

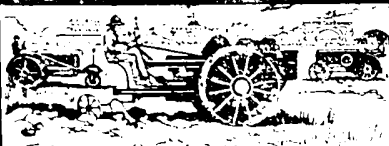
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Michigan State Fair Detroit, Sept. 6-15, 1915



"Bigger and Better Than Ever" Tractor Demonstration

Working display and Field Demonstration of these wonderful machines that are replacing the horse on the farm, will be of great interest to the farmers.

Great Industrial Display

Michigan's great exhibit in world fame will be complete without an exhibit of the most modern machinery on the farm, and this display will be larger and more attractive than ever before. Michigan's most modern and best for the home, office and factory will be demonstrated.

Newest Farm Machines

Various new machines, Gasoline Engines, Washing Machines, Sewing Machines, and other inventions which are Time Savers in the Farm.

Building Auto in Ten Minutes

Automobiles are shown showing how Michigan Industrial plants keep up with the great demand for automobiles will be featured. Autos will be made on the Fair Grounds.

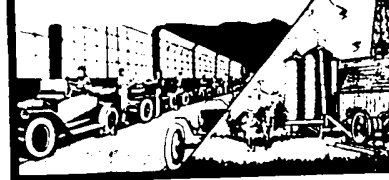
Boy Scout Congress

Hotter, Bigger, Contest, Auto and Horse Races, Fireworks, Night Horse Show, Dairy Cow Milking Test, Superb Display of the Products of Michigan Farms and Factories and many other features.

Don't Forget the Dates

September 6-15

G. W. Dickinson, Sec. - Mr.



The Southworth was pleasantly surprised at the home of Mrs. Nelson Coleman of this place went to the county seat Friday afternoon and spent the day of last week and spent the day of last week and enjoyed a very with her sister, Mrs. VanKleeft, present time. The item was who had recently successfully un-derwent an operation for appendicitis in that city.

A Real Bargain in a Small Farm

I have listed, an exceptional opportunity for some one who wants to secure a home in the country—house, barn and sheds, all in good condition, on one-half acre farm, about two miles from the village. This place is easily worth from \$1,500 to \$2,000 as the buildings alone are worth the first figure.

For a quick cash sale the price is \$1,075

40 acres of excellent soil—a good farm with good buildings, about 3 miles from the village is offered at \$5,500

Some choice frontage on Grand River just this side of Clarencville at per acre \$800

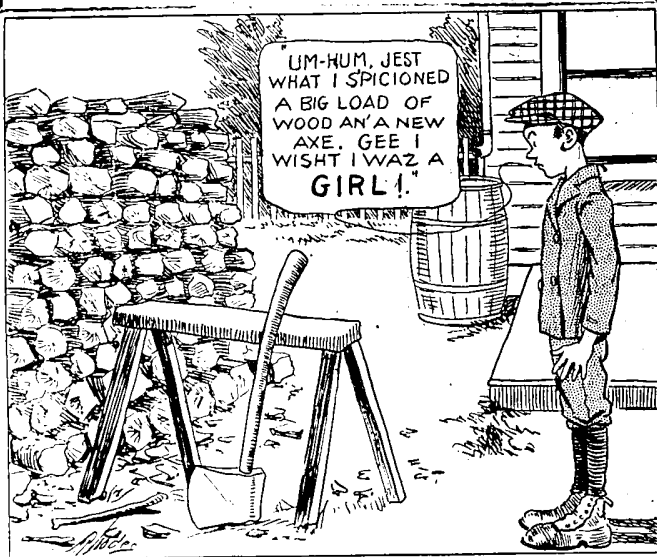
40 acre farm west of the village, comprising some of the best farm land in Oakland county and the buildings are extraordinarily good for sale at \$6,200

See me if you have property for sale or want to buy

J. A. PRICE

Phone 25 Farmington, Mich.

SIGNS OF AN EARLY FALL



Quietly Married

Miss Gladys Felt and Mr. Carl L. Langer quietly slipped into Detroit last Friday afternoon and were united in marriage.

The news will come as a surprise to their many friends, in Northville, Farmington and Plymouth.

The bride has been a resident of Plymouth, where she is well known and highly respected, while the groom is a resident of Northville, an employee of the Bell Telephone Company, and has charge of the line work in and about Farmington.

Their many friends will join in the extending of congratulations. They expect to make their home at Northville.

The Rotogravure section of the Detroit News Tribune contained two pages of photographic views taken at Orchard, Cass and Sylvan Lakes near this place on the Orchard Lake division of the D. U. R.

Ticket Offer Closes Sept. 4

State Fair tickets are now on sale at the Enterprise office, the Fair dates this year being September 6th to 15th, and from all indications it is going to be bigger and better than ever.

Tickets purchased in advance of the opening, at this office may be secured at the rate of 35 cents each or 3 for \$1.00, but must be purchased before Saturday night, September 4th, as that is the date that the reduced rate offer is withdrawn. The regular price for tickets is 50 cents each.

We also have Free Children's, good only on Saturday, September 11th, which are free for the asking.

Those contemplating attending the Fair should secure their tickets now, as the supply that we have on hand to be sold at the reduced rate is limited.

We also have copies of the Premium List, which will be supplied to anyone who desires one.

Brakeman Was Cured

P. A. Wootsey, Jacksonville, Texas, writes: "I was down with kidney trouble and rheumatism had a back ache all the time and was tired of living. I took Foley Kidney Pills and thoroughly cured." Thousands have written similar letters. Foley Kidney Pills are tonic in effect and act promptly. For sale by T. H. McGee.

PROMINENT MEN BOOST HIGHWAY

Big Meeting to be Held at Lansing Saturday, August 28th. Local Men on Committee

Plans for the new Wolverine Highway, which were noted in this paper two weeks ago, are rapidly taking shape, and after appointing a committee of twenty-five prominent men, residing in cities and towns along the proposed route, a meeting of all interested has been called to convene at Lansing, at the Downey House, on Saturday, August 28th, at 3:30 p. m.

Mr. Alvah Brown, Chairman of the Board of County Road Commissioners of Kent county has been named as chairman of the Wolverine Committee, and among the names noted in the list of committeemen, is Fred M. Warner of this place.

In issuing the call for the meeting, the chairman says in part:

"The principal business that will come before this committee is that of arranging a list of nominees for offices in the permanent organization; fixing the date and place for the general meeting to be held early in September; to formulate plans for procedure in financing the project; to suggest names for organization and the highway and such other business as may properly come before this committee of twenty-five, all of which will be put in form for submitting to the general meeting for adoption."

The highway is a matter of vast importance to every town along the route, and the spirit behind the project would indicate or at least gives promise of practical results.

Methodist Church

Rev. Clyde McGee, pastor of Bethany Union church of Chicago will preach Sunday morning. There will be no evening service.

The Sunday school picnic will be held next Wednesday—the weather permitting.

E. R. Stevenson, Pastor.

The ladies of the Lutheran church have arranged for a dinner to be given at the church parlors on next Sunday, August 29th, at 12 o'clock noon. Everyone is cordially invited. Dinner will be served at 25 cents per plate.

Extended Service

The R. F. D. News a magazine published for rural mail carriers, contained the following in its recent issue:

"Congressman Kelly brought with him to the postoffice department a map of Oakland county showing the present routes. He called the attention of the department to this specific instance: A letter is mailed in the Ortonville postoffice addressed to a farmer half a mile south of that town. To reach that farmer it is placed on the D. U. R. carried east to junction point (Oxford) is put off, waits for another train—on a twice daily schedule—is carried south, is again put off, at a junction (Detroit), waits hours generally over night for a third train and by it is carried to a town (Clarkston) lying south of Ortonville whence the rural route starts leading to the farmer's house immediately south of Ortonville. It takes three days for the addressee to get his mail from Ortonville half a mile away. The postoffice department exclaimed in amazement at the showing. A few days later the Ortonville routes were restored."

Recommendation by Governor

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN.

Greeting:

The last Legislature appropriated one hundred thousand dollars for the purpose of stamping out Tuberculosis in Michigan. Michigan is making wonderful progress in the matter of conserving human life. Few states have been more successful than Michigan. Michigan is to conduct a campaign against Tuberculosis that will command the attention of the whole of the United States.

I, WOODBRIDGE N. FERRIS, Governor of Michigan, most earnestly urge physicians, health officers, nurses, teachers, clergymen, mayors, village and state officials to attend the next meeting of the Michigan Anti-Tuberculosis Association to be held at the Hotel Pantlind, Grand Rapids, on Thursday and Friday, September second and third, for the purpose of arousing Michigan to a full realization of the importance of banishing the white plague from our State.

WOODBRIDGE N. FERRIS, Governor.

GLEANED FROM OUR EXCHANGES

News Items Taken From Other Papers Over the County and Surrounding Territory

Imley City has been added to the D. U. R. map.

A water tapping charge of \$10.00 is to be made at Orion.

A new and modern heating system is being installed in the school building at Orion.

Twenty rattlesnakes were killed within a few days on the Green farm near Milford.

Mushrooms proved fatal in several instances in Oakland county the past few weeks.

And even if it did rain, Chautauquas over the county were a big success and will come again.

The village of Birmingham last week drew warrants for a trifle over \$15,000 in payment for paving.

Brighton is now an electrified city, the Edison Company having turned on the juice there this week.

A hail storm last week done considerable damage to crops around Peck, Applegate and Crosswell, in Sanilac county.

The Oakland County Pioneer Association held their annual meeting at Orchard Lake Grove last Wednesday.

Mrs. C. S. Lee's class of young girls from the Holly Sunday Schools is in camp this week at Buckhorn, Lake near Rose Center.

C. A. Lahser opened his new store at Redford last Saturday, the building being a model one, erected since the fire.

Albert Richardson of Belleville had some wheat crop this year, he threshed 1,700 bushels, securing an average of 45 bushels per acre.

Gas will be turned into the mains at Plymouth this week, and many contracts have already been signed according to the Plymouth Mail.

The pea canning factory at Yale has been closed down for this year owing to the poor quality of the peas grown this season in that locality.

During an electric storm at Holly last week the home of Harry Bryman was struck by lightning. The fire department was called but when they arrived the flames had been extinguished.

Married at 15; Seeks Divorce

Mrs. Frances E. Fisher, who claims to have been married when she was but a trifle over 15 years of age and who is still under legal age, has filed a bill for divorce in circuit court against John A. Fisher. Charges of extreme cruelty are made by the wife. Mrs. Fisher is represented by her next friend, Minnie A. Kellogg. The bill declares that the Fishers were married in Farmington May 21, 1910, and that Mrs. Fisher's former name was Lee. There are no children and the wife declares she lived with her husband until Aug. 12, 1913. Attorney John D. Harger of Detroit appears for the wife.

All leading brands of cigars and tobaccos. M. A. Briggs Confectionery.

Postponing Old Age

Overworked, weak or diseased kidneys make one feel old before middle age. Rheumatism aches and pains, too freely perspiration of strong odor and other symptoms are warning that the kidneys need help. Foley Kidney Pills make the kidneys strong and active. For sale by T. H. McGee.