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## Local News

Fred M. Warner was a Kalamazoo visitor Wednesday.

Be sure and see Jacob and The Mad Dog at the Farmington High School Fair, today (Friday).

Farmington Chapter O. E. S. will meet Friday evening October 9th. From now until April the time of opening will be 7:30.

3,500 barrels of apples are being shipped from the Halstead orchard this year, loads of them being received at the local depot nearly every day. The apples are of excellent quality and are consigned to Detroit wholesalers.

The ringing of the fire bell Monday evening created no little excitement and uneasiness for a short time. The blaze was of short duration however, being at the home of F. H. Nichols and quickly extinguished without outside assistance.

Hon. Frank L. Dodge, Democratic candidate for Congress from the 6th district was a Farmington visitor Thursday, and paid the editor a very pleasant visit. Mr. Dodge is a man who is bound to make friends wherever he goes, and his local visit proved no exception. He is enthusiastic about the prospects for a Democratic victory for the state ticket this Fall, and an admirer of Gov. Ferris and President Wilson, and feels sure of their re-election. He has promised to try and make Farmington a return visit before the close of the campaign.

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For Sale—One horse wagon, will carry 1700 lbs. Price \$35.00. Fred Pelky, 2 1/2 miles west of Nichols Siding, Farmington, R. F. D. No. 1

Wanted—Small load of wood. Phone or call at this office.

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## SHOWING HOW MIND GROWS

Illustration by Well-Known Writer Is Interesting and Something of a Novelty.

The late Lester F. Ward, who spent many years in the service of the government at Washington as a scientific investigator, prepared shortly before his death his mental biography, which consisted of a chronological arrangement of everything that he has ever written for publication during 50 years. This enterprise he terms "Glimpses of the Cosmos" and three volumes of the work have been published.

It was an interesting thing to do, even a brave thing. For there are not many writers of advanced years who would relish the giving again to the world of their youthful effusions. But Doctor Ward's schema is a good one, although there is no need for every other writer to do the same. For one reads with amused interest the cocksure articles of Ward's early period; he did not scruple to enter any field, whether he knew anything about it or not. He wrote a good deal on theological matters during the early days and it is interesting to note the conspicuousness of the absence of logic and understanding of the subject matter.

As the years passed, however, Ward pulled himself together, and he abandoned theology and devoted his time and talents to economics and botany, in which he excelled. Here the publication of his writings, with but little comment, offer a splendid history of the development of an active, productive mind. This is the real value of the work, which becomes a unique human document. The book is short and easy to the good and altogether it is easy for this reader to mark the growth to maturity of the author's mind.

### HAD THEM ALL "BUFFALOED"

Editor's Warning Since They Couldn't Understand It, Scared the Entire Neighborhood.

On the gate of the garden belonging to the editor of a well-known English horticultural paper there appeared this notice: "Beware of the Lycopodium!"

This big metal notice was placed there in order to frighten away flower thieves. It was so successful that the deterrent effect was such that the tradespeople refused point-blank to risk their lives; they would sooner lose custom.

Various guesses were hazarded as to the identity of the "Lycopodium" as called in the neighborhood. Some declared it to be a wolf, a snake like a boa constrictor, a sort of hyena, a stinging toad, an Abyssinian lion, a jaguar, a savage vulture, a mandril, and a blood-sucking vampire.

It became necessary to inform the tradespeople that it was kept confined during the day and was only roaming about at night. One day a man called with a load of manure for the editorial garden, and he was very "nervy" about the notice.

Although he was reassured, he looked about apprehensively all the time. When he had brought in his last load and was bending down, the deterrent cat, a large Persian, playfully leaped on his back, and shrieking horribly, the man fled—likewise the cat.

As a matter of fact, lycopodium is the name of a tiny moss that grows on the rocky near the garden gate.

### First English Martyr

The first martyr to Christianity in England was St. Alban. He lived in the third century and was a soldier under the emperor Diocletian before he embraced the new faith. After leaving the army he returned to Britain and became the first English victim of the persecution of Diocletian, who prohibited Christianity on pain of penalty of death. Alban was beheaded in the year 286. During the following years of the emperor's reign and the administrations of his immediate successors thousands of Christians in all parts of Europe were put to death. Heroes filled with Christians were set on fire and many other followers of the faith were bound together with ropes and cast into the sea.

When Julius Caesar returned from the wars Roman citizens made a holiday and killed-fat, baked them and served them to the victorious general.

When the aiderman of the "Bloody Sixth" or the "fighting Fourth" celebrates his election with a mass meeting his admiring henchmen pass up the mittens feast, but they give him an ovation.

And because the sheep on which Caesar died was called in Latin, oris, and the root word gives us the word oration, every big, noisy reception given a popular man or woman is called an ovation.

To Turn Out Sufficient Stamps. Ten of the new stamp-printing machines invented by R. B. Stetkey and recently installed in the bureau of engraving and printing at Washington, will turn out 3,600,000 stamps each day, which is the number required by the post office department for daily distribution. The machine will perform the function of printing, gumming, perforating and coiling postage stamps.

Marvels of Science. "Some day we'll be telephoning through the air without wires." "Maybe. But won't it seem queer to have an operator call back to you and say, 'The air is busy now!'"

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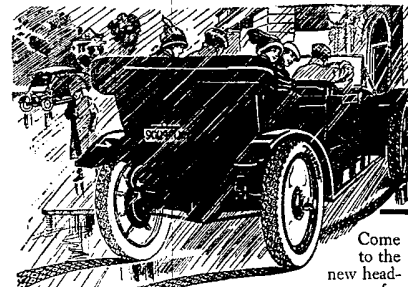
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