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OUTLINES MICHIGAN DAIRY PLANS

An effort to make Michigan the leading dairy cattle state in the middle-west and also to increase the number of beef cattle raised within the state's borders, is one of the objects of the Michigan State Fair association, according to George W. Dickinson, secretary of the organization, in his address before the Michigan farmers at the Y. M. C. A. recently.

To this end the fair officials hope to make the cattle display at the fair next year the largest in the institution's history. Two thousand head of the animals will be shown if present plans are carried out. This will be a marked increase over the 1921 total, when cattle exhibits numbered 1,671. The 1921 total was a decided gain over that for the preceding year, when 1,063 head were exhibited.

As a part of the general program to make dairy cattle raising one of the chief industries in Michigan, Mr. Dickinson hopes to put Detroit in a position as the dairy cattle headquarters for the middle-west. With completion of the coliseum at the state fair grounds here next summer the secretary believes this city will have an opportunity to bring a large number of various cattle breeding associations to Michigan for their annual displays. If the plan is carried out Detroit will become the dairy cattle industry of this section of the country what Denver is to the beef cattle business of the west.

A dairy cattle show that would attract thousands of persons here each year would follow. The Denver stock show is one of the most important agricultural and social events of the year west of the Mississippi.

Along with the effort to enhance Michigan's dairy cattle standing the beef cattle business is to be developed if efforts of Mr. Dickinson and others interested in the project meet with success. The number of beef cattle raised in Michigan each year is larger than those of the dairy breeds, but the number is so small, compared with those of beef cattle states, as to be but a slight part of the nation's total. It is pointed out that many Michigan farmers will not increase the number of beef cattle they now are producing, although it would be impossible for this state to compete with the western districts in this respect, Mr. Dickinson said.

"It would be well for communities in the state to specialize in the raising of some certain breed of cattle," the fair secretary asserted. "If this were done the communities would become recognized centers for their own particular cattle breeds and trade would be stimulated because of the large number of cattle of that variety that might be procurable within a small territory, such as a township or county. There is no reason why Michigan should not become one of the chief dairy cattle states of the country."

Raising of draft horses also is on the increase in this state, the secretary says, as shown by the constantly increasing number of exhibits at the state fair.

ADVERTISING HELPS CREDIT.

There is one way by which a business man's credit is improved, and that is by a policy of consistent advertising. Bank men believe in advertising for they know it pays. Their feeling, therefore, is that when a merchant who is a good advertiser applies for a loan that a reasonable amount of goods, bought by him on credit, is likely to be turned over quickly and promptly paid for, on account of his methods of keeping his goods constantly before the public. The banker would have confidence that the goods would be disposed of and turned into cash before they got out of date or shopped.

Discriminating buyers of every class know they can get fresh goods from the store that advertises. The merchant who advertises seldom has shopworn goods. And in that way advertising helps the merchant's credit not only with the banks but with his customers. And one is just as important as the other.

When a business begins to lose money the boss hates the book-keeper. Unless you have survived a "killing frost" you are not properly equipped.

SHERIFF THANKS D.U.R. ORGANIZATION

Sheriff James S. Butler: "I want to thank the D. U. R. organization here in the city and at Farmington Junction for their interest, and promptness with which they answered the calls from my office the night of the shooting in the southern part of the city. To their quick thinking, to a large extent, we owe the rounding up of the man we believe is to blame for the trouble. It is this co-operation between the sheriff's office and the different organizations that is helping to clean up the city and stamp out a big share of the crimes which naturally comes to a place of this size. We are also appreciative of the co-operation extended by state troopers."—Pontiac Press.

NEW RECORD SET BY M.A.C. COW

Breaking the state record for milk production at her age, Pauline Colantha Fayne, No. 460,895, a two-year-old Holstein cow, has just finished a year's mark of 10,846 pounds of milk, at the Michigan Agricultural College. Pauline's effort tops the old record for junior two-year-olds by more than 400 pounds.

Born and bred at M. A. C., the new record holder is an All-Michigan product. The former state record for the class was held by a cow owned by the Embalgan Dairy, at Marquette, and stood at 19,478 pounds of milk. The year's butter fat total for the new champion is 606.29 pounds.

IN OUR CHURCHES.

WASHINGTON SUNDAY.

THE METHODIST PARISH.

—Farmington—

10:30 "Stewardship, the Supreme Law of Life."
11:45 Sunday School.
6:30 Epworth League.
7:30 Evening services. Supt. A. G. Leonard, speaker.

—North Farmington—

2:00 Preaching service.

3:00 Sunday School.

—Clarenceville—

10:30 Preaching service. Rev. W. W. Dale, preacher.
11:45 Sunday School.
7:30 Evening service.
Sidney D. Eva, Pastor.
W. W. Dale, Associate Pastor.

Salem Evangelical Church Notes.

Rev. A. Martin will hold services at the church February 26, at 2:00 o'clock p. m. Everyone invited. Sunday School at 1:00 o'clock.

Universalist Church.

UNIVER CH NOTES.

10:30 Worship and sermon. Dr. Beresford's subject will be "The Man who Built His House upon the Rock."

12:00 Sunday School and adult Bible class.

Special services at three o'clock in the afternoon. The Manse will be dedicated—Rev. Charles F. Patterson pastor of the Church of Our Father, Detroit, will deliver the dedicatory address.

LOCAL NEWS.

Clarence Wood is driving a new Nash touring car.

Mrs. John Jones was in Detroit Tuesday on business.

Harry Marsh is the owner of a new Ford touring car.

Miss Howard Birdsall was a Jackson visitor Sunday.

Mr. Louis Bellpacher is very ill at her home at Farmington Junction.

Miss Helen Bradley and Ollie Morrison were Detroit visitors on Monday.

Three brother Foresters of Northville, called on Charles Leach Sunday.

Kathryn and John Harlan spent Saturday with their aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oldenburg and family of Plymouth called on Mr. and Mrs. William Harlan on Sunday.

TO HOLD ANNUAL MID WINTER MEET

The annual mid-winter meeting of the Michigan State Horticultural society will be held at Coloma, near Benton Harbor, on March 1, 2 and 3, according to announcement of T. A. Farrand, of East Lansing, secretary of the society.

The large amount of subjects to be covered this year in discussion and lecture led to the scheduling of three days for the conference, instead of two as has been the custom in the past.

Practical fruit growers from different parts of the state, specialists from the agricultural college, the state department of agriculture, and the state farm bureau will find places on the conference program.

FIRE TUESDAY EVENING

A small blaze started by an overheated stove, according to reports, caused an alarm to be turned in the village last Tuesday about five o'clock but it was outside of the jurisdiction of the fire department, being on the old Botsford place. The blaze however, was put out by men arriving before it had gained much headway. The only loss was a small hole in the roof and damage by the smoke and a small amount of water.

FAMOUS BILLIARD PLAYER HERE.

Mr. Frank Bradshaw was able to secure a mighty good billiard player last Wednesday to put on some exhibition shots of the green table. He was scheduled to play all corners in straight matches but no one around the town was able to compete with him. His high runs while here were 70 and 60. He played both in the afternoon and evening.

NOTABLE FATHER AND SONS BANQUET.

Sixty-six fathers and sons sat down to a feast of good things at the "Fathers and Sons" banquet at the Universalist church on Saturday, last. The speaking that followed was both wise and inspiring. Addresses were made by the Hon. E. A. Pink; Mr. John Power; Mr. Harry McCracken; Prof. A. G. Leonard; Mark C. Wixom; and Dr. Beresford. Mr. Frank Steele was toastmaster and he showed himself a "master of assemblies" in his tact and genial wit as president.

LADIES LITERARY CLUB.

Twenty-four members attended the meeting of the L. L. C. held Wednesday, February 15th at the home of Zevda Wilbur.

Katherine Sprague gave the club an interesting illustrated talk on "Ancient and Modern Japanese Paintings."

The club adjourned to meet March 1st with Lou Pauline.

LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Thomas Lytle is spending the week-end with Mrs. Julia Wilcox, at Ann Arbor.

Cable's Orchestra will furnish the music at the Eastern Star party this Friday evening.

Mrs. William Spiller was hostess to the Crochet club last week Thursday.

Mr. Herman Riddle was in Louistown, Pa., last week attending the funeral of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Hegeman and Mr. Gebhart were guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. H. Riddle.

Mrs. Elmer Empton reports seeing two robins in her yard Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Walter Durham and Mrs. Fred Newman were callers at Ralph Lepley's Tuesday.

Mrs. Bert Hutchins has been on the sick list, suffering with neuritis but is better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Leach and son, Earl, of Pontiac, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dobler and son, Raymond of Detroit, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Millard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hutchins were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Harlan on Sunday.

FARMING ON HIGH BOYS WIN ONE, LOSE ONE

A special prize was chartered for the High school basketball team to Dea born in last Tuesday evening. The car left here at six o'clock. The game was reported to be one of the worst games the boys have played this season, lacking everything for a championship team. The final score was 20-23.

The Girls won their match with a small margin of one point, and that on a foul. The final score was 15-16.

Farmington's defeat with Dearborn was offset last night when they won a League match with Northville.

Both the boys and girls played, and came out victorious.

It was a close game, altho the Farmington boys had a large lead. The second half, the Northville boys overcame it until the score was 17-19 at the final whistle. Northville shed some good teamwork but lacked the ability to make the baskets which chance offered. The game could have been evened up or won had the boys been able to basket the ball on fouls alone. The Farmington boys, as usual, were in good form but even their playing seemed to lack the fight spirit shown by Northville. The opposing team did the ability to be where it all went.

The girls won their game also playing with some real fighting spirit and against a fighting team they managed to make 23 baskets against Northville's 18. In the second half at the beginning, the score was 12-12 and in the last half they gained their lead. The girls, unlike the boys, did not have a defeat to wipe out, but continued their winning streak.

A large crowd was in attendance with the teams on their trip, the upper part of the gymnasium being reserved for the Farmington people. A hired cheer leader from the U. of M. gave Northville some points on cheering. His name could not be ascertained.

Friday night the boys play Redford. This game must be won in order to stand some chance at the championship. The boys need all the support it can be given them. All will come from nine to ninety.

INDEPENDENTS VS. HOWELL SATURDAY EVENING

Farmington independents will, on Saturday night, a strong aggregation from Howell, called the "Young Men's club." This team is composed of college players and as that, they have the final touches to a basketball player. Given, they are coming against our independent team with something that our team has not seen. This game will be played with the boys' regular line-up.

INSTALLS WIRELESS OUTFIT

Howard Eisenlord has installed on top of the new bank building an aerial for a wireless receiving apparatus for receiving music sent by wireless and an amplifier for the same. It will be possible to hear music played hundreds of miles away. This only one of recent steps in the advancement of the electric world. To many persons this hardly seems possible but even the possibility of horseless carriages only a few years ago seemed rarely probable. Regular programs are furnished by a society in Chicago, one being received by the Enterprise some time ago. Mr. Eisenlord expects the outfit some time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin of Royal Oak, took dinner Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Harger.

Fred Pangel and family have moved in with her parents, L. C. Harger and wife; and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bandfield who have been working the Hatten farm, will move onto the Lathrup farm, formerly owned by John Johnson.

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CLARENCEVILLE NEWS AND SCHOOL NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Jensen spent Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Milton Purkey was a visitor in Detroit Thursday.

Mr. Louis Barnes was in Saginaw on business this week.

Mrs. Donald Poudr was in Detroit on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Billings had visitors from Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. M. E. Koehane of Detroit, spent Friday with Mrs. Menke.

Clayton Goers attended the dance at Bell Branch on Tuesday evening.

Carl Cox and family spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Cox's parents in Pontiac.

Mrs. Brown, Miss Eaton and Miss Howie were shopping in Detroit last Wednesday.

Boy Scout meeting will be held Saturday evening at 7:30. Mr. C. Cox will supervise the meeting.

The Valentine social held last Tuesday evening was a splendid success.

Treasure Island was shown last Monday evening at the Methodist church.

Miss L. Eaton and Miss O. Howie called on Miss Zeigler last Sunday afternoon.

The Ladies Home Circle of West Clarenceville, met the home of Mrs. Buford on Wednesday.

Reports are current that ten new houses are to be built on Meadow Brook Heights early in the spring.

Mrs. Elmer Weston's mother, who slipped and fell, is much improved. Mrs. Weston has been caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aldrich and three children spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fausett, in Pontiac.

Mrs. George Moran entertained a number of neighbors and friends Saturday evening in honor of her husband's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Menke spent a few days in Detroit recently, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Kilpatrick, on Pingree avenue.

Mrs. Wood's class of girls spent an enjoyable afternoon in the basement of the M. E. church cooking their own supper and playing games.

Thursday, February the second, the regular meeting of the Ladies Aid society will be held in the church basement at 2:30 p. m. All interested are invited to attend.

Mrs. E. A. Howie, Mrs. J. W. Howie and Mrs. A. Holmes visited Mr. and Mrs. William Clifford at 314 University place, Grosse Pointe, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles White have moved to Clarenceville, having purchased the home of Mr. Oran, who recently went to California.

Mrs. Otis Jensen, Mrs. V. G. Lockwood and Mrs. Ladvoot and Mrs. John Grace attended the funeral of Mrs. Albert Rossow in Redford, Thursday.

Mrs. Clarence Aldrich entertained thirty friends in honor of her daughter, Stella's eighteenth birthday, February 20th. A very fine time was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. William Goers, Sr., entertained a number of friends Saturday evening, February 18th. Dancing and cards were enjoyed as the evenings pleasure.

The Baptist Circle of Clarenceville will meet at the home of Mrs. Otis Jensen on Wednesday afternoon, March 1st. Everyone welcome. Refreshments will be served.

Mr. Merrill DeLong, stepson of Albert Rossow, will make his home at Aldrich's and continue his schooling in Redford. His mother died recently and his brother and sister have gone to Chicago to live with an aunt.

The Parent-Teacher's association will hold a surprise social at the school house Friday evening, February 24th. No admission will be charged, but a cafeteria lunch will be served. The proceeds will go to child welfare and playground equipment. Unique entertainment and a social good time are promised.

PARENT-TEACHERS' MEETING AT CLARENCEVILLE

At the February 10th meeting of the Parent-Teacher's association, the teachers were extended the moral and material support of the community.

The teachers were also presented with a beautiful bouquet of flowers by the community.

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DEDICATION OF MANSE, SUNDAY

The Manse—the clergyman's home built by the Universalist society—will be dedicated on Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. The services will be held in the church and the public is cordially invited to be present. There will be a formal report of the building committee. Two special addresses will be delivered—Miss Esther Boynton will speak on "The Place of the Manse in the Life of the Minister and the Parish." The dedicatory address will be delivered by the Rev. Mr. Charles F. Patterson of Detroit. There will be special music.

The Manse is strictly a Farmington enterprise. Farmington has supplied the materials and Farmington craftsmen did the work.

The Manse is a thoroughly modern and model residence, fully equipped for the purpose of a clergyman's residence.

The Universalist society is confident that the Manse is a real addition to the religious assets of the town.

Financing the Manse.

The Universalist society as an organized unit financed the project—but in addition there were a number of special offerings—and to those whose good will and zeal the success is largely due.

Mr. Elliott S. Sprague; Dr. A. L. Brannock; Frank N. Steele; Mary S. Green; W. H. Connor; Mark C. Wixom; Perry Wixom; Charles Heliker; Ada M. Safford; Ida A. Steele; Ralph Auten; particular donations were made by the Farmington Lumber & Coal Co. Salow & Ludeman; Eisenlord & Son; Lee Hardware Co.; Harry Lewis; Dr. G. R. Switzer; M. H. R. Crossman and L. E. Wenzell.

"The Building Committee" consisted of Mark C. Wixom, who was also the actual builder; Mr. Forrest Pierson, Miss Ida A. Steele and an advisory committee consisting of Frank N. Steele, Dr. A. L. Brannock, Mary S. Green and Dr. A. B. Beresford.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert C. Hutchins were Plymouth callers Sunday evening at Mr. Hutchins's sister and family; Mr. and Mrs. Louie Westfall.

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A Triumph of Farmington! Women as Treasure Hunters!

Spanish Doubloons

By Camilla Kenyon

Virginia Harding hears that her Aunt Jane, a very respectable old maid, has been coaxed to finance and proposes to accompany a daring expedition of treasure hunting, and she dashes after the old girl.

Aunt Jane who is described as looking like a little dumpling that has got into a sausage wrapping by mistake, as the head of a treasure-seeking party, is enough to shake the strongest intellect.