

LOCAL STORES RANSACKED

E. C. Grace, C. W. Chamberlain and C. F. Smith Stores Visited Last Week

Last Thursday morning when Ben Meyers came down to the barber shop he discovered that some one had taken the place during the night and entered three watches from the C. W. Chamberlain jewelry department...

Entrance was gained at the Grace store through the basement window, the robber going up to the first floor and departing the same way...

The sheriff's office at Pontiac was notified, but up to Wednesday morning of this week no trace of the robber had been found.

Bringing the boy, who was rather poorly dressed and carrying his shoes and stockings over his shoulder to the village, we let him out at the Enterprise office...

Putting the story of the robbery, the ride given the boy and the street car accident together the indications are that the boy that the Enterprise man gave a ride is the one who did the burglarizing.

Co-operative Threshers The threshing problem is not uniform in Oakland county.

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

Methodist Church Morning 10:30 Evening 7:30 Sunday School 11:45 E. C. C. Benson, Pastor

Village Taxes Being received the village tax roll will be at the Warner Dairy Co. office, beginning today, Friday July 11th, each Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Thursday and Friday until August 15th.

The "Want Column" will interest you.

New Equipment

Owing to the fact that we were left two weeks almost on a student's notice without help in the Enterprise office, and that it is almost impossible to secure help that is capable, we have decided to install a typesetting machine, and gave an order for the same this week.

However, we are still keeping the paper up to standard we hope, and can promise a much better Enterprise after the installation of the Linotype, which owing to a large number of orders the company would not guarantee under two or three months' time.

Goes to Toledo

Rev. A. C. Stange, who has been pastor of the Salem Evangelical churches in the village and Clarenceville for the past 10 years will retire from active ministerial service about September 1st, and with his wife and daughter, move to Toledo, Ohio.

Rev. Stange has spent the last 45 years in the pulpit, 10 of which were in the local church, and thinks he is deserving of a rest.

During his pastorate here, the local church has lost, through moving to the city and by death 15 families and gained but two. There are at present some 55 families represented in the church society.

Rusty Needle in Hand

A couple of weeks ago Thursday Mrs. Fred Goers, in snatching a fly on the wall, struck her hand against a needle that had been stuck into the paper and had become rusty, with the result that it broke off leaving a part in the hand.

Some days later the hand began to pain her and it was found that blood poison had set in and she was taken to Harper hospital, where the needle was located with an X-Ray examination and extracted.

Mrs. Goers was at the hospital three days and is obliged to relax there every day to have the hand dressed, but is getting along nicely at present.

Good Home Industry

You perhaps are not aware that Farmington has one of the best flour mills in this section, but such is the case.

During the war they have furnished the U. S. government with many carboys of flour and are still grinding over "export bread material."

From September, 1918 to July, 1919, they purchased, so Leo Giddeamer, manager of the mill tells us, from the farmers of this vicinity over 3,000 bushels of wheat, 3,318 bushels of oat, 1,405 smaller amounts of buckwheat, corn and barley, and this year expect to buy even more, and help thereby to draw more farmers' business to Farmington.

With such a business right here in our midst it is no more than right that every household merchant and citizen should make it a point to use at least some of their products, made from these grains, thereby helping them to become larger purchasers of the farmers' crops, which in turn will make Farmington bigger, more prosperous and a better place to live in.

The Farmington Roller Mills are known in many far away localities, where their products are sought after, and they surely ought to have your preference here at home.

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RED CROSS WORK DONE

Treated Some 80,000 Patients in 22 Service Hospitals

Reports from Washington are that the scope of the American Red Cross service in France in behalf of sick and wounded American soldiers was shown in a report submitted to the War Department by the Red Cross bureau of hospital administration made public recently at Red Cross headquarters.

More than 80,000 patients, the report showed, were treated in the 22 hospitals of the organization.

The organization also undertook on a large scale the construction and operation of emergency hospitals, conducted 13 large dispensaries, 8 infirmaries and 11 convalescent homes throughout France, and manufactured practically all anesthetic gas, splints, dressings and other surgical supplies used by the Army.

More than 12,000,000 surgical dressings, the report said, were delivered from the Paris warehouses in the month of August alone.

FROM OUR EXCHANGES

News Items Taken From Other Papers in and About the County.

The "Michigan Milk Messenger" is the name of a new monthly periodical published by the Michigan Milk Producers' association for the interest of the producing and consuming public. R. C. Reed, of Howell, is the editor and business manager and G. L. Adams, of Fowlerville, does the printing.—Brighton Argus.

A gang of surveyors has started on the proposed outer Detroit belt railroad, which had to be abandoned during war activities. The proposed road will run from Trenton northward through Romulus, Wayne, Plymouth, Northville and thence to Pontiac, from which place it will run north toward Port Huron, connecting with Handy Bros. line which touches many industrial points in Michigan.—Plymouth Mail.

One man, 56 gallons of moonshine booze, the village and a quantity of mash material for distilling were captured in a raid Friday afternoon by United States internal revenue officers and agents from the state food and drug inspector's office. The raid was made on a farm located about two miles north of Redford, in Oakland County. Nikola Curcwick, Serbian, owner of the farm, was arrested, charged by government officials with the manufacture of liquor without a license.—Redford Evening W. B.

Last Thursday evening W. B. Purdy noticed a couple of strange youngsters—apparently not over ten years—hanging around his place of business and later when the street was deserted the boys were still on the street. Mr. Purdy thereupon notified Marshall Duckering, but when later arrived on the scene, the kids were nowhere in sight. A little search located them in one of the big bread baskets on the sidewalk. They gave their ages as 9 and 11 years and their home as Pontiac. The marshal took them home to the night and kept them until County Agent Jackson came over and took them home the next day. The mothers of the boys were at the Howell sanatorium and Mr. Jackson said the elder of the two had figured in more than one escapade.—Milford Times.

After 41 years of proprietorship of the Birmingham Eccentric Whitehead & Mitchell have sold the paper to Frank E. Van Block.

Orson B. Coleman, for many years a resident of this township, died at his home on St. Johns road, West Bloomfield, last Monday, aged 77 years, of Bright's disease. He is survived by his wife and two children, Nelson and Myra, also a sister, Mrs. C. Pickering, of Franklin, and a brother, Eamon Coleman, at Redford.

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

ARM BROKEN IN WRESTLING

Sedrick Harger Sustains Compound Fracture of Left Arm in Friendly "Bout"

Saturday afternoon as King and Sedrick Harger, young sons of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Harger, were returning from a berthing expedition along the creek, they stopped at the William Walters home to play with several other children.

Soon afterwards it was proposed that they have a wrestling match, and that King and Sedrick be the participants.

A "bout" was started and Sedrick was thrown in such a manner that his left arm was under him, causing a compound fracture.

King ran home and informed Mrs. Harger and the boy was soon taken to their home on the upper end of Rogers street, where, after about an hour of intense suffering by the little fellow, a physician was secured and the fractures reduced.

He is doing nicely, and will be ready for another "scrap" in a few days.

Council Proceedings

Council Chambers, July 7, 1919.

Regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Farmington called to order by President Francis.

Trustees present: Nichols, Lamb, Durham, Woodruff, Ely. Trustee Hogle came in later.

Minutes of the meetings of June 2, 1919, and June 11, 1919, were read and approved.

A proposition was presented by the Warner Dairy Co. in which they stated that they would pay half the expense of paving the alley along the Grand River avenue south to the south property line of the Phelps-Meyers lots if the village would pay half.

Motion made by Trustee Nichols and supported by Trustee Durham that the Warner Dairy Co. proposition be accepted. Carried by Roll-call. All yeas, Trustee Nichols not voting.

Proposition presented by Trustee Ely to have the water extended from Lopham's Cane north to Ely Farm, for the pipe to be advanced by Charles Ely and P. Perkins, same to be paid back by the village within a year from date of first payment.

Motion made by Trustee Nichols and supported by Trustee Lamb that following bills be allowed as read, carried:

Table of bills allowed as read, including National Refining Co., Mueller Mfg. Co., E. Taylor, Flower Valve Mfg. Co., A. Harvey's Sons Mfg. Co., Detroit Edison, The Central Foundry Co., The Ford Sales and Service, John Thayer, H. H. Nichols, and Chas. Ely.

General Discussion. An old resolution pertaining to the advancement of money by individuals for the purchase of water pipe was adopted within one year. The above motion was made by Trustee Ely and supported by Trustee Hogle. Carried.

Meeting adjourned. H. D. WARNER, Village Clerk.

Chancery Notice

STATE OF MICHIGAN IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND.—IN CHANCERY. No. 2605. Frank P. Boteford, George W. Boteford, Milton C. Boteford and Frank P. Boteford, Plaintiffs.

and every of them, and John Varson, Wm. A. Smith and Nathaniel Smith, President and Directors of the Clarenceville Paper Mill, a corporation, its successors or assigns, and Augusta Whack, 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, State of Michigan, on the 12th day of June, A. D. 1919. Present: Honorable Kleber P. Rockwell, Circuit Judge.

Upon reading the sworn Bill of Complaint filed in said cause, and the affidavit in file therein, from which Bill of Complaint and said affidavit it satisfactorily appears to the Court that the defendants above named, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees, successors or 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 August Whack, are dead, and that the heirs-at-law of said deceased persons, 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 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, that they cause their answer to the Bill of Complaint to be filed, and a copy of each answer to be served upon the attorneys for plaintiffs within fifteen days after service upon them or their attorneys, of a copy of said Bill of Complaint and this order.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that if the said defendants fail to comply with the requirements of this order, 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. Countersigned: Floyd 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 Northeast quarter of Section twenty (20), all in Town one (1) North of Range nine (9) East, Michigan."

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WANTED—Proposals will be received in writing during the next 10 days for the sale of 600 feet business frontage, located east of the Owen House Hotel Building. This is the finest available business frontage in Farmington. Address communications to Mark B. Owen, Farmington, Mich. Mrs. E. S. Grace, Mark B. Owen. 35c

MILK PRODUCERS, ATTENTION! Extra care and more feed given your herd of Milch Cows right NOW, as the milk is dropping off in quantity, but increasing in price, WILL PAY. July price is \$3.36, delivered to our Farmington Plant—next month will be higher. WARNER DAIRY CO.

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