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TIME TO "DIG IN THE DIRT"

Coming are days when the garden rivals "the only child" as a means of endless boredom to one's friends. Soon these self-anointed aristocrats of the soil will be telling the rest of us all about "my tomatoes," "my beans," "my cucumbers," et cetera ad infinitum. Just now they aren't talking so much. For these are the days when, if one would have a garden, one must spade the soil. Aching backs and blistered hands are the price of future bounties.

Nor is the garden unlike other things in life. Few things worth while come without labor. Many people have tried to prove the contrary, to their sorrow. Flying in the face of fact has sent a number of would-be get-rich-quick-and-easy folks to jail; it has stripped the pockets of more numerous dupes who accepted as truth the fanciful but apparently plausible word-pictures of the high priests of this ill-fated theory.

The adage, "As ye sow, so shall ye reap," is only a part of the truth. The sowers who only provided they sow upon ground that first has been prepared for the seed. The preparation is just as important as the sowing. Too frequently it is necessary. There is nothing particularly handsome about the bricks in the foundation of a house but they are in many respects the most important thing about the whole structure.—Omaha Bee.

HAVE YOU EVER THOUGHT OF IT?

The writer has been around considerable and had plenty of opportunities to "size up" many different towns, villages and cities too, for that matter. And it has been our observation that when the pool rooms are rowdyish, or be frank, a bit hellish, the people as a whole are not any the more morally and inclined to be ungodly as well. On the other hand when the pool halls are devoid of these objectionable features, it is an indication that the people of the town are as a class moral and clean spiritually. Right here in this village anyone can enter the pool halls and enjoy the recreation of a game of skill and be sure they will not be shocked by obscene and profane language which reflects credit upon the people of Farmington as a class.

SOME THOUGHTS.

This world, as you speak of it is but your life, so it is good or bad just as you choose to make it.

Don't allow yourself sufficient license of thought to allow the little things to impede your course to the bigger and broader problems of life.

It is not what you think of yourself but what your associates think of you that counts in life. So everyone should possess self-respect and a spirit of pride but not egotism nor selfishness.

Don't be so cock sure that the other person is all at fault until you have taken stock or inventory, as I were, to ascertain if you are entirely faultless.

There are many just and honest men still living, but it is nearly 2,000 years since there was a perfect man on earth.

THIS AND THAT.

From the Millford Times we note that two couples, formerly Millford residents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bucknell of Hardy, Neb., and Mr. and Mrs. Richard G. Lewis, Kit-sap, Wash., recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

Miss Esther A. Bebe, who had lived in that vicinity for 80 years passed away at the home of her son, Bertram G. Bebe, in Rose township, March 25th. Her son, at whose home she died, passed away less than 24 hours after his mother's death, says the Holly Advertiser.

By the Plymouth Mail we learn that the High school judging team of that place, won the state stock judging contest at the M. A. C. on Agricultural Week. Herbert Miller, also was second highest individual point winner, and Lawrence Miller third, both being members of the winning team.

The ease and fluency with which Bishop Henderson spoke of sums of money in terms of thousands, at the dedication of the splendid new home of Methodism in Farmington, convinced us that he has at some period in life been a bond-clipping country editor.

Rev. Sidney D. Eva is certainly an indefatigable worker. While the exacting labors of dedication week are over, Mr. Eva is still "speeding" along.

It is quite apparent to the observer that our business men are alive and up-to-date; they know that in the merchandising game truthful and judicious advertising through their home paper is the publicity that assists them also, the road to success.

In and Out.

John Duval Dodge has been in and out of Kal-Ka-Zu of late and the matter resolves itself into as to how much Dodge will be out when he is out and how much Kal-Ka-Zu will be in. John says he's going to be good now. That's right, lets go, John.

Let's Go.

An enterprising business man in Redford has installed a radio outfit in his place of business and invites the people of that village to call and listen to the concerts, so says the Redford Record.

In Birmingham.

Dogs, geese, chickens and ducks lame or otherwise are not to be allowed to run at large. The other night the commission brought forth the village ordinance book and found there was an ordinance against any fowls, fowlets or dogs roaming the streets of Birmingham unless chaperoned. The village manager says he'll enforce the law to the limit, we learn from the Birmingham Eclectic.

He Enjoyed It.

Dr. My S. Rice, the Detroit clergyman who spoke here during dedication week, told a good story at the Detroit Rotary conference the other day. He said he was over at Cleveland a few days attending a Methodist conference. A bell hop rather disgustingly inquired of Dr. Rice, "Who are you guys?" "Methodist preachers," answered the clergyman pleasantly, rather sensing the negative attitude of the lobby toward such a conservative group. "Well I thought so," said the lad, "you came here with the ten commandments and a two dollar bill and haven't broken either of 'em."

Oxford Paving Bonds Sold.

A trust company in Detroit purchased the \$31,000 issue of Oxford at part interest at a premium of \$341, we learn from the Oxford Leader.

Rest Easy, You.

The government proposes to take the census of all the hogs in the country. Now, don't get alarmed that you may be listed, for the above refers only to the quadrupeds, not the bipeds.

Out On First.

"Has the governor power to remove from office on bases of private conduct," asks the Oxford Leader. We'd say it is according to what the basis of bases is.

AUCTION

POSTPONED FROM MAR. 30th.
HARRY ROBINSON, Auctioneer.

Having decided to quit farming the undersigned will sell at Public Auction, on the premises known as the Holker farm, opposite the Stanley, Drake farm, 2 miles west of Orchard Lake road on Nichols Siding, road, and 1 mile south of North Farmington, on—

Monday, April 10th

Starting at 12:30 o'clock Sharp.
The Following Described Property

CATTLE.

1 Holstein Cow, 3 yrs. Pasture bred
1 Holstein Cow, 4 yrs. due soon
1 Holstein Cow, 4 yrs. fresh Mar. 14
1 Holstein Cow, 8 yrs. fresh Dec. 27
1 Holstein Cow, 4 yrs. fresh Jan. 17
1 Holstein Cow, 3 yrs. due soon.
1 Registered Holstein Bull, 3 yrs.
1 Holstein Heifer, coming 2 years old, Bred December 10th.
THESE CATTLE HAVE ALL BEEN TUBERCULIN TESTED.

FARM TOOLS

1 Donaldson Plow
1 Spring-Tooth Dr.
1 Hay Wagon and a Sack
1 Set of Whiffletree
1 Set of Harness for Team
1 Pair Horse Collars
1 Spike-Tooth Drag
1 Top Buggy.

HORSES

1 Grey Mare, 11 yrs. old
1 Bay Gelding, 1 yr. wt. 1,350 lbs.
HAY & RAIN
30 Bushels of Rice

CATTLE

1 Holstein Cow, 8 yrs. bred Feb. 6.
1 Holstein Cow, 10 yrs. due soon
1 Holstein Cow, 10 yrs. bred Feb. 24
1 Holstein Cow, 40 yrs. bred Dec. 26
1 Black Cow, 11 yrs. due Jan. 27th
1 Jersey Cow, 8 yrs. due soon.
1 Jersey Cow, 6 yrs. calf by side.
2 Holstein Yearling Heifers.
1 Holstein 1½ year old Heifer.

TERMS.—All sums of \$20 and under, CASH; over that amount 6 months' time will be given on good approved bankable notes drawing 7 per cent interest.

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Eighth Grade Examination.

The next regular eighth grade examination will be held at Pontiac, Holly, Millard, Farmington, Orion, Ortonville, Leonard, Birmingham and Clarkston on Thursday, May 11-12, 1922, beginning at 8:30 central time of each day. Teachers should register the pupils 30 days in advance of the examination. Pupils should attend the examination held nearest to their homes. The questions in reading will be based on "The Great Story" by Hawthorne. The following schedule will be followed:—
Thursday A. M. Orthography and Spelling—Arithmetic (written and mental).
Thursday P. M. Penmanship—Grammar—Reading.
Friday A. M. Physiology—Geography—Agriculture.
Friday P. M. U. S. History—Civil Government.

As a part of the examination pupils are required to write from memory the first stanza of The Star Spangled Banner, and the words America. Pupils passing with an average of 75 per cent, if no subject is below 60 per cent, will be granted an eighth grade diploma. Pupils holding eighth grade diplomas or certificates issued from the superintendent of city high schools are entitled to free tuition from the rural districts if application is made with the rural school board on or before the fourth Monday of June each year and in writing. The amount of tuition shall not exceed \$60.00 if a pupil except by the vote of the people at the annual school election in July, when the people by a majority vote may vote to pay all of the high school tuition and the school board may vote to pay the transportation. All pupils must have finished the eighth grade before they are eligible to write the examination. Seventh grade pupils should not write the examination. Spelling, composition and the correct use of English shall be considered in marking the examination papers. Pupils who can not express themselves in good English are not prepared for high school work. It is not necessary for parents or teachers to attend the examinations with the pupils. Every child should receive good justice. Absolute honesty, fairness, and

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Batt'ed Out, Boys.

From the South Lyon Herald we learn they will have a real ball team in that place the coming season. Suits have been ordered and other arrangements are being made to launch a championship winning team. Glad to hear it, boys.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between Frank H. Miller, Fred H. Maas and George Blossow, all of Farmington, Michigan, under the firm name of Frank H. Miller and Company, and doing business at Farmington, Michigan, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent.
Dated at Farmington, Michigan, this 29th day of March A. D. 1922.
FRANK H. MILLER.
FRED H. MAAS.
GEORGE BLOSSOW

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Order Appointing Time for Hearing of Claims.
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 28th day of March A. D. 1922.
Present: Hon. Ross Stockwell, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of EMMA MOORE, Deceased.
Ida Hammond, administratrix of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is ordered, That four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is further ordered, that the 31st day of July 1922, at eight o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased.

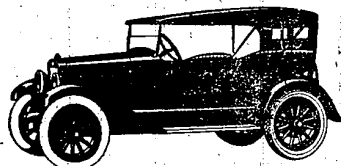
ROSS STOCKWELL,
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A true copy. Dan. A. McGaffey,
Register of Probate. 31mar14Apr

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