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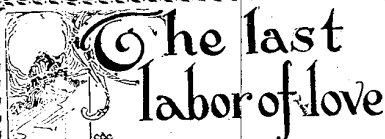
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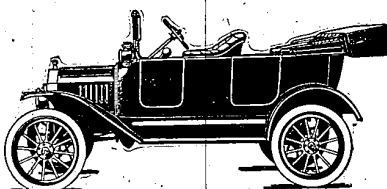
FORD CHASSIS
\$325

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\$345

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\$360

FORD COUPELET
\$505

FORD SEDAN
\$645



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TO VOTE ON LOCAL OPTION

A movement is on foot to vote on local option again next spring in this county, and petitions, to be presented to the supervisors at their October session asking for the submission of the question, are being circulated throughout the county.

It is pointed out that should the state go dry in November the law does not become effective until April 1918; thus giving the saloon men a year to operate should the local option be defeated at the spring election.

On the other hand should the "Home Rule" amendment carry this fall it would not become operative until January 1919, leaving this county "dry" until that time unless the present local option is defeated in the spring.

There were 3,523 deaths reported in Michigan during August, and 7,219 births. There were 262 more deaths and 64 births less in August than July.

There are a number of subscriptions to the Enterprise which are past due. Please look at the label on your paper, and if yours is one of them, come in and get a receipt for another year.

If we "didn't have it in the paper" when they visited you or when you visited them, the next time that such a visiting occurs, just phone No. 25; such kindnesses to the office are highly appreciated.

Tomorrow, September 30th, is memory day, as designated in a proclamation by Gov. Ferris. The day is designed as a day to look over the past, get together the heirlooms and relics and see that they are put in a place of preservation.

There will be held in Grand Rapids on October 2nd to 6th, a "Recreation Congress," the purpose being to develop a wider use of schools, the larger human usefulness of parks, the promotion of popular games, sports, dramatics, pageants and through all the recreational activities which develop health, vigor, team play and good citizenship.

FROM OUR EXCHANGES

Newsy Items Taken From Other Papers in and About the County.

'Rev. C. S. Lee will return to Holly this week to pack his household goods and get them out of the parsonage for his successor. Mr. Lee will not preach the coming year, which he will spend in Detroit.—Holly Advertiser.

Clarence True, who lives 1½ miles southwest of town, has a pet crow, "Dick." When True drove to town Saturday the crow followed him here, creating much excitement among street urchins. On True's return home "Dick," overland, preceded him, making the trip in regular Zeppelin style and record time.—Oxford Leader.

Last week Mrs. George Spencer was coming to Rochester with a niece, and when at the Avon stop they started to drive across the track when the horse stopped and was struck by the 7:31 limited going north. The horse was killed instantly and thrown under the milk station at Avon, while both occupants were thrown out. Mrs. Spencer was uninjured, but her niece was badly shook up and bruised. It was an exceedingly narrow escape, as had the horse stopped two feet farther nothing could have saved the lives of the ladies.—Rochester Era.

Detroit parties have purchased land at Northville on the fishery road, and will construct an artificial lake, where trout will be raised.

Visiting cards printed or engraved.

Farmington Exchange Bank

Report of the condition of the Farmington Exchange Bank, at Farmington, Michigan, at the close of business September 12, 1917, as called for by the Comptroller of the Banking Department:

RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts, viz.:
Commercial department, \$44,291 86
Savings department, 37,671 25

Bonds, Mortgages, Securities, viz.:
Savings department, 88,813 85
Overdrafts, 11 42
Banking house, 2,935 88
Furniture and fixtures, 1,659 00

RESERVE:

Due from banks in reserve cities:
Commercial, 12,497 31
Savings, 33,346 27

U. S. and National bank currency, 5,191 60
Commercial, 5,000 00

Gold coin, 565 00
Savings, 354 05
Silver coin, 439 25
Commercial, 426 71

Nickels and cents:
Commercial, 426 71

Total LIABILITIES, \$286,219 15

Capital Stock paid in, \$25,000 00
Surplus fund, 2,000 00
Undivided profits, net, 2,457 42

Dividends unpaid, 15 00
Commercial deposits subject to check, 10,356 01
State monies on deposit, 2,500 00

Savings deposits (book account), 231 00
Savings certificates of deposit, 71,746 25

Total, \$286,219 15

State of Michigan, County of Oakland, ss: I, C. W. Wilber, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief and correctly represents the true state of the several matters therein contained, as shown by the books of the bank.

C. W. WILBER, Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 29th day of September, 1917.

THOS. H. MCGEE, Notary Public.
My Commission expires December 8, 1917.
Correct attestation:
FRED M. WARNER,
M. BYRON FURBER, Directors.
HARRY N. MCGACKEN

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Here's One Reason Why You Should
Payment by Check Affords a Record
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Present: Hon. Kleber P. Rockwell, Judge of Probate, in the matter of the estate of Arthur Power, deceased. Edgar S. Pierce, administrator of the non 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.

Probate Order

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING 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 Sixteenth day of September, A. D. 1917.

It is further ordered, that the Twelfth day of January, 1918, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

KLEBER P. ROCKWELL, Judge of Probate.
JOSON A. FRIDENBERG, Register of Probate.

PROHIBITION IN MAINE

*****10,000 violations of the liquor law in 18 years.
*****\$1,582.84 court fines levied and collected in 18 years.
*****FIFTEEN CENTS (15 CTS.) AVERAGE COLLECTION PER VIOLATION.
SO DECLARES

CYRUS W. DAVIS, Secretary of State of Maine, Editor, and student of political economy,

WHO BITTERLY SCORES STATE-WIDE PROHIBITION IN MAINE.

MICHIGAN VOTERS, ATTENTION! READ FURTHER THE WORDS SET FORTH BY MR. DAVIS.

*****17 years after state-wide prohibition had been grafted upon Maine's constitution, there were:

1,500 holders of federal liquor licenses;
42 arrests to each 1,000 population in "dry" Portland;
7,660 arrests for drunkenness in "dry" Lewiston, from 1910 to 1914;
Saloons in cities, villages, and townships;
"Blind Pigs" "Clubs" "Kitchen Tigers" everywhere;
Bar-rooms in Portland, Bangor and Rockland that cost \$1,000 to furnish.

*****THIS, GENTLEMEN, VERY BRIEFLY, IS A GLANCE AT PROHIBITION IN MY NATIVE STATE—MAINE.

*****in Maine under Governor Cobb's regime expenses multiplied, taxes soared sky-ward, and counties refused to pay bills levied upon them by state officers.

*****Governor Plaisted, addressing the legislature said: "For more than half a century we have had upon our statute books and for a quarter of a century in the constitution of our state, prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors; and looking back over these years, no man can refrain from feelings of disgust.

"NOT ONLY HAS THE PURPOSE FAILED OF ACCOMPLISHMENT, BUT HYPOCRISY, CORRUPTION AND DISRESPECT FOR LAW HAVE BEEN BEGOTTEN.

***** MICHIGAN'S PROHIBITIONISTS SEEK TO TRANSFER THE HYPOCRISY, CORRUPTION, AND BLIND PIGGERY OF MAINE TO MICHIGAN.

Michigan prohibitionists would destroy \$20,000,000 in property by confiscation; render 50,000 men jobless; cut off over \$2,750,000 in state revenue; and send the bill to YOU, the tax payer and home-owner.

VOTE "NO"
AGAINST THE "DRY" AMENDMENT NOVEMBER 7TH;
REMEMBER MAINE—GUARD MICHIGAN!

VOTE YES
FOR HOME RULE—REDUCE THE UNIT
OF OPTION TO CITY, TOWNSHIP
AND VILLAGE

Write for the smaller option Amendment under which 121,000 voters signed their names

L. J. Wilson, Publicity Manager Michigan Home Rule League, 1933 Dime Bank Building, Detroit, Mich.