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Local News

T. Davis, wife and son were in Detroit Saturday.

John Thayer and wife have returned from a visit to the former's brother in Indiana.

E. Grace and family made a trip to Port Huron Saturday.

Wayne Pierson of Detroit was visiting friends in town Monday.

Albert Salkovsky and wife are visiting the latter's parents at Saginaw.

There will be a special meeting of the O. E. S. Friday evening, Sept. 13. Initiation.

Mrs. Willis Adams of Detroit spent Thursday with Mrs. John Mahaney.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Durham and daughter, Ma, of Howlett visited at John Mahaney's recently.

E. H. Roberts of Northville is spending part of the week at Jerome Adams'.

Prof. Goodrich called on friends here last week.

Miss Lou Grace spent Labor day at Tashmoo Park.

Mrs. J. J. Webster was an Ypsilanti visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Leach of Plymouth called on friends here Monday.

Mrs. M. Green of Northville was in town Monday.

Ode Heberling and wife of Detroit are visiting his sister, Mrs. W. P. Payne.

Miss Nina Warner of Detroit visited friends here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pittman and grandchild, Russell Priest, of Detroit visited at Fred Voigt's last Sunday.

Mrs. Pickett and daughter were in Detroit Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Woodworth of Pontiac visited the latter's sisters, the Misses Nelson, a few days this week.

The Good Roads meeting at Pontiac will be held next week, Friday, Sept. 13. D. Ward King, the good road expert, will address the meeting and everybody is invited, particularly the supervisors and highway commissioners.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Sept. 12 at the home of Mrs. E. C. Grace. All members are urged to be present at this meeting for the election of officers for the ensuing year.

Wm. Spaller and family of Trenton visited his sister, Mrs. Wm. Pauline, Monday.

Farmington was well represented at the ball games at Northville Monday.

Miss Grace Tremper of Northville called on friends here Sunday.

Rev. Clyde McGee of Chicago preached a powerful sermon last Sunday evening in the M. E. church. His subject was one of interest to every mortal, "If a man die shall he live again?" Mr. McGee approached his subject from the standpoint of the most modern psychological research. Those who heard it will not soon forget the crowning logic, the hope inspired, the uplift given.

Earl Gullen, wife and baby have returned from a visit with relatives at Brantford, Ont.

Reed Webster and Andrew Crawford are visiting Prof. Goodrich at Byron, and also friends in Howell.

Lloyd VanKleeck visited his parents at Dryden Sunday.

Misses Emeline Lapham and Grace Tremper of Northville attended the funeral of James Wilber Monday.

Congressman S. W. Smith has sent to this office the year book for 1911 and it is a very interesting and instructive volume. There are many subjects treated that are of vital interest to the farmers and will be attractive to every member of the family. We are under obligations to Mr. Smith for the courtesy.

MICHIGAN STATE FAIR--SEPT. 16th to 21st INCL. THE FAIR OF INNOVATIONS--THE FAIR SO DIFFERENT

There's a reason and here it is. The management of the Michigan State Fair, during its 25th year, is striving to present to the people a standard for Fair promotion. Some innovations for 1912, innovations in Fair promotion.

Radical departures from the rule. One of the most important changes ever made in Fair promotion is the addition of the industrial features including the Progress Building with every exhibit in accordance with the rule.

Boys' State a winner. When the plan of the State Fair for 1912 was announced, it met with a hearty response and eighty-three boys will attend this agricultural and industrial exhibition with an expense paid.

Only Fair to promote a land show. In addition a land show with exhibits by every section of the country, the State Fair brings to Michigan a view of the products of the entire country, North, East, West and South.

New demonstration dairy building. After inspecting the dairy buildings at six other Fairs the Michigan State Fair adopted the good points of the others and has just completed a structure to be proud of.

There's amusement also, lots of it. There'll be the horse races of the Grand Circuit and the night show every night, and both will be even greater events than in the past, providing that is possible.

Educational Exhibit. From every city and town of the State will come exhibits prepared by the scholars in competition for the liberal prizes which are offered, and some extraordinarily interesting exhibits are promised.

Segregation of the real Midway. In the removal of the Midway, cleaned and made wholesome, the Fair management has taken a radical step which will double the carnal commendation.

Children's Midway a taking idea. Numerous other attractions for the youngsters of the entire State of Michigan.

Valuable soil test for farmers. Several professors of the Michigan State Agricultural College will make about 200 tests of soil each day of soil to be brought in by the farmers.

Price of admission remains the same. In spite of the numerous added attractions, the enormous expenditure necessary by the State, the price of admission remains the same as last year, 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for children.

Good roads are much needed. And they are needed in Michigan, now with in good roads standing in the United States. The demonstration of good roads building carried on this year.

Latest models at automobile show. Recollect that Michigan is the only State to show building at any Fair and remember also that the earliest view of the latest models will be found here.

Miniature model farms a feature. Thirty boys from Detroit took up farming at the Fair grounds in the Spring to bring forth crops for exhibition at the Fair and the results of their work will be viewed with interest by their country cousins.

Twenty stars in automobile races. Louis Disbrow, with his 100-horse power Bugatti, Frank Kalk and his miniature appearing, but record-breaking Ford car, Farmer Bill Endicott and a score more great drivers are in the races Saturday afternoon.

Lieut. Mestasche will fly high. This gentleman was the first aerial mail carrier, New Orleans to Baton Rouge, first to fly, also from Paris to Madrid, and from Paris to Rome, and he will fly in his monoplane at the Fair grounds and over nearby country.

Fireworks will be extraordinary. Everyone pronounced the fireworks display at the State Fair, the greatest ever, and the same company has the State Fair contract and will put on the Fall of Old Mexico in the end, the battle in the State.

IT WILL BE THE ONE FAIR IN ALL AMERICA. COME AND SEE AND BE SATISFIED

Mr. Caulfield of Detroit visited at C. Collins' Saturday.

Chas. Singelyn and wife of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday at F. Zessau's.

Elmer Power was called to Traverse City to attend the funeral of his brother.

The annual meeting of the Walled Lake Home Coming association will be held in the Walled Lake Baptist church Saturday, September 14. A general invitation is extended to all citizens who ever lived in the vicinity to attend the meeting. Dinner at the church, price, 50c. Program in the afternoon.

ANOTHER PIONEER HAS PASSED AWAY

James Wilbur Was Highly Respected in this Community

One more of Farmington's respected pioneers was laid to rest last Monday, when the late James L. Wilbur's remains were borne to their last resting place in Farmington's beautiful cemetery.

Mr. Wilbur had been ailing some time. The end came very peacefully last Saturday evening about five o'clock.

The funeral services were held Monday at the late residence on Grand River avenue. Rev. D. M. Ward was the officiating clergyman. A large company of relatives, friends and neighbors gathered to show their respect to the departed, indicating the esteem in which Mr. Wilbur was held in the community.

James L., eldest son of George and Jane Wilbur, was born in Collins, New York, Feb. 28, 1832. A home by the family was begun in the unbroken wilderness in 1835 in the township of Livonia, Mich. A fearless, healthy nature, both physically and intellectually, commenced growth in the woodland, by the brookside, in the log school house on the corner, which developed into a successful career of teaching. He graduated from the State Normal college of Ypsilanti in the class of 1859. Friends of near or about his age will recall that he has served his day in public and private life faithfully and acceptably. The fiftieth wedding anniversary of his marriage to Miss Sarah Emma Warner was observed two years ago this month.

He leaves to mourn their loss a brother, who resides here, a widow and two children, Clinton Wilbur of the Farmington Exchange bank and Mrs. Wells of Wrentham, Wash., besides many other relatives and friends.

Farm Wanted—I want to buy a good small farm, from 40 to 80 acres, for a cash customer. Must act quickly for the purchase will be made within the next few days. Telephone or call on C. E. Ramsey, Farmington and Redford.

Dedicate New M. E. Church

Next Sunday the fine new M. E. church at Redford is to be dedicated. They are having "big doings" all the week, but next Sunday is to be the big day in connection with the M. E. dedication. Bishop Harris of India is to preach there. A special service is to be held at 3:00 p. m. especially for the neighboring community churches. Farmington friends are all cordially invited to attend this very interesting service in Redford. At the request of the presiding elder and Rev. Loomis there will be no preaching service in the Farmington M. E. church next Sunday evening, so all our Methodist friends are urged to attend the evening service in the Redford M. E. church as well.

The Last Before Conference

The last official meeting of the conference year will be held next Monday, Sept. 9, from 2:00 to 2:30 p. m. standard time, at the parsonage. The pastor will have to take the 2:32 car for Detroit in order to catch the conference boat for Alpena.

All who wish to contribute more towards the current expenses of this conference year are urged to do so before, or at least by the time of this meeting, in order that the pastor's report at conference may not show a shortage. Hand your contribution to any of the officials or to the pastor.

BOARD OF STEWARDS.

Wanted Position on Farm—Experienced; age 40. By mouth or year. References. Horace Curtis, 260 Brush St., Detroit.

WOOD—For Sale, Karl Tibbits

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BERT S. SIMPSON

Farmington, Michigan

BUSINESS EDUCATION

Gradually the authorities in our educational matters are coming to appreciate the value of a thorough business education. It is now seen that a knowledge of business methods and customs is of more practical value to the average young person than a full course in the dead languages or even higher mathematics. The graduates of the well known Detroit Business University, which for more than 60 years has been giving a splendid training for business pursuits have been active in advancing the claims of business education and of this particular school. This has much to do with the fact that this institution is everywhere regarded as the pioneer and the par excellence today among business training schools.

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