange, Hertha and Emma Gildemister spent Friday at Bob-Lo.

We were wrong in our data for school meeting last week. It should have been July 14th.

Mrs. C. W. Wilber has been spending the week with her brother, Ernest M. Sprague and family, at Rye Beach near Sandusky, Ohio, taking her nephew, Master Robert Sprague who had been visiting here, back with her.

The "Want Column" will interest you.

Local News

Haying is in progress. The Council meeting Monday night.

Fred Maas home from overseas last Saturday.

Mrs. Leon Green visited with her aunt, Miss Ella Kelley, at Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. William Chamberlain and Miss Sarah Cairns were Detroit visitors Monday.

Clarence Bicking has a new garage nearly completed at his residence on Oakland Road.

George and Marguerite Smith, of Detroit, visited with Miss Minnie Toomey Sunday.

Miss Ruth Carlisle began her work in the special preparatory in Detroit Monday morning.

Miss Ethel Warner, of Detroit, has been the guest of her sister, Miss Nina, for a few days.

Postage rates back to the old schedule—letters two cents and postal card one cent—last Tuesday.

Mrs. L. I. Halsey, of Detroit, called on her cousin, Mrs. W. E. Lord and family, last Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Hendricks and little son are spending a month at the resorts and old friends in Indiana.

A number from here attended the dancing party at the Taylor dance hall at Walked Lake Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Smith, of Detroit, spent the day Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Reed Webster and family.

Mrs. Charles Collins and baby visited with his mother, Mrs. James Collins, at Detroit, last week Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pierce attended the wedding of Miss Cary Matelson and D. Noverl Kulsavage, in Detroit, last Friday.

Rev. Homer Henderson and family, of Detroit, motored out last week and visited with Reed Webster and family and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pierce attended Hitchcock, of Detroit, spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. M. B. Pierce and husband.

C. W. Wilber, who has been working at the Northville State Bank since June 6th, was last week elected cashier of that institution.

Mrs. J. J. Webster spent the day last Sabbath with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Warner, in Detroit, and attended the D. P. church.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lord and child drove left last Sunday for a week's visit with relatives and friends at Lansing, Dimondale, and Davison.

Mrs. Charles Perry and two daughters, Ellen and Lorraine, left Wednesday morning for Vanderbit, Ohio county, for a week's visit with relatives.

Once in a while we run across a man who is too busy to "knock" anybody or anything, and we then wish the town were full of just such people.

Lewis Murphy, of Bad Axe, visited with his sister, Mrs. Charles Collins and husband, last week while on his way to Ypsilanti to attend summer school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Barker, of New Hudson, who have been visiting their son, Carl Parker and family, and George Barnes and family, of Redford, left Monday for their home.

Mrs. J. E. St. Johns, of Lansing, who came here to attend the wedding of Howard Warner and Miss Clarissa Martindale, has been spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred M. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Worch, formerly of Detroit, but now of St. Paul, Minn., Mrs. Worch's sister, Mrs. Sabin and Mr. and Mrs. Walle, of Detroit, visited with Miss Helen Ford last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Leahy, Miss Florence Butler and Warren Gray, of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Duffey, of Detroit, visited with Mrs. Mary M. Butler at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bryan Sunday.

Chancery Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND.—IN CHANCERY: No. 8608. Frank P. Botsford, George W. Botsford, Milton C. Botsford and Frank P. Botsford, Plaintiffs.

John Claycherry, Stephen S. Jennings, Sally Jennings, Wm. M. Jennings, Jane P. Durham, Olive Anderson, Alice Adams, Henry Berry, Luther Newman, P. R. Allison, Orin Weston Nehemiah Weston, Cornelius Race, James H. Murray, P. Dean Warner, Albert Warner, and Mrs. Clara M. Warner, the unknown wife of John Claycherry, the unknown wife of Albert V. Durham, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of each and every of them, and John Varson, Wm. A. Smith and Nathaniel Smith, President and Director of the Clarenceville Cheese Factory, a Corporation, its successors or assigns, and

Augusta Vvaack, Lucy Smith Kennedy and Fred M. Warner, Defendants.

At a session of said Court held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1919, present: Honorable Klieser F. Rockwell, Circuit Judge.

Upon reading the sworn Bill of Complaint and duly read said cause, and the affidavit on file therein, from which Bill of Complaint, and a. d. affidavit it satisfactorily appears to the Court that the defendants above named, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, successors and assigns are necessary and proper parties in the above entitled cause; and

It further appearing, that all the foregoing named parties (other than Fred M. Warner, Lucy Smith Kennedy and Augusta Vvaack) are dead, and that the names, residences and whereabouts of their heirs-at-law, devisees, legatees, successors or assigns, except as aforesaid, cannot be ascertained by said plaintiffs after diligent search and inquiry.

On motion of Pelton and McGee, attorneys for said plaintiffs:

IT IS ORDERED: that the appearance of each and all the foregoing named defendant, and all the foregoing named parties, in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and that in case of their appearance, or the appearance of any of them, that they cause their answers to the Bill of Complaint to be filed; and a copy of each thereof, to be served upon the attorneys for plaintiffs within fifteen days after service of this order, and in default thereof, that said Bill be taken as confessed by said defendants; and that they shall fail to comply with the requirements of this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the said plaintiffs cause this Order to be published in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County and that said publication be commenced within twenty days from the date of this order and that such publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, except as aforesaid, cause a copy of this Order to be personally served upon each said defendant named herein, at least twenty days before the time prescribed for their appearance.

KLEBER F. P. ROCKWELL, Circuit Judge

Consigned: M. H. MAURER, Deputy Clerk.

PELTON & MCGEE, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Business Address, Pontiac, Michigan. TAKE NOTICE that this suit is brought to quiet title to the following described land, situate in the Township of Farmington, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, and more particularly described as follows:

"Part of West half of Southeast quarter of Section thirty-six (36), Town one (1) North, Range 9 (9) East, beginning at the intersection of the Eastern line of said West half and the center of the Grand River Road; thence Northwesteally along the center line of said Grand River Road, Eleven (11) chains and forty-one (41) links to the Southeast corner of and conveyed to Wm. Shaw and wife by deed recorded in Liber 273 page 18, Oakland County Records; thence northerly parallel with the Eastern line of said West half of Section thirty-six (36) to the Southeast corner of said West half of Section thirty-six (36); being along the Eastern line of said West half to the point of beginning."

Excepting therefrom a parcel of land in Southeastly corner decided to Fred Botsford by deed recorded in Liber 101 page 152-3.

Also excepting the rights of the public in the Grand River Road.

PELTON & MCGEE, Attorneys for Plaintiffs

CHANCERY NOTICE

STATE OF MICHIGAN: IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND.—IN CHANCERY: No. 8621.

Albert W. Sulkowski and Edith F. Sulkowski, Plaintiffs.

Edward C. Walker, the unknown wife of William C. Blackwood, the unknown wife of John J. Gage, Moses Clark Jr., the unknown wife of John M. Mead, John Thomas, Charles Thomas, Elizabeth Thomas, Helen Thomas, Samuel Blackwood, Mary Blackwood, Robert Blackwood, Samuel Blackwood, Thomas Blackwood, William Blackwood, Richard Blackwood, Mary Blackwood, Alice Blackwood, the unknown wife of Richard H. Blackwood, Marquitta Wallin, Winifred Wallin, Alice Wallin, Lena Botsford and Harrison Paulnick and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of each and every of them.

Defendants.

At a session of said Court held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1919, present: Honorable Frank L. Covert, Circuit Judge.

On reading the sworn Bill of Complaint duly filed in said cause, from which it satisfactorily appears to the Court that the defendants above named, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are necessary and proper parties in the above entitled cause; and

It further appearing, that all of the foregoing named parties, other than Marquitta Wallin, Winifred Wallin and Alice Wallin, are dead, and that the names, residences and whereabouts of their heirs-at-law, devisees, legatees or assigns, except as aforesaid, cannot be ascertained by said plaintiffs after diligent search and inquiry.

On motion of Pelton & McGee attorneys for said plaintiffs:

IT IS ORDERED that the appearance

of each and all the foregoing named defendants be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order and that in case of their appearance, or the appearance of any of them, they cause their answer to the Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy of each thereof to be served upon the attorneys for plaintiffs within fifteen days after service upon them, or their attorneys, of a copy of said Bill, and in default thereof, that said Bill be taken as confessed by the said defendants who shall fail to comply with the requirements of this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the said plaintiffs cause this order to be published in the Farmington Enterprise, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County, and that said publication be commenced within twenty days from the date of this order and be continued therein once in each week for six successive weeks, or that said plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be personally served upon each of said defendants named herein, at least twenty days before the time prescribed for his, her or their appearance.

Frank L. Covert, Circuit Judge

Consigned: Floyl B. Babcock, Clerk.

Pelton & McGee, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Business Address, Pontiac, Michigan. TAKE NOTICE that this suit is brought to quiet title to the following described land situate in the Township of Farmington, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, and more particularly described as follows:

"The Northeast quarter of Section twenty (20), and the East half of the East half of the Northwest quarter of Section twenty (20), all in Town one (1) North of Range nine (9) East, Michigan."

PELTON & MCGEE, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

LITTLE WANT ADS

FOR SALE—At Warner Farm, ton Tons Hay. 31c

FOR SALE—A quantity of Hay in barn. Inquire of Clarence Utley, East Farmington. 34p

FOR SALE—Visiting cards—either printed or engraved. Best of work and prices right. Ask the Enterprise man.

FOR SALE—Deering 7-foot cut Grain Binder, nearly new. Inquire of Carl Hatton, Farmington. 32c

FOR SALE—Old moving picture building; good sound barn frame and sills. Inquire of Henry Pauline. 34p.

FOR SALE—1 acre and Buildings; Base Burner; Incubator; Kitchen Cabinet; Crops. Apply to owner, Wm. W. Macdonald, Cor. Adams and Power aves.

FURNITURE—Upholstered and refinished. Hunt up that old Walnut and have something useful made out of it. Prices reasonable. R. B. Botsford, shop back of house, Farmington. 23ct

STATIONERY—Let us print you some nice stationery. Good work and reasonable prices.

FOR SALE—Brown Horse Weight about 1250; extra good farm horse, and quantity hay. Mark Bachelor, phone 59w5. 33c

FOR SALE—Large sheets of Blotting paper; also Bristol Board, Cards of all kinds, either printed or plain. Call at the Enterprise and see what we have.

WANTED

25 Carpenters; 2 Carpenter Foremen

85 Cents Regular Carpenters; Foremen According to Ability

Inquire of

EDGAR T. TOWER

at Grand River Lumber Co.

Redford