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LESSON IN CIVICS.

F. R. BEAL DELIVERED A STIRRING ADDRESS SUNDAY.

Laws of This Country Should Be Implicitly Obeyed.

The following address was delivered by F. R. Beal at the men's meeting Sunday. It is so good, so patriotic and so full of interest and good advice, we take pleasure in reproducing it for the benefit of those who were unable to be present:

To Peter J. B. Jr., "Submit yourselves to every ordinance of man for the Lord's sake; it is not to the law, or to us, or unto governors, as unto them that are set by him for the punishment of evil doers, and for the praise of them that do well."

We take as our subject today, the duties of citizenship and obligations we owe to civil government. The word "government" has a different meaning to an American ear than to that of any other man in the universe. Here, government does not rest upon the backs of men, but upon the will of men. We, the people, are the rulers—the autocrats—government officials are subject to decapitation, at the ballot box, and if they do not please our sovereign majesty, we put down one and elevate another as we will. We abhor the repulsive character of Russian nihilists, and we can hardly appreciate that there is a possibility of men and women reaching a condition where government represents a thing to hate and destroy, and yet where government is so administered by an aristocrat that it simply represents his own vicious tastes and varying moods, a matter of caprice and royal whim, to gratify royal passion and contribute to royal indulgence, what wonder that men get to hate it? It is one of the things we can boast of today, I think, that all the anarchists and all the nihilists and all the socialists in America are the outgrowth of European and Asiatic despotsisms, and not in any sense the product of our republic.

"We have just passed through a period of intense civil strife. The campaign has been one of great excitement, and the political pot has boiled and seethed as all the fires of a volcano were under it. After all the intense-sy of feeling and the eruption of words, men have marched to the polls with arms of paper marked to indicate which side of the battle they were on, and then both victorious and vanquished have accepted the verdict of the majority as the supreme law of the land. It is a proud thing to say that while the country has been surred from ocean to ocean as it never has been put once before since it was a nation, there has been almost entire absence of vituperation and lawlessness. A great many people are very loud in their expressions of alarm at the frequent recurrence of our presidential campaigns, and I have at times shared in this idea; that, possibly, it would be far better to have elections less frequently, but I am not so sure of it after all. To be sure, it always interferes more or less with commercial affairs, but the very fact that we are so frequently called to express our wishes at the ballot box is a tremendous educative force and it is perhaps one of the greatest safety valves which will help to preserve the life of our government, and show that this nation, under God, shall have a new birth of freedom, and that a government of the people, by the people, and for the people, shall not perish from the earth."

What we shall say today may be grouped under two propositions. First, that it is the duty of every man to submit to the law. There are two ways of submitting to law; one is a "voluntary" thing. There are frequent illustrations of this sort of submission in every day affairs. Two men are at variance and cannot agree upon a settlement. They appeal to law, and submit their case to some men who are summoned as impartial and disinterested judges of the law and the facts. This jury brings in their verdict, and one is adjudged to be a debtor, and though he does not see how in the world six honest men can agree upon such a verdict, he complies with the law and pays his debt in accordance with the verdict, though it "may seem to him a great hardship." Another way of submitting to the law is a kind of can't-help-myself submission. As when a man is charged with some crime against a law of the commonwealth, he too is tried by good and true men who agree that he is guilty, and in pursuance of law the judge orders him to prison or to the scaffold to expire his crimes and he goes, with a sheriff at his elbow to adjust the noose that is provided by the law. In this class of cases he submits because he is powerless to do anything else.

But there is a broader ground than either of these illustrations for submission. Law is supposed to be founded upon justice and the immutable standards of right. It is not supposed to ask a man to submit to anything that is unjust or to in any way violate the principles of eternal justice, and I think that it is a fair statement that there are very few laws made that do require a man to do a vicious thing. Our laws for the punishment of evil doers are generally good, and it is a fact beyond dispute that there is a far greater lack of law enforcement than there is of good laws that might be enforced. Unfortunately it has not always been true that laws have been good in the past, and it is not likely to be true in our day, and the perplexing question arises, shall an honest and just man submit to an unjust law? It is pretty plain that he must do one of two; either submit to a thing he detests sometimes, or become a rebel against the law, and one needs to be on

ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING.

Was That of the Town Sunday School Ass'n. Wednesday.

A large and enthusiastic gathering of delegates, teachers, officers, ministers and others interested in Sunday school work met Wednesday at the Northville Baptist church, in attendance on the Township convention. A few unavoidable absences made changes in the program, published last week necessary, but Mr. Bolles of Detroit filled the gaps so successfully that there was nothing left to desire. Rev. C. S. Nightingale conducted the devotional exercises in opening, followed by an able paper on "The Successful Sunday School," by Mrs. Lena Sloan. Mrs. Minnie Hutton's paper on "Primary Work in Sunday School" was full of excellent points. Her suggestions that the superfluous energy of pupils be let out in motion songs, soft clapping of hands to music, etc., are worthy of consideration; also the idea of carefully explaining the words of all songs to children is a good one, as they rarely get the real thought from hymns. Mr. Bolles, chairman of the executive committee of Wayne county, was next in order and drew out the reports from the various Sunday schools in the township.

Dinner and supper was served in the Ladies' Literary rooms, and all expressed both surprise and pleasure at the beauty of the room and tables, and the dainty and sumptuous repast served.

Rev. McB. Mine conducted the praise service in the afternoon followed by Rev. W. M. Ward's "Bible Teaching" which was designed to show the stress put upon early teaching of the Holy Word to children by the different writers of that inspired book. The discussion by Rev. J. B. Oliver which followed was brief but pointed. He said, "Put so much positiveness into teaching that children will not only believe our sincerity of intent but believe themselves." Mrs. Eva Smith read a good paper which gave a poor synopsis of the doings of the state convention.

Rev. W. M. Ward led the praise service at the opening of the evening session. The address of the evening was by Wm. C. Sprague of Detroit who made some pithy remarks in the course of his talk on the organization of Sunday-school associations in general. He said still states except Idaho and Nevada, was so organized, and all the Indian territory, but that there were very little, and that too few of us know enough about our own county and township, although many might be able to talk glibly enough of the missions of China or Mexico. The evening session closed with a benediction by Rev. J. B. Oliver.

The following officers were unanimously elected for the ensuing year: President, G. A. Hutton, Northville; 1st vice president, A. D. Stevens, Plymouth; 2nd vice president, T. F. Chilson, Plymouth; secretary, Mrs. Flora Larkins, Northville; treasurer, S. L. Bennett, Plymouth.

Where They Are.

Following is a continued list of the whereabouts and doings of former Northville people:

H. M. Harrington is with the Union Depot Co. at Delray.

R. B. Waterman is a Sand Beach farmer.

Dr. M. T. Wallace is assistant paymaster on the government reservation at Fort Scott.

M. Putnam is farming near Leon, Jackson county.

W. H. Young is in the laundry business at Cassopolis.

Frank Root is a railroad engineer at Logansport, Ind.

Jones Wilcox is a North Farmington granger.

W. L. Ely is in business at Gladstone, Mich.

Wm. Lockwood and Charles Green are running a hotel at Orlissville.

Ezraham Webb is another Ohio laundryman, located at New London, Ohio.

A. W. Reed and Chas. Reed are running a store at Grand Blanc.

Monroe Bronson is a Gratiot county farmer; W. J. McRoberts is in Bedford and Wesley Walker at Layton's Corners in the same business.

Milo Reed and family are in Denver, Colorado, conducting a restaurant.

Clint Cady is clerk in a St. Louis Mo. hotel.

Alexander Mine is attending school in Brooklyn.

Misses M. E. Lapham and Carrie Barker are spending the winter in Philadelphia.

Tenn Taylor is in business in Jackson

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Notice to Novi Tax Payers.

The treasurer of Novi township will be at the following places for the purpose of receiving taxes: Novi town hall, Dec. 17-24-31 and Jan. 7, at Winona Dec. 18, Jan. 1-5; Northville at the store of Chas. Sessions Dec. 19-26 Jan. 2-9.

ISWSP

Canadian Excursions via Grand Trunk Railway System.

The Grand Trunk Railway System will give its annual Canadian excursions on December 17th, 18th and 19th and tickets to all Canadian points will be sold at a single fare for the round trip. They will be valid to return to and including January 6th, 1897.

The Grand Trunk Railway desires to call the attention of intending excursionists that they run trains daily in each direction, with Pullman sleepers and day parlor cars to all intermediate points, and that tickets are optional going and returning via Detroit or Port Huron and the great St. Clair tunnel. Rates and information may be had from all agents of this and connecting lines or from

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Chicago. Detroit.

Council Proceedings.

A regular meeting of the Northville village council was held at the office of Dr. J. M. Swift, Monday evening, Dec. 7, 1896. Present, the president and all the councilmen except Leming. Minutes of previous meetings read and approved.

Folding hills were allowed and ordered paid: Water works bills, 47.92; Globe Furn. Co. lights, 66.55; Record Printery, publishing, 3.90; W. H. Nichols, clerk salary, 26.00; P. E. White, marshal salary, 12.32; H. M. Dunlap, repairs, 1.55; R. Christy, wood, 2.25; J. A. Dubar, lumber, 25.97; J. Raymond, labor, 2.50; R. Leming, labor, 1.50; H. Pickle, labor, 1.50; Wm. Blair, labor, 7.60.

On motion the report received from Attorney Conley on Atwater street bridge was ordered embodied in minutes. [The report will be published in full next week.]

Motion made and carried that all money paid to Mr. Lakes for the F.A.M. railway company in settlement of their water contract here be accepted. Council adjourned.

Wm. H. Neggers, Clerk.

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3 lbs. Cleaned Currants	25c
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Lot 3. 17 Youths' Suits, \$3.50 to \$9		Lot 7. 15 Boys' Caps Overcoats \$1.25
Lot 4. 20 Boys' Suits	.95c to \$2	Lot 8. 26 Men's & Boys' Sweaters 25c
Lot 9. 24 Men's & Boys' Sweaters, 50c to \$2		
Lot 10. 15 Boys' Caps,	5c	

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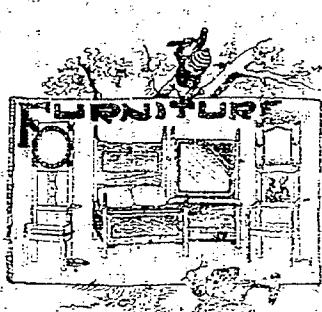
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Suburban News.

Oakland county farmers institute at Milford on 13-14.

Frank Holloway of Plymouth is very low with no hopes of recovery.

The Genesee county poor house is at present caring for fifty-six inmates.

The Union church at Romulus observed its fortieth anniversary last Sunday.

About the largest Potable room since election has been the matrimonial market.

For a "side line" Editor Peer of the Fowlerville Observer is conducting an evening dancing school.

Orion has a telephone drug store. All prescriptions are compounded and delivered by phone we presume.

Milford is in line with a couple of football teams and the local physicians no longer complain of dull practice.

Flat Rock wants to become an incorporated town and is talking of a petition to the legislature to that effect.

The Trenton Visitor places its list of births under the caption "evidences of prosperity." Rather a squalid outlook.

The milk producers' union at Wayne suspended operations last week after a year of existence with \$13,000 "in the hole."

Thus Paper of Redford has just had a finger amputated as the result of a slight cut received while killing hogs some time ago.

In one more year the Wayne Review will be "of age" as it has just put Vol XX, No. 1 in its upper left hand corner. Best wishes.

Pontiac talks of having a "market day" and a market place and the merchants will have a "bargain day" on the same date.

A colt at Brighton tried to shake last week but the ice was too thin, and he had to be fished out of the "mill pond," a wetter lot wiser equine.

Plymouth village come near being washed away last week by the F&P water tank valve not correctly doing the automatic shut-off act.

The First Baptist church was sold for taxer last week and not for the first time either. Must be some "faith without works" up there.

And now they are telling us that a Flint man picked a quart of ripe strawberries in his garden on Thanksgiving day! Where are we at any way?

Mason folks are amusing themselves by having "Indigo socials." We don't know how they are managed but it's enough to make a fellow feel blue to think of it.

A Davison man shipped a carload of onions last week and he shed tears to see them in the car.—Fenton Independent.

Smart, wasn't he?

The Milford Times mentions that there are on its subscription list fifteen Clark's, thirteen Crawford's and eleven St. John's, but doesn't say a word about Smith's.

The Oakland County Advertiser says an Eaton Rapids man raised 48 lbs. of oats from two ounces of seed. This is simply another evidence of the error of Slocum's weight.

Flat Rock has an embryo poet who holds forth at the head of the school column as follows:

Thursday was Thanksgiving day;

Friday we went to school;

But now they've changed the rule.

The D&M locomotive which knocked Cornelius Wiltsie thirty-eight feet at Burns a short time ago has not wholly recovered from the shock, but Cornel, who is only 78 and weighed but 250 pounds, is as lively as ever. He doesn't allow such small things to bother him.

A woman may be of great assistance to her husband in business by wearing a "cheerful smile" says the Trenton Visitor. True, but this extreme of economy is rarely practiced, except at fancy dress ball and then the cost of ticket's and supper more than equal the saving in clothing.—Adrian Press.

There is one post office in Oakland county which will not be looked upon as a "plum" when "the rascals" are "turned out." It is at Alert and the income last quarter was \$1.69 according to the Orion Review. It is quite probable that there are no rival candidates pulling wires for the situation.

According to the ruling of Judge Oliver in the District Court at Rock Rapids, Iowa, a man and his wife are both liable for the payment of a news paper taken and read by the family. A judgement was given by Judge Oliver to the Germania Publishing Co. for a subscription bill of \$20, on the ground that a newspaper is a household necessity. Of course it is.

The Plymouth court last week sentenced a young boy named Babcock to five years at Lansing for taking a pair of boots. This is as heavy a sentence as some criminals have got for murder. Detroit officials ordered the boy returned for a jury trial, he having, in the first place pleaded guilty under the impression that he would be "let off light." The boy was finally discharged and it now transpires that another lad "coined" the boots and gave them to young Babcock.

The Modoc Indian Medicine Co. gave their last entertainment of this place last Saturday night when Wesley Sibley captured the prize pig for guessing the correct number of beans in the bottle. The company went from here Monday to Commerce.

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WIXOM.

Mrs. Chambers is still quite poorly. Miss Grace Shannon is on the sick list.

Mrs. Cornelia Madison from Detroit is visiting her sister Mrs. Shannon.

Mrs. Madison and Mrs. Shannon visited their sister Mrs. Banks Sunday.

Seth Nolle is in very poor health. Dr. Wiggins from Novi is attending him.

Miss Mary Talbot from Pontiac is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. Beulah Banks for a few weeks.

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Expect to do Business

for years to come—two wouldn't pay us to ever be undersold—we won't bel. We're going to make prices as low, if not lower—than the other fel-lows.

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16 in. wide, all Linen for	5c yd
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Stripe & Check Glass Linen Toweling from	8c to 14c yd
Towels, Linen Lowells.	
20 doz. 14x20 in. all Linen Towels at	5c
5 " 18x30 "	12 I-2c
5 " 20x34 "	18c
5 " 22x36 " knotted fringe Towels	21c
5 " 24x50 "	25c
Beautiful Line of Fine Glasgow Linen Towels, with double notted fringe and drawn work	Price 30c, 45c, 50c, 60c to 75c

Reinember the Day, Saturday, December 12, will be Linen Day at T. G.'s Busy Big Store.

The Cash Outfitter,

NOVI LOCALS.

Mrs. Philenton Taylor is able to be out once more.

Miss Eva McCrum has recovered from a week's illness.

Miss Alida Grout of Wixom spent a part of last week with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Roblin of Milford were among friends here on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. W. M. Ward of Northville will preach in the Griswold schoolhouse Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Faust of Holly have returned from a week's visit at Myron Viaducter's.

Services at the Methodist church next Sunday evening. Epworth League at 6:30. Mrs. J. J. Smith, leader.

Miss Edina Abrey has been sojourning with the home of our supervisor, Mr. F. B. Turner, for the past two weeks.

The entertainment at the school house was well attended and fully met the expectations of those present. Proceeds over \$1.

Mr. and Mrs. Mose Abbey of Midland were in town on Tuesday and Wednesday to attend the funeral of the latter's uncle, Mr. Bennett.

A small party of misquachers gathered at W. Coats' on Tuesday evening. Owing to the bad weather the majority of the company could not attend, but those present enjoyed a pleasant evening with their genial host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Coats.

There will be a Christmas tree at the Novi Baptist church on Christmas eve and everybody is cordially invited to be present, and all are requested to put their presents for their friends on the tree. A short program will be given by the children and choir. Come and help make the children happy.

Tell us who helped you eat your Thanksgiving dinner, or who entertained you, and we will tell your absent friends who take the Record about next week.—Novi Cor. Record. Well now, if you must know, we'll tell you. There was the children, and a pi later and the hired girl, and a strange dog, the neighbor's spotted cat, and a constable. Now if you want to blab it all over creation, why just go ahead that's all.—Adrian Press.

As the Press man was the only one who did tell us, we won't tell anybody if he feels so awfully cranky about it; but we would like to know if he managed to stave off the arrest by getting the constable fall-on subscription turkey.

The following, condensed from the Milan Leader will be of interest to the many friends of a former well known Novi resident: Cordelia Raymond Cooper died Dec. 1, 1896, at the home of her son-in-law, Rev. J. Ward Stone, at Milan, Mich. She was a member of the Queenston, Ontario, Baptist church nearly 66 years, having never severed her friendship from the organization, of which she was one of the first members, and of which her husband was a deacon for 45 years. Since his death in 1878, her home has been with her only daughter, Mrs. Stone. Her only son died in boyhood. Her last days were days of weakness and helpless ness in which she received from Mr.

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Extra fine Irish Linen bleached from	50c to \$1.50
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2 pieces Red Table Linen 58 in. wide strictly fast colors at	15c yd
2 pieces Red Table Linen 60 in. wide strictly fast color at	17c yd
1 piece heavy Red fast color at	25c yd
1 piece Oil Boiled 60 in. wide	37 I-2c yd
1 piece Oil Boiled, extra heavy,	42 I-2c yd
10 Doz. All Linen Napkins at	60c doz
Fine large Napkins	\$1, I.25, I.50, I.75, 2, \$2.50
Fringed Doilies, all Linen, 16x16	10c each
Linen stamped Doilies	4c, 6c, 8c, 10c, to 25c

Curtains and Spreads.

25 pairs Lace Curtains at	75c pr
10 fine Lace Curtains, new designs at	\$1.50 pr
10 Irish Point Lace Curtains	475 pr
5 Swiss lace Curtains	6.00 pr
4 Chenille Curtains 3½ yds long	2.98 pr
4 " 4 yds long 4 ft. wide	3.40 pr
Tapestry Curtains 1½x4 yds.	2.98 pr
Tapestry Table Spreads from	90c up
Chenille Table Spreads from	60c up

Reinember the Day, Saturday, December 12, will be Linen Day at T. G.'s Busy Big Store.

Northville, Mich.

Here 'Tis:



6 lbs best Bulk Starch	25c
4 lbs good Ginger Snaps	25c
3 lbs choice Prunes	25c
Fine Nectarines	12c
Choice Halibut	15c
Elegant Catawba Grapes, per basket	15c
Fine Shred Codfish	10c
Can't anybody beat our Coffee	30c
9 bars Kirk's "Cabinet" Soap	25c
7 bars Queen Anne Soap	25c
7 bars Jaxon Soap	25c
6 bars Magnetic Soap	25c
7 bars Wrisley's QUICK Soap	25c
6 Lamp Chimneys	25c
Fine Honey, this season,	14c
3 cans Home baked Beans	25c
3 cans best solid pkd Tomatoes	25c
2 lbs good Baking Powder	25c
Houschold Ammonia	10c
Good Japan Tea	25c, 30c, 40, & 50c
2 can Fern Leaf or Ancon Salmon	25c
None Such Mince Meat	10c
New England Mince Meat	10c
3 cans Pumpkin	25c

Yours for Business,

W. H. Hutton.

5c

Watches.

Holiday Goods.

Very Interesting

When you can get a 5c money order with every dollar's purchase; and 20 represents what you have saved by buying of us, or \$1 in cash.

All the Latest Novelties in Holiday Goods.

ASK FOR THEM AT

P. W. Doelle & C's.

Stationery.

Silverware.

5c

WALLED LAKE.

Miss Meda Baugh and Walter Burns of Milford were guests of Mrs. McAlpine Sunday.

The entertainment given by the young people was well patronized and about \$10 realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Norton Johns visited at the home of Mr. John's brother Arthur, in Novi Wednesday.

Everyone big and little, who had not been to see the skating rink at the Recruit Printery, or their Auction Bill.

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the past week until the warm weather softened the ice.

E. A. Richardson's little girl put three burns in her nose and it required the aid of two and a dose of chloroform to remove the third one.

Both churches are preparing for Christmas entertainments—at the Baptist church Christmas eve and at the Methodist church Christmas night.

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Cure for Headache.

As a remedy for all forms of headache Electric Bittern has proved to be the very best. It effects a permanent cure and the most dreaded habitual sick headaches yield to its influence. We urge all who are afflicted to procure a bottle, and give this remedy a fair trial. In cases of habitual constipation, Electric Bittern can be given in doses of one-half to one fluid ounce, three times daily, after meals. The medicine is easily digested, and does not affect the bowels.

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