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SPIRIT OF '76 RE-BORN

Manchester Boy Has Spirit That Puts Men "Over the Top" and "Brings Victory."

Kelly Field, San Antonio, Tex. Saturday, Mar. 2, 1918.

Editor Enterprise: I received The Enterprise yesterday and wish to thank you very much for same. I did not know who was sending it until my parents told me in a recent letter. It surely is a pleasure to receive the paper and read all about my friends and what is going on in that patriotic little town in Michigan. I am really proud that I have been a resident of the same, when I read of the Red Cross work and Y. M. C. A. work that the people are doing back home, and it fills my heart with joy to see that the town is awake and on the map, for no one but a soldier appreciates the real benefits of these branches of war work.

I was very much grieved to learn of the death of our Civil War veteran, George Bailey because I had known him from boyhood up and because I should have liked to see him on this earth when this war is over and the Americans come out on top, as they surely will.

The spirit here is about the same

as in the letter to The Enterprise from Carl Wuertner while at Columbus, Ohio, when he told of the patriotism of our boys. Well, we have about 60,000 men in uniform and Kelly Field at the present time and I don't believe you could scare up a dozen boys but who would gladly sacrifice their lives any time for the good old flag of ours—"the Red, the White, the Blue."

Our manner of living here is much different than at Columbus Barracks as here we have no barracks but live in tents and if you could get up in the air in one of the planes all you could see would be tents, and each one houses five men. Our meals are cooked in a field kitchen and we march up in single file with our mess kits, then sit on the ground to eat or in the tents when it is stormy.

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PREPARE TO RAISE SEEDS

Probable Shortage in Supply of Garden Seeds—Gardeners Should Save Own Seeds.

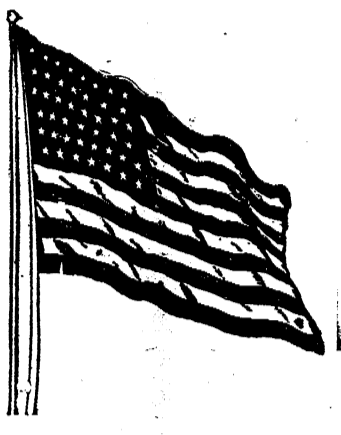
East Lansing, Mich.—Gardeners who soon will be breaking ground for their 1918 crops, should prepare this season, in the opinion of the department of horticulture of M. A. C., to raise their own seed.

The present supply of vegetable seed is the lowest in the history of the country, the department declares and never has the carry-over reserve of the seed companies been so small, or the supply on hand so limited. Also a report has come within the last few days from the Pacific coast country, the main vegetable seed section of the United States, telling of a shortage in the 1918 crops of radish, spinach, onions, beets, carrots, cabbage, turnips and other garden crops, which have already been cut in half by adverse weather conditions. The season promises to be the worst in the vegetable seed industry, one of California's leading seed firms says.

The seed shortage as a whole, however, is the result of a number of influences among which are an increased demand and decreased importations. Many cargoes of seed lie on the bottom of the ocean.

This means that the present supply must be wisely planted and cultivated. The gardener should make sure of his next year's seed supply by the production in his own garden of such seed crops as radishes, lettuce, spinach, onions, melons and even the root crops. Present prices have increased as much as 350 per cent over last year's in some cases. Everything possible must be done to restock the impending vegetable seed shortage for 1919 or many standard varieties will not be obtainable a year hence at any price.

For a time at least the north station at Tecumseh will be a stopping place for all trains on the New York Central. The people are trying to convince the railroad people that a stop at Chicago street is most important and desired.



**Just before the battle, mother,
I am thinking most of you;
While upon the field we're watching
With the enemy in view.
Comrades brave around me lying,
Filled with thoughts of home and God,
For well we know that on the morrow
Some will sleep beneath the sod.**

**Hark! I hear the bugle sounding,
'Tis the signal for the fight,
Now may God protect us mother,
As he ever does the right.
Tell the traitors all around you
That their cruel words we know,
In every battle kill our soldiers
From the help they give the foe.**

ate turnip. The entree was sugar beet, and the meal closed with a cabbage stomp that even the Germans scorned. "And I never did like vegetables," he said. "I hope I never have to eat another."

One night a German soldier saw him swimming a river, and raised the alarm.

"I felt sure they would be on top of me in a few minutes," he said. "So I ran upstream and swam back to the other side. I knew the ways of the Hun pretty well by then. They looked everywhere on the other side, but not a German came near me."

Swam the Meuse.

"One of the hardest things I did was to swim the Meuse river. I had all my clothes on, to my boots, and the river was half a mile across. It nearly got me twenty-five feet from shore. I was choking, and I admit praying. My boyhood on the Kankakee saved my life."

"When I got up the bank I fainted. It was the only time I ever fainted."

Lieutenant O'Brien could not speak German. As a boy, a Mommence baker of Teuton origin taught him a phrase of German, but he did not know what it meant. It was some "ten lifetimes" after swimming the Meuse he found the nine-foot death fence of the Holland frontier. Death all but got him then, as his improvised ladder dropped him on the charged wires.

"A few minutes later," he said, "I could have tripped the guard with my ladder. After he had gone I dug—dug as I never dug before in my life. My back was half an inch from death when I crawled under and into Holland."

We can't help being pleased because our farmer friends have received good prices for their stock recently shipped. It was feared by many that they would lose money.

COUNTY FARM BUREAU

Board of Officers Chosen—County Agent and Wife Given Informal Reception.

The Washtenaw county farm bureau held a meeting in the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Ann Arbor Saturday evening and completed the organization by adopting the revised constitution and selecting the remainder of the officers to be chosen.

The constitution was slightly altered to allow farmers not connected with any farm organization to become members of the bureau by the payment of 25 cents a year. Members of granges and other societies are members by the payment of a per capita membership fee of 10 cents.

Members of the executive committee were elected, completing the board of officers as follows: President, Earl W. Martin of Ann Arbor; first vice-president, Theodore Josephans of Milan; second vice-president, R. J. Bird of Superior; secretary, W. E. Underdown of Ann Arbor; treasurer, O. C. Burkhardt of Chelsea; executive committee, Supervisor Frank G. Leeson of Manchester, School Commissioner Evan Essery of Ann Arbor, A. F. Smith of Ann Arbor, Miss Flora Buell of Ann Arbor.

The bureau now has 114 members. Following the business meeting an informal reception was tendered Prof. and Mrs. H. S. Osler. Mr. Osler is the newly-appointed county farm agent.

A farmers' institute will be held in Macabec hall, Chelsea, on Saturday, March 9th, beginning with a morning session at 10 o'clock and an afternoon session at one o'clock.

- MANCHESTER**
In the southwest corner of Washtenaw County, 22 miles from Ann Arbor, the County Seat and University City; 25 miles from Ypsilanti and the Normal School; 20 miles from Jackson, the Prison City; 50 miles from Detroit; 50 miles from Toledo.
- At Junction of Jackson and Ypsilanti Branches of the Lake Shore Railway, Bell Telephone, W. U. Telegraph, Municipal Electric Lighting Plant, Three Good Water Powers, Rich Farming, Fruit and Stock Section. Everything Up-to-date.
- SOCIETIES.**
- MANCHESTER LODGE No. 148, F. & A. M.,** meets at Masonic Hall Monday evening on or before full moon. Visiting brothers invited. August Lindo, W. M., Ed. E. Root, Secretary.
- MERIDIAN CHAPTER No. 48, R. & A. M.,** meets at Masonic Hall, Wednesday evening on or before each full moon. Companions cordially welcome. E. E. Root, Sec. F. E. Spafara, H. P.
- ADONIRAM COUNCIL No. 24, R. & S. M.,** assemblies at Masonic Hall, Tuesday evening after each full moon. All visiting companions invited. Matt. D. Blosser, F. J. M. C. W. Case, Recorder.
- MANCHESTER CHAPTER No. 101, O. E. S.,** meets at Masonic Hall, Friday evening on or before full moon. Visiting members are invited. Mrs. Edna Root, Secretary; Mrs. Blanch Lowery, W. M.

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Dates can be made at Enterprise Office.

SEA CLOCKS ARE IN BIG DEMAND

War Causes Shortage of Chronometers Used in Ocean Navigation.

NONE IN THE OPEN MARKET

Price Jumps From \$300 to \$500 and Over—Englishman Who Perfected Instrument Won Prize of \$100,000 and Thanks of King.

Washington.—Among the busiest people supplying the United States with war materials are the makers of chronometers. Great care and precision are necessary in turning out these navigating instruments, which are the most accurate portable timekeepers known to science.

Hundreds of chronometers have gone to the bottom of the ocean since the war began. This alone would cause a shortage in the ordinary supply, while the equipping of the new American merchant marine is creating an unprecedented demand for new instruments.

At present there are virtually no chronometers to be had in the open market. Before the war England supplied the world with most of its fine chronometers.

In ordinary times a good chronometer costs about \$300. The present price is \$500 or better, according to the trade made. The supply in this country passes through the hands of a few experts, who are doing their utmost to meet the demand.

From six months to a year and a half are necessary to make and adjust a chronometer. The mechanism is of the finest metals, and specially adapted to resistance to extremes of temperature.

Errors Are Noted.

No clock or watch has ever yet kept perfect time, so there is always a slight gain or loss to a chronometer. For this reason the chronometer's rate of daily gain or loss is determined by observation ashore, and a card showing the rate is made out, and delivered with the instrument. This rate of error is allowed in all notations of time made from the instrument for working up observations made at sea.

The chronometer completes, with the compass and sextant, the trio of indispensable instruments required in modern navigation. By its aid, longitude, or the east or west position of a ship, is determined.

Longitude baffled all navigators until the chronometer came into use in 1735. The ancients and later navigators, including all the great discoverers, could find their latitude by ob-

servations of the sun's height, but they could determine their longitude only by "dead reckoning," or estimating their ship's progress from day to day. This system was uncertain, and caused a great many shipwrecks.

Longitude is merely the difference of time between two points on the earth's surface, and it became apparent to students of the problem it presented that if an instrument could be devised that would keep accurate time at sea, it would be possible to find the longitude of a ship's position whenever weather conditions were favorable. Time at the ship could be determined by an east or west observation of the sun, morning or afternoon, worked out by accepted tables. If the time of a given point on shore was known aboard the ship, the difference in time would give the longitude of the ship.

England was the first nation to cope with this great problem. In 1714 it appointed "Commissioners for the Discovery of Longitude at Sea," and authorized the payment of large prizes to stimulate research to the desired end. This commission existed until 1828, and distributed more than \$500,000 in prizes.

Wins \$100,000 Prize.

The chief prize offered by the commission, \$100,000, was won by John Harrison, a Yorkshire watchmaker, who spent his life in perfecting the chronometer.

Harrison made the best watches in England. Although of limited education, he conducted many original researches in the expansion of metals, in search of materials for an improved watch or clock, that would prove impervious to changes of temperature. His first great feat was the production of a "gridiron pendulum clock," the first chronometer, which in 1735 he took to the royal commission. It was tested by the commission by being sent on a voyage to Lisbon.

The test was not decisive, and Harrison continued to work on his chronometer, seeking the great prize, for a period of 26 years. In 1761, when sixty-eight years old, Harrison announced that he had solved all problems involved in his work. He produced a chronometer which the commission sent on a voyage to Jamaica, to test for heat. It varied but two minutes on the entire voyage of several months.

The commission demanded another test, and the chronometer was sent to Barbados, varying but two-thirds of a second a week in a voyage of five months.

Harrison had now fairly won the prize, but he was paid only half of it, the chronometer being given further exhaustive tests before, when eighty years of age, he received the balance, in 1773.

Owing to the shortage of wheat flour substitutes George Prescott, federal food administrator for the state, says that his office will use every effort to secure corn for those mills which can grind it. An endeavor will be made to secure cars as well as looking after a supply to keep such mills in operation.

AVIATOR DODGES HUNS 72 DAYS

Lieut. Pat. O'Brien of Illinois Tells of Wild Adventures in Germany.

JUMPS FROM MOVING TRAIN

American Strategy Triumphs Over German Efficiency—One of His Hardest Stunts Was Swimming River Meuse.

Chicago.—Pat O'Brien of Mommence, Ill., is back from the fighting front.

In the British flying corps the young man from Mommence is known as Lieut. Patrick Alva O'Brien. He is famous for several reasons. His real story began when he made a descent of nearly two miles in his airplane after a German bullet in the face had rendered him unconscious. The fall cost him a bump on the head.

He jumped out of the window of a moving train on his way to a German prison camp, and escaped. Then he spent 72 days in getting to Holland, a distance of 250 miles as the airplane flies. And the story ends with one of the longest interviews with a king on record—32 minutes by the royal stopwatch.

Many times during those 72 nights of travel through Germany, Luxemburg, and occupied Belgium, American strategy triumphed over German efficiency.

"Usually," said Lieutenant O'Brien, "when a bunch of fellows get together, they talk about women. But in our first prison, in Flanders, we talked only about escape and food, and got very little of either. There were eight officers going to an interior prison camp, and a guard with a rifle for every two prisoners.

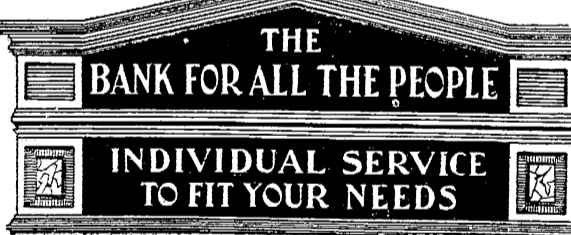
Leaps From Train.

"We rode all day and all night. Twice I put up the window to jump and lost my nerve. It looked too much like sudden death. As I put it up again, about four in the morning, the guard gave me an ugly look. I knew it was then or never and dove out.

"For nearly a month afterward I thought my left eye was gone. The scars are there yet. By the time the train stopped, a half-mile on, or more, I was up and stumbled to a hiding place. Those Germans looked everywhere on the side of the tracks to ward the border. I was in the opposite direction.

"It was a month before I got rid of my English uniform. I stole a pair of overalls one night. I got a cap the next and a shirt later. A Belgian gave me a scarf. That was all the help I got."

As an appetizer Lieutenant O'Brien



THE BANK FOR ALL THE PEOPLE

INDIVIDUAL SERVICE TO FIT YOUR NEEDS

Value of Boy's Word

HAVE you a boy? When do you expect him to begin to build up a credit?

Whenever you can trust him to do as he agrees he has established the first principle of credit.

Encourage him to regard his word as a sacred asset, as he will never have a better one.

The officers of this bank have a particular liking for boys, and will make a special effort to help your boy.

Get it for the Baby

Every baby in this vicinity under one year of age is entitled to membership in our **BABY CLUB** and receive a **BANK ACCOUNT OF \$1.00 FREE.**

Register Your Baby's Name With Us.

The Peoples Bank

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AT UNUSUALLY REASONABLE PRICES.

Lovely Lingerie Blouses, daintily trimmed with lace or embroidery, very smart models, \$1.00, \$1.05, \$2.95.

Tub Silk Blouses, pretty shirring stripes, in novel combinations of colors, real heavy quality and washable, \$2.95.

Crepe de Chine in new shades, prettily developed in new models, price, \$3.50.

The Georgette Crepes are being shown in such charming new models for dress wear—new shades, new ideas in trimming and new touches of style—each model shows a distinctive tone of individuality. Priced from \$3.98 to \$8.50.

Extra Size Blouses shown in particularly fine assortments including voiles, tub silks and crepe de chine in white, navy and black. Priced \$1.25 to \$5.98.

Silk Dresses with Charm

Every train is bringing direct from New York these lovely creations fashioned by best designers.

Taffetas and Georgette Crepes are used in almost all models for the afternoon or dress frock.

Bustle Effects, Spoon Effects and Over-Blouses are featured with the really full skirt.

The new colors include soft greys, Russian greens, soft shades of blue and the lighter shades.

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Because people think well of these cars, it is still impossible for Dodge Brothers to build enough of them.

Seldom has there been a finer example of the force of friendly thoughts.

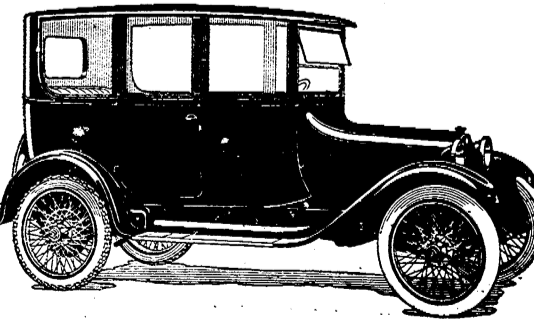
It is an inspiration and an encouragement to build well—because the reward, in America, is so great and so sure.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car.

The gasoline consumption is unusually low. The tire mileage is unusually high.

Sedan or Coupe, \$1350; Winter Touring Car or Roadster, \$1050; Touring Car, Roadster or Commercial Car, \$885.

(All prices f. o. b. Detroit)



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TILLAGE
Gale, Deering and Dayton
17 and 25 Spring-tooth Harrow
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STUDEBAKER
Harness, Buggy or Wagon
We are also selling much below present market prices; we suggest by all means to buy before we are closed out on 1917 stock.

J. E. Temple & Co.
TECUMSEH - MICHIGAN

Eat Victory Bread
We are now making the "Victory Loaf" that the government asks us to make, and it's giving the best of satisfaction.

CITY BAKERY & GROCERY
Don't forget to come in and pay up your old account before March 14th, so you can get the Pony tickets.

The Big Store Jackson, Mich.
L. H. FIELD CO.
Store Hours—8 a. m. to 5 p. m., week days, including Monday.

Attractive New Patterns in Wash Fabrics
For Fashioning Spring Frocks
There are all manner of attractive new Ginghams, Voiles and Dimities in this section.

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For over 50 years the name given for Manchester's leading newspaper.

THURSDAY, MARCH 7, 1918.
WATERWORKS PROBLEM.
The report of the village treasurer, as published in the Enterprise last week, contained much valuable information.

Personal Mention
Charles Conroy is working for Frank Kern.
Mrs. Monroe Dexter has been ill the past few days.

Co-Operation or Obstruction?
"Will you co-operate or will you obstruct?" asked President Wilson in the last sentence of his telegram to the president of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners.

Village Election.
Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of Manchester, State of Michigan, of the next annual Annual Election which will be held at the Village Hall within said village.

For A Wedding Present
my store is the place to come. I carry a fine stock of classy goods.

A Watch, Clock, Silverware or some article of JEWELRY
come in and see what I have. I can give you a Diamond Ring for you and save you money.

Every Person In any sort of business should have PRINTED MATTER
Cards, Letter Heads, Envelopes, Statements, Etc.

Farmers, Are You Standing Still?
Are you satisfied to grope about in the dark, night after night with that dingy kerosene lantern?

The Lalley Light Plant
Will solve the problem. Call at Manchester Auto Co. and see demonstration of this electric light plant for your home.

SIX YEARS AGO
my wife and I made a vow not to buy anything unless we had the cash to pay for it. We have stuck to it and have lived the better ever since for so doing.

Our Dress Hats Have Arrived
Come in and get your hat fitted and what you save send for Thrift Stamps—you will thus help the government at our expense.

10% Discount On All Hats
in our store Saturday, Mar. 9th. We will soon have Thrift Stamps for everybody.

WUERTHNER BROS.
The Store that Makes Good
Mack & Co. Ann Arbor, Mich.

2000 Yards of Laces and Trimmings This Week at Half Price
A most extraordinary opportunity to save money on fine trimmings for Spring lingerie and apparel.

Let Us Help You And Your Feet
These are days when every dollar counts and we can help you by selling you

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS
The Peoples Bank, Glasgow Bros., L. E. Temple & Co., City Bakery, Victory Bread, The L. H. Field, F. D. Kern, The Lalley Light, Wuerthner Bros., Mack & Co., J. E. Seckinger, Aluminum Ware, The Union Jewelry Auction, Henry Jacob, Auctioneers, The Union Savings Bank, Hausler & Son.

Brief News Items
Levis Burkhardt has bought a new automobile.
The frost must be pretty nearly all out of the ground.

ORGANIZE TO RAISE POULTRY
Movement Intended to Encourage Raising of Poultry Flocks and Increase of Production.
The organization of a series of poultry clubs among the boys and girls of this city is being planned.

RED CROSS NEWS
An A. J. Waters took the following to Red Cross headquarters in Ann Arbor on Monday, 13 pairs socks, one pair white and one pair blue.

MORE ABOUT SORGHUM
Some Farmers Show Interest and Say It Pays to Grow This Basis For Sweetness.
The article regarding the growing of sorghum which is urged upon us in order to save sugar, has attracted some attention.

ATTACHED BY APPENDICITIS
Manchester Jackie Operated Upon And Is Reported as on Road to Recovery.
Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weis of Michigan that Roland, who is serving Uncle Sam on board the battleship Massachusetts, was operated upon for appendicitis on Feb. 28th and is now in the navy hospital at Annapolis, Md.

POSSIBILITIES OF EFFICIENCY TODAY
PROMOTION RECENTLY GIVEN TO CHARLES B. WARREN IS GOOD ILLUSTRATION.
From a report coming from Florida we judge that even three men are apt to see unusual things when he hasn't been there before.

WASHTENAW COUNTY
Chelsea Masons enjoyed Past Masters' night last week Tuesday evening.
Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Freeman of Chelsea went to Ft. Thomas, Kentucky, last week to see their son Hollis.

NS and DIANS cross Now
United States provides that if you don't volunteer you are over there.
The Hagge—the great "kaiser's bell," whose sonorous voice many a metemorphosing man has heard in the roars of Cologne, has now been moved from its cage in the southern part of the city.

Let Us Help You
These are days when every dollar counts and we can help you by selling you

The John Stroottman Shoe FOR WOMEN.
Women's Lace Walking Boots in fine calf leather; in high top style, with straight or imitation tip, and military heel.

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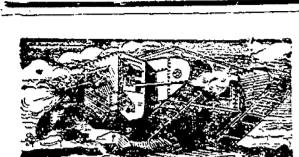
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GOWNS SHOW AN ALGERIAN SKIRT

New York.—The persistence shown by the dressmaker in continuing a certain trick for several years, has more attention than is usually accorded to it, writes Alice Rittenhouse.

A study of the obstinate way in which Paris designers have held on to a thing they liked might go far toward convincing the American fashion designer that the Algerian skirt is not as flimsy as it is said to be.

The Algerian skirt, it is claimed, constantly convince their patrons that a new gown must be replaced by a new one by showing a revolution in silhouette.

We have millions of women to dress, where in France, Italy and America there is only one. It is quite a feat to find a gown that is quite different from all the others.

The first French gowns that come over show it; the American dressmakers who are preparing for a brisk spring trade speak of it as a powerful factor in the changing of fashions.

This seems to be in contrast with the usual fact that France is persistent in certain things and is content in a certain line for a longer period of time than America. The truth is that France persists with a certain change in silhouette and still uses the trick, and that is what she does in the new Algerian skirt.

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FRECKLES

Now is the time to get rid of these ugly spots. Freckles are the result of an excess of sun rays acting on the skin.

This dinner frock is of black tulle and the sturdy black silk tulle which is embroidered in a new design in color.

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Worm Powder

Dr. J. C. Gifford, D. O. 101 Grand Avenue, Washington, D. C.

Worm Powder is a natural remedy for the treatment of intestinal worms.

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Try Kondon's for the baby's cold

(at no charge to you)

Kondon's is a reliable remedy for colds and coughs in babies.

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For Constipation Carter's Little Liver Pills

Purely Vegetable. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price.

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Carter's Iron Pills

Will restore color to the face and tone up the system.

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Is a nuisance. It is a nuisance. It is a nuisance. It is a nuisance. It is a nuisance.

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THE RUBY CIGARETTE

It's toasted to develop and seal in the Burley tobacco flavor.

MEAT TASTES BETTER COOKED

And tobacco now tastes much better toasted.



Guaranteed by The American Tobacco Co.

Spring Run of Distemper

It is a small out-of-pocket disease but very dangerous if neglected.

CORNMEAL DAY

The following recipes may be of some help to you.

KIDNEY TROUBLE NOT EASILY RECOGNIZED

Appliances for insurance often rejected.

THE APPETIZING FISH

When fresh fish are not obtainable there is such a variety of canned fish.

Save 9% by Buying Ever Reliable

CASCARA QUININE

WHEN YOU THINK FLAHS

Think of Factory Plags.

Time grows big crop

It's free to offer to all farmers to test their land.

FREE HOME TEST

English Hedges Must Go

A DAGGER IN THE BACK

Blue and Worried?

Michigan Case

Some Solution.

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DISEASES OF CROPS CAUSE BIG LOSS

Lessons of Past Indicate Need of Controlling Preventable Troubles.

OATS SMUT IS UNNECESSARY

Can Easily Be Guarded Against.

The farmer or fruit grower needs to study the requirements of his business.

Best Stock Is Cheapest.

Can Mrs. Boyd Avoided an Operation.

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CASTORIA For Infants and Children

Mother's Know That Genuine Castoria

Always Bears the Signature of Dr. J. C. Gifford

In Use For Over Thirty Years

Prove that Some Women do Avoid Operations

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Neighborhood News

NORTH SHARON

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Mr. and Mrs. Ray Raymond of Grass Lake are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Dorr. Mr. and Mrs. A. Bahnmiller were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Klumpf, Jr., at Francisco, Sunday.

IRON CREEK

Miss Gladys M. Trolz is visiting in Chelsea and Sharon this week. Evan R. Bowns, Fred Fielder and Harry G. Sutton went to Ann Arbor Monday on war business.

NORVELL

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Our School Notes

If you want things done, call on the busy man; the man of leisure has no time. Mrs. Frank Higgins and Mrs. Bert Lowery visited the second primary last Thursday.

HERE GOOD PEOPLE IS A STORE WHERE ALL THE GOOD THINGS TASTE LIKE MORE WHERE EVERY THING IS SPICK AND SPAN WITH CUSTOMERS SATISFIED TO A MAN

OUR WEEKLY RECIPE POTATO CAKES 2 cupfuls of left-over mashed potatoes 1 teaspoonful melted Moxley's "Special"

AUCTION

Having made a change in renting my farm, I will sell at auction on the place, three and one-half miles northeast of Norvell and six miles northwest of Manchester, on

Monday, Mar. 11

At 12 o'clock, noon, the following personal property:

FOUR COWS

Durham Cow, new milk; Durham Cow due in April; Red Poll Cow due in April; Jersey Cow with calf by side; Red Poll Heifer one year old; Red Poll Bull eight months old; Brood Sow due in April; 22 Breeding Ewes and 2 Rams; 25 Chickens;

ONE McCORMICK MOWER

Ten-foot Hay Rake, Spring-tooth Drag, Lumber Wagon, Bob Sleigh, and other articles too numerous to mention;

50 BUSHELS OATS, 50 BUSHELS CORN One Ton of Hay and Six Bushels of Early Potatoes.

TERMS: All sums of \$5 or under, cash; above that amount, one year's time on good bankable notes at 6 per cent.

HENRY JACOB

F. D. MERITHEW, Auctioneer.

Farmers if you are planning on using Commercial

FERTILIZER

the coming season, we give you notice

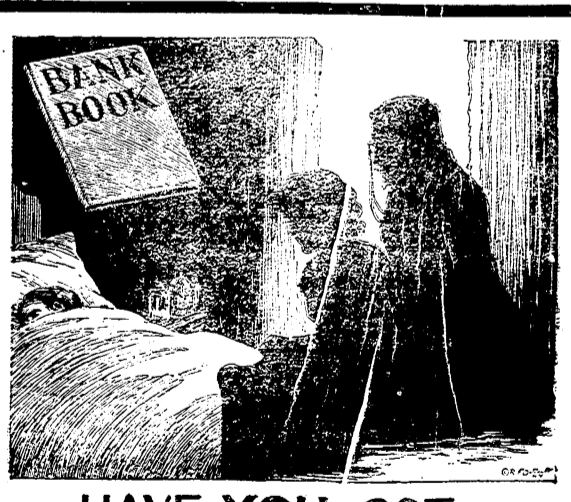
ORDER AT ONCE

We will not keep a stock on hand and will not be able to get it later.

Don't Put This Off

or you will surely get caught at the last hour.

LONIER & HOFFER



HAVE YOU GOT MONEY IN THE BANK?

People do get sick. There is plenty of work for the doctor always. Suppose you got sick and couldn't earn any money and had to spend more. What would you do? You'd worry yourself more sick. You would fret for those you love.

But if you had a nice sum of money in the bank you could rest easy, knowing that those dependent upon you were well cared for.

Start a Bank Account Now. We Add 3 Per Cent Interest.

The Union Savings Bank THE BANK ON THE CORNER

FREEDOM

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NICHOLS DISTRICT

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BRIDGEWATER

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S. B. Hurlburt returned last week from several weeks visiting relatives in Oklahoma. Mrs. Eva Green and Freeman Schofield were in Manchester on business Saturday.

Bryant Holmes, F. E. Ford, Geo. Pittman and Geo. Harris were in Jackson Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Kuhl were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacob the first of the week.

Mrs. Lawrence Scherer went to Battle Creek to visit her husband, who is at Camp Custer, over Sunday. Henry Jacob was in Manchester Monday arranging for an auction on his farm north-east of town on the 11th.

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