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## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

REV. LUTHER MOORE BICKNELL, Pastor

The Pastor is anxious to serve in any way possible and desires to be informed of any who may be ill or in need of his services.

TEN O'CLOCK A. M.—"Mene, Mene, Tekel, Upharsin" (Numbered, Weighed, Fodded, wanting, Finished.) A strong message for heart searching and life analysis. You will be benefited if you come in the spirit of prayer and worship.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL—Topic, "The Giving of the Manna." C. H. Rauch, Superintendent. Calvin Whipple, Assistant Superintendent.

JUNIOR C. E. 3:00 P. M.—Meets, with Mrs. Whipple and Mrs. Parker.

SEVEN O'CLOCK P. M.—A big service conducted by the young people of the church. Special music and a Big Message by Miss Florence Rodgers, State Secretary for Young People's work. Do not fail to attend this service. Come join in the worship and the singing and hear Miss Rodgers.

THURSDAY, 7:00 P. M.—Are you taking advantage of the study in the prayer service on the topic, "Is the World Getting Better." They are worth while.

GET YOUR TICKETS FOR THE BIG COMMUNITY BANQUET FOR FRIDAY NIGHT, FEBRUARY 7th. THE PROGRAM IS WORTH THE PRICE—THEN LOOK AT THE BIG EATS.

## DEATH OF H. E. BRADNER

FORMER RESIDENT OF PLYMOUTH AND PROMINENT LANSING INDUSTRIAL LEADER DIES OF PNEUMONIA LAST SUNDAY.

MADE OUTSTANDING RECORD AS FINANCIER AND BUSINESS MANAGER IN LANSING.

DONOR OF PLYMOUTH'S HANDSOME SOLDIERS' MONUMENT IN KELLOGG PARK.

The citizens of Plymouth were greatly shocked and saddened, Monday, to hear of the death of Harry E. Bradner, a former Plymouth citizen. Plymouth is indebted to the generosity of Mr. Bradner for the beautiful soldiers' monument, which stands in Kellogg park. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to Mrs. Nancy Bradner, mother of the deceased. We take the following from the Lansing State Journal:

Harry E. Bradner, 51, a leader in Lansing's industrial activities for the past decade and one of the best known and most popular men of the city, died at his apartment, at the Porter, Sunday at 1:30 p. m. of pneumonia.

Hundreds followed his brave fight against death for weeks. The illness and death of no Lansing man in recent years has brought more expression of sympathy or touched so many friends as that of Mr. Bradner.

Mr. Bradner was president and general manager of the Auto Body company until a few weeks ago. He was general manager of the plant since its incorporation as a \$20,000 concern August 29, 1901. Under his leadership, the plant developed into a million dollar institution and holds a paramount place in the manufacturing world in its line.

Until illness compelled him to ask to be relieved from such responsibilities, Mr. Bradner was vice president of the Star-Fressed Steel company, Asho Wheel company and the Duplex Truck company. He was at the time of his death a member of the board of directors of the Lansing State Savings bank, and the Auto Wheel company, re-election to both offices contemplated.

Mr. Bradner was an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis E. Coble of Plymouth. Mr. Bradner's birthplace, as in the city to attend the funeral. The services will be private from the apartment of the deceased at 3:30 o'clock, Monday afternoon. Lansing commandery, No. 25, K. T., is to act as an escort of the last rites.

Mr. Bradner was a thirty-second degree Mason. He had held every chair in Lansing commandery, No. 25, K. T., and two years ago was its commander. He was a member of the Modern Temple of Detroit, a thirty-second degree Mason belonging to the Grand Rapids commandery, a member of the Knights Templar and Lansing council, No. 23, R. & S. M.

Mr. Bradner was born in Plymouth, Mich., Jan. 20, 1862. He was educated in Plymouth schools and in Henry Baldwin college at Trumbull. He came to Lansing in 1885, as a traveling representative of the old Lansing Wagon works. He continued in this capacity until the organization of the Auto Body company in 1901.

This company was organized by Lawrence Price and incorporated by the Michigan State. The old Henry Wagon company was continued. Mr. Bradner was named general manager, and in 1901, the company was reorganized as the Auto Body company. In 1901, the company was reorganized as the Auto Body company. In 1901, the company was reorganized as the Auto Body company.

## COMMUNITY BANQUET

FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 7th HAS BEEN SET FOR ONE OF THE BIG SOCIAL EVENTS OF THE NEW YEAR.

A FINE BANQUET AND A SPLENDID PROGRAM OF ORATORY AND MUSIC HAVE BEEN PLANNED.

An opportunity to enjoy one of the most delectable banquets and inspiring and entertaining program of oratory and music will be given you on Friday night, February 7th, at 6:30 sharp, in the banquet room of the Presbyterian church. The banquet will be served by the ladies of the Presbyterian church, who have a reputation for serving the most delicious dishes in the country, and they will sustain their reputation. They are preparing a menu that will tempt the most fastidious epicurean, and when we suggest turkey, cranberry sauce, with all the fixings, you will have to hurry to get your ticket for they are going fast.

Then, after the inner man has been supplied, the mind and heart and ear will be inspired and made glad by a splendid program of oratory, wit and song. The program will be worth the price, and you cannot afford to miss it.

Rev. Bicknell, the pastor, will welcome the diners, speakers and visitors and introduce the toastmaster, Rev. W. H. MacClements, D. D., pastor of the St. Mark's M. E. church, Detroit. Rev. C. W. Lowrie, D. D., pastor of the Bethany Presbyterian church, Detroit, will deliver a short, snappy address on "The Church and the New Era."

Rev. Benjamin F. Farber, of Woodward Avenue Presbyterian church, Detroit, will speak on "The Army Rule."

James M. Huston, one of Detroit's most noted soprano soloists, will sing two numbers, and Miss Evangeline Foster of this village, will delight you with her singing. The High school orchestra will render a number of selections during the banquet.

Any one of these numbers will be worth the price of \$1.50 per plate. You cannot afford to miss the big event.

Rev. B. F. Farber of Detroit, and formerly pastor of the Plymouth Presbyterian church, has received a call to the Sixth Presbyterian church, Detroit. This church is located in the heart of the finest residential section, and compares favorably with Grosve Point, near Detroit. It is called Squirrel Hill, and its residents are made up largely of business and professional men of Detroit. It is a growing church and the church there has a great future before it. The church has been desirous of securing the services of a young pastor, and after careful consideration and search for the right man, have tendered the call to Rev. Farber. It is a decided compliment to Mr. Farber, and a fine promotion, and his many Plymouth friends rejoice with him in his good fortune. The parsonage carries with it a salary of \$3,000 per year. Rev. Farber expects to accept the call.

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### REV. B. F. FARBER GETS PROMOTION

FORMER PLYMOUTH PASTOR CALLED TO THE PASTORATE OF THE SIXTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, DETROIT, PA.

### PLYMOUTH MASONS ENJOY BANQUET

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- The Navy Will Bring Them Back. Poetess Quartet
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- Can You Tame Wild Wimmen? Billy Murray
- 18516—It's Never too Late to be Sorry. Harry Macdonough
- Don't Cry, Little Girl, Don't Cry. Harry Macdonough
- 18517—Mother, Here's Your Boy. Lewis James and Shannon Four
- Watch, Hope and Wait, Little Girl. Charles Hart
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## SACRIFICE OF A SOLDIER

### MEMORIAL SERVICE

### Sunday, February 2nd., 7:00 P. M.

In accordance with Gov. Sleeper's proclamation, the service Sunday evening will be one of recognition of Sacrifice and Service of Our Soldiers in the Great War.

Some gave their lives, many, many were wounded, others risked their all for Democracy and Humanity. All have earned our undying gratitude.

SOLDIERS AND SOLDIERS' FAMILIES SPECIALLY INVITED.

SUNDAY, 10 A. M.

### THE NEW COST OF PEACE

### EASTER REVIVAL

Watch for announcement of special meetings in April. A Trinitarian, Pentecost and Salvation will give the program.

### UNITED METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

# Opening ANNOUNCEMENT Opening

## Saturday Evening, Feb'y 1st

Featuring Mary Miles Minter in "WIVES AND OTHER WIVES." This is the first time this reel has ever been shown on any screen. Five reels.

Toto two-reel Comedy, entitled, "ONE NIGHT STAND."

Colored Scenic, "ALONG THE VARDAR," and the PATHE NEWS.

Nine big Features Reels in all.

## Monday Evening, February 3rd

SPECIAL—Elaine Hammerstein in "HER MAN," in six reels.

Harold Lloyd Comedy—"GOING, GOING, GONE."

A one-reel feature, "OUR ALLY, THE TANKS," and the PATHE NEWS.

Nine big reels in all.

## Wednesday Evening, Feb. 5th

Baby Marie Osborne in "DOLLY'S VACATION," in five reels.

Comedy Reel, featuring Stanley Laurel, entitled, "JUST RAMBLING ALONG."

Special Reel—"THE U. S. GOVERNMENT REVIEW."

Scenic—"A HORSE IN ACTION."



Montgomery's Orchestra

## To the Public

We take pleasure in announcing to the people of Plymouth and vicinity, that the Penniman Allen Theatre will open Saturday evening, February 1st, with moving pictures, and will continue on Monday, Wednesday and Saturday evenings of each week. It will be the policy of the management to present the best class of pictures obtainable, at popular prices of admission.

ADMISSION—General Admission, any seat in the theatre, 20c, war tax included.

CHILDREN—10c, war tax included.

BOX OFFICE OPEN AT 7:15.

SHOW STARTS AT 7:45 SHARP.

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# The Penniman Allen Theatre

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### Local News

Fred Harer is slowly convalescing from his recent fall down cellar.

Howard Eckles has been discharged from Camp Custer, and has returned home.

Max Estep has been confined to his home for the past two weeks on account of throat trouble.

Henry Fye is preparing to stucco his home on Holbrook avenue, and is adding other improvements.

William Beyer and daughter, Leone, who are staying with friends in Detroit, visited Plymouth relatives, Wednesday.

Theodore Schoof has sold his home on Farmer street to Ernest Gildner, who has occupied it the past two years as tenant.

Mrs. William Beyer, who underwent an operation at Grace hospital, last Saturday, is improving as rapidly as can be expected.

Mrs. George Richwine, Sr., and daughter, Gertrude, of Detroit, were guests of the former's son and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Richwine, Sunday.

## PLYMOUTH OPERA HOUSE

### SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 1st

#### ELSIE FERGUSON

IN A FIVE-REEL FEATURE  
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### MONDAY, FEBRUARY 3rd

#### JACK PICKFORD

IN "Huck and Tom"

or the further adventures of Tom Sawyer, by Mark Twain. If you have seen Tom Sawyer, you surely want to see Huck and Tom.

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TWO SHOWS—7 AND 8:30

Miss Eva Willett visited friends in Detroit, Saturday.

Mrs. Ernest Gildner visited her parents at Elm, Wednesday.

Webb Dewey visited his daughter at Ann Arbor, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Faye Welch of Detroit, visited relatives here, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gildner visited relatives at Farmington, last Monday.

Mrs. George Hillmer of Detroit, was the guest of Mrs. Charles Olds, Tuesday.

Miss Etta Reichelt of Detroit, visited her sister, Mrs. Louis Reber, over Sunday.

Miss Mildred Nurko, a former teacher here, was the guest of Mrs. J. R. Ranch, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dixon and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Gildner were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hirschlieb, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Eckles have received another letter from their son, Floyd, written January 3rd, saying that he is still confined in a hospital at Toul, France.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid society will give a thimble party at the home of Mrs. William Blunk on Blunk avenue, next Wednesday afternoon, February 4th. Everybody welcome.

Plymouth friends will be pleased to hear that in a recent letter received from Harold Sage, who is stationed at Kelly Field, San Antonio, Texas, he said that he had been made sergeant.

Mr. and Mrs. C. DePorter pleasantly entertained several friends at their home on Liberty street, last Saturday evening. Dancing and card playing was the entertainment, and during the evening dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Phila Harrison received, Tuesday, two German officers' helmets, a U. S. revolver and a French flag from her son, Kenneth, who is with the A. E. F. at Dijon, France. These articles are now on exhibition in Pettigill & Campbell's grocery store.

Our Passage won three firsts and one second prize on his Rosa Camb Rhode Island Whites at the big Detroit poultry show this week. He secured first on each first on his and first on pullet and second on cockerel.

There will be two basket ball games at the High School auditorium, tonight, Friday, between the Redford High girls and Plymouth High girls, and the Redford High boys and the Plymouth High boys. Games start at 7:45 o'clock. Admission, 15c. Everybody go and encourage the home team.

John Lopey and Jacob Gotto of Saginaw, were arrested at the Pure Marquette depot, last Monday afternoon. They had with them four suit cases, containing whiskey. John Lopey had twelve quarts and Jacob Gotto had eighteen quarts. They were taken before Justice Wilcox, and bonded over to the circuit court. Being unable to give bail they were remanded to the county jail to await trial.

A special meeting of the Order of the Eastern Star will be held in Masonic hall, next Tuesday evening, February 4th. The degrees of the order will be conferred upon several candidates. A six o'clock dinner will be served. All members of the order are invited to attend.

Miss Camilla Ladd, who has given efficient service as assistant postmistress for several years at the Plymouth postoffice, has tendered her resignation to that office. It is understood that an examination will take place February 8th to supply the vacancy.

## DEATH OF MRS. SILAS SLY

Mrs. Agnes Sly, wife of Silas Sly, a prominent farmer living a few miles north of town, passed away at her home, early Thursday morning, after a several months' illness. She leaves a husband and five children—two sons, William of Jonesville, and Howard of Great Lakes Training Station; three daughters, Mrs. Clyde Smith of Plymouth, and Levern and Dorothy, who reside at home. The funeral will be held from her late residence, Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. L. M. Bicknell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this place, of which deceased had been a member for several years, will officiate. Interment in Riverside cemetery.

## EASTER REVIVAL IN METHODIST CHURCH

MEETINGS IN APRIL. TROMBONIST, PIANIST AND SOLOIST WILL BE HERE.

E. G. Conner of Lima, Ohio, trombonist and chorus director of considerable experience; Mrs. Conner, pianist and soloist, and Miss Helen Conner, soloist, singer and worker with young people, are to be in Plymouth to assist in the Easter revival meetings, which will be held in the Methodist church in April.

These meetings will be a part of the general evangelistic movement in all the Methodist churches in Michigan, the last three weeks before Easter. Meetings had been planned for in the local church for two weeks in February, but it seemed best to postpone a part of the general movement at Easter time.

The Conners, who will assist Rev. F. M. Field here, are now engaged in meetings in Danbury, Indiana, and before coming here have engagements at Piquette, Ohio, and West Virginia. Special things are reported of their work in other places.

## Methodist Supper

Supper at M. E. Church, Friday evening, January 31.

Head Leaf Salad, Mashed Potatoes, Cabbage Salad, Fruit, Coffee, Pickles, Cake.

## Today's Reflections

A Plymouth man said yesterday the reason Foch hasn't been elected president of the world is because there's no such job.

It's a good thing the children of Plymouth are so innocent, or otherwise they'd kick on presents that come from mail order houses.

The world has changed a whole lot, but you can still tell a fool by the way he spends his money and slams his friends.

A Plymouth woman can take an old hat, make it over and fool her husband. But there isn't a woman in town she can fool.

You can bet that the cost of living didn't cut much of a figure in the good old days when the family thought more of paying their debts than they did of keeping up appearances.

When some Plymouth men get married they quit carrying her a pound of candy and think she ought to make as much over them when they carry in a pound of butter.

President Wilson has proven a wonderful man at figuring out things. But any woman can beat him figuring out trouble that never happens.

Whiskey used to be commonly called nose paint, but within the past few months they've taken to referring to it as "fin varnish."

We still argue that the reason most boys leave the farm is because Willie's pig grows to be father's hog and his calf grows to become mother's cow.

And we also wonder if there is going to be a slump in the suit case market as soon as the nation goes dry.

## A PROCLAMATION

To the Citizens of Plymouth:

In accordance with Governor Sleeper's proclamation to observe Sunday, February 2, 1919, as Memorial Sunday, I request that the citizens commemorate this day by fitting worship, and that flags be displayed at our homes and places of business in tribute to our honored dead.

(Signed) W. T. CONNER, President.

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## NOTED SCIENTIST DIES

THE REMAINS OF ADOLPH B. COVERT OF DETROIT, WERE BROUGHT HERE FOR INTERMENT IN RIVERSIDE CEMETERY, WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 22.

Adolph B. Covert, born in the city of Ann Arbor in the year 1853, died very suddenly of heart failure at the Hotel Franklin, Detroit, Sunday, January 19. The remains were brought to Plymouth, and the funeral was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. I. Moore in north village, Wednesday afternoon, January 22nd.

Rev. L. M. Bicknell, pastor of the First Presbyterian church of this place, officiated. He was laid to rest in Riverside cemetery. The deceased leaves a widow, Mrs. Florence Purdy Covert, and two married daughters, all of whom reside in Hannibal, Mo.

The widow and one daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Ryan, accompanied the remains to Plymouth.

Mr. Covert was widely known by all college scientists, being connected with the Ann Arbor museum for nearly twenty years, and at different times connected with the Illinois state museum at Springfield, the Ohio museum at Cincinnati, and the Chicago Art Institute. Mr. Covert was authority on bird and animal life, as well as antique furniture and pottery. He was a taxidermist of ability and has done much towards promoting the study of science through naturalist magazines and bird clubs.

Mrs. Covert was a former Plymouth girl, and they had purchased property in north village, expecting to build here in the spring and make this place their future home. Mr. Covert will be greatly missed by James Purdy and family, as he and his wife spent considerable time at their home during the past few years.

Republican caucus called

A Republican caucus to nominate three delegates to the county convention to be held in Detroit, February 11th, will be held at the council chamber, Monday, February 10th, at 2:00 o'clock p. m.

If you have got anything to sell, a line in the Mail will do the business. Try it and see.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Before using this preparation for a cough or cold you may wish to know what it has done for others. Mrs. O. Cook, Mason, Ill., writes, "I have found it gives the quickest relief of any cough remedy I have ever used." Mrs. James A. Knox, Chatham, Mass., says, "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cannot be beat for coughs and colds." H. J. Moore, Oval, Pa., says, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on several occasions when I was suffering with a settled cold upon the chest and it has always brought about a cure." —ADT.

## ELM

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lambert attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. Sarah Welfare, at Farmington, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rohde and mother, Mrs. J. E. Rohde, spent Sunday with Detroit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bentley entertained a number of guests at dinner, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Gunning, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bentley and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Bentley were dinner guests at O. E. Chilson's, Friday.

There will be Sunday-school at Beech, next Sunday, Feb. 2, at the usual hour, 10:15 o'clock. A large attendance is desired. Everybody welcome. Mrs. C. A. Rohde, Supt.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Rohde were in Detroit on business, Wednesday.

The chicken-pie supper and bazaar, given Saturday evening by the ladies of the Beech church, drew out a large crowd, and netted the goodly sum of \$105. The ladies are certainly well pleased with the results, and wish to thank all for their liberal patronage, and all those who donated for the table, booths, etc., and thus helped to make the affair a success. The ladies who trimmed

the booths deserve great credit for their skill in designing, also for the neat and pretty appearance the booths presented when completed.

Since the roads have been so bad, Clyde Burns on rural route No. 2, has his wife to assist him. She drives one rig and he the other; thus covering all his route. Mr. Burns sees that everyone gets their mail, if he has to walk over portions of the route, as he sometimes does.

A notice for the township registration will be found on another page of this paper. Look for it.

Basket ball at High School auditorium, tonight.

Republican caucus, next Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock at council room.

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### FROM OUR BOYS

The following letter was received from William T. Krueger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Krueger:

Luxemburg, Nov. 28, '18

Dear Folks at Home:

Just received your thirty-second letter, and will try to write you a few words.

We are staying in a little town, which is twenty kilometers from the city of Luxemburg and one kilometer from the German border. We were the first American soldiers here, after walking from the beach. We have been here a week, and will soon be in Germany, on the Rhine, where we will guard the border. The people here are fine, and they all speak German, so you see I am in luck.

I suppose you are going to have turkey today. We are going to have roast beef. We are also having a half holiday. Five of us boys are going to have supper tonight with a German family, and the roast pork tastes just like mother cooks.

It is in the best of health. Storms of Battle Creek, died. He was a very fine man.

We have German money here—four marks to the dollar. Everything is skyhigh here. Pork is one dollar or four marks a pound; eggs are one mark each, and tobacco is twelve dollars a pound. I suppose the high prices are somewhat intensified by the fact that I have three months' pay coming, and possess only one five mark note, but expect to get paid in a few days.

All we are now is drilling four hours each day, although we have got one hundred and eighty kilometers yet to go.

I have not seen anyone from around home while over here.

How is the weather over there? It is very pleasant here, but I suppose if I started to write about the war, I could write a letter as big as the old dictionary in the Patchen school house.

That everlasting lost box finally arrived, and wish to say that English stuff isn't worth much. The candy tasted more like tobacco—there being no sugar in it. Do not bother to send any more boxes. We can get all the good American goods here in the Y. M. C. A.

Received the snap shots from sister and think they are fine.

Have you got that pumpkin husked yet, and is the old barrel full of cider?

Well I will close for this time, with love to all.

Your loving son and brother,  
**WILLIAM T. KRUEGER.**

Letter from Private L. H. Cooper, Second F. A., Battery B, Camp Knox, Kentucky, January 24, 1919.

Dear Rev. Field:

Arrived from France, January 18, on the President Grant, which was a German freighter when the United States declared war.

At the time I got your letter, Nov. 15, we were in Malesherbes, quartered in an old barn. It wasn't much of a town, and off in the wilderness.

Going to France we were twelve days, and it seemed as if we would never get there. There were thirteen ships in the convoy, a number of destroyers and a battleship. Coming back took fourteen days. Seven days out we ran in and in order to get better seas the ship took a southerly course. During the storm the waves rolled so high that they swept away three life boats that were on the top deck, 62 feet above the water line. I was seasick for four days and didn't care whether the ship sank or not.

The French are queer people. Everything is queer in France. The houses are built of stone with funny little windows. Everything is built of stone or concrete. The streets are narrow and paved with brick or cobble stones. There are very few sewers and most all kinds of rubbish is dumped in the street.

A French troop train is a joke. The cars are about half the size of ours. A small box car is all they are. Forty men or eight horses are put in one car, and putting forty men with their packs into a car, there isn't room to sit down, let alone trying to sleep.

The French farmers build their house and barn in one building. The cattle and horses are up next to the living room, and the chickens run around in the house.

The German prisoners in France are satisfied and do not care anything about going back to Germany. They get good chow and do not have to work hard. They make little trinkets and sell them to the U. S. soldiers.

I am glad to get back to the good old U. S. A. and hope to get back home soon.

It is very lonesome tonight. There isn't anything to do and no place to go, but the Y. M. C. A. gets rather tiresome. I'm in the Red Cross Salvation Army, Y. M. C. A. and E. of C. did some fine work in this war.

There isn't any adventure or glory in war. Before we got to France, we were rather brave, but after we got there and saw the effects of war, it wasn't so nice. But if we had got to the front, we would have done our best. While we were in Brest, two or three Red Cross trains came in daily. Some of the boys were badly shot up. The German prisoners say they were not afraid of the French, but they did not know what to make of the Yankees.

I have talked with some of the fellows who were in the 5th and 6th Marines, (they were nearly wiped out), and the stories they tell about the front seem almost impossible.

I am as ever,  
L. H. COOPER,  
2nd F. A. Battery B.

Mrs. Charles Stoneburner has received the following interesting letter from her brother, Irving Stewart, private in the 4th Division. Quitt: a number of Plymouth boys are in this division:

Raubach, Germany, Dec. 22, '18.

Dear Sister and All:

Just a few lines to let you know I am still alive, and am feeling pretty good, and hope you are all the same.

On the evening of November 17th, I was in the trenches, and I was very glad to get home. It was the first mail we received in quite a while, and was from home and was very nice.

Wayne Auxiliary Red Cross and had a money order for \$5.00, and yesterday I got more money, you see I have had quite a lot of packages. You need not send any magazines or papers, as we are pretty busy and on the move more or less, so you better keep them till I get back and I'll read them, for I am not counting on doing anything for some time after I get back; will spend some time visiting and getting acquainted.

This is Saturday afternoon. It has rained all day. We had our weekly inspection inside this morning, and so have the rest of the day to ourselves. It is rather wet here just now and quite cold, although we have had no frost yet or any snow, but the folks around here say it has been very mild this season, and I am glad it has.

This Raubach is only a small burg, and is about twenty miles northeast of Coblenz. We have been here about two weeks, drilling like we did at Waco. The day before Christmas we were drilling, and the captain got tired of it, so he strung us around a little patch of cedar woods and we closed in and scared up a lot of rabbits and got a big squirrel and caught a wild deer. We scared it out and it ran into a guy, and a lot got after it and finally caught it. It was about as big as a good-sized calf. We let it go again, as there is a law on deer. During our time in the woods, we started up five or six deer and lots of rabbits.

Well, I suppose you had a big Christmas this year. Hope I'll be there next year. We had a tree here in the afternoon and had quite a lot of fun out of it.

I have not seen Lester since Sept. 12, when we were in the trenches. I was just as we were finishing our hitch on the Soisson front, and no one was feeling very good. We went in with 110 men and came back with 20. It was our worst hitch, still we had four others that were had enough.

Well, I don't know how long we will be here or when we will get back. As for me staying over here, there is nothing doing at all, the U. S. is good enough for me.

The "flu" is not bad over here yet, but I don't know what stops it. I guess we are all too tough for it. Everybody is all excited over a rumor about pay the last of this month. I'll have four months coming. Some of the fellows have six. Must close for now, hoping to hear from you soon and maybe see you all. I am as ever,  
Your brother,  
I. J. STEWART,  
Co. I, 128th,  
A. E. F., A. P. O. 734.

An interesting letter from Harold Wall:

San Diego, California, January 21, 1919.

Dearest Mother:

How are you at home? I am feeling just as fine as usual. So you are having a fine winter, no snow. I thought the snow would be piled up like it was last winter. We have been doing horse exercise twice a day for two months, and sure, mother, I am some horseback rider. An order came out this morning to pull the horses' shoes, clean all equipment and turn them in to the supply sergeant. The horses will be turned in in the morning. Good news to us.

My friend, William Young, left for Columbus Barracks, a week ago. He has probably been mustered out by this time and on his way home to West Virginia. Oh! but he was a happy lad.

I am so glad, mother, that you are getting better. Keep right on getting better and I will soon be home to you.

There are eighty-five men in my company, and fifty of them are going to be discharged. I hope I am one of the lucky fellows. I just received my laundry pack. It cost \$2.10.

Had a letter from Cousin Georgia the other day. She wants me to visit them at Stockton before I go home, and Uncle John wants me to visit them at Placerville. When I get my discharge, I don't think I will stop to visit them, as much as I would like to, but start immediately for Michigan. Don't write to me any more, as I will not get it. Will be home soon. Give my love to Dad and Marguerite.

Lovingly your son,  
HAROLD.

Mrs. Evelyn Macomber Brocklehurst received the following letter from her husband, who is with the army of occupation in Germany:

Ernst, Germany, Dec. 23, '18.

My Dear Wife:

We have stopped hiking at last. It was hard to write much when we were hiking every day. The censor is off at last, and now I shall tell you just where I am and how I got here.

We sailed from New York, July 22; landed in Liverpool, August 3; took a train to Winchester, stayed there about thirty hours; took a train to Southampton intending to cross the channel that night, but the U-boats had sunk two ships the night before, so we got into a camp for the night, and next day crossed the English Channel and landed in Cherbourg, France. Stayed in an English rest camp at Cherbourg, and next day entrained for Les Aix d'Angillon, passing through the cities of Les Mesnuls, Chateau Bourgeois, Les Aix, in near Bourges in about the central part of France.

When we arrived in England an order came making the 5th Division into the 4th Depot Division or a division to get replacements. From Winchester we went to Le Mans about two weeks when an order came for men. Then, sixty men were taken from each company of the 329 M. G. B. to replace in Rainbow Division. I got sent here to go. On August 12, I was sent to Les Aix on a detail. I was with the 1st company of the 1st Depot Division. I was not in Les Aix, but in Le Mans, where I was with the 1st Depot Division.

October 20th, on order came for the remainder of the 5th to move toward the front. I returned to my company October 21st. November 1st, we went to the front. I was with the 1st Depot Division.

## Attention Farmers

Prospects were never any better for a prosperous season. Take a day off, size up your spring requirements. Pay us a visit. Get the prices and make reservations for what you will need in the following lines:

## American Fence, Cedar and Tamarack Fence Posts, Farm Machinery, Soft Coal, Feeds

Prepare for your spring seed requirements. We will have a quantity of SWEET CORN SEED, INCLUDING STOWELLS' EVERGREEN, KENDEL'S EARLY GIANT, EARLY MINNESOTA AND OTHERS; ALSO CLOVER, ALSIKE, ALFALFA AND TIMOTHY.

You will also find many things to interest you in the Grocery and Meat Department.

BE SURE TO SEE US. THE PRICES ARE RIGHT.

## GEORGE N. BENTLEY, ELM

TELEPHONE—Redford 144-J2

### Going to Have an Auction?

If you intend having an Auction at any time, see HARRY C. ROBINSON, Plymouth, Mich.

Anyone wishing my services as Auctioneer, call 7 F-3 or 6 F-2 at my expense. Satisfaction Guaranteed.

**Harry C. Robinson**  
PLYMOUTH, MICH.

### Water Rentals Due!

Water rates are due and payable semi-annually in advance at the office of the Village Treasurer on the first days of January and July in each year, unless otherwise provided for in the schedule of rates. If the rates are not paid in thirty days after due, the water will be turned off. Pay your water rentals before January 31st and avoid penalty.

**R. R. PARROTT,**  
VILLAGE TREASURER  
Office 288 Main St.

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New Location, Store Formerly Occupied by Carrington & Son.

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Keep your growing children from cold and weakening coughs and you are helping them to grow stronger and healthier. The most effective remedy for children's colds, coughs, and whooping cough is **Foley's Honey and Tar**. It is a natural, pure, and powerful remedy that is safe for all ages. It is the only remedy that is both effective and pleasant. It is the only remedy that is both effective and pleasant. It is the only remedy that is both effective and pleasant.

When the Colorado Burst Its Banks and Flooded the Imperial Valley of California

The RIVER

By Ednah Aiken

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When Man and Nature Clashed.

It was but a short time ago that the whole nation was thrilled by news of a mighty struggle in which man's ingenuity and strength were pitted against the seemingly irresistible forces of nature.

CHAPTER I.

Marshall Sends for Rickard. The large round clock was striking nine as "Casey" Rickard's dancing step carried him into the outer office of Tod Marshall.

him that it was the same Tom Hardin who had gone to college at Lawrence; had married Gerty Holmes. Queer business, life, that he should cross, even so remotely, their orbits again.



He Walked to the Window.

"You can wait here," suggested the clerk, looking covertly at the shoes of the man who a few years before had been shoveling coal on a Wyoming engine.

"Mr. Marshall said to wait." "Hobson, instead of shoe laces" scaped the human machine that must ever write letters which other men sign.

CHAPTER II. A Bit of Oratory. Marshall threw his hat on a chair, the morning paper on his desk. He aimed his burned-out cigar at the nearest cuspidor, but it fell foul; the ashes scattering over Sam's lately scoured linoleum.

CHAPTER III. The engineer wanted to know what kind of a "mess" it was. "That river," it was running away from them. "I'm going to send you down to stop it."

CHAPTER IV. "The Colorado" exclaimed Rickard. It was no horse to be turned, simply, off from a garden bed.

CHAPTER V. "Of course you've been following it? It's one of the biggest things that's happened in this part of the world. Too big for the men who have been trying to swing it. You've followed it?"

CHAPTER VI. "Yes," queer coincidence, reading that report just now! "I've not been there. But the engineering papers used to get to me in Mexico. I've read all the reports."

depend on me, it's as good as settled that I am buried in Tucson." Hadn't he heard Marshall himself say that he "didn't care a kindergarten—that his office wasn't a training school for men?"

CHAPTER VII. "Perhaps as the work unfolds, as I see more of what he wants of me, why he wants me, I may like it, I may get to about for Tucson?"

CHAPTER VIII. "The distinction of serving Marshall well certainly had its drawbacks. He wanted to sweep on. Whether he had a definite terminal, a concrete goal, had he ever stopped to think? Specialization had always a fascination for him.

CHAPTER IX. "Retrospectively engineering could hardly be said to be the work of his choice. Rather had it appeared to choose him. From boyhood engineers had always been, to him, the soldiers of modern civilization.

CHAPTER X. "The boy in the room was a young man of that sort, and saw the other man's eyes on him from across the room.

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the next day. A month later and he was shoveling coal on the steep grades of Wyoming. "Marshall keeps his men with him!"

Curious thing, magnetism. That man's step on the stair, and every man-jack of them would jump to attention, from Ben, the colored janitor, who would not swap his post for a saloon so long as Tod Marshall's one-lung kept him in Arizona, to Smythe, the stoop-shouldered clerk, who had followed Marshall's cough from San Francisco.

CHAPTER XII. As the hands of the round clock in the outer office were pointing to ten the door opened and Marshall entered. His clothes, of indefinite blackish hue, would have disgraced an eastern man.

CHAPTER XIII. "I'm good for a lifetime here, if I want it," his thoughts would work back to the starting place. "If I knuckle down to it, let him grow to his tracks."

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general manager of the company. He was allowed to resign, to save his face, as the Chinese say. I may tell you that it was a case of firing. He'd made a terrible fuka down there.

CHAPTER XXI. "Where the railroad came in? The inside of that story? I'm responsible—I guaranteed to Faraday the closing of that break. There was a big district to save, a district that the railroad tapped—but I'll tell you that later."

CHAPTER XXII. "Perhaps you've heard how Estrada, the general, took a party of men into the desert to sell a mine he owned. After the deal was made he decided to let it slip. He'd found something bigger to do, more to his liking than the sale of a mine.

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he's a raw dancer, always starts off too quick, begins on the wrong foot. Oh, yes, he has reasons, lots of them, that follow, but, as you say, they're not reasonable. He never waits to get ready."

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an honor to be picked out by you for such a piece of work. I'd like to—but I can't." The president of railroads, who knew men, had been watching the play of feature. "Take your time," he said. "Don't answer too hastily. Take your time."

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LOOK AT CHILD'S TONGUE IF SICK, CROSS, FEVERISH

HURRY, MOTHER! REMOVE POLLS FROM LITTLE STOMACH, LIVER, BOWELS.

GIVE CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS AT ONCE IF BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED.



Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, it is a sure sign that your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need a gentle, thorough cleansing at once.

When peevish, cross, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, doesn't eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has stomach-ache, sore throat, diarrhea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of the little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again.

You needn't coax sick children to take this harmless "fruit laxative," they love its delicious taste, and it always makes them feel splendid. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. To be sure you get the genuine, ask to see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt—Adv.

"Marcelline" in Strasburg Again. The "Marcelline," national anthem of France, is sung again in the homes and on the streets of Strasburg, the city of its birth. In that city on the night of April 21, 1792, Rouger de Lisle, then an officer in the engineers, composed the song.

He sang it for the first time in the home of Mr. Dietrich, mayor of Strasburg. After serving with the French army at La Vendue until 1820 De Lisle was pensioned by Louis Philippe. Strasburg was taken by the Germans in the war of 1870-1871 and held, with the rest of Alsace-Lorraine. The Germans were forced to evacuate it under the terms of the armistice.

STOMACH UPSET?

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN AT ONCE ENDS SOURNESS, GASES, ACIDITY, INDIGESTION.

Lumps of undigested food causing pain. When your stomach is acid, gassy, sour or you have heartburn, flatulence, headache or dyspepsia, here is instant relief—No waiting!



Don't stay upset! Eat a tablet of Pape's Diapepsin and instantly your stomach feels fine. All the indigestion, pain, gases, acidity and misery in the stomach ends. Pape's Diapepsin tablets cost little at any drug store but there is no surer or quicker stomach relief known. Adv.

No Chance for Him. When you see a man who is willing to let well enough alone you see one who will never occupy any of the room to the top.

Be Jolly, but don't be jollied.

Back Lame and Achy?

There's little peace when your kidneys are weak and while at first they may be making more urine than they should, then, gradually, pain, back-ache, dizziness, and other irregularities, you must act quickly to avoid the more serious troubles, dropsy, heart disease, Bright's disease, Doan's Kidney Pills, the remedy which is so warmly recommended everywhere by grateful users.

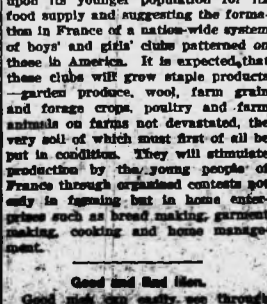


Doan's Kidney Pills

MODEL ON AMERICAN CLUBS

France Considering Adoption of Our Methods of Teaching Farming to Boys and Girls.

France is considering the adoption of Uncle Sam's methods of teaching better farming and home making to boys and girls. Representatives from the French high commission, lately in this country, made a point of studying carefully the methods of the federal department of agriculture and the state agricultural colleges in conducting boys' and girls' clubs. Much of the information thus collected has been widely reported by the French press, accompanied by the view that, the man or woman power of France having been depleted or disorganized by war service, France for some time to come will be dependent in large part upon its younger population for its food supply and suggesting the formation in France of a nation-wide system of boys' and girls' clubs patterned on those in America. It is expected, that these clubs will grow staple products—garden produce, wool, farm grain and forage crops, poultry and farm animals on farms not devastated, the very soil of which must first of all be put in condition. They will stimulate production by the young people of France through organized contests not only in farming but in home enterprises such as bread making, garment making, cooking and home management.



Good and Bad Men. Good men are easy to see through but bad men can't always be seen.

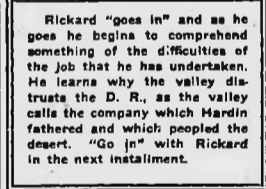
Just Stop That River!

The big thing. Maybe you are going to be married. He did not wait for Rickard's vigorous negative. "That can wait. The river won't. There's a river running away down yonder, ruining the valley, ruining the homes of families men have carried in with them. I've asked you to save them. There's a debt of honor to be paid. My promise. I have asked you to pay it. There's history being written in that desert. I've asked you to write it. And you say 'No.'"

"No! I say yes" clipped Rickard. The Marshall oratory had swept him to his feet. The dramatic moment was chilled by their Anglo-Saxon self-consciousness. An awkward silence hung. Then: "When can you go?" "Today, tomorrow, the first train out."

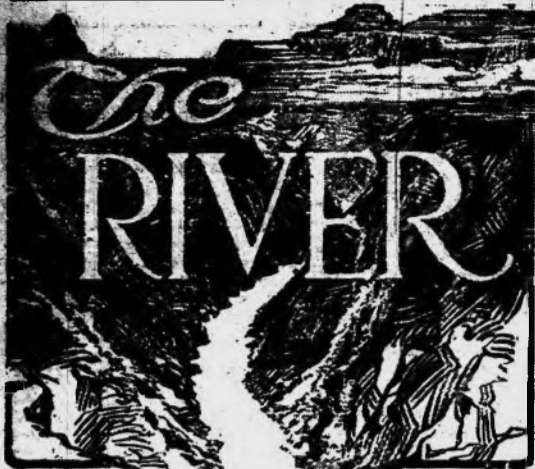
"Good!" "Any instructions?" "Just stop that river!" "The expense?" demanded the engineer. "How far can I go?" "D—n the expense!" cried Tod Marshall. "Just go ahead."

(TO BE CONTINUED)



Rickard "goes in" and as he goes he begins to comprehend something of the difficulties of the job that he has undertaken. He learns why the valley distrusts the D. R., as the valley calls the company which Hardin fathered and which peopled the desert. "Go in" with Rickard in the next installment.





A big story of the Colorado—the 2,000-mile river that dug the Grand Canyon, the Great-Yellow-Dragon-That-Cannot-Be-Harnessed of the Indian—when it burst its banks and threatened to turn the Imperial Valley of California into an inland sea.

"Stop the river, damn the expense!" said President/Marshall of the Overland Pacific to "Casey" Rickard, engineer.

"The River" is the story of that titanic struggle to balk the Colorado of its prey that thrilled the nation; of the man who saved the Imperial Valley and lost his heart to the girl who hated him.

"The River" is the story of Innes Hardin, whose hatred of the engineer turned to love as she watched him lead the battle against the Great Yellow Dragon for the lives and homes of the settlers.

"The River" is the thrilling story of that thrilling time.

"The River" is our new serial.

Be Sure to Read It.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

The O. E. S. of Northville, will give a ball on February 21. Fisher's orchestra of Kalamazoo, will furnish the music.

The Harroun Motor Corporation held open house, last Sunday, to celebrate their passing from car park back to car production.

In all probability the village of Wayne will submit the question of changing the village charter to the commission form of government at the coming village election in March.

Joseph Gorbun of Denton, who is home on a five days' furlough, had the honor of being one of the nine marines to act as guards to President Wilson on his trip to France on the George Washington.

Gus Schmidt of Strobel & Schmidt, was somewhat startled when fringing up a bunch of bananas in their store, Saturday, to find a live, and neatly coiled among the fruit.

So often you hear the remark, "There is no money in farming," but occasionally you will find some worthy son of the soil whose receipts were so good from something that he has produced on the farm that he will tell about it.

School Notes

Miss Gillespie of Tecumseh, Mrs. B. E. Giles and Mrs. L. B. Samsen visited the sixth grade, Monday afternoon.

Fourth and fifth overflow room went "over the top," Friday in Junior Red Cross membership.

The third grade are learning, "The Barefoot Boy" by J. G. Whittier.

The pupils of Miss McClumpha's room have passed through their first examination in a very creditable manner.

Mrs. Field, Mrs. Giles and Mrs. Lawrence Samsen were visitors in Mrs. Moon's room, this week.

Lawrence Rattenbury of the second grade, has been neither tardy nor absent this semester.

Report cards were issued in the High school on Wednesday. Parents should always sign these cards.

The debate between Plymouth and Northville, last Wednesday night, at the auditorium, was decidedly a success.

The Latest in Spraying, Prof. H. J. Eustace, M. A. C.

The Question Box will be in charge of C. P. Halligan, East Lansing.

The Present Status of the Pear Psylla in Michigan, F. L. Simanton, Bureau of Entomology, Washington, D. C.

Other timely topics will be discussed and Tuesday evening, Prof. Eustace will give an illustrated talk along horticultural lines.

Anyone desiring copy of program, apply to the secretary's office, Bangor, Michigan.

Cured at a Cost of 25 Cents "Eight years ago when we first moved to Mattoon, I was a great sufferer from indigestion and constipation."

"I had frequent headaches and dizzy spells, and there was a feeling like a heavy weight on my stomach and chest all the time. I felt miserable. Every morsel of food distressed me. I could not rest at night and felt tired and worn out all the time."

"One bottle of Chamberlain's Tablets cured me and I have since felt like a different person."

Raw Furs in Greatest Demand Ever Known

I will pay the following prices for all furs brought to my house, one mile south of Salem. Will call for lots of \$10.00 and over. Home Sundays and most every morning.

Home hides—\$7.00; \$6.00. Beef hides—40¢ per lb. Skunk—No. 1, \$6.00; No. 2, \$4.00; No. 3, \$2.50; No. 4, \$1.50.

Mink—No. 1 dark, \$9.00; medium, No. 2, \$7.00; small, \$4.50. No. 3, \$5.00; \$3.00; medium, \$4.00; small, \$2.50.

Rats—\$3.00, \$1.50, \$1.00. I can give you a very liberal spot on these prices that means more than higher than lists. Plymouth, Mich.

Yours for business, cash sales. CHAS. W. BATHORNE, Commissioner.

INJUNCTION GRANTED AGAINST PHONE RATE

Judge Howard West of the Ingham county circuit court, Tuesday, issued an injunction restraining the Michigan State Telephone Company from putting into effect its proposed increase in rates at the Detroit exchange.

Large Buick advertisement featuring the Buick logo, the slogan 'EVERYBODY KNOWS VALVE-IN-HEAD MEANS BUICK', and two illustrations of Buick cars. The text below the cars reads: 'Let us demonstrate to you the many good qualities of the Buick line. It will not place you under the slightest obligation to buy. A phone or a card will bring the Buick to your door.'

REGISTER AS A PATRIOTIC DUTY

Registration is the first step in the duty of patriotic citizenship. Are you a patriot? Have you registered? These questions apply to men and women alike.

If you live in a city go to the city hall, when you will be given a blank to fill out.

If you live in a township, the clerk will take your registration.

The registration blank contains the following questions:

- I live at
My residence is on the
My residence is between these Sts.
The building in which I live is a
My age is
I have lived in Michigan
I have lived in this township
Naturalized
My residence is in the
Ward
Township
District

Write your name if married, not that of your husband, as for instance, "Mary Jane Blank," not Mrs. John Blank.

It is not necessary to state your exact age. Past twenty-one is sufficient. The law is interested only in knowing that you are of legal age.

If you have lived in Michigan six months, and are an American citizen, you are entitled to register.

The registration clerk will most likely courteously answer any questions.

Registration on or before February 15th.

Very important county, township and local candidates will be nominated at the primaries.

Dr. J. B. Hear, a dentist at Northville, for 22 years, is dead at the age of 61 years.

One day recently 22 mice were caught through the ice in Silver Lake, near South Lyon.

REAL ESTATE advertisement for E. C. SMITH, located at 1000 East Grand River Ave., Detroit. The ad lists various real estate services and contact information.

FOR SALE OR LEASE advertisement for a 25-acre tract of land near South Lyon, Michigan. The ad provides details about the property and contact information for E. C. Smith.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Registration will be in session at the village hall on Saturday, March 1st, and on Friday, March 7th, from 9:00 a. m. to 8:30 p. m., central standard time, for the purpose of registering all qualified electors of the village of Plymouth.

NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Assessment and Review will be in session at the village hall, Monday, February 3, from 9:00 a. m. to 5:00 p. m., for the purpose of reviewing the special assessment roll as prepared for Ann Arbor street drain.

UNCLE SAM

needs your help. Daily we are receiving requests from Washington, as well as locally, for stenographers, typists, calculating machine operators, bookkeepers, etc.

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61-69 West Grand River Ave. DETROIT Established 1859 Accredited

NOTICE.

The Plymouth Electric Mills is now ready to do all kinds of Custom Feed Grinding.

Buckwheat and Rye Flour.

All kinds of Feeds and Chick Feeds for sale.

W. E. BOWEN & SON, Proprietors.

Phone 300

We Print Auction Bills

THE BOASTFUL SHOP advertisement featuring an illustration of a shop interior and the slogan 'You'll Find This A Good Shop'.

to tie to, and we think a good shop to tie to.

TO TIE TO

When Pangs of Hunger Assail

TO TIE TO

Because Quality and Fair Prices Prevail

Wm. GAYDE advertisement for a meat market, located at North Village, with phone number 378.

CENTRAL MEAT MARKET

Call Central Meat Market, phone 23, for

Choice Meats,

Smoked Meats of all Kinds,

Home Made Bologna and Sausages.

Try them and you won't eat any other.

PHONE NO. 23. FRANK RAMBO, Mgr.



**THE GIFT**  
that SHE will admire  
and  
**Treasure**  
and most can be selected  
from our large stock  
of up-to-date  
**Jewelry**

We now have a fine display of LAVALIERS, RINGS, PINS, BRACELETS, WATCHES, of latest patterns. Call and see them. It is our pleasure to serve you.

A large line of VALENTINES just received.

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—AND—  
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**R. W. SHINGLETON**

North Village, Plymouth

Phone No. 237 F-2



Subscribe for the Mail.  
Henry Harer is home from France. Get your supper at M. E. church, Friday evening, Jan. 31. Price 30c.  
Choice of any hat I have for \$2.00. Mrs. Dickerson, 122 Harvey street.  
Mrs. Waldecker of Dearborn, was a guest of Miss Anna Harer, Wednesday.

Charles Olds was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevens at Ypsilanti, last Sunday.

Mrs. E. C. Hough left last week for a short visit with her mother at Mobile, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts are moved into their new bungalow on South Main street.

Miss Helen Passage, who is teaching school at Rochester, visited her parents, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Gale have returned from a week's visit with their son near Ypsilanti.

Louis Hillmer has sold his tenant house on Starkweather avenue to Adolph Kaehf of Salem.

Frank Millard was in Detroit a few days the first of the week attending the poultry show.

Mrs. Ella Peck returned home, Monday from a visit with her son, Dexter, and family in Detroit.

John Herdman and family of Ann Arbor, visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Taft.

Miss Alvina Streng, who was home from the Normal a few days last week, has returned to Ypsilanti.

George Meddaugh returned home, last Friday, from a week's visit with relatives at Tyre and Melvin, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Hubert of Redford, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stoneburner, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johns and little son of Detroit, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Childs and daughter, Agnes, of Alkron, Ohio, were week-end visitors at Winfield Scott's.

Miss Edna Richwine, who has been spending the past two weeks with her brother, Alton, in Chicago, has returned home.

Lewis Longprey, a prominent hardware dealer of Flat Rock, Mich., is dead at the age of 79 years. He was an uncle of Mrs. Floyd Sherman of this place.

Mrs. John Osborn and Mrs. P. A. Lee of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. A. L. Hart of Milford, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Scott, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Cable were called to Lansing, Sunday, on account of the death of the former's nephew, Harry E. Bradner.

Don't forget that H. C. Robinson is still in the drying business. All orders promptly attended to. Automobile livery. Phone 7 F-3.

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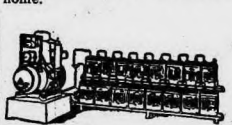
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**GEORGE W. SPRINGER**  
Chief of Police.

**AUCTION SALE**

Tuesday, February 18th, at nine o'clock, of farm stock and implements, forty-five head of cattle. Property of Alfred White on Waterford road.

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**Wants, For Sale, To Rent, etc**

**SPECIAL**—Saturday afternoon and evening, sale of Edison four-minute cylinder records, 15c each. These are not second-hand, but are first class new records. F. R. Woodworth, Northville.

**FOR SALE**—Tables, chairs, three bedsteads, dining chairs, etc. See H. C. Robinson. 911

**FOR SALE**—1917 Ford touring car; good tires and in first class condition. 818 Holbrook avenue. 911

**WANTED**—A good home for a five-year old girl. Arrangements could be made for adoption. For further particulars enquire at this office. 911

**FOR SALE**—Modern house; large lot. 386 East Ann Arbor street. M. H. Ladd, phone 89. 717

**WANTED**—Buzz wood to saw. Phone 316-F5. 912

**FOR SALE**—White Lily washing machine; good cook stove, No. 9; base burner; bent wood churn; bedstead, springs and mattress. 161 South Harvey street or phone. 912

**FOR SALE**—If you are in the market for a team of horses, weight 3,000, sound, well matched and broken. See H. C. Robinson. 911

**FOR SALE**—Some fine lots or exchange for small farm. S. E. Campbell, West Ann Arbor street. 812

**FOR SALE**—A sideboard. Phone 54-F8. 911

**FOR SALE**—Modern bungalow on Williams street. A. D. Macham, phone 382W. 911

**WANTED**—A man and wife want place as tenant. Call, phone 248-F11. 812

Established 23 years. Specializing in farms. Buyers for all kinds of farms, also small places. Address Mr. McAdams, 1250 West Euclid avenue, 9th house from Grand River, Detroit, Mich. 911

**FOR SALE**—Hay and oats. See Harry Robinson. 911

**WANTED**—A good farm to rent from 80 to 120 acres, on shares or cash rent; with good fences and buildings. G. W. VanBuren, Route 4, phone 242-F8, Plymouth. 814

**FARM FOR SALE OR RENT**—64 acres, good buildings and fences. F. G. Murray, Salem, Mich. 814

**FOR SALE**—Cochran's—S. C. W. Lechman, E. C. E. L. Bank, E. C. E. L. Bank, phone 2155 to 2300 each. New York. This will be your last chance to get one of our choice birds. E. Hillman, phone 81. 911

**LOST**—A black leather pocket book, with good contents and a few dollars in cash. If anyone has seen it, please leave it at this office and receive reward. 911

**FOR SALE**—Modern house with 1000 sq. ft. of garage. 911

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| 20c Catsup.....15c                 | 25c Corn.....20c            |
| 15c Catsup.....12c                 | 20c Corn.....17c            |
| 15c Mustard.....12c                | Red Beans, per can.....10c  |
| 25c Tomatoes.....20c               | (2 cans for 25c)            |
| 12 Macaroni.....10c                | 7c Washing Powder.....5c    |
| 12 Spaghetti.....10c               | 25c Talcum Powder.....10c   |
| 15c Saus and Sweet Pickles.....15c | 10c Can Spaghetti.....8c    |
| 20c Kraut.....15c                  | 7c Matches, 2 boxes.....11c |
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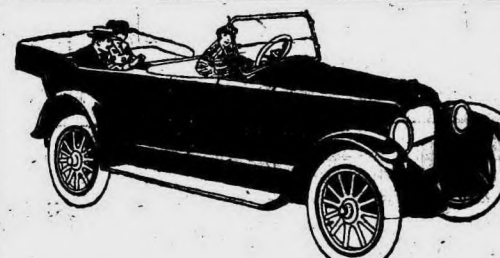
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