

VEVAY BOY WINS STATE FAIR TRIP

TED FAY, 15, LEADS RURAL EIGHTH GRADERS.

Diplomas Being Mailed Successful Contestants in Recent County Examinations, 169 Pass Tests.

Ted Fay, fifteen year old son of Mrs. Josie Fay of Vevay, wins the distinction of having passed the county eighth grade examinations and the state fair board tests, with the highest average of any boy or girl in the county. The result will be a free trip to the state fair as the guest of the board of managers with all expenses paid and every effort made to give the young man an enjoyable and profitable week.

Ted attended the Hubbard school in Vevay under the tutelage of Miss Lenora Douglass of Eden and is an earnest and conscientious student according to his teacher. On the examinations he received a mark of 87 on the regular county tests and 86 on the special state fair examination. The questions asked on the state fair tests are not altogether along school studies but include many to test the general knowledge of the student as well as his power of observation. Hobart W. Fay, father of the lad, died several years ago, since which time Mrs. Fay has kept the children together on the farm, the boys doing much of the work. An older brother, Howard, is a member of next year's senior class of Mason High and Ted is already making plans to enter as a freshman in September.

One hundred and sixty-nine rural school students are this week receiving through the mail their diplomas as proof that they have satisfactorily passed the county eighth grade examinations held at various points about the county during the month. These examinations are held each year and are the index of the students' ability to enter high school as well as to the ability of the teacher to instruct. While it is expected that a certain number will each year fail to pass the required test, yet for a teacher to have too large a percentage of her pupils failing is to some extent a reflection upon her ability.

The names of those to whom diplomas are being mailed follow, the names being grouped by postoffice address rather than by school districts:

Mason—Mary Bullen, Curtis Bartlett, Evelyn Bateman, Neal Dolbee, Willard Droscha, John Edgar, Rhea Eddie, Ted Fay, Bessie Force, Ford Hawkins, William Hutchinson, Homer Hutchinson, Arthur Janecke, Harry Keyes, Dorran Larner, Frieda Lange, Loreen Laxton, Clifton Myers, Virginia Martin, Claud Nichols, Harry Noxon, Earl Nichols, Edith Nichols, Donald Rich, Helen Redman, Harold Scofield, Leone Smith, Louise Smith, Doris Sanders, Cloyd Taylor, Dale Wilcox.

Stockbridge—William Aldrich, Lena Barth, Roland Barth, Phyllis Boyer, Bernice Bunker, Cecil Cobb, Bernita Bozalek, Maurie Felton, Mary Fall, Charles Hasely, Harold Heeney; Donald Hile, Duane Lantis, Alice Morehouse, Phyllis Metheringham, Donald Metheringham, Viva Proctor, Leretta Proctor, Bertha Werden.

Holt—Helen Berry, Steve Hinko, Lila Larner, Louise Lennon, Margaret Mire, Alice Rummins, Muriel Smith, Lucile Williams.

Perry—Marjorie Brandahl.

Eaton Rapids—Merton Baldwin, Maurice Baldwin, George Kain, James Rogers, Erma Swanson, Ralph Smith, Lucile Williams.

Onondaga—Anne Chernick.

Leslie—Milton Durham, Anna Deneka, Harold Hutchinson, Eva Harkness, Norris Hart, Edward Hyatt, Clare Launstein, Floyd Lantz, Dorothy McIntire, Jack Miner, Bontie Tooly, Lila Ward, Leslie Wood.

Williamston—Ronald Allen, Wayne Baker, Ruby Clever, Mary Cole, Ward Dolton, Leonard Estes, Angus Fulton, Lyle Grindling, Floyd Horstman, Mae Jesse, Harold Lowrie, Lavina Pollock, Eliene Putman, Gladys Powell, Leota Powell, Alice Rouse, Lucile Shirey, Arlene Shiffer, Kenneth Thompson, Richard Watson.

Lansing—Carroll Adler, Harry Austin, Vernon Ackerman, Pearl Algate, Robert Brown, Mae Bengry, Donnell Brewer, Lucile Barker, Ralph Blanchard, Helen Ballard, Eleanor DeLind, Arthur DeView, Olga Engdale, Justin English, Marion Gall, Jessie Henry, Ella Hedges, Thelma Hunter, Clarence Hickerson, Robert Kurtz, Mildred Lennon, Elsie Parker, Donald Perry, Benjamin Ruhf, Geraldine Rose, Arthur Redman, Frederick Sakeraski, Annabel Sager, Dorothy Smith, Juanita Simmons, Carl Tortu, Florence VanSoye, Richard Valeau, Gladys Woodman, Dennis Williams, Gaylord Watts, Mattie Watters, Walter Yargalite, Maynard Youse, John Yale.

East Lansing—Marie Everett.

Okemos—Kathy Field.

Dansville—Richard Gaffner, Rex Glynn, Harold Merrill, Laveta Nelson, Dorothy Perkins, Kathryn Reed.

Weberville—Annette Lonto, Mona Lay, Ida Mastic, Nell Roesser, Kathryn Risch, Marguerite Vorce, Dorothy Vorce, Vivian West, Velma West, Lloyd Wagner, Helen Walker.

Eden—Gayle Pfeiffer.

BRIDE ELECT HONORED

Last Saturday afternoon Mrs. J. C. Spinck and Miss Florence Taylor entertained twenty guests at a miscellaneous shower in honor of their sister Miss Elsie Taylor, a bride to be of the late summer. The event was held at the Haunted Tavern, Ann Arbor, Mich., and the afternoon was spent in playing "Hearts." A two course luncheon was served, after which the guest of honor was presented with many lovely gifts.

COMPETITION GROWS KEEN AS SECOND PLUMBER ADDS SIX POUND SON TO FORCE

An old adage among business men that competition is the life of trade may still hold all its old time force or it may prove disastrous if carried too far. William F. Dart recently announced a new hand in his plumbing business since which time his familiar grin has widened perceptibly. But "Bill" has energetic competition in the person of one Orla Maine who takes no back seat when it comes to business and so this week he also announces the addition of a late model wrench twister to his force. Orla insists that improvements in young plumbers is constantly in progress and that the latest addition to his force, while weighing up six pounds, and carrying the title of Robert William, is the finest example of super design yet received in the plumbing trade. While father, mother and little son are doing well it is feared that the effect on "Grandadadie Oliver" may prove his undoing. In the meantime now that "Bill" is so vastly outdone in quality, it is said that a war for numerical supremacy is likely to follow.

AREA Y BOYS TO HAVE FINE TRIP TO CHICAGO

FOUR DAYS OF THRILLING ADVENTURE PROMISED.

Guests Of Chicago South Side To See Cleveland-White Sox Game, Stock Yards, Ghetto, Etc.

High school boys of the Lansing Area are to have the privilege of a four day trip to Chicago the last four days of this month at the small cost of only \$10 per boy.

The Lansing Area Y. M. C. A. committee is making arrangements with one of the Chicago Y departments on the South Side where the boys will sleep in the new dormitory of the Englewood Y. M. C. A. This Y is near the White Sox ball park and the Lansing Area boys are to be the guests at a game between the White Sox and Cleveland.

Chicago High Y boys will act as guides in pointing out some of the most important sights of the city. Among those on the list are Lincoln Park with its big collection of animals, the stock yards, the new stadium in the Ghetto, etc.

The trip is to be made by automobile the boys and leaders to leave the Lansing Y. M. C. A. at eight o'clock Monday morning, June 27. The boys will spend that night and the next two days in the Windy City leaving for home Thursday, June 30.

The trip will be under the supervision of Area Y Secretary E. T. May and other Y. M. C. A. leaders. Mason boys who care to go should enroll at once by sending the dollar fee to E. T. May, Lansing, Y. M. C. A. The number of boys permitted to take the trip this year will be limited to thirty.

Full information may be obtained from Edwin Griffin, Mason, or Gaylord Sayles of Stockbridge.

Mason Teacher Weds Leslie Young Man

HELEN BRENDEL AND WYMAN SANFORD SPEAK VOWS.

Wyman Sanford, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Sanford of Leslie township, and Miss Helen Brendel, who for the past two years has taught in the junior-high at Mason high school, were quietly married Saturday afternoon at the Lewis Arbor by Rev. Keldsen of the Baptist church, who used the Episcopal ring service. The young couple left immediately on a short trip and upon their return will be at home to their many friends at the home of Mrs. Felix McDaniels. Mrs. Sanford will continue her work as teacher here next year.

Final Corn Borer Pest Inspection Is Beginning

OFFICIALS COMMAND FARMERS FOR RESPONSE MADE.

Reuben Allen of Alaledon, corn borer inspector for Vevay and Aurelius is enthusiastic over the splendid co-operation he has received from the farm owners and occupants of his district. Last week Mr. Allen began the final inspection upon which payment for extra work is to be made and states he finds in his territory that practically every farm operator had made a complete and satisfactory job upon which he expects no difficulty in securing for the farmer the extra pay promised.

Other inspectors about the county are equally well satisfied with the response received from the farmers and believe that Ingham county will make a splendid showing when the reports are all in. The cool weather of the spring has retarded the hatching of the moth it is said and it is believed the efforts of the corn borer control officials to stamp out this pest will be found to have been successful.

POTTER-GARRISON.

Elmer Barnes, former Mason young man, and Miss Betty Garrison, both of Kalamazoo, were united in marriage by Rev. W. R. Prescott at the Methodist parsonage, Saturday evening, June 11. The young couple were accompanied by Miss Ethel Wait and Leo Graves. A wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony.

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FARMERS MUTUAL ELECT POSTMASTER PRESIDENT

E. A. DENSMORE TO HEAD COMPANY BALANCE OF YEAR.

Board Of Directors Hold Special Meeting Monday To Select Frank Seely Successor.

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Co., held Monday, June 13, E. A. Densmore was appointed president of the company to succeed Frank Seely, deceased, who had held the office sixteen years. Mr. Densmore is a lawyer, a former register of deeds, and at present is the Mason postmaster. He has a wide acquaintance throughout the county and the board of directors as well as policy holders are pleased that Mr. Densmore consented to accept the position. The appointment is just for the balance of the year and a new head will be chosen at the next annual meeting which will be held early in 1928.

"Mr. Seely will be sorely missed by the board of directors; his wide acquaintance, long experience, tactful manner and merited confidence placed in his judgment, being of inestimable value to the company," stated one of his former colleagues when he learned of the president's sudden death.

The following resolutions were adopted by unanimous vote of the board:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God in His infinite wisdom to remove from our midst our honored and worthy President, Frank Seely; and

Whereas, The pleasant and intimate relations which for more than a quarter of a century he held with this Ingham County Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance Company as President and Director make it eminently fitting that we should place upon record our feelings of appreciation of his services and regret for his loss; therefore;

Resolved, That this Board of Directors will ever hold in grateful remembrance the sterling business qualities, the patience, integrity, and clear-sightedness displayed for many years by our late President, Frank Seely, in the work of this Board.

Resolved, That the sudden removal by death of our esteemed fellow-citizen from the position which he held as an officer of this Company creates a vacancy not easily filled, and that his fellow-members fully realize and deeply deplore the loss occasioned to themselves and to the public at large.

Resolved, That we hereby extend our deepest sympathy to the bereaved relatives and friends of the deceased, hoping that even in the sadness of their affliction they may yet find some consolation in knowing that the worth of his private qualities and the value of his services are properly appreciated.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the widow of our deceased President, spread on the minutes of their meeting and also printed in the Ingham County News.

Adopted by the Board of Directors at a meeting June 13, 1927.

E. A. Densmore, J. H. Clements, G. W. Nichols, Committee.

Will Have Best Quality Alfalfa

NEWEST METHODS CURING TO BE DEMONSTRATED.

Curing alfalfa hay to retain the greatest amount of feeding value will be shown at the "Hay Day," to be held on the Fred Fuhrman farm, six miles southeast of Mason, on the afternoon of June 22, according to J. G. Wells, Jr., Ingham agricultural agent. Two things will be shown in this demonstration he points out.

"Saving of the alfalfa leaves is one of the most important things," declared Mr. Wells, "since 65% of the food value of the plant is in the leaves. That is the reason the hay must be raked as soon as cut. Wilting in the swath a few hours means losing part of the leaves. With the left hand side delivery rake the top of the plant is put inside the windrow, and the butts outside."

"The green color is also saved in this method of curing," continued Mr. Wells. "Experiments at the Michigan State College show that there is a certain factor in hay cured with the green color not found in that bleached out by the sun. This factor causes a faster growth in young stock, and higher milk production in dairy cows. The hay is not put in the barn the day it is cut, but two or more days after. We will cut and rake some hay two days before and with good weather we should be able to put it in the barn the day of the demonstration."

LOCALS SHOOT WELL.

In the state trap shoot at Lansing last Saturday and Sunday Mason shooters gave a good account of themselves.

While no first prizes were won by the Mason contingent, many excellent scores were made. Ivan Bell of Ottawa, Ohio, a member of the Mason club, led the list with 95 birds out of the possible hundred. Other good scores were those of C. P. Mickelson, 92; Norman Marshall, 90; and Clyde Burt, 88.

WAIT-GRAVES.

Walter Wait, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wait, and Miss Leola Graves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Graves, both of Mason, were united in marriage by Rev. W. R. Prescott at the Methodist parsonage, Saturday evening, June 11. The young couple were accompanied by Miss Ethel Wait and Leo Graves. A wedding supper was served at the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony.

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Write it on your heart
that every day is the best
day of the year.—Emerson.



Pin thy faith to no man's
sleeve; hast thou not two
eyes of thine own?—Carlyle.

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The Last Call

There remains but a few days, until July 1, for veterans of the world war to reinstate their government insurance, or if it is still being carried as term insurance, to have it converted into a standard policy. This is a matter that demands the serious consideration of the veteran's family as well as the ex-soldier or sailor himself. Following the armistice many service men suffered their government insurance to lapse and many others have neglected to have their war risk policies converted. The government has been very lenient in the matter but now, ten years after the war, it is made compulsory by congress to discontinue all term insurance and to convert such policies into standard forms such as ordinary life, endowment policies and twenty and thirty year pay life.

During the past ten years youth has flown from the majority of veterans. Those who were discharged in 1918 and 1919 seemingly without a care in the world have taken obligations upon themselves. A great majority now have families and other dependents to whom they are obligated. These ten years have passed rapidly and the next decade will seem even shorter. Without intending to be pessimistic it may well be pointed out there are many families of veterans that will be thrown upon charity within the next ten years should their fathers fail to take advantage of the government's life insurance offer. Insurance statistics show that many parents are taken between the ages of thirty and forty and many happy families thus broken up, the little children necessarily being supported by benevolent institutions when relatives and friends fail to take up the burden. Life insurance will protect the veteran's home even though the father be taken.

Our intent is not to hold up government insurance as having merits superior to private corporations and stock companies. By all means a veteran should not allow any insurance to lapse if it is possible to prevent it. However, government insurance does offer exceptional inducements to service men. The rates are somewhat lower than private companies can offer because the government does not charge administration expense into the policies. The other inducements include less strict physical examinations, a wide variety of standard policies and easy ways to pay the premiums. Although nearly all insured companies have large and ample resources, government insurance supersedes them all, having the richest government in the world behind it.

Every veteran of the world war, every member of his family or near relative should use their influence to bring the matter to the favorable consideration of the ex-soldier or sailor. This is an issue of supreme importance to the happiness and prosperity of the family as well as the veteran. It is also a matter that must not be delayed—the time is so short, just the balance of this month. If the veteran is not conversant with government insurance benefits or if he needs help in making application or conversion, American Legion officials of the local post or the Red Cross and other veteran agencies stand ready to lend their aid.

Everyone knows some veteran well. It will be a kindly act to inquire if he has his insurance adjusted and to urge him to do so at once if he has thus far neglected it.

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Farm Bureau In Bad Company

Again the Detroit Automobile Club under the leadership of one, Mr. Galbraith, finds itself in an unenviable position before the people of the state of Michigan. It seems strange indeed that an organization which includes within its membership so many successful and progressive citizens of that great city should continue to follow the advice of so shortsighted an individual as this man Galbraith has proved himself.

It will be remembered that it was this same gentleman who vociferously opposed the gasoline tax idea back in the days of its early agitation. Great gobs of money was spent in a state wide campaign to encompass the defeat of the measure, finally resulting in its veto by former Governor Goresbeck. In this campaign he succeeded for a time in lining up other automobile clubs in opposition but these soon deserted his colors for the banner of good roads for Michigan and lots of them. It will also be remembered that when the two cent tax law was passed it was this distinguished Detroit gentleman who led the fight through the courts in a vain attempt to hinder, delay and, if possible, prevent its enforcement.

Again we find him playing the stellar role of obstructionist to Michigan's highway progress. Apparently this gentleman thinks only in terms of Woodward avenue and never beyond the limits of Detroit. That he and his blind followers are bound to hit the same old snag and find themselves but still more ridiculous in the eyes of the people of the state is apparently assured.

Instead of attempting to halt expansion of the highway systems of the state, Detroit auto manufacturers should be found firmly behind every movement to promote and encourage the construction of more and better highways. Not even the officers of the Detroit club have argued that too many roads are being built. What they object to is being made to help pay for them. Their whole attitude seems to be that in Wayne county they have about all the roads they are going to need so why worry about the rest of the state.

The truth is that every survey yet made of traffic over state highways piles up added proof that the vast majority of those who ride them are city dwellers. A report recently made public by the United States bureau of public roads shows that such surveys made in various parts of the state of Ohio indicate that more than 87 per cent of the travel on state roads was urban. In Vermont the ratio was 89 per cent while in New Hampshire and Pennsylvania it was 94 per cent.

These figures prove two things conclusively. First the outcry from the Detroit Auto Club is a plain attempt to avoid paying for the roads over which its members travel and which they accordingly wear out. Second it proves that the so-called wiseheads of the farm bureau are a bunch of shortsighted individuals indeed. Any gas tax collected whether it be one cent or five cents comes largely from the drivers of city owned cars while the highways are built largely through open country. So long as the city chap keeps quiet there is no need for farm leaders to make a noise. And when the city man does squawk it looks mighty foolish for the farmer to join in with him.

Boiled down to a paragraph, the whole subject may be summed up about like this. Michigan needs a lot more highways before construction is permitted to abate. A lot of gravel surfaced roads need to be resurfaced with concrete. Widening in the vicinity of cities is a crying need. Many bridges are required. Railroad crossings at grade should be eliminated as rapidly as possible. At least three paved ways from the Ohio line to the straits are essential. Much added mileage is required to open the upper peninsula to the motorist. Every city, every lake and stream, every market center in Michigan should be linked up with a great arterial system of state maintained highways and this accomplished in the shortest time possible, keeping within reasonable bounds to be sure. All this takes money. Money can

come from only one source and that source is taxes in one form or another. The easiest way to levy taxes for highway purposes has been found to be a tax on the gasoline consumed for under such a plan those who ride most pay most.

No attempt is being made to take undue advantage of the city man by asking him to pay another cent on each gallon of motor fuel consumed, for it is he who uses the roads most and who cries loudest at poor roads. The outcry of the farm bureau heads is pure bunk for the advantage of opening up our great state to the tourist far outweighs any burden which may be inflicted upon the farmer in an added cent gas tax. For every cent the farmer pays into highway funds through the gas tax, his city neighbors pay in nine cents. The country gets the roads to be sure but it is the city man who travels them, so the whole matter is equitable and fair—and the state needs more good roads.

Farm bureau officials, in their partnership with Mr. Galbraith and his Detroit Auto Club, are in bad company and the sooner this is forced to their attention the better their standing in the public eye will be.

DO YOU REMEMBER?

Here each week will be found questions concerning early Ingham county history. Substantial prizes will be awarded the persons submitting the best and most correct answers as well as to those who suggest the most interesting questions. Answers must accompany the questions in order that they may appear the week following publication of the questions.

1. Where was located the store and postoffice known as North Aurelius?
2. Locate Meadville and name some of the storekeepers at that place.
3. Who operated the two cooper shops which spanned Sycamore creek at the site of the present bridge on State street?
4. Who operated the store and postoffice at Felts?
5. What manufacturing establishment operated on section one in Vevay?
6. Where was the old cheese factory located?
7. Who first began the manufacture of brick at Mason?
8. When was the Methodist church of Mason organized?
9. Who was it that manufactured grain cradles at Dansville?
10. Where were the cradle shops located?

Answers to last week's questions

1. Mason's first school was started in 1837, Miss Lucy Rolfe receiving one dollar per week for teaching eight pupils. The first school was probably erected the following year.
2. 1872.
3. Nova Scotia was the name of a town site on Grand River in Onondaga township, being later known as Kinnieville, but now practically an unmarked spot. At one time its flouring mill held wide renown.
4. The first saw mill in Leslie was built by Woodworth, Dwight & Co. and located on what was later designated as Mill street.
5. M. V. and Daniel R. Jessop, saw mill, planing and moulding; Crossman & Atwood, flouring mills; W. W. Heald, carriage works; D. L. Crossman, general merchandise; Theo. Hoffman, hardware; Egbert Rice, general store; Abel White, livery; D. D. Fox, hotel; John West, blacksmith; John B. Dakin, general store.
6. In a general way the principal Indian trail across Ingham county entered from the north near Pine Lake thence to Okemos, thence in a southerly and easterly course keeping east of the swamp and crossing the brickyard road almost exactly at the quarter line of section one where the town of Ingham was established, thence south and easterly to near Etchells, thence following the plains section east and south in the general direction of Baptiste Lake and on to its junction with another main trail at what later became Cambridge Junction in Lenawee county.
7. The three postoffices of Bunkerhill were Fitchburg, Bunkerhill and Felts.
8. Services were first conducted by the Catholics in Bunkerhill in 1845. The first denomination to organize within the township were the Presbyterians. The Methodists built at Fitchburg.
9. Trains were run over the J. L. & S. R. R. as far as Lansing in June of 1866.
10. There is a dispute as to the exact location of the Mark Sweet store as well as some difference of opinion as to his stock in trade. Final answer to this question must be deferred.

WISE and OTHERWISE

tests were won by the trains.—Detroit Free Press.

OBITUARY

The lowly walks of life do not include all places where there is automobile traffic.

Colleges having banned the student-owned automobile can now make it unanimous with the studies by including books.

What has become of the old-fashioned boy who used to be at the head of his class along about graduation time?

Wonder if the determination of President Coolidge to spend his vacation in the Black Hills portends darkness for Western Democracy in 1928?

Speaking about frankness, an Omaha woman has just confessed that the best joke she ever played on her husband was the day she married him.

When Canada celebrates her 60th birthday on July 1, it is expected she will have lots of help from a number of the boys across the river.

Now that Walter Johnson is able to pitch again the National Capitol will refuse any longer to worry about the situation in China.

After all that entertainment in Europe Lindbergh got home-sick and we'll bet he was getting hungry for some real ham and eggs with apple pie à la mode.

Those political economists who have maintained that there can be no such thing as overproduction had better go and tell it to the oil man.

Of course Italy belongs to the League of Nations but at the same time it is worthy of note that Mussolini is planning an army 5,000,000 strong. How come?

Remember the good old days when you used to giggle behind your spelling book every time the teacher's beau came to visit the school?

We don't know how well Secretary Kellogg likes to laugh but he certainly has a long one coming on the Russian situation.

So confident was young Lindbergh that he bought his return ticket from Europe before he left New York and took it with him. How could you stop a guy like that?

During 1926 the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railroad reports 155 automobiles crashed into the company's trains. It is believed that approximately 99 per cent of these con-

Gaylord D. Joslin was born in White Oak township, Ingham county, Michigan, August 1, 1875. He was one of four children born to Ezra P. and Catherine Evans Joslin and his boyhood and youth was spent on a large farm in White Oak. He was married to Carrie Rosecrance June 30, 1897, and to them two children were born, Grant, who is at home, and a daughter who died in infancy. Practically all of his life has been spent in White Oak coming to the present Joslin farm 22 years ago. As a citizen Mr. Joslin commanded the confidence and respect of all who knew him. He was quiet, unassuming, loved his home and those who knew him best loved him most. Two weeks of painful illness terminated this going life although everything in medical skill and loving care was brought to bear to stay the progress of what seemed from the first to be inevitable. He passed on June 5, 1927, at the age of 51 years, 10 months and 2 days. He leaves to mourn his loss his wife and son Grant, one sister, Mrs. M. E. Cady, of Leroy, Michigan, a brother, James Joslin, of Williamson, Mich., one brother having passed on several years ago, besides several nieces and nephews and a host of friends.

Sunset and evening star
And one clear call for me
And may there be no moaning
At the bar when I put out to sea.

Funeral services were held at the home Thursday, June 9, at 2 p. m. Rev. Backus officiating. He was laid to rest in Dansville cemetery. 24w1p

PROBATE HEARINGS JUNE 21.

Estate of Jennie Raymond, deceased, hearing on claims; Estate of Etta Brown, deceased, hearing on claims; Estate of Andrew D. Williams, deceased, hearing on claims; Estate of William O. Wilson, deceased, hearing on appointment of administrator de bonis non with the will annexed; Estate of Albert E. Stone, deceased, hearing on appointment of administrator; Estate of Kate Dise, deceased, hearing on appointment of administrator; Estate of Charles M. Schmidt, deceased, hearing on appointment of administrator; Estate of Chester P. Field, deceased, hearing on final account; Estate of Sophia Malowany, deceased, hearing on final account; Estate of Hattie Newman, deceased, hearing on appointment of administrator.

In a few days we will be mailing interest notices to hundreds of depositors in the savings department of this bank, advising them the amount of interest which will be credited or mailed to them on June 30th. All deposits in the savings department earn five per cent interest and this is paid twice a year on June 30, and December 31st. The next interest period will cover all balances and deposits made on or before July 6.

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Northwest Stockbridge

Walter Sharland and family were in Jackson, Saturday.

Bert Lantis and family were in Webberville, Saturday.

Mrs. C. J. Merrill was in Lansing, Tuesday.

Mrs. Herman Riggs and daughter were callers at Lizzie Usher's Monday evening.

South Aurelius and North
Onondaga

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hiller, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith and daughter Lorraine motored to Owego, N. Y., for a ten day visit, recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cartar are visiting Clare relatives for the week.

Mesdames Davis and Evelyn visited Charlie Davis and family at Eden, Sunday.

Wells Clickner and family, B. H. Field and wife visited Mrs. Ina Field and family at Jackson, Sunday.

Jas. Russell and wife attended the graduation exercises of a nephew at Middleton, Mich., last week when Charlie Barnes, formerly of this place, but now of Mt. Pleasant, was the speaker.

Earl Holcomb and family, Mrs. E. Covert visited Claud Parish and family near Mason, Wednesday.

John Hemans and family visited Mason relatives Thursday evening.

Four Town Corners

Earl Howe and family were Thursday visitors at Cecil Wemple's.

Kenneth Ickes and wife of Jackson, were Sunday callers at John Ickes.

Mrs. Elizabeth Potter of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hasse of Owosso, were Thursday callers at C. C. Collar's and also attended the commencement exercises at Dansville, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Dean of Lansing, were Wednesday and Thursday visitors at Edd Mullen's.

Ray Colar was in Owosso, Thursday.

Edd Mullen and wife spent Sunday evening in Mason, with Mr. and Mrs. Trent Sawyer.

Clarence Donal and family of Webberville, were Sunday visitors at Roy Park's.

Mrs. Buehl of Lansing, was a Sunday caller at Cecil Wemple's.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks spent Sunday evening with Mr. Park's sister near Millville.

DuBois Neighborhood

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collar spent Sunday at his daughter's, Mrs. Frank Massman, at Lansing.

Mrs. Carrie Hinkley spent the first part of the week with her daughter, Mrs. Alva Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Curtis and Loris spent Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gretzberger's of Okemos.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Spear and Garret and Glen spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCormick and family near Detroit.

Del Purdy of Lansingburg, spent the first of the week at Mr. and Mrs. Alva Campbell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Sandford, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wellman and Floyd Baldwin and daughters and Clifford Petty and family spent Sunday at Mrs. Guilford Baldwin's.

Alva Campbell and wife called on L. J. Linn of Lansing, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wourt Every called on Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Every afternoon, Sunday afternoon.

There will be a benefit dance for the rebuilding of the Bath school house at the Wheatfield Gleaner hall, Friday evening, June 17. Everyone is invited to come.

The annual DuBois school reunion

Mrs. Montchalk was formerly Miss Gladys Hoag before their marriage of a week ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Shultz of Portland, spent Sunday with his sisters, Mrs. Walter Grinnell and Mrs. S. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Henderson of Lansing, have purchased the Glines farm of Mrs. Belle McKinney. Mrs. Henderson is a daughter of Mrs. Anna Goritz.

Mrs. Anson of Perry, formerly of this place, visited Mrs. Frank Redman, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cooney, Mr. Lowry Trumble and Miss Emily Rupp of Lansing, visited at S. E. Trumble's, Sunday.

Stockbridge Town Line

Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Johnson of Morrice, attended church at Stockbridge, Sunday morning and spent the remainder of the day with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wright.

Miss Maybelle Swanson has been very ill for the past week.

Mrs. Rex Davis of Flint, is caring for her mother, Mrs. W. D. Holmes, who is very low.

Miss Fern Smith is visiting her sister, in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Beard of Morrice, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lowe.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayner were in Jackson, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lowe visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis of Ferndale, last week.

A shower was given Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Harris whose home and contents were destroyed by fire. They received a generous sum of money besides other gifts.

Millville

A very pretty wedding was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lane west of Williamson, when their daughter, Ethel, was married to Glenn Watkins of Mason, June 4th, by the Rev. R. E. Bachus of Millville.

Our pastor attended the ministerial meeting on Monday. A very pleasant time was spent together. It was also the wedding anniversary of the Rev. and Mrs. Maycroft, on their returning home a wedding party were waiting to be married at the parsonage.

A very large crowd attended the children's day service at the church on Sunday evening. There was a good program.

Mrs. Bertha Bravender and Mildred Bravender called on Mrs. Emma Champin last Tuesday.

R. H. Bravender and son Glenn of Holly, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Bravender last Saturday.

Mrs. Pearl Pierce recently called on Mrs. Jessie Poxon at Jackson and found her improving.

Mrs. Effie Minar and Floyd Garrison visited Mr. H. Bravender last Thursday.

Guy Siegfried of Wayne, was injured Sunday evening at Richard Steven's by being caught between two cars. He was unconscious for a few minutes, but recovered to be able to drive home later.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bravender and grandchildren and Mrs. Chas. Nieshamer were callers at Norman Shower last Thursday.

Haze Dewitt called on Mr. and Mrs. H. Bravender, Monday.

Stockbridge

Mrs. Louise Soules and Flora Ellsworth of the Ladies Home of Chelsea, called on friends here last week.

William Sage of Kalamazoo, is visiting his mother and sister here.

Mrs. Nellie Mitter and Mrs. Alice Brownell called on Mrs. Vesta Thompson, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thompson and daughter Fern and Mrs. Vesta Thompson attended commencement exercises in Mason last week Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Eliza Wilmore is some better at this writing.

Miss Mabel Thompson who graduated from the County Normal has returned to her home here for the summer vacation.

Officers were elected and the Rebekah degree was given to one candidate last Friday evening. A potluck was served.

Arvide North and sister Arline of Grovenburg, visited friends here last Sunday.

Dist. No. 7, White Oak

Mrs. Wm. Lundy visited her people near Olivet, recently.

Elmer Jackson of Lansing, was calling on his old friends and neighbors last week.

Mrs. F. C. Kendrick spent Thursday with Mrs. Clara Hinkley of Fowlerville. The Dansville Baptist Aid met with Mrs. Hinkley for the day.

Frank Elliott and Hattie Seelhoff of Lansing, were Monday night callers at J. Seelhoff's.

Mrs. F. C. Kendrick spent the weekend with her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Benjamin of Lansing.

Margaret Jones has been quite ill as the result of getting her nose hurt at Potter Park.

Henry Marshall of Detroit, spent the weekend with her mother on the old farm.

Mrs. F. C. Kendrick called on Mrs. May Crane also Mrs. Jay Collar, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. L. C. Bourne was in Williamson, Tuesday.

Ruth Kendrick spent the weekend at home.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Benjamin of Lansing, on June 2.

South Trowbridge

Mr. and Mrs. P. Ball of Meridian, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Amiss of Lansing, were Sunday visitors at S. E. Trumble's.

Ten members of Friendly Neighbor Club were entertained by Mrs. Gertrude Mitchell Saturday p. m. in honor of the birthdays of four members, Mrs. Hoague, Grinnell, Mitchell and Ellsworth, whose birthdays occur in June. In a guessing contest, Miss Marie Oldenham won the first prize and Mrs. Grinnell the consolation. Many lovely gifts were given to the guests of honor and a Bohemian lunch was served. On July 20, Mrs. Gladys Blue will entertain the July birthday club.

Miss Carolyn Watkins played in a musical recital in Lansing Tuesday evening, given by Mrs. Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Trumble accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Houghton of Lansingburg, were in Pontiac and Detroit, Friday.

Mrs. Lida Sutherland spent the week end with her son, Floyd, in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Higgins of Battle Creek, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. E. F. Hoague.

Mrs. Walter Grinnell attended a shower for Mr. and Mrs. John Montchalk of North Holt, Friday evening.

Sunday morning and too dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Frost attended children's exercises in Williamson, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Frost took Sunday dinner with his brother, Elmer Frost and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Brown and children visited in Eaton Rapids, Sunday and Mrs. Betz returned with them Sunday night and remained until Monday noon.

The class party at Mr. and Mrs. F. Biggs was well attended and a good time enjoyed by all.

A large crowd attended the children's exercises and Sunday school convention at the church Sunday. A very interesting talk was given in the evening by Mrs. Gentner, a returned missionary from Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Biggs and Howard were in Lansing, Saturday.

Miss Eva Harris spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Biggs and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Showerman of Lansing, visited his parents, Sunday.

Mrs. Dell Wolf and children and Goldie Pratt attended the Ingham Consolidated school picnic at Pleasant Lake last Friday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bert Sadler visited his parents, Sunday.

Nineteen of the friends and neighbors had a bee for Mrs. Lewis Gafner last week and with tractor and horses fitted several acres of ground and planted it to corn.

Harry Chapman and mother visited at Stockbridge, Sunday.

Richard Hoffman of Waunton, Ohio, is spending his vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. August Penner visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Anway, Sunday.

Mrs. R. Sherman spent last week at Needmore, helping to care for the sick in her sister's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Wildern, son Kenneth and daughter Thelma, and Mr. and Mrs. William Lettman from Detroit, were callers at the Sherman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Royston from near Eaton Rapids, spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Xanders.

Mrs. B. Keyes from Lansing was a guest of her son, Chas. Keyes, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jolley were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Alpeter.

The North Ladies Aid Society will be entertained Wednesday for dinner by Mrs. Carl Miller.

Children's day was observed last Sunday by the North Sunday school with appropriate exercises. Rev. Frank Currey was the speaker. 98 present.

Almost 150 uses have been found for peanuts.

Williamston

No More Fretful Washdays

Baccalaureate services were held at the M. E. church Sunday evening. The church was decorated in the senior class colors of blue and white. A green background of leaves and cut sprays was set off by varied colored flowers. Rev. Henry Scofield delivered the sermon to the 25 graduates. It was a masterful eulogy. Music was furnished by the Baptist and M. E. choirs and a solo by Miss Lou VanBuren, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. John Marshall.

Class day and commencement exercises will be held at the opera house Thursday evening, June 16th, when the following will receive their diplomas: Cletus Linn, Mary Ellen Perkins, Maxine Hanna, Louis Bekart, Ralph Martin, Bion Dietz, Guenna Kinnie, Leola Wyckoff, Leona Thayer, Marjorie Brackett, Ernestine Ableir, Maynard Webster, Bernice Thurber, Olive Liegle, Richard Denzil Hill, Wendell House, Duane Cotter, Anna Meach, Helen Gossline, Genevieve Hart, Leona Salisbury, salutatorian and Frances Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Wheatfield, valedictorian.

Friday evening will occur the annual alumni which will be held in the dining rooms of the Methodist church.

Addison Bates, a resident of this village for the past 20 years, passed away at St. Lawrence hospital, where he had been for the past six weeks. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. James McCann of Detroit, and Mrs. Joe Linn of East Lansing, and one grandson. Funeral services were held at the Gossline & Runciman funeral parlors in Lansing at 2 o'clock Tuesday. Burial was made in Mt. Hope cemetery.

Mr. Vaughn of Lansing, is sick at the home of his son, F. A. Vaughn, of this village.

Edward Hale, who underwent an operation for gallstones at St. Lawrence hospital about ten days ago, is considered serious. Mr. Hale has been in the tailoring business here for many years.

EVERY man is making his story; each man may leave his impress upon his generation and upon the profession to which he belongs.

Mr. and Mrs. John Butler and son of Detroit, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Butler, Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Frost attended the graduation exercises at M. S. C. Friday a. m.

L. King is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Iva Frost, while Mrs. King is visiting in South Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Higgins of Battle Creek, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. E. F. Hoague.</

Classified Advertisements

For Sale

FOR SALE—Forty rods 10-47, 12 in. stay Jackson fence, new. Also 20 cedar posts. Mrs. Augusta Walker, Dansville. 24w1p

FOR SALE—John Deere grain binder 7-foot cut, in A1 condition with tongue trucks. \$90. George A. Thorburn, Mason, Mich., R. 3. 24-tf

FOR SALE—Well bred four year old Holstein cow, calf by side. Heavy milk with high B. F. content. Extra heavy work harness, brass trimmed, wide strap. Mrs. Martha Shattuck, Dansville road, phone 213-F4. 24-1

FOR SALE—Monarch range, two years old in very good condition. Half price. Mrs. C. Whipp, 405 E. Ash St., Mason, Mich. 24w1

FOR SALE—Three Jersey cows, two are fresh and other is due in September. Priced reasonable. N. S. Davis, Mason. 24w1

FOR SALE—Rock Island hay loader, good condition. S. D. Cook, first house east Harper school. 24w1p

FOR SALE—Kalamazoo range, suitable for coal or wood in good condition. Mrs. J. E. Waggoner, phone 186-F8. 24w1

FOR SALE—1925 Master Six Buick touring, 1926 Ford roadster, 1924 Ford roadster, 1924 Ford pick-up, 2 Ford tourings in good condition, 1924 Ford sedan in fine shape, good tires, 2 Ford trucks, will equip to suit purchaser. J. B. Dean, Mason. 24w1

FOR SALE—Second hand "New Deering" grain binder. See R. S. Hudson, Farm Supt., Michigan State College. 24w1

FOR SALE—Blue roan, 5 years old, fresh cow. Jud Hill, Wheatfield. Williamston phone 33-R. 24w1p

FOR SALE—Quantity of alfalfa hay. Mrs. Chas. Aseltine, phone 18-F21. 24w1

FOR SALE—11 pigs, seven weeks old, 1 mile east of Alaeonon Center. Geo. H. Allen. 24w1

FOR SALE—Bridge lamp, child's rocking horse, oil burner, mahogany Windsor chair and electric fan. Mrs. Glenn Helmer, East Ash St. 24w1p

FOR SALE—Cabbage plants, late Danish Ballhead, 25c per 100. 1 1/2 miles west of Wayside Inn. A. A. Deisler, Leslie R. 1. 24w1p

FOR SALE—About five acres of mixed hay. Mrs. Sarah Darrow, w1. 24w1

FOR SALE—Caille outboard motor for row boat. Used just part of one summer. To be sold cheap. E. H. Kurtz, Mason, Mich., R. 4. Phone 229-F11. 23w2p

FOR SALE—Leghorn chicks, 2 weeks old for delivery June 21. These will be healthy, accredited chicks. Phone 213-F5. E. H. Reithmiller, Mason. 23w2p

FOR SALE—Modern dwelling, very desirable location. A. A. Bergman, Mason. 21-tf

FOR SALE—Newly remodeled 7-room modern home, well located. Water softener installed. Good garage. Cash or easy terms. A. McDonald. 19-tf

FOR SALE—7 room house, three full lots and large garage. Edward Harris, 203 Barnes street. Phone 350. 11-tf

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished light house, keeping rooms. Mrs. V. L. Palmer, 420 W. Ash street. 24w1

Wanted

WANTED—To purchase 2-horse laying cultivator in good condition, cheap for cash. J. F. Lavey, Leslie R. C. Dansville phone. 24w1p

WANTED—Single man on farm by month. Irvin Smith, phone 239-F3. 24w1

WANTED—Young calf. Mrs. Chas. Aseltine, Mason. Phone 18-F21. w1

WANTED—Married man on farm by the month. 3 1/2 miles northwest of Mason near electric car line. James Somerville. 24w1p

AGENTS WANTED—Highest cash paid weekly with part expenses for men and women to take orders for guaranteed nursery stock. Experience unnecessary. Outfit free. Write The Hawks Nursery Co., Wauwatosa, Wis. 21w1p

LOST—Pair of patent log binders. Reward if returned to News office. 24w1p

BEEKEEPERS—The best patent bee hive on the market. It has been tried out and found to be the best, for winter or for honey. Henry Mayhew, Mason Route 5. 24w1p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank my neighbors and friends for the flowers and many kind remembrances to me during my recent illness. Clifford Akers. 24w1p

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MRS. CHAUNCEY HOYT DIES.
Mrs. Chauncey Hoyt, aged 64, passed away this morning (Thursday) after a lingering illness. She had been returned to her home north of Mason only a short time when her condition had steadily grown worse. Funeral services will be held from the home Saturday afternoon at 2:30 with burial at Maple Grove cemetery.

Baptist Church Notes
Stanley James Keldsen, Pastor

Sentence Sermon
"What the Church has to offer meets the deepest needs of the world."

10 a. m. Baptismal service. Junior sermon: "Thank You!" Senior sermon: "Minding Your Own Business."

11:30 a. m. Bible school, Lesson: "The Character of a Good Citizen."

5:30 p. m. Union Vesper Service on court house lawn. The sermon will be preached by Rev. W. R. Prescott.

7 p. m. Young people's meeting.

Theme for discussion: "The Value of Public Prayer."

Methodist Episcopal Church
William Ray Prescott, Minister

10 a. m. Morning worship. Sermon, "Message of the Trees." This is the second in the series of vacation time sermons.

11:30 a. m. Church School of Religion.

5:30 p. m. Union Vesper service on the court house lawn. Splendid congregational singing. Special music.

Sermon, "What is Man?" Rev. W. R. Prescott is the preacher.

North Aurelius Union Church
Rev. W. B. Hartzog, Pastor.

Morning worship 10:30. Sermon to the children on, "The book that was found in India." Sermon to the older people on "A Question That Concerns Two Worlds."

Sunday school 11:30.

Children's Day exercises at 7:30 p. m. A program provided by the Sunday school will be given.

KEEPING WELL

A BUG DIRECTORY

DR. FREDERICK R. GREEN
Editor of "HEALTH"

IN PRINTING, in a recent number, a catalogue of all the insect pests, Nation's Health does a practical service. Every region, every climate, almost every house has some annoying insects which make life miserable for the human race. These insect pests are common, yet definite information on them is often lacking.

These pests are naturally divided according to their habits of living into indoor and outdoor pests. Insects of the house-dwelling type practically never pay any attention to live stock or crops, while outdoor pests rarely cause any trouble in the house.

Among the indoor pests are house centipedes, slippers, flies, ants, mosquitoes, cockroaches, bed bugs, fleas, moths, book lice and carpet beetles.

The house centipede came originally from Mexico and has now spread all over the southern states. It is grayish yellow and is found in bathrooms and cellars, or wherever it is warm and damp. Its bite is poisonous. It lives on other insects.

The slinker is a slender, glistening gray insect which will eat almost everything. Books, especially bindings, starched clothes, linen, lace or muslins, silks, wall papers, carpets and upholstered furniture, are its favorite foods.

Ants are of many varieties. The most common are the small red-and-black ants. The so-called white or winged ants are really not ants at all. The Argentine ant causes great damage to woodwork, foundation timbers, books, furniture, fabrics of all sorts as well as to trees and crops.

Moths usually breed in dark closets, laying their eggs which hatch out in the early spring. There are two common varieties. The common clothes moth develops into a larva or worm which eats the wool, fur, feathers or other substances on which it feeds and makes a case for itself from which the moth emerges. The webbing moth makes no case, but spins fine transparent web out of the material which it eats.

Cockroaches are cannibals. They eat each other, also anything else they can get. They live in colonies and generally stay in hiding, coming out to eat any food that may be left in pantries or kitchens, or any dried animal matter. They also eat leather, book bindings, kitchen refuse, or any kind of filth. They are a nasty destructive pest, soiling everything with which they come in contact. It is said that a few tree frogs left in a roach-infested room over night will clean them out very quickly.

Fleas, bed bugs, carpet moths and book lice are other disagreeable and annoying pests.

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CARD OF THANKS—I desire to express my sincere thanks to neighbors and friends who helped put my crops in during my recent illness. Clifford Akers. 24w1p

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to

express our heartfelt thanks to all who so kindly assisted us in any way during our sad affliction in the death and burial of our beloved husband, father and brother, Also Rev. Beckus and Mr. and Mrs. Evans. Mrs. Gaylord Joslin and Grant, Nellie Cady and family, James E. Joslin and family. 24w1p

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Bits of Ancient History
Gleaned from News files of years past.

Fifty Years Ago

Popular bugling set to music is what factitious people call round dancing in this progressive age of high toned morality.

John Rayner of Vevay, recently caught a mud turtle bearing on its back the inscription, S. P., June 12, 1871.

The Mason Light Guards were mustered into the state's service Tuesday with due solemnity, Michigan now having fifty-four more valiant soldiers.

As we go to press the Mason races are on in full swing with fifty entries of fast steppers listed.

Last Sunday the Baptists repaired to their "River Jordan," in this case "Sycamore Creek," and administered the rites of baptism to three recent converts.

Note to Subscribers: Our terms are cash in advance but in consideration of hard times we have been accommodating many until after sheep shearing. That season has now come and we need our pay.

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LOCAL NEWS

See Doug Fairbanks Sun.-Mon. "The Black Pirate" Sun.-Mon. 1t "The Black Pirate" Sun.-Mon. 1t J. W. Gould, optometrist, will be at the Ries hotel, Tuesday, June 21. Butter scotch and chocolate pies Saturday, Mrs. H. N. Hamilton, 24w1 Ethel Marquand of Alameda, spent the week end with Irene Whitling. A. McDonald has a house and lot for sale, in a good location, easy terms. Mr. and Mrs. George Stevens of Lansing, spent the week end with Mrs. Mable Arent.

Misses Majel Cavender and Edna Freeland were at Bath Thursday visiting friends.

Mrs. Louise Lever was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Porter and family of Lansing.

Next Wednesday evening, June 22, regular meeting of Pythian Sisters will be held at Castle Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. White of Adrian, spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Neely.

Florence Powell of Parkersburg, W. Va., is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. G. L. Bailey, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Biber visited and Mrs. George Arent last week as they were motoring to Tennessee.

Mrs. Maud Owen left Saturday for Fort Ogden, Florida, where they will make an indefinite visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Doty and L. J. Kaiser of Grand Ledge, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Torrance.

The annual reunion of the Green family will be held at Pleasant Lake, near Jackson, on Saturday, June 25.

Mrs. Ida Turnbull of Kalamazoo, is enjoying three weeks vacation among relatives and friends in this community.

Mrs. Emma Quarby of Lansing, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Pierce, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bickert.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hiller and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith and daughter are visiting relatives at Owego, N. Y.

County Agent J. G. Wells, Jr. was in Jackson on Monday attending a conference of farm agents and extension workers.

A daughter, Barbara Elizabeth, was born Saturday, June 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Karl Lott, formerly of Mason, now of Detroit.

Mrs. W. S. Rhodes spent the past week with her son, H. K. Rhodes and wife, of Detroit. Mr. Rhodes, was a guest.

Mrs. E. S. Dunbar of Grass Lake, spent from Wednesday until Saturday of last week with her sister, Flora, at Lathrop.

The Ladies Aid Society of the North Aurelius church will conduct an all day bake sale Wednesday, June 22, at the meat market.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dart and sons William and James, and Lee Edgar spent from Sunday until Tuesday on business in Chicago.

Mrs. Georgia Rockwell of Williamson, returned to her home Saturday after spending several weeks' with her sister, Mrs. Louise Lever.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Neely motored to Cement City, Sunday and left Charles to spend the summer vacation with his father, Frank Swarthout.

Dr. Gordon Knapp and Mrs. Esther Swails of Detroit, were week end guests at the home of H. H. Snyder. Mrs. Swails is remaining for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Asetine and Lyle visited Mrs. Asetine's mother, Mrs. Althea Hubbard, at Albion Sunday, who returned with them for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley E. Field of Ann Arbor, spent from Sunday until Wednesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Field and Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Hartwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller and daughter, Lela Bell, of Reading, Pa., are visiting relatives in and near Mason. Mrs. Miller was formerly Forna Doo, little of this place.

The monthly meeting of the Presbyterian Missionary Society will be held on Friday at 2:30 in the afternoon at the home of Mrs. Freeland. All the ladies invited to be present.

An eight and one-half pound son was born Monday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stevens. Mrs. Stevens was formerly Miss Olive King and chief operator at the local telephone office.

Clarence, Irwin and Robert Zander, Melvin Jarche and Miss Sylvia Cooper of Chicago, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith Sunday and Monday. Miss Cooper will remain until July 4.

The Woman's Home Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will meet with Mrs. A. G. Ball, Friday afternoon June 17, at 2:30. This is the annual meeting and the election of officers will take place.

Mrs. Orson White accompanied by Kenneth and Miss Bernice White were in Kalamazoo Sunday. They were also accompanied by Mrs. Ida Turnbull, who has been visiting here for the past three weeks and who was returning to her work at the Michigan State Hospital.

Miss Frances Brower and Mrs. Frances Wilson were in Jackson Friday where the former appeared as entertainer for the Kiwanis club of that city at its weekly luncheon. Mrs. Wilson was the accompanist for Miss Brower, who is gaining fame as a whistler.

Mrs. Mary Clough, eighty-two years of age, visited in Mason last Friday. Mrs. Clough lived in Mason forty-two years ago, and this was her first visit since 1885. She is now living with her daughter, Mrs. Maud Morrison, postmistress at Conway in Emmet county. Mrs. Morrison and her son accompanied Mrs. Clough and the party was enroute to Toledo to visit relatives.

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Special low prices on summer hats, Coral M. Neely. 1w1

David Foote is seriously ill at his home on East Ash street.

Arthur Stackhouse is confined to his home on Sycamore street, by illness.

Gooseberry pie and potato salad Saturday. Mrs. H. N. Hamilton. 24w1

Great bargains in Rayons and other summer dresses, Coral M. Neely, 1w1

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Mrs. Harry Bond underwent an operation Monday for the removal of tonsils.

The Rebecca Cotorie will hold their birthday supper at the hall, Friday June 24.

Mrs. Chas. Murray of Dimondale, spent a few days last week with Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Neely.

A son, Harold Jr., weighing 8 lbs., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lyons of this city.

Helen Wiltse Hale, dramatic instructor. For appointments and information call 355-J. 1w1

Car of Agricultural Limestone in transit, Nine tons unsold. \$5.30 off car. Farm Bureau. 24w1

Mrs. Nettie Lane is visiting her son, Lawrence Lane and Family at Valparaiso, Indiana.

Merritt Forsyth and Fern Herrell of Owosso, spent Sunday with Fred Whitaker and family.

Mrs. Ted Borton of Pewamo, is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Parker.

Mrs. E. B. Kelly attended the funeral services of her aunt, Mrs. J. T. Vandecook, at Jackson, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilson of Lansing, and Mrs. Nettie Franklin of Holt, visited Mrs. Jennie Whitney, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Crispell and family of Owosso called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Phillips Sunday.

Miss Bessie Ball left last week for Scranton, Penn. where she will visit her sister, Mrs. D. C. Vandecook and family.

Mrs. Lucinda Leseny, Mrs. Ida Bates and Mrs. Ella Simpson and two children of Dimondale, visited Mrs. Jenny Whitney Wednesday.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harkness of Flint announced the birth of a son. Mrs. Harkness was formerly Miss Flossie Silsby of this city.

Dr. A. S. Cornell of Grand Rapids and Dr. Chas. Gans of Lansing will accompany Dr. Freeland to attend a class reunion at Ann Arbor.

Clifford Parish is enjoying a two weeks' vacation from the postoffice and with Mrs. Parish and daughter Ruth are visiting in Chicago.

Mrs. Fred Brenner underwent an operation at the city hospital Wednesday morning. Dr. McNamara of Lansing performed the operation.

The Philathaea class of the Baptist church will meet with May Lamb Friday p. m., June 17, at 2:30. Meet at Longyear's drug store at 2 o'clock.

There will be a benefit dance at the Wheatfield Gleaner hall Friday evening, June 17, for the rebuilding of the Bath school house. Everyone is invited to come.

Mrs. G. W. Swails of South Haven, is leaving today (Thursday) for the lakes with Captain Swails, after spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Earl Silsby.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Viola Reedy and Leo Clark of Mason. The event took place last March at Detroit at the home of a cousin of Miss Reedy's.

Clair Launstein of Vevey while attempting Tom Mix stunts on a wild cold Sunday had the misfortune to fracture an arm. He will be relieved of having duties as a consequence.

Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Kellogg of Jackson were in Mason Wednesday, Mrs. Kellogg attending the meeting of the past matrons of Mason Chapter O. E. S. at the home of Mrs. Mac Vaughn of Aurelius.

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FORMER LESLIE MAN LIVED WITH DAUGHTER HERE.

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Mr. Hocking was born in Panzance, England, and came to the United States in 1876. He was of a genial nature and was greatly respected by all who knew him. During his residence in Ohio he was a member of the state legislature. After leaving Ohio he moved to Leslie where he was engaged in business for many years, during that time serving several terms upon the village council. His wife preceded him in death by many years and after the marriage of his daughter, Mabel to Earl Salisbury here, Mr. Hocking made his home here where he made and enjoyed many friendships.

The funeral services were held at the Salisbury home Monday afternoon. Interment was made in Woodlawn cemetery at Leslie.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. E. DeMeritt and family attended the air races at the Ypsilanti airport last Saturday.

J. W. Enos and family of Grand Rapids, are spending a month with his sister, Mrs. Mae Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Straub and Mrs. Henry Baulknech of Grand Rapids, visited Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Yerkes, Sunday.

A daughter, Anna Lee, weighing 7 1/2 pounds was born Tuesday morning, June 14, to Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Truxell.

Mrs. Hirany Gilford and daughter Virginia of Lansing, are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Darrow.

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The American Country Life Association, holding its tenth annual meeting, and the American Farm Economics Association will be two of the prominent groups which will gather during the week, along with the International Country Life Association and several other organizations of national and even international scope.

The annual summer farmers day, an occasion which has grown during the last decade to a point where ten thousand Michigan farmers and their families gather at M. S. C. for the day, will be held on Thursday, August 4 this year. The program for the farmers day will be so arranged that visitors may also take in some of the interesting features of the country life week.

Eighteen guests attended a party Tuesday, June 14, honoring the fifth birthday anniversary of Richard Brown. Games were played on the lawn after which refreshments, consisting of red, white and blue ice cream, marking Flag Day, and birthday cakes were served. Many gifts were presented the guest of honor. Out of town guests were Bobby and Patty Jean Troutman and David Latter of Ionia, spending the week with them at Ionia.

A baseball social will be held at the home of Earl Harkness, Wednesday evening, June 22, for the benefit of the baseball team which is being organized in that community. All are invited to attend and give the boys a boost. They expect to have a fast team and will be ready to meet all opponents in about two weeks. Ladies please bring sandwiches or cake, and a baseball.

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RETURNS FROM EAST.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Randall and son Kenneth returned Monday night from a visit in Boston with their son, Russell Randall and wife. They made the trip by automobile by way of the Falls and the Finger Lakes through New York and the Berkshire Hills in Massachusetts. They spent five days sightseeing around the shores of the ocean and mountains, across the Hudson at Bear Mountain and through West Point and the Palisades and the lower part of the Alleghenies, a distance all told of nearly three thousand miles.

The use of Gaelic is becoming more and more popular in Ireland.

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WEDS TEACHER JUNE 11

CLYDE ALLEN AND ZAIDEE CHAMPION MARRIED.

Many Attended Class Day Exercises
And Graduation Of 25 Dan-
ville Seniors.

Clyde Allen, principal and agricultural teacher of the Dansville schools, and Miss Zaidee Champion, fifth grade teacher, were quietly married in Williamson Saturday afternoon, June 11, by Rev. Schofield. The couple was attended by C. Marc Zeluff and Miss Alice Folar. They left on a short trip and after July 1 will be at home to their many friends in the John Ingles house.

Many lovely affairs were given during the past week for Mrs. Allen. Among them was a Wednesday afternoon shower given by Mrs. Henry Lee, luncheon was served at five o'clock and the guest of honor received many useful gifts. On Thursday afternoon Miss Champion was entertained at the home of Mrs. Paul Reynolds, she was presented with a beautiful tea set and Mrs. Clyde Howlett entertained Thursday evening with a linen shower.

On Tuesday evening of last week the auditorium and gallery of the school house was filled to capacity, it being class night for the senior class. The program and decorations were fine. On Wednesday evening the auditorium was again filled, it being commencement night for the class. Rev. Kingdon of Lansing, delivered the address which was fine and well received.

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Miss Dora Padgett is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Wattey.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lewis of La-
peer, visited Mr. and Mrs. Eber

Thompson, Sunday.

Mrs. Ad Stillwell visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thompson part of last week.

Mrs. Frank Remington visited her niece in Lansing part of last week.

Miss Anna Patrick and Mrs. James Redford visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Sharland Tuesday and Wednesday of last week and attended the class day and commencement exercises.

Mrs. Grant Squires visited her sister in Jackson last week.

Mrs. John Warlie has been visiting friends here the past week.

School closed Thursday and Friday. A picnic was held at Pleasant Lake. A very large crowd attended. Many sports were the features of the day.

Loyd Curtis cut his foot very badly while sliding down one of the slides and he was taken to Mercy hospital where he had to remain for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Louis of La-
peer, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson, Sunday.

Childrens Day at the M. E. Church Sunday was largely attended and an excellent program was given by the children.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freer are visiting friends in Monroe this week.

Carpenters have commenced work on Clarence Diehl's new barn. It will be built to take the place of the one that was destroyed by fire in the spring. It will be larger than the old one and it is said will be the largest barn in the county when completed. Mr. Diehl recently built a large garage to replace the one which was burned at the time the barn burned.

Mrs. John Ingles has gone to Detroit to work for the family of Frank Hague.

Mrs. Minnie Grimes was happily surprised last Sunday when she returned from church to find that her children had taken possession of the house and had dinner ready. It was the occasion of her birthday. She received many beautiful presents.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Grimes are taking a trip to the Niagara Falls this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elford took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. F. Hicks one day last week.

Mrs. George Trumbull and sister, Mrs. White, called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elford one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Petoskey left for Harbor Springs, Sunday.

Josephine Goeman of Mason, spent the week end with Vivian Corwin.

Miss Margaret Curtis visited her sister, Marion in Detroit, recently.

Sunday morning, June 19, at Baptist church worship at 10:30. Sunday school 11:30. Junior Epworth League rally at 7:30. Mrs. Prescott of Mason, will give the address. Special singing by the junior choir.

Rev. J. H. Davis will preach next Sunday morning at the Baptist church at 10:30 sun. time. Sunday school at 11:30 sun. time. A warm welcome awaits all.

The Baptist Ladies Aid went over to Fowlerville last Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Clara Hinkley and Miss Brant. Mrs. Hinkley will be remembered as Clara VanTiper. There were 18 that went and all enjoyed a very pleasant day.

Grace Church

The N. I. Club will meet this week Wednesday with Vivian Styles at Kingsland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Weed and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hunt of Lansing, and W. J. Skeat and friend, Miss Jessie Holbrook of Eaton Rapids, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hunt.

Mrs. Bert Smith has returned to her home after spending the winter with her daughter in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Joslyn of Grand Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keeler of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whipp

FILM NEWS
PASTIME THEATRE

Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keeler of Eaton Rapids, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keeler and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Beman were in Bath Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Collins of Lansing, were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Wiborn.

The contract for building the Petrelle school has been let to J. Yost of Eaton Rapids, and work was started on the new school house last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Mackay and sons of Hudson, were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Keeler, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Guerbeck of Lansing, are visiting at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Roy DePue. Jay Wood of Jackson, spent Saturday night and Sunday with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wood.

Kingsland

Miss Vivian Styles will entertain the members of the N. I. Club on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Winslow spent Sunday at their farm.

Bernard Bellows is spending a few days with his grandparents in Holt. Mrs. Vern Bellows entertained Miss Florence Lee of Eaton Rapids, and Miss Mable Judson of Los Angeles, for dinner Wednesday. Miss Judson is returning to California after spending the past six months in this state.

Miss Alta Gillett of Grand Rapids, spent the week end here with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark left Saturday night to spend some time with Mrs. Clark's parents in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Herbert and daughter Elsie of Chicago, have bought the farm formerly occupied by Joe Hervey. Mr. Hervey and family have moved to Potterville.

A radio set with a loop antenna mounted on a wheelbarrow is used by a Long Island farmer to entertain the employees on his farm while working in the fields.

Historic Fort Henry, whose gallant defense inspired "The Star-Spangled Banner," is to be restored by the Government. Plans have been made for equipping the fort as it was at the time of the British attack during the War of 1812.

In northern Siberia some natives are reported to practice a form of hibernation, sleeping during the winter for days at a time.

"The Blue Eagle," the Fox picture starring George O'Brien, which comes Friday and Saturday to the Pastime, is a stirring melodrama of the sea. Taken from Gerald Beaumont's last story, it features a plot fizzing with drama and action. Of special interest are the scenes on the battleship in the days of our participation in the World War, and other good shots are the motor boat patrol and submarine scenes. And for a good snappy fight, don't miss the battle between the two rivals for the hand of the girl, with the priest as the referee and sole spectator.

Janet Gaynor, Robert Edeson, William Russell, David Butler, Margaret Livingstone and Lew Short are a few of the well known players supporting O'Brien.

A sudden jangle of harsh voices beat on the young man's ears as he knelt by the grave in the little hollow above the beach, his tattered garments still damp with the salt sea. Peering through the long grasses, he saw below him at the water's edge a score of the most villainous ruffians he had ever clapped eyes on, part of the crew, he told himself, with a cold rage in his heart, who had sunk the vessel and killed his father and comrades.

Boldly he crested the hillock and strode down into their midst.

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GUNN SCHOOL REUNION
GATHERS WIDE INTERESTHONORS CLASS OF 1884 WITH
TEACHER.Distinguished Educator To Speak At
Third Annual Homecoming
Saturday, June 25.

The third annual homecoming of the Gunn school will be held Saturday, June 25, and President Charles McKenna of Ypsilanti Normal College will be the speaker. Special honors will be for the class of 1884 and 1885 and their teacher, Mr. P. A. Stone, 227 W. Shiawassee St., Lansing.

Everybody is urged to come as early as 10 a. m. if possible but welcome if only able to come for a few minutes. Dinner will be potluck and will be served at noon.

Cars will meet all busses and interurbans to take the guests to the homecoming at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Menger.

The Holt high school alumni will hold its banquet at the Hotel Olds Saturday, June 18, instead of Wednesday, the 22nd, as formerly announced. The alumni association was organized by the class of '26.

Holt Girl Bride Of
Wichita, Kas., ManCHARMING HOME WEDDING IS
JUNE EVENT.

A pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bartlett, when Thelma Lucile Nelson, daughter of Mrs. Bartlett, was married to George Robert Long of Wichita, Kansas. Miss Louise Carlisle, life long chum of the bride, played the wedding march and later sang, "The Sweetest Story Ever Told." Miss Irene, sister of the bride and Mr. Charles McQuire were attendants. Rev. C. P. Andrews performed the ceremony. After a dainty luncheon Mr. and Mrs. Long left for a short trip to Lake George, later will go to Dayton, Ohio, for the summer.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Long, parents of the groom of Wichita, Kansas. Miss Clara Ferguson of Portland, Oregon, Mr. McQuire of Montpelier, Vermont, and Miss Louise Carlisle of Saginaw.

"The Black Pirate" Sun-Mon. 1t See Doug Fairbanks Sun-Mon. 1t The Presbyterian Sunday school picnic will be held at Pine Lake Saturday, June 25, and all parents are cordially invited to attend with their children, bring sandwiches and two other articles of food and dinner will be served at the north end. Guards will be provided while the children are in bathing. Transportation will be provided as far as possible.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brooder have rented the Ben Ohlinger home and Mr. Ohlinger will spend the summer at Round Lake.

Frank Clever and his chum, Walter Pond, left last Friday for Gary, Neb., bumming their way through, and will return in Mr. Pond's car.

Mr. and Mrs. Audry Chapman of Detroit, are spending a few days with his cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chapman, while Mr. Chapman is working in Lansing, appraising the machinery of the Michigan Beverage Co., which was destroyed sometime ago, either by fire or explosion. The insurance companies were written to cover, and lawyers are working and investigating the real cause, likely to be decided in the courts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ireland and children spent Sunday with Mr. Ireland's sister, Mrs. John Potter, Park road.

Kenneth Clever and family spent the week end with Mr. Clever's brother, Ernest Clever, of Depot street.

Mrs. Seth Carlson took her baby to Ann Arbor hospital for treatment Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Love and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooley announce a new son in each home.

Mrs. George Bliss of Greeley, Colo., has been visiting Mrs. Lucy Phillips and Orson Wright.

While going down the railroad track last Sunday, Fred Ribby killed a blue racer snake five and one half feet long.

Thursday, June 16, Mervin Pratt will finish the course of pharmacy at the Ferris Institute and will go to Detroit to take his final examinations, later coming home.

Leonard Andrews, son of Rev. and Mrs. Andrews, has returned for the summer from Albuquerque, New Mexico, where he was teaching in a boys' mission school, and Miss Lucile Lott, Phoenix, Arizona, has returned home.

Ted North and family of Grand Rapids, visited his parents last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dail of Lansing, spent Sunday with A. J. Black. Miss Edith North will return to her home in Santiago, California, the last of June.

The first band concert will be given Friday night on W. Delhi avenue, beginning at 8 o'clock. Ladies will serve ice cream.

Messrs. Gilbert and Sooy have announced that they will soon be in temporary quarters where they will publish a weekly paper for Holt. A contract is waiting in the bank which is to be signed by the business men to insure the advertising in the paper.

A special meeting of the Holt Community Council will be held at the school house auditorium on Tuesday evening, June 28. The program will be given by the Consumers Power Co. and will consist of moving pictures and vaudeville.

Announcement is made of the annual meeting of Holt school district to be held July 11. All patrons and taxpayers should plan to attend.

FIRST IN MICHIGAN



Mr. and Mrs. Baker Thurlby called on Mrs. Wm. Thurlby, Sunday. She has been quite sick, but is on the gain. Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Brown and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Haynes and family and celebrated Bernice's and Ruth's birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Carrier and Leon spent Sunday at Pine Lake.

Mrs. Lula Jordan spent Sunday night and Monday in Lansing.

Cyril Bateman spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bateman.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Vickary and Mr. and Mrs. George Owen of Leslie, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shopbell and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Fountain and son of Lansing, called at John Fountain's, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lauer and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Doxtader and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Doxtader in Mason, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Brown called on Mr. and Mrs. Baker Thurlby and family, Saturday evening.

John and Georgine Fountain visited in Lansing, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jordan and family spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ard-Waters.

West Ingham

Truman Eggleston, Spring Arbor, Mich., first farmer in Michigan to receive an extra labor fee from the United States Government for cleaning his corn fields and premises to meet the 1927 corn borer control regulations. Mr. Eggleston, owner of a 220-acre Jackson County farm he calls "Hardscrabble," had 20 acres of cornland to clean up this spring. He plowed and handpicked it to more than earn the \$2 an acre allowed.

Across the Garden

Lynn and Merle Haynes will entertain the J. O. C. Sunday school class of Aurelius, Friday evening, June 17. Mrs. B. M. Handy of Charlotte, and Mrs. Ada Taylor called on Mrs. Wm. Schopp, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watkins and Mr. and Mrs. Heise of Lansing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Warner and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Oberlin of Mason, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jordan and family and Sunday they all went to Cannery Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webb of Lansing, called on Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bateman, Saturday.

C. P. Morse visited Will Schopp, Sunday.

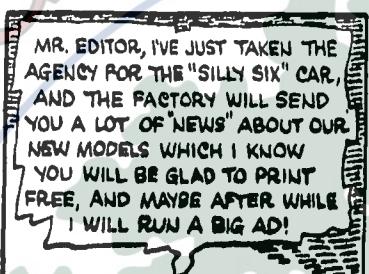
Theresa Adair and Mrs. Mamie Eberle of Jackson, spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. John Fountain.

AN OLD ONE—
BUT STILL FUNNY

DR. FREDERICK R. GREEN
Editor of "HEALTH"

MR. EDITOR, I'VE JUST TAKEN THE
AGENCY FOR THE "SILLY SIX" CAR,
AND THE FACTORY WILL SEND
YOU A LOT OF "NEWS" ABOUT OUR
NEW MODELS WHICH I KNOW
YOU WILL BE GLAD TO PRINT
FREE, AND MAYBE AFTER WHILE
I WILL RUN A BIG AD!

PRINT SHOP CALLERS



Mr. and Mrs. Clair Hayhoe called on his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayhoe, Sunday afternoon.

Beth Wellsworth and family and George Walker and mother ate dinner at the Walker home.

We are sorry to hear May Betty, daughter of Thomas Betty, is ill.

Clarke Center

R. W. Clark and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Teft and family of Dimondale.

Raymond Lasey has a fine new car.

James Clarke and family entertained at a birthday dinner Sunday, honoring five birthdays, Mr. and Mrs. Kronk and family and Mrs. W. Leeland of Valley Farms, Wm. J. Clarke and family and George Clarke and family.

Miss Fern Clark is home after a week's visit with friends in Detroit.

East Aurelius

Claud Edgar met with a serious accident one day last week when a steer got him down and trampled him.

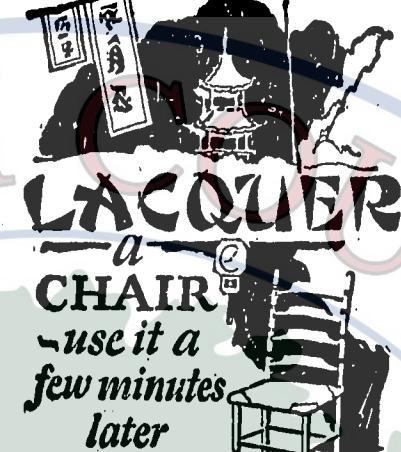
B. T. Bateman and family and M. E. Bateman and wife visited at Ed Burn's and family east of Leslie, Sunday.

Bert Smith and wife started Sunday morning for Yellowstone National Park for a trip of about two weeks.

A. R. Watkins and wife called at his sister's, Mrs. M. E. Bateman, Sunday.

H. M. Brown and family were on our street Sunday afternoon.

Russell Hull of Battle Creek, called on his cousin, B. T. Bateman, Sunday.



Lacquer a table—serve dinner a few minutes later. Lacquer a floor—walk on it almost immediately. These are a few of the miraculous things possible with this wonderful new Brushing Lacquer for home use. DRIES WHILE YOU WAIT! Practically indestructible. Applies as easily as paint—with a brush. Gives a rich glossy lacquer finish. Any color you want. Comes in cans, ready mixed and ready to apply. Money refunded if not satisfied. Get the genuine ROGERS BRUSHING LACQUER FOR SALE BY L. E. SALISBURY MASON, MICHIGAN

Records Show Tests
Return Good ProfitsCOWS TESTED GAIN IN BUTTER
FAT PRODUCTION.

East Lansing, June 14.—There are several ways in which membership in a cow testing association may become profitable, according to the reports made to Michigan State College by testers employed in such associations.

In the Lansing-Ingham association which has been organized for four years the records show that the average production of butter fat per cow has increased 16 pounds in the four years. There were 241 cows tested the fourth year.

The average production in the association last year of 361.8 pounds of butter fat per cow was worth \$180.90. The butterfat produced by the average cow the first year of the association was worth \$122.90.

Feed costs were higher the fourth year but butterfat prices had also increased so that the return above feed costs for the average cow in the association was \$44.61, greater the fourth year than it was the first. For the 241 cows in the association the gain was \$10,753.01.

In the Otsego cow testing association one member bought a nine year old grade Holstein cow for 55 dollars. The cow was put on test in the association and produced 415 pounds of fat in eight and one-half months.

The owner of the cow had a sale and the cow and her calf sold for 300 dollars. In this case, the increase in the sale price over the purchase price was directly due to the profit of the value of the cow as shown by association records.

Candidates for marriage are now stamped in Turkey. Each person desiring a marriage license must undergo a medical examination, and to prevent any transfer of the permit a number corresponding to that on the permit.

One of the earliest attempts at blood transfusion took place in the 14th Century when an effort was made to prolong the life of Pope Innocent VIII. The attempt failed, and three youths who gave their blood died from their sacrifices.

A policeman in Richmond, Virginia, whose automobile collided with another car, promptly arrested himself for reckless driving.

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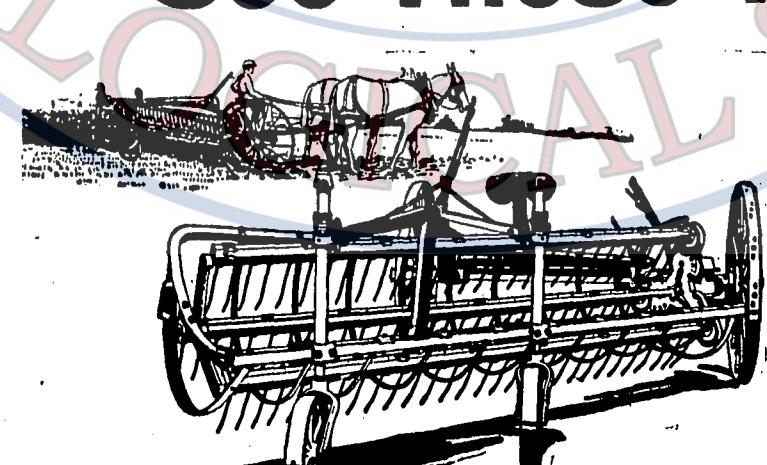
A USED CAR IS ONLY AS DEPENDABLE AS THE DEALER WHO SELLS IT

See These Tools in Action

At Alfalfa Demonstration on the Fred Fuhrman farm on Meridian road, in Ingham township, on

Wednesday, June 22

Every farmer should attend the alfalfa hay curing demonstration staged by J. G. Wells, Jr., county agricultural agent, at the Fuhrman farm and see how to make better hay the John Deere way. You will be shown how to cure alfalfa so as to retain the fresh, green color and save all the leaves, which contain 65% of the feeding value. This demonstration will put money in every farmer's pocket who attends.



The John Deere Side Delivery

Here's the only out-and-out side delivery rake for alfalfa. Its curved teeth—like the curved tines of a pitchfork—lift the hay and pitch it into fluffy windrows with the leaves inside. Circulation of air through the windrows cures the hay in Nature's way—saves the color, sweetness and all the leaves.

Perhaps a dozen states have already enacted laws on this subject but there are many which have not done so. That is where most of the difficulty occurs and where most of the children are poisoned. In response to 1,448 questionnaires sent out to physicians it was learned that there were 401 cases of poisoning among babies at one time under treatment. "This is simply a proposition to label as poison the ordinary lye used on floors in homes all over the country. This lye is sold in practically all grocery stores. A mother leaves a can or a bottle of it within the child's reach, the child drinks it and even if it recovers it has a stricture of the esophagus which practically makes it invalid for life. Certainly such a powerful and dangerous poison should be so plainly marked that there is no chance of overlooking the fact that it is a dangerous preparation."

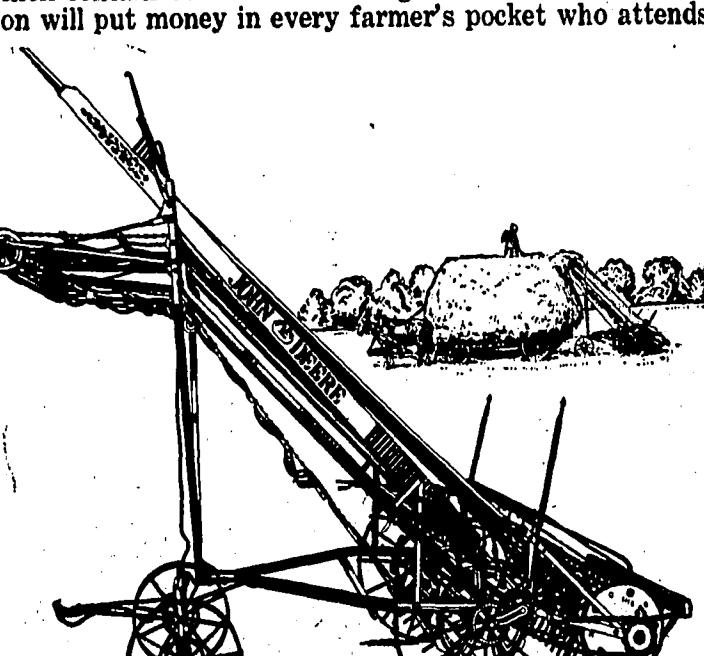
But the label won't help the babies any unless mothers heed the warning and keep lye and all other dangerous substances out of their babies' reach. This is something that the mothers themselves must do. The state can compel dealers to mark dangerous poison but only mothers can see that the child is protected.

(1926, Western Newspaper Union.)

An Easy-Pulling Hay Loader

Three features make the John Deere Double Cylinder Hay Loader superior. It pulls lighter, it rakes cleaner, it does better work in handling the lightest swath or the heaviest windrow—those are its three money-saving, field-proven qualities.

You should demand these three qualities in the loader you buy, along with long life. You get them all in the John Deere loader.



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The Gay Lampshade Makers
By DOROTHY DOUGLAS

"IT OUGHT to be a criminal offense in these office buildings to cook things that smell like that," said Jim Walbrook gloomily as he sniffed long and deep of the fragrance that came from an adjacent office. He was not aware, of course, that sounds travel as well as odors and that a good deal of smiling was going on between the miscreants who were bending over a delicious pan of sweetbreads and bacon. "I'll bet that's the same concoction my mother always fixes for me when I get home."

"I don't blame you a bit for feeling that way, old man. I'm so sick of potatoes fried in ancient grease and the old outside leaves of lettuce and dewatered cream and like stuff we have to eat and pay for in restaurants that I'd almost get married for the sake of decent fodder."

The two girls in the decorating office, or rather the improvised kitchen of their office, exchanged glances of sympathy for those two men whose voices reached them.

June looked profound and exclaimed, "I have a perfect type of brain wave. Suppose we find out which office those voices come from and send them in a bill for lampshades. They will no doubt come up and make an awful row and we can politely explain our error. By that time, the damage will be done—we will be more or less acquainted with them."

A day later Jim and Jack received, among other bills, a fairly large one for ten pink chiffon lamp shades.

"Pink chiffon nothing!" said Jim. "Who in the Dickens thinks we have pink shades in our young lives?"

"Gee! I wish we did have. I'd foot that bill gladly if there was some one waiting at home in the soft shimmer of pink chiffon shades for me."

"Well, believe me, I'm going up to tell these dames, June and June, that we have enough bills of our own without paying some one else's."

Jim went out, hitherto, into the corridor to discover that No. 9 was just around the corner from their own office.

He went into the dainty reception room the bill fluttering in his hand.

The Vision, for there was no other word to describe her, who came forward to meet him, quite displaced Jim's heart—it seemed to be all over his body at once.

"This bill," he said while looking into the fair one's eyes, "seems to have been sent us in error."

"Oh!" gasped June, and a brilliant flame leapt into her cheeks. "How awful—I'm so sorry to have given you the trouble!" She glanced at the bill. "I don't know how it happened, but it's very kind of you to be so nice about it. Perhaps," she suggested softly, while just beyond the door June was listening to every well-chosen word, "you would let us present your wife with a little shade—"

"I have no wife," quickly put in Jim.

June smiled brilliantly. She knew that soon some one would be invited to a sweetbread lunch. "Then a simple shade for your office. My partner and I do an immense business in office shades."

"You would," thought Jim, "if your partner is anything the same type as us." Aloud he said, "As a matter of fact my partner and I have been discussing new shades for our lights. They're a bit dazzling." He told the yarn with a serious face and wished Jack could know just how well he was managing things.

"And where is your office?" questioned June, and June on the other side of the door realized how really clever her partner was. "We would want to see the fittings before designing shades," she added.

"Number 7, same building," laughed Jim. "We're rather in a hurry for the shades. Do you think—"

"If you will excuse me a moment I will just call June. Perhaps we can go along now."

A second later Jim got another jolt. He didn't think two such darlings possible. June smiled sweetly at him.

"I'm so sorry about the error," she said.

"I'm not," said Jim.

June and June exchanged glances which said much and went out to consult about the shades.

When Jim appeared in the office door framed on two sides with about the loveliest setting a mere man ever had, Jack jumped to his feet and grinned. Jim had apparently picked some winners.

"This is the firm of June and June, who sent that bill for pink lamp shades," said Jim, and could hardly keep the joy out of his voice. "I thought they would be the very firm to design those shades for the office."

"The very firm," said Jack. "We certainly have been wanting those shades badly."

The two men exchanged glances of approval. Rather nice team work, they thought. But it would be a long time before they found out that other team work had made their efforts like those of a simple child.

And Cupid, having shot four arrows, went joyously on his way.

"Another of those double weddings," he commented.

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Fifty-seventh Year For L. B. U. of Lansing

COLLEGE AMONG LEADING BUSINESS INSTITUTIONS.

Lansing Business University was organized in 1870 by Henry P. Bartlett, a pioneer in business education, a contemporary of such men as G. W. Brown, who was widely known from the famously organized Brown chain of business colleges throughout Illinois and Indiana; and W. H. Sadler, H. M. Rowe of Baltimore, who had much to do with business textbooks, publishing and distributing; O. M. Powers of Chicago, and the senior Mr. Lyons of Powers and Lyons, publishers of commercial textbooks and business school owners.

In the early day, business did not demand so efficient help, so efficient management, as it does today.

Business was secondary to politics, to farming, to school teaching. Even the professions lacked business knowledge and minor vocations were very greatly in need of principles of business. In fact, business school teaching has improved to a professional classification. Farming is more scientific and business today has come to be known as a real professional institution.

The so-called business college of yesterday is in reality no more. Today they are organized by associations, and governed by standards, set up by authorities, supervised by state and national officials, and thus, have an accredited curriculum and must be in keeping with the standard of requirements. The social sciences are subjects taught in the curriculum. Higher accounting application must be qualified by early training in the principles of accounts, based on economic conditions, laws governing the departmental considerations. Systematization, auditing, cost finding, cost adjusting, income tax, all must have had the history of development. See-terial science also is supported by fundamental principles. These foundations, as well as the psychology of sale, the various details that are found to be necessary in the office, which implied legal information and a knowledge of human nature, how to handle folks, deal with them, lead them, direct them, and maintain trade, in fact, all minor executive details that are too numerous for the chief supervisor fails to the secretary to direct and see that all matters pertaining are properly executed.

Lansing Business University stands out as one of the leading institutions in this professional effort, offering administrative principles from the practical standpoint, shorthand and typewriting, the various kindred subjects, such as manipulating the typewriter, the dictaphone, neostyle, listing machine, calculator, etc. We are offering to accept credits earned in high school commercial departments and in other business colleges, and granting diplomas for those that have met the requirements of the institution for the specific course in which training has been given. The employment department of the school is always open to anyone who is qualified and with proper credentials. The intention of this department is to bring together the business man and the help which he needs. The service is offered alike to all, without charge, and it is a part of the organized effort of the school.

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Memories of Olden Times Are Revived

(Continued from page one) other day saw Lindbergh leave and him return. "What a change," said the speaker, "between the ox team and the airplane which spans the sea in an overnight trip."

Continuing the speaker declared that the spirit of the pioneer is yet needed; that modern changes have wrought new problems; that these problems unless satisfactorily met are bound to undermine the civilization these sturdy men and women wrought.

The church, the school and the home were pointed to as the three foundation piers of life.

Of the two former the speaker declared himself not entirely satisfied but still not worried,

but of the latter he saw much which requires serious thought.

The cabin of the pioneer, around the fireside of

which were gathered the sons and

daughters in close relationship, was compared to the modern apartment house in the city. "The only place yet discovered to produce children," declared the speaker, "is the home. A modern apartment, identified only by a number over the door, and out of which to some other equally impersonal dwelling, the boy or girl moves, is not and never can be a home in the larger sense of the word. Great things are yet demanded of the citizens of the United States. Let us make out of a boy a man who will bring to his citizenship a trained mind and an honest heart. Let us make of our girls, a woman who brings to her home and her family all that the word mother implies. I am afraid the modern home is not the efficient training station for citizenship it once was. We have many social and civic problems which need our wise consideration. Prohibition as it stands today is a reproach to America and a stench in the nostrils of decent men and women. The principles of temperance are unassailable and drunkenness is abominable."

The bald eagle is not bald, but has a white head.

Rather nice team work, they thought. But it would be a long time before they found out that other team work had made their efforts like those of a simple child.

And Cupid, having shot four arrows, went joyously on his way.

"Another of those double weddings," he commented.

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women's suffrage has doubled the vote but with little effect upon its quality. The only remedy for social and political ills is an intelligent Christian citizenship. The ultimate end of education is to create a generation of men and women who dare to do the things which life demands be done. Less than this is not education but mere text book study."

An original song was rendered by E. A. Densmore and Mrs. D. Miller, Set to the tune of Hallajut, the theme was of olden days when "Mush and milk for common and pork and beans for nice" was the rule.

C. Lawrence Abbott of Williamston, lyceum promoter, reader and entertainer, a former Dansville boy, was then introduced and entertained with reminiscences and readings of original poems. Mrs. Charles Shafer read a paper on some recollections of early Mason, the complete text of which will appear in an early issue of this paper.

W. W. Heald, pioneer wagon and carriage manufacturer of Dansville, was then called upon and delighted the audience with his reminiscences and the recitation of an original poem. Mr. Heald came to Ingham county when he was six years of age and is now past ninety. He cast his first vote in this county and has never missed an election since and always in Ingaham county.

Mrs. O. B. Thurston of Leslie, a granddaughter of Amaziah Winchell one of the county's earliest settlers, spoke as did Mrs. Palmyra Hahn also. But we as citizens must finish our task and face our problems honestly. Primary reform has not brought us the promised Arcadia, of Leslie. Among others who responded to the call for stories of early experiences were: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Melton of Alaford, A. J. Hall of California, Mrs. Layton of Williamston, Myron Haskell of Traverse City, A. L. Rose of Mason, John Himmelberg, Mrs. Rose Dana of Williamston, who also recited original poems and many others.

An interesting article exhibited was that of a twenty-two inch white wood board brought by Mr. Hewes of Dansville, which was the product of the first saw mill established in Ingham, that at Jefferson north of where Mason is now located. This mill was built by a grandfather of Mr. Hewes. The wood has been used as a shelving board in the Hewes granary for a great many years and is prized highly as of particular historic interest.

Officers of the society were all re-elected and consist of J. A. Barnes, president; Mrs. Rose Dana, Williamston and Mrs. W. H. Taylor of Vevay, vice presidents; E. A. Calkins, secretary; Frank Lester, historian. Directors:

Telephone users in Paris are now told, "The number you asked for has been changed; consult the directory, by means of a special phonograph, which is switched on automatically when a wrong number is called."

Street car regulations in Rio de Janeiro require male passengers to wear coats and socks.

French was the spoken language at the Court of England from the time of the Conquest to the reign of Edward the Third. English was then made the language of legislation.

An educational campaign is being conducted in the Philippines which has for its object the wiping out of illiteracy in five years.

76 Suits Stolen!

Balance Will Be Sold at Nearly Same Price

Thieves looted this store of seventy-six men's and young men's suits Tuesday night. These were all selected from the best suits and the loss is a body blow to the fine business we have built up. There is only one way to withstand the loss and that is to raise money at once. We have decided to sell the balance of our fine stock of suits at nearly the same price as was received for the 76 stolen. If you want a good suit at a bankruptcy price here is your chance. You will be helping us as well as yourself. We must have the money to pay our losses.

FOLLOW THE JUDGMENT OF EXPERT THIEVES—SELECT YOUR SUIT HERE

Accounts Must Be Settled

File Your Claim

Owing to the robbery of our store Tuesday night we must raise funds at once to pay for the merchandise stolen. Many of the suits taken had been unpacked but a few days before the robbery and these suits were not as yet paid for. Therefore, we ask all who have accounts at this store to pay immediately. Your promptness will be greatly appreciated.

Those who had dresses stolen from the dry cleaning department should call or write the store at once, describing the clothing and fixing the value. Every effort is being made by Sheriff Silsby to apprehend the thieves and recover their loot, but should these efforts fail, we will endeavor to make good the losses to our customers.

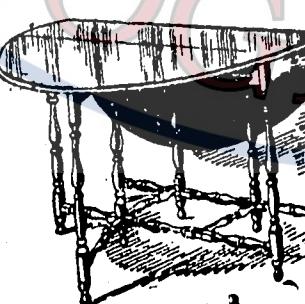
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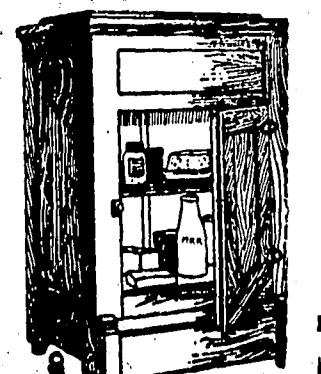
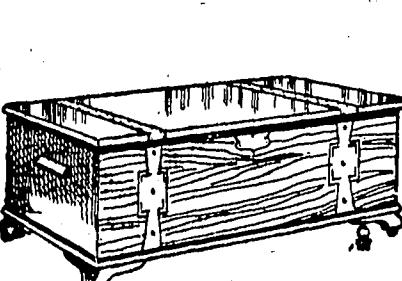
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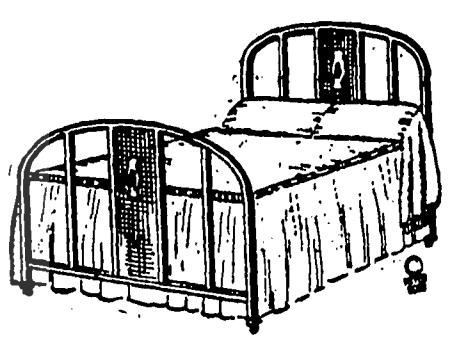
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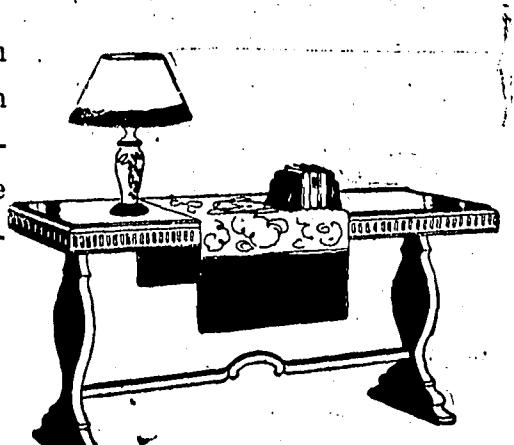


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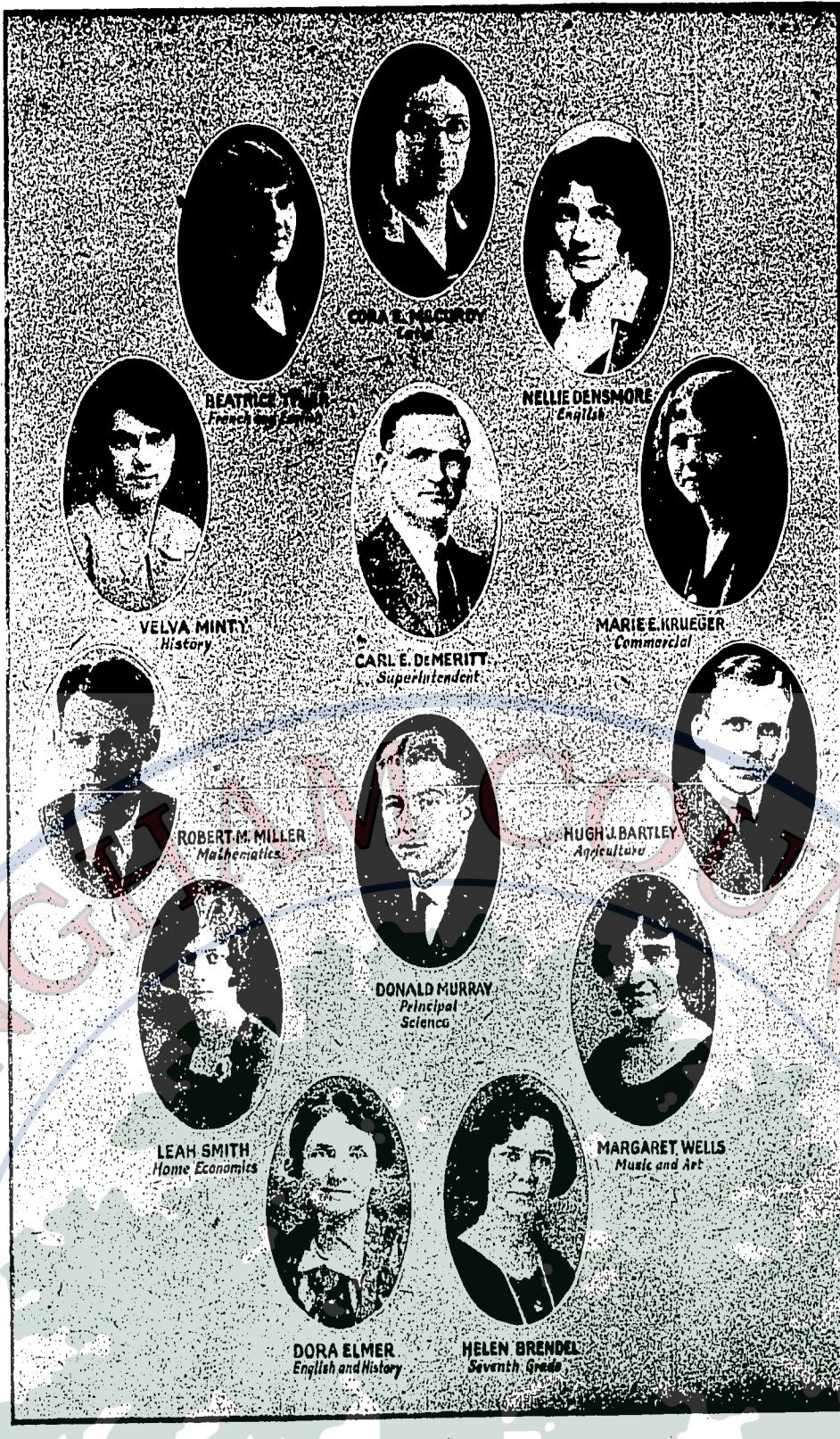
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THE CLASS OF 1927, MASON HIGH SCHOOL



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Benjamin Barr
Fredah Francisco
Kenneth White

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Beatrice Fanson
Helen Doane
Frances Nellis

Margaret Lisenby
Donald Snyder
Doris Densmore
Murray Peek

Superintendent and Faculty

To the devoted service which these loyal instructors have rendered is due the present high rank which Mason High has obtained. All but four of their number will return to guide the destinies of the class of 1928 and under classes. No school possesses finer teachers in its faculty membership than Mason.



Helen Gunn
John Dean
Thelma Whipp
Philetus Peck

Charles Davis
Anna Couch
Robert Loomis
Kathleen Franklin

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Rex Beaumont
Madeline Ireland
Henry Eggers

Alice Krantz
Otto Marshall
Virginia Burgess
John Chapin

Lynn Harkness
Fern Smalley
Marian Jewett
Dorothy Harmon

Lee Ketchum
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Mary Laxton

County Normal Training Of Tremendous Value To Rural Education Declared

INGHAM COUNTY ONE OF FIRST TO PROVIDE COURSE.

Students Selected From Best Of The Many Who Apply, Find County Course Leads To Teaching Success.

Ingham county was one of the first in Michigan to take advantage of state aid in teacher training for its rural schools and County Commissioner Fred E. Searl believes the county normal training classes graduated during the twenty years and more since established has had a tremendous influence upon rural education.

"At the present time I am convinced," declares Commissioner Searl, "we are securing for our rural schools the very highest type of teacher. These students are selected from many applicants which we receive, only the best students and young people of unquestioned character being permitted to take the course. Once under the tutelage of such a splendid teacher trainer as Miss Marion Blount, these students are found devoting themselves without stint to the task of preparing themselves for their chosen profession. I am confident no other county offers a superior training course just as I am confident no other county has finer material from which to train rural school teachers. To the boy or girl who chooses teaching as a profession, the county normal offers a year of training at nominal cost. A condition upon which this training is offered is that the student pledges himself to teach at least a year in the rural schools of the county which in itself is the finest preparation for further training possible to receive. Credit for the work done in county normal is given at state normal colleges and those who have followed this method of training for the teaching profession are now found in the best and most responsible positions in the state."

MASON'S FIRST SCHOOL ERECTED ABOUT 1838. STILL STANDING AND NOW USED AS A WAREHOUSE.



THIS SCHOOL ERECTED IN 1869 SAW CLASSES GRADUATE FROM 1870 TO 1904.



BRIEF HISTORY OF THE PROGRESS OF SCHOOL DIST. NO. 1, MASON-VEVAY

As early as 1837, when Mason held but a few settlers, the problem of providing educational facilities for the children was given consideration. Miss Lucy Rolfe, daughter of one of the earliest families to arrive was given the task of directing the youth of the town and was granted the stupendous wage of a dollar a week. The first classes were probably held at some home but soon thereafter with the coming of more families a school house was erected, which with additions served until after the war when the three story brick structure razed in 1903 to make way for still a more commodious and modern structure, was provided. To many men and women now prominent in present day affairs the old three story building holds memories of happy days and profitable study. Many splendid men and women came to Mason as teachers and left their deep imprint on the lives of the students who found in Mason schools an opportunity for advancement.

MODERN FIREPROOF STRUCTURE ERECTED FOLLOWING

DISASTROUS FIRE OF 1921



INGHAM COUNTY NORMAL TRAINING CLASS 1927



Top row—Floyd Hanes, Joanna Franklin, Helen Pfeiffer, Mary Gubry, Arvide North, Arlene Wilkinson, Rena Pickett, Marcia Neu. Second row—Edith Riggs, Lenagene Hobart, Lillian Pfeiffer, Miss Blount, principal, Ellamae Stoddard, Thelma Fillingham. Third row—Ella Bement, Ila Mae Bement, Mable Thompson, Nina Belle Brownlee, Esther Taylor, Bernice Bitgood, Ruth Kelley. Bottom row—Dorothy Lay, Margaret Stevens, Gertrude Arend, Eloise Reinhart, Arlene Schutt, Jean Glynn.

NEXT YEAR'S SENIORS



Back Row—George Clinton, Thomas Royston, Bob Hull, Don Haynes, Clifford Smith, Harrison Wilcox, Howard Fay, Lawrence Oesterle. 3rd row—Elmer Corbin, Agnes Ellsworth, Otis Clipper, Naomi Kruse, Edwin Griffin, Frances Barkway, Harold Beeler, Nellis Bateman. 2nd row—Beth House, Walter Lesney, Norma Barr, Irene Smith, Genevieve Hall, Arlene North, Verneta Sparling, Veva Bullen, Betty Hill. Front row—Rhea MacLam, Lynette Beebe, Frances Wilson, Janette Valjeau, Rheba Kirby, Dora Rasmussen, Mary Burgess, Grace Riggs.

Mason Offers Strong High School Course

Mason public schools since their establishment have kept abreast of the highest educational standards. Since the first class graduated in 1873 there have always been students from the surrounding communities of which Mason has been justly proud.

Today our schools extend the hand of welcome to the boys and girls who have completed their eight grades in rural schools and offer them curricular advantages better than ever before. Besides the regular academic courses the student will find courses in agriculture, home economics, music and art, business training, manual arts and others. In addition to these there is offered training in public speaking, debating, dramatics, chorus and orchestra while physical training under competent coaches in all sports is available, the splendid gymnasium offering the best of facilities.

Graduates of rural schools are urged to investigate the advantages offered here before selecting their high school for further education.

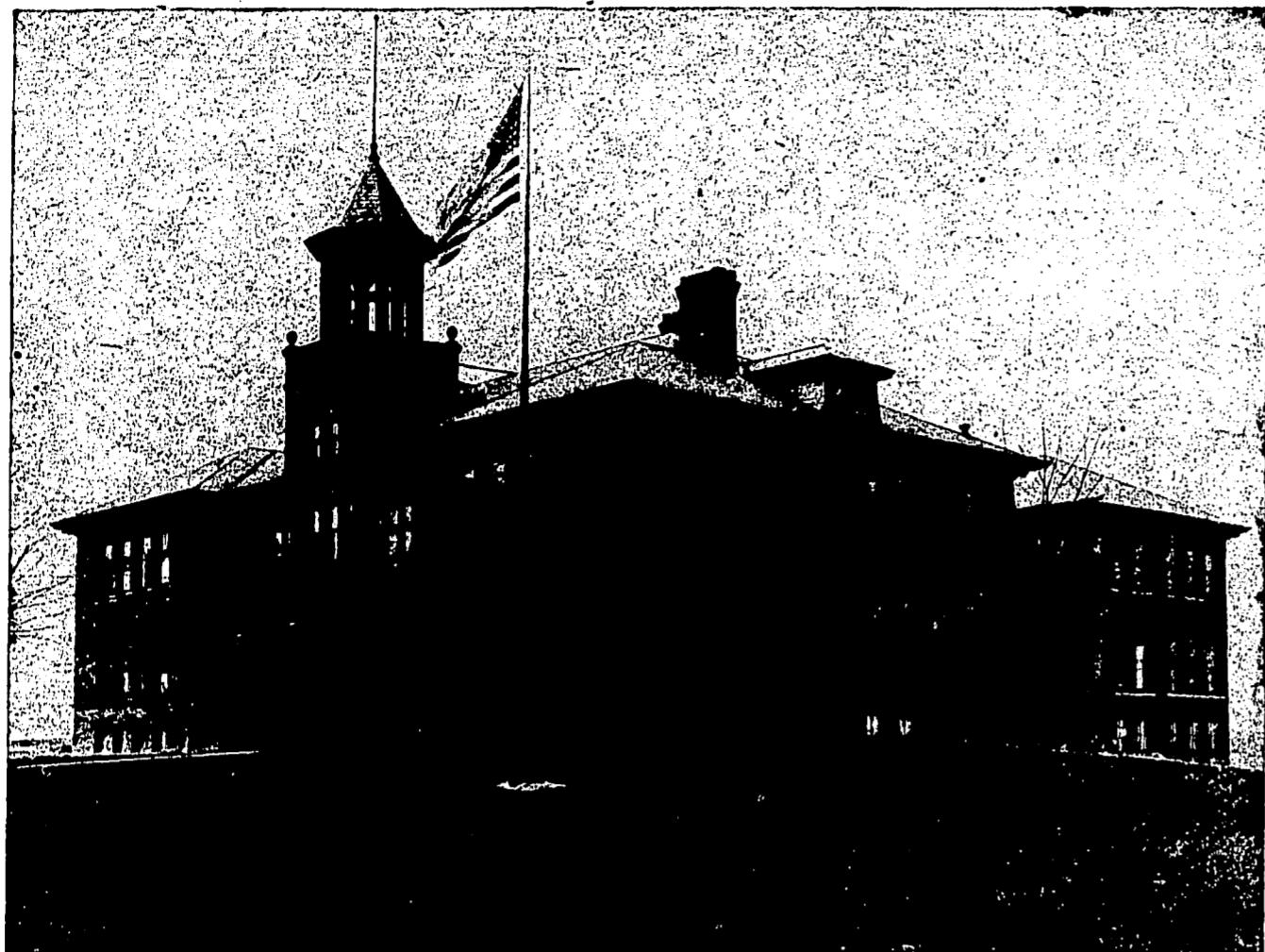


Hattie Paine
Class of 1927, died December 1, 1924



Miss Nelle Demmire
English and Dramatics teacher to whom the graduates dedicated the '27 Anchors, their senior annual.

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School from which graduated many named below

List of Graduates Mason High Since '73

V. J. Teft
*Ella Peck-Cook
*Ella Beech-Mrs. Chas. Shufur, Mason
Hattie Vanderveer-Mrs. C. H. Stroud, Lansing
*O. F. Barnes
R. P. Fleming
Mattie Kerns, teacher, Detroit
*Lillian Clark-Minor
*Edgar A. Sweet

73

Alta E. Wood-Mrs. W. Lattin, Lafayette, Indiana
Mary Rowe-Mrs. O. M. Spitzer, Grafton, Ohio
Ella Day-Mrs. Chas. Williams, Owosso
Sarah Rose-Sweet

74

Alfred Allen, health insurance, Mason
Maude M. Barber-Mrs. Rudolph Loomis, Lansing
Alice Barker-Dr. Ellsworth, Kalamazoo
Frank A. Bateman, Mason
Hattie C. Bell, Chas. Chase, Maryland
Alta Billings-Mrs. W. L. Ellsworth, Ellsworth, Miss.
Pearl Langley-Mrs. R. B. Raynor, Mason
Orla J. Lasonby, dentist, Rochester
Robbins B. Raynor, merchant, Mason
Nanette L. Tripp-Mrs. F. H. Williams, Owosso
Mary Thompson, Cadillac
Bertie T. Tuck-Mrs. E. L. Thompson, Owosso
Bertie Young-Este, East Lansing

75

Alta E. Wood-Mrs. W. Lattin, Lafayette, Indiana
Mary Rowe-Mrs. O. M. Spitzer, Grafton, Ohio
Ella Day-Mrs. Chas. Williams, Owosso
Sarah Rose-Sweet

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*Fannie Burnham
Jennie Kurns, Detroit
*Agnos Kurns
*Belle Cotton
*Esther Fleming

77

Florence Dennis, Chicago
Carrie Sherwood, insurance, Albion
Pete H. Dillinger, carpenter, Lansing
Lillian Foss-Mrs. J. P. Smith, Mason
Nettie Wood-Mrs. E. A. Tanswell, Mason
*Inez Kerns-Williams

78

E. N. Brown, Ann Arbor
Grace H. Darling, Ann Arbor
John Fitzgerald-Mrs. D. E. Goodrich, Lansing
*E. E. Dwyer
*Edna Dowdall
*May Howard-Culver

79

*Ada Butler-West
Eva Darling-Malleaux, Ann Arbor
Bob Dillinger-Campbell, Mason
Alice Lyon, Detroit
*Alva Lyon
Carrie Lyon-Chapin, Eden
*Lizzie Royton-Northrup
*Nellie Sherwood-Woodbine
Augusta Wells-Mrs. J. L. Tanney, Los Angeles, Calif.

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Harlow A. Beach, Denver, Colorado
Grace Butler-Mrs. Frank Bush, Bixby, California
Nellie Gue-Mrs. H. A. Beach, Denver, Colorado
Anna J. Tibbs, State Capital, Lansing

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*Allie M. Mosher-Wood
Mary Scely-Earle, Gary, Indiana

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Orris Harrington-Mrs. E. W. Peck, Minneapolis, Minn.

Matthews-Mrs. J. H. Nichols, Carmine, Aberdeen, Wash.

*Carrie Hawley-Scar

*Ella May-Bangs

Mary Mosher-Stroud, Mason

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*Minnie Butler-Nella
Mabel Clegg-Mrs. G. Lawrence, Spokane, Wash.
Mattie Mathews-Mrs. J. H. Nichols, Iowa
Clarence Randall, County Trustee, Mason

*Alva Stevens

Ella Stevens-Mrs. A. S. Benham, Mason

Helen Tufts, clerk, Lansing

*Jennie VanFranken

Charles Webb

84

Leona Dudley-Mrs. George Barr, Lansing
*Nellie Sweet-McManus

Kittie White-Mrs. Elmer Holley, Lansing

85

Hattie Bristol-Mrs. F. G. Elett, Mason

*Maggie Burns-Sho

*S. Alice Dyer

Edith Farnsworth-Mrs. M. C. Cady, Sr., Mason

George W. Jacobs, Lansing

Minnie Lamb-Mrs. John Hay, Marshall

Ina J. Maine-Mrs. F. M. Fairchild, Valois, N. Y.

*W. L. Neer

*Minnie Phillips

Grace Bristol, Alton, Mason

Ursula Tufts-Mrs. Merritt Hewitt, Mason

J. D. VanEten, merchant, Missouri

*Belle Wright-Seely

86

*Edwin O. Miller

Cora B. Price-Gribble, Ann Arbor

Walter S. Price, Mason

Gerry E. Sanders

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Rose Beardsley-Mrs. William Wandell, Lansing

*Eva J. Akers-Mrs. Chas. Moud, Williamson

*Olive M. Call-Tyler

Dwight Cole, civil engineer, Grand Rapids

Lotte Cooley-Mrs. Charlotte Lundy, Mason

Blanch Lusk-Mrs. Dr. Gardner, Mt. Pleasant

*Leora Macbeth

Leora Drake-Mrs. D. Cole, Grand Rapids

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Elizabeth Collar-Potter, Mason

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Dora E. Elmer, teacher, Mason

Mina E. Bristol, teacher, Lansing

Blanche Every, clerk, Lansing

*Lettie Field

Mamie E. Hines-Mrs. Alvin Bush, Winniboro, La.

John J. Marshall, Sheridan, Wyoming

*Iron Shovel-Mrs. A. G. Wilson, Mason

William G. Snook-Mrs. S. Marshall, Unca, Alaska

Daniel H. Wright, teacher, Oshkosh, Wisconsin

90

Clifford Hill, Eau Claire, Wisconsin

*Winifred Mills-Sheldon

Mable Rowe-Mrs. Clyde Seely, Holly

G. D. Smith, Minnesota

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Theresa M. Burns-Mrs. C. A. Parkhurst, Mason

Mabel C. Coyle-Mrs. Lee Martin, Mason

Mary E. Fellow-Mrs. Claude Hill, Mason

Orrin H. Freeland, merchant, Mason

Roy Robb, East Lansing

Grace Tubbs-Mrs. G. Smith, Manistee, Minnesota

Ita L. Wood-Mrs. A. G. Wilson, Mason

Myra L. Wood-Mrs. W. Cheney, Mason

Lena J. Whiting-Mrs. John Delbert Bowen, Cheboygan

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Stanley G. Carr, Lennon

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Faye Miller-Mrs. Ernest Foreman, East Lansing
Clarice Mute, Detroit
Ward Rummel
Clare Smith
Willard Wilson, teacher, Detroit
Florence Townsend-Mrs. Lawrence Webb, Mason
Maude Woolen-Mrs. Harry Baker, Port Huron
Laura Young-Mrs. Chas. Mason
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Leila Acker-Mrs. Dean Taylor, Mason
Bertram Allen, M. S. N. C.

*Paul Browne
Paul Beebe, Akron, Ohio

May Bowden-Mrs. Roy Hunt, teacher, Mason

Fern Collins-Mrs. Dwight Laylin, Lansing

Wesley Driver, Lansing

W. L. Farnsworth, Holland

Florence Elliott-Mrs. John Shaffer, Lorain, Ohio

Elaine Finecke-Mrs. Nelson Huntley, Detroit

Harold Henderson, dentist, Harbor Beach

Murry McCrossen, bookkeeper, Lansing

Patricia Miller, Lansing

Yvonne McIntyre, Rahway, N. J.

Lynne Potts, Cap. Natl. Bank, Lansing

Russell Randall, electrician, Chicago

Robert Stillman, farmer, Mason

Ross Thurman, teacher, Mason

Robert White, Minn.

Laura Whiting-Mrs. Archie Snyder, Mason

Elzel White, nurse, Coldwater

Emery Winfield, physician, Leslie

Lena Young-Hurley, Lansing

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*Clair Spuler

Edgar Adams, salesman, Mason

Harry Aseling, teacher, Cleveland, Ohio

Heidi Beckwith-Mrs. Claude Smith, Lansing

Florence Brockie, Detroit

Daisy Call-Mrs. H. J. Bartley, teacher, Mason

Yield Clegg, teacher, City of Mason

Irma Gossler, teacher, Clifford Holm, Cody, Wyoming

Warren Driver, Midland

Freda Ellington, teacher, Holland

Edith Feltz, teacher, Mason

Edith Field, teacher, Mason

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Cooking Chats with 6 Famous Cooks

(Courtesy of the Domestic Science Department, Perfected Stove Company)

"LET'S MAKE A CAKE!"

(Editor's Note: This is one of the unique series of cooking articles appearing weekly in this paper.)

"Nothing difficult about cake-making so long as you make sure of three things before you start—steady oven temperature, constant air circulation, and the careful, exact measurements of all ingredients," says

Mrs. KATE B. VAUGHN, household economics director, Los Angeles Evening Express. "And what a chance for cake variety there is! Here are two of my favorite recipes, date cake, and orange cake."

Date Cake

1 cup sugar
8 tablespoons shortening
1 egg
1 cup dates
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 cup nuts
1/2 teaspoon soda
1 cup boiling water
1/2 cup flour
2 tablespoons baking powder
Put soda and the cup of boiling water over the dates and let stand until you have creamed the sugar and shortening; add an egg, not hot, then dates, hot water, and nuts the last thing. Bake slowly (300 degrees). This may be served with whipped cream at a pudding.



Orange Cake

1 1/4 cup sugar
1/2 cup shortening (separate)
8 eggs
1/4 cup strained orange juice
1/4 cup water
1/2 cup finely grated orange rind
8 cups flour
8 teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon orange extract
Cream the shortening and sugar thoroughly, add a little water. When very light and the well beaten yolks of eggs and as quickly as possible have been sifted together, and the liquid. Beat the whites of eggs and add with the rind of orange and extract.

Bake in 2 or 3 layers in slow oven (400 degrees) and slowly increase heat to 450 degrees F. Do not when begin to brown. Use orange icing. When the icing has set on cake, press down into same, sections, the orange in rather thin with about the edge and a star made of the sections, in the center of the cake.

Always mix cakes thoroughly, work quickly, and bake as soon as possible.

After your cakes are in the oven, never reduce the heat until cakes are fully risen.

Perfect air circulation is necessary for good baking results, most women know. One manufacturer has invented an oven which uses the "live heat" principle, and keeps the air in constant circulation, 100 small holes letting air in the oven and out. All odors are carried away.



New Orleans Gingerbread

"Good for children, good for adults," says Miss Rosa Michaels, New Orleans cooking expert, of gingerbread. "And what a tempting treat it makes, topped with whipped cream and a few nuts! This is the recipe Miss Michaels uses—

8 eggs
3 cups flour
2 cups sugar
1 cup butter
1 cup buttermilk
2 tablespoons soda
2 teaspoons ginger
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup butter or 1/4 cup liquid shortening

Cream shortening and sugar. Add yolks of eggs, then add buttermilk in which the soda has been dissolved. Sift together flour, salt, ginger and cinnamon. Add to first mixture, then beaten whites. Bake in square pans for an hour, cut into squares, and tea.



Delicate Angel Food

Angel food, that test of a good cook, is easily made according to the recipe of Margaret A. Hall, teacher in the Battell Home, College of Home Economics. The secret is in starting with a cold oven.

1 cup egg whites
1 cup sugar
1/2 cup flour
1/2 cup granulated sugar
1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
1/2 teaspoon almond extract

Sift flour once and measure, then sift four times, then measure four times. Place egg whites on large platter, beat until foamy, add cream of tartar and continue beating until stiff but not dry.

Add sugar, a tablespoonful at a time, fold in carefully until all has been added. Then add flour in the same manner. Fold in flavoring.

Pour into un buttered tube pan, place in oven, turn heat to 350°, gradually increasing temperature to 380° to 400° (moderate). Bake for fifty to sixty minutes. Remove cake from oven, invert pan, allowing cake to remain suspended in pan until cold.

Where's the Cake Done? Here are three reliable tests for cakes. They are done when:

1. They "creep" away from sides of pan.

2. They spring back at the touch of finger.

3. They won't stick to a clean straw or toothpick.

In hot weather a woman is certainly justified in thinking of her comfort in the kitchen. Thousands of women are saving money by an oil stove in keeping the kitchen cool. It saves work, too. No wood to chop and carry. No coal to haul. And no messy ashes.

South Alaledon

Miss Cleo McRobert from Lenawee is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wells, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gillespie spent a few days last week on a fishing trip returning Monday.

Miss Janette Severance returns this Saturday from her school work in Ypsilanti.

About sixty attended the barn raising at B. N. Arend's last Thursday and a potluck dinner was served at noon and ice cream and cake in the afternoon.

Albert Fry fell in the Arend farm last Thursday making it necessary for him to return home.

West Aurelius

Leeland Stickney was home from Dewitt, over Sunday.

Dorr and Denton Eckhart and lady friend were at Pine Lake, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Fowler of Holt, visited at O. W. Fowler's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Baumer, Ruth and Leo are spending the week at their cottage near Lewiston.

Mrs. Belle Haney of Charlotte, was a caller on our streets Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Schiee of Lansing, visited Mrs. Robertson, Sunday.

S. W. Robertson, J. C. Hodgeboom and daughter were callers here last Friday night.

Miss Mina Brownlee of Leslie, was a caller at R. O. Buckingham's last week. She will teach at No. 10 the coming year.

E. Wagner and J. Moran of Williamston, were buying milk cows in this neighborhood last Thursday.

Milton Waite is visiting his son, Charles, this week.

Grovenburg

Charles Millerdeile is seriously ill. He was taken to the Ingham county sanitarium Tuesday.

Will Pratt attended the reunion of his regiment at Benton Harbor last week.

Mrs. Gladys Heing has been entertaining her aunt and uncle from California.

Thomas Lennon was brought back from the hospital last week Wednesday.

Arvide North graduated from the Ingham County Normal, Mason, last week Wednesday evening; and Ruth and Harold Buskirk will graduate from Lansing high school this week Thursday.

Aubrey Tooker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Oray Thompson and Henry Thompson attended a family dinner at Holt at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Tooker, Sunday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tooker from Edmore, who spent the week end with relatives.

Mrs. Janecke is staying in Lansing.

Rolfe Community

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thorpe visited Elden Stoddard of Jackson, Sunday. Miss Helen Doane and Miss Fern Smalley were in Ypsilanti, Thursday and Friday as guests of Miss Bernice Allen.

Claude Reynolds and family spent Sunday at Claude Fays of Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Strayle of DeWitt, spent Sunday at Glen Bray's.

Lee Smalley and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Crowl.

Mrs. John Snyder of Lansing, spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thorpe.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wellman visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Potts of Morris, Thursday and were also at Owosso.

Orla Ellsworth and family of Leslie, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Otis.

Harry Peek and family were at Glen Bray's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Blanchard of Wheatfield, spent Sunday at Frank Darrow's.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Otis and Mr. and Mrs. W. Every were at E. Otis' Sunday.

Florence and Dorothy Darrow are visiting Lansing friends this week.

West Holt

Mrs. George Thorburn left for California Sunday afternoon to visit her mother, who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Geisenhaver and son Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ried and son Leslie were in Albion, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Mull and son Richard Donald, of Lansing, visited at H. Marquardt's, Sunday.

Mrs. John Mire expects to go to the Sparrow hospital Tuesday for an operation on goitre.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Mire, Sr. and Mrs. Elias Mire and son Henry spent the week end at Houghton Lake, as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wiel Rhum.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of Lansing visited at D. Purcell's, Sunday.

Sam Warner and family of Lansing, called at John Mire's, Sunday.

Ralph Ried visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. DeCamp of Holt, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Preadmor and family of Albion, called at F. Geisenhaver's, Sunday evening. Geraldine is to spend the week.

Mrs. F. Geisenhaver and son and Mrs. Rosa Cole called at Roy Ried's, Monday.

East Alaledon

Mrs. Elizabeth Potter of Detroit spent the week end with her father, G. H. Collar.

Mrs. Henry Kent attended the initiation of the Eastern Star at Okemos last Tuesday evening.

Eugene Stowe is visiting his grandparents in Lansing.

G. H. Collar, Clifford Collar, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kent visited at Herm Miller's, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lott entertained a company of relatives and friends last Thursday evening in honor of their wedding anniversary, also Mrs. Lott's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Speer gave a dinner in honor of their grandson, J. Kalmor's, birthday last Sunday. It was also Mr. and Mrs. Speer's wedding anniversary.

Casper Hall and daughter, Orville Fansler and son John of South Bend, spent the week end at George Potter's. John remained with his grandmother for the summer.

Herm Miller and wife were in Lansing, Monday.

John Potter, wife and daughter, Phyllis, Eldridge Lockwood, wife and son of Lansing, had a fish supper with Mr. and Mrs. George Potter, Monday evening.

An error was made in last week's items about the Wheatfield ball team. The item should have read Wheatfield Ranger Red Jackets, instead of Yellow Jackets. They won over the White Dog team 11 to 1 in last Sunday's game.

Fred Brenner.

Mrs. Howard Moore of Mason, daughter, Mrs. Carl Wolf and family.

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LESLIE
By Mrs. Ralph Blackmore

See Doug Fairbanks Sun.-Mon. 1t
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The annual Class Day exercises were held Wednesday evening, June 8th in Union Hall. The stage, where the seniors were seated, was prettily decorated with large baskets of flowers and ferns. The following program was given: Invocation, Rev. O. B. Thurston; salutatory, John Mills; class history, Amelia Hammond; Rowing Not Drifting, Bruce Young; giftory, Pauline Isham; saxophone solo, Merle Brownlee, class prophecy, Iva Zimmerman, Clara Wilson; president's address, Horace Hodge; junior response, Shirley Hodges; class will, Grace Hilliard; valedictory, Frazelle Edwards; class song, composed by Mary Winslow; benediction, Rev. O. B. Thurston.

The graduation exercises were held Friday evening in Union Hall with the following program: Music, high school orchestra; invocation, Rev. O. B. Thurston; music, girls' double quartette; address, "The Meaning of Education," Webster H. Pearce; music, girls' double quartette; presentation of diplomas, M. P. Compton; benediction, Rev. O. B. Thurston.

Mrs. Lila Kennedy and daughter of Los Angeles, California, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Wilcox for the past four months, returned home Tuesday.

Miss Kathryn and Isabelle Blackmore are spending the week with relatives in Buffalo, Castile and Niagara Falls.

Mrs. Delta Barlow attended the graduation exercises in Mason last Wednesday evening as the guest of Floyd Hayes.

Mrs. E. H. Warfield and son of Jackson, spent Thursday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sherman and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Davis of Mason, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Barnes and family of Quincey, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Compton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Craddock of Lansing, visited Mr. and Mrs. Leon Taylor over Sunday.

Harry Burgess of Indianapolis, spent the week end with his family.

Will Metzger of Jackson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Will Cowles, Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Carpenter entertained a number of little girls Saturday afternoon. Games on the lawn were played by the little folks. Ice cream and cake was served by the hostess.

All lovers of flowers should drive to the home of Merton T. Shoemaker, living 3 miles southwest of Leslie, to see his peony gardens, which are now in full bloom. He has a large number of varieties the colors from white shading to pink, rose and red. The huge blossoms make choice bouquets and to see hundreds in bloom at one time is a beautiful sight.

Mrs. C. W. Moore and daughter Ann of Lansing, spent the last of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Mrs. Dan Miner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Laberteaux of Williamson.

Zylpha Isham who has been home for several weeks on account of an operation for appendicitis returned Sunday to her work at East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Derby and family of Jackson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sid Derby, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Blackmore of Jackson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Del Blackmore, Saturday.

Mrs. James Smith of Jackson, visited friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. MacDonald and son Donald of Marine City, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller of Reading, Pa., were recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. Emery Winfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Vicary and Mr. and Mrs. Branch Vicary were in Lansing Friday to attend the funeral of Frank Keeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Eckhardt left Tuesday for a fishing trip in northern Michigan.

Alexandria Updyke has accepted a position in the National Union Bank at Jackson.

People in this community were shocked Friday morning to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Rose Whitney. Neighbors became alarmed when they did not see her around her home and upon investigation found her dead on the floor of her living room. Dr. Nichols was called and pronounced death due to heart failure. It is believed Mrs. Whitney passed away about sundown Thursday evening as no lights were seen by the neighbors Thursday evening. Mrs. Whitney was well known here having lived here a number of years. Funeral services were held from the late home Tuesday.

A children's day program will be given at the Congregational church Sunday, June 19, at the regular church hour. On June 30, the Baptist and Congregational Sunday schools will have a picnic at Pleasant Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Beiswenger of Detroit, were called here to attend the funeral of Asa Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Oxborough and family visited relatives in Charlotte, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Courts and family left Sunday for a week's visit with relatives in Indiana.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hammond June 13, a son.

Patty Jean and Bobby Troman and David Latner, Jr. attended a birthday party given in honor of Richard Brown at Mason, Tuesday.

Pleasant Lake lost Sunday in a fast game with the Sunoco Keystone team of Jackson, the score being 5 to 3. Hokenstrom, pitcher for the Sunkeys, allowed only five hits while Standish was touched for 14. In the first three innings Hokenstrom set down the Lakers in 1-2-3 order and it was not until two were out in the fourth that R. Blackmore singled for the first hit of the game for the Lakers. The Sunkeys counted two runs in the first inning and added one run each in the seventh, eighth and ninth while the Lakers pushed over two runs in the sixth and one in the ninth. Following is the box score:

Sunoco Keystone	AB	R	H	O	A	E
Overmyer, rf	5	3	3	1	0	0
Smith, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Guss, lf	5	0	1	1	3	1
Wetzel, 3b	4	0	1	1	4	0
Gallas, ss	5	1	3	1	4	0
Males, c	3	0	1	4	0	0
Largalere, 2b	4	0	1	5	3	0
Beatty, 1b	5	0	1	12	0	1
Hokenstrom, p	3	0	1	1	1	0
Pleasant Lake						
	AB	R	H	O	A	E
C. Young, 2b	4	1	1	2	4	2
L. Young, cf	4	0	3	0	0	0
Standish, p	4	1	1	0	1	0
Berry, c	4	0	8	0	0	0
E. Blackmore, 3b	4	4	1	3	3	0
Woodard, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
H. Young, lf	4	0	2	0	1	0
Peacock, p	3	0	0	0	0	0

Two base hits—Gallas (2) Overmyer, Wetzel; three base hits—C. Young, Males, Standish; left on bases—Keystone 9, Pleasant Lake 5; struck out by Hokenstrom 4; by Standish 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brookens and daughter are in Mt. Pleasant to attend the graduation exercises.

The following business men have agreed to close their places of business Friday afternoons during the baseball game between Leslie and the Illinois Colored Giants: H. E. Seidell, G. S. Mitchell, C. C. Hall, John DeRose, O. B. Wood & Co., B. A. Davis & Co., Leslie Creamery, Holiday Lumber Co., J. H. Fruehey, L. G. Sharpe, George Brownlee, Carl L. Robinson, John Fitzpatrick, O. J. Edwards, H. Troman, McDaniels & Budd, M. C. Ward, Leslie Tire Shop, Granham Chevrolet Co., W. H. Johnston, Cowles & Son, Oldman & Co., R. O. Edwards, Bergman's meat market.

Eden

Mrs. Carrie Chapin attended the meeting of the Ingham County Pioneer Society at Mason, Tuesday.

Children's Day will be observed at the Eden church Sunday, June 19, at 10 o'clock.

The Eden Aid Society will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Edson Rolfe, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Chapin and family attended the alumni dinner and reunion at Olivet, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Douglas were in Lansing, Sunday.

C. L. Blocker of Leslie, is building a garage for Mrs. E. A. Bowden.

Newton Meyers of Jackson, visited his sister, Mrs. Florence Johnson, Sunday.

North Holt

Ladies Aid Society, R. F. D. No. 3, met at the home of Mrs. Howard Pass last Thursday for dinner. A social time was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dickerson of Willoughby road east, had their little son, Grover David, baptized in the Presbyterian church, Sunday.

Another Big AUCTION SALE of 30 Head of High Grade Cattle

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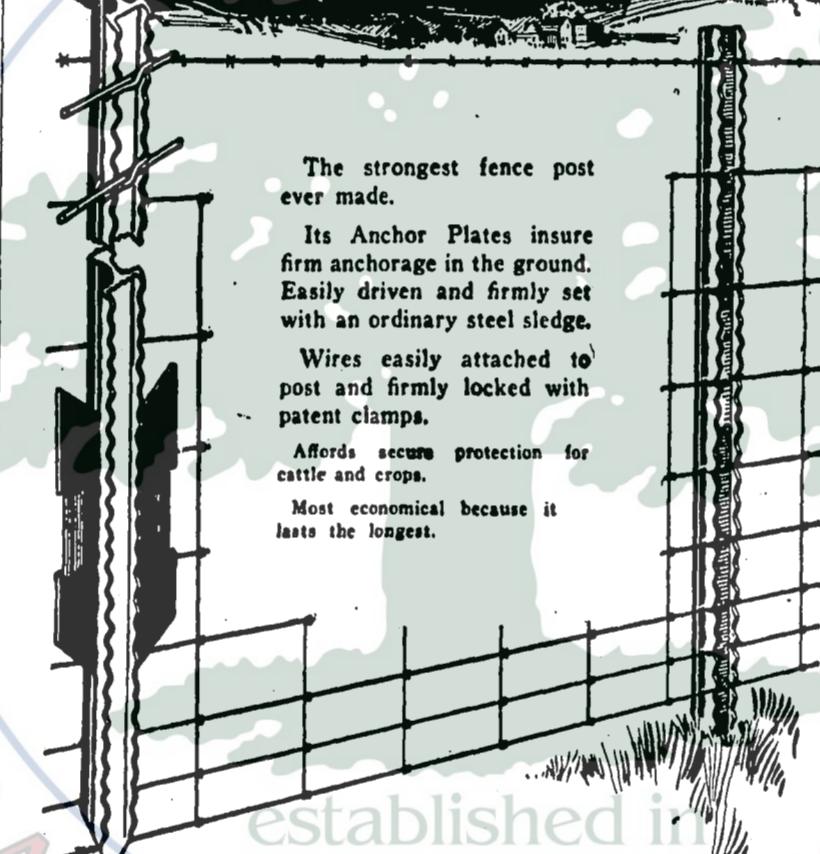
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SCENIC BEAUTY OF WILD ARIZONA IS TOLD.

Russell Brown Writes Of Trip Through Oak Creek Canyon To Grand Canyon, Down a Mile.

Some friends have been kind enough to tell the editor they enjoyed reading his letters of the winter written from "Behind the Wheel." Russell remained in Arizona and now has a position in the advertising department with Proctor & Gamble, manufacturers of Crisco, known to all Michigan housewives. His job takes him from city to city throughout Arizona and the southwest and on his way from Jerome to Flagstaff visited the Grand Canyon already familiar to many of our readers and a place all hope some time to see. It rather occurs to the editor that the son is not so bad at describing his trip and it is hoped his readers will pardon him for submitting the letter for their approval:

Jerome, Arizona, May 31, 1927.

Dear Mother and Dad:

The only fitting way to tell you of my trip to the Grand Canyon is to try my hand at a feature story, so here goes.

We leave Jerome, a mining city, built on the side of a mountain, crooked, narrow, steep streets, overrun with Mexicans and their filth. Below in the beautiful Verde Valley we can see the towns of Clarkdale, Cottonwood and Clemenceau, smaller towns, with their giant stacks belching forth smoke to hide nature's beauty.

We leave these towns behind traveling over perfect road until we reach Sedona, a village of one store, a home or two and a ranger station for we are traveling through the pine country now, which does not look like Arizona to one that has seen only the barren but beautiful southern country.

At Sedona we enter a wilderness, nothing but a dude ranch for thirty-five miles. We enter the lower Oak Creek Canyon and climb eight miles through what was to me then, the most beautiful scenery ever traversed. Giant cliffs towering above us on either hand, gorgeous in their varied colors, with pine and fir growing in every crevice, seemingly there only to add to the beauty by their contrast of bright green. We catch a glimpse here and there of a sparkling mountain spring, with the water laughing and dancing among the varied hues. The road is nothing more than a trail, very rough, keeping a car's speed usually under fifteen miles an hour. It is very little used, in fact at Jerome we were urged to go back to Prescott and then to the Old National Trail, but let us say here anyone who is traveling this part of Arizona and misses either upper or lower Oak Creek Canyon are missing half of what they came for if they are looking for scenery rather than broad highways and mileage.

After our eight mile climb we have reached over eight thousand feet in elevation, looking back we get a perspective that has no rival for beauty. Every color nature had in store, she painted on the rocks and cliffs of Lower Oak Creek Canyon. Looking towards Flagstaff we see snow capped mountains and we wonder how Arizona can afford so many varied climates, for a chill wind strikes us, as we close the windows of the car. During the next twenty miles we run through a country with small hills, thick virgin pine and carpeted with needles, here and there a patch of grass where the pines have parted enough to permit the sun to give aid. This country is wild—a lumber camp is all we see in many miles. A wolf crosses our path giving us all a thrill. We can never see but a few yards ahead because of the dense foliage. When rounding a turn and suddenly come upon a small hidden lake, the beauty is breath taking. We wish we could settle there and camp but as with most humans we think we are looking forward to something better, in our case the world famous Grand Canyon. Four hours from the time we left Jerome we are in Flagstaff, a distance of only fifty-five miles. From this one can imagine how slow a car is forced to travel, we have only seen two cars since leaving Sedona, thirty-five miles south of Flagstaff. These cars were parked by camps, containing we supposed, real lovers of nature for they were camping far off the beaten track we were traveling.

From Flagstaff to the Canyon, our ride is uninteresting; for eighteen miles we have good road, traveling the Old National Highway. Leaving Main Station, the turn off for the Grand Canyon, we encounter very rough roads, due to having scrapers parked in ditches and not drawn along the highway as intended. From Main to the Canyon we travel a wide mesa, dotted with trees and covered with good grass for the many range cattle we see along the way.

We find the Canyon in darkness so retire early to our cabin which is clean and neat. A space elapses while we get our money's worth out of our Fred Harvey beds, and dream about the thrill we are to receive in the morning on our first glimpse of the Canyon.

On awakening and hurriedly dressing, in what seems to us biting cold, we rush to the rim of the Canyon, perhaps five hundred feet from the door of our cabin, and receive a bitter disappointment. For years we have read and looked at highly colored postal cards of the Canyon and here what we see before our very eyes is a dull, flat, colored gash in mother earth.

But was not to be disappointed, maybe it looks better from the bottom; it's a long way down and we can not see any way to get down but we have heard of the famous burro trip down Bright Angel trail. We buy our tickets, which are very reasonable, in fact it is surprising how all prices are kept within reason. We pay seven dollars for a trip with guide, that takes us seven miles and return, time eight hours, and a splendid lunch. In fact the guide offered any lady one dollar if she could eat all her lunch.

The writer thinks the catch in the offer is, that if she ate all her lunch she wouldn't be a lady.

At eight-thirty we gather around the coral in a great state of feeling bordering between expectation and fear. To our surprise a bunch of mules are brought into the corral by three or four cowboy guides. We learn that the famous burro trip is a mule trip. However, it is too late to get cold feet and we mount grimly with called, trying to look pleased and hide our pounding hearts. To think of riding a burro and then mount a mule that resembles an elephant in grace, are two different propositions.

The guide yells, "Pound them mewals, don't try to guide, close together and let's go, woopie!" Somehow or other we don't enter into the spirit of the "woopie" when we see the first of the trail, and feel more so in that vein after our mules have carried us over the first hundred yards.

The trail is from two to three feet wide, hung up in space on a cliff, no guard rails, and we soon learn that a mule has a peculiar habit of always walking on the outside. When he gets to a corner, which is about every twenty feet, he walks directly to the edge, turns or rather pivots, with his head and neck hanging out over the canyon looking down in to empty space. A great thrill for one looking for thrills. We travel down, down, down, for about two thousand feet, then stop at the Indian Gardens for a rest and drink of refreshing spring water. The Indian Gardens can be seen for miles because of the trees and vegetation. We start again down the last cliff which will bring us to the roaring, muddy, Colorado river. We take a look at the muddy stream, wish we could transplant one of our sparkling Michigan streams in its place and eat lunch. Our guide soon has us mount, which takes much courage, not because we are either afraid of the mule or trail, but by this time we have discovered many muscles and bones that were unknown to us before starting the trip.

Thus far, we have not seen any of the far famed beauty of the canyon. We have noted a few beautiful rocks but nothing that might bring one out of Oak Creek Canyon to see. But we soon find we are mistaken, as the sun creeps west, it brings out the gorgeous beauty, the higher we climb the more breath-taking it becomes. In climbing the mile back to the rim, riding a crooked trail for seven miles to climb one, we see the real canyon. Stretching thirteen miles across and as far as the eye encompasses up and down the canyon we see a huge picture that nature only can paint, that ink can not print or brush portray. One can only buy a few vain attempts on cards and in books to carry away, but the mind will always hold that most beautiful handiwork of God. Every color is there, every shape and form in fact it is so big, so magnificent, so grand that one only has to see it, to always remember, the Grand Canyon as poets have tried to write of and painters have tried to portray, all in vain.

One may spend a month at the Canyon taking trips of duration from one to seven days but we must leave this most wonderful monument the next morning.

The trip back to Flagstaff is a repetition of the trip up but from there we decide to follow another little used road back to Jerome.

This time we traverse the Upper Oak Creek Canyon but instead of climbing we put the car in low and try to hold fast on the steep grades down. The road is no better than the one up but the scenery surpasses the lower creek canyon, and but for the

vastness of the Grand Canyon, even eclipses that.

We pass castle after castle on either hand painted again in a galaxy of hues, but instead of the dead walls of the Grand Canyon, we find here that the pine and fir have joined in to surpass anything we have yet seen in beauty. To add to this we look down and follow along with a tumbling, sparkling, clear, musical stream, bouncing from rock to rock with the sun painting its ripples and dazzling the eye with beauty. The wind moans through the tall pines and we wonder that such beauty can remain in solitude, while our cities in their ugly filth teem with millions. Nothing can ever be so beautiful as Upper Oak Creek Canyon, it is as fine music, soothing while stirring one to a better life and love.

After three hours of exclamations, and picture taking, just trying to carry a bit of this beauty with us, we round a curve out of the canyon into Sedona, on to a fine road down the Verde Valley and back into Jerome with its ugliness flaunting in the face of beauty, ending a never to be forgotten trip into a land that God made more than beautiful.

Hope you enjoy this, am felling fine and very happy. Love to all,

Russell.

TREES.

What's prettier than a tree that grows beside the winding road? Trees toss themselves in winds but stately hold their load. Of perfect leaves and graceful limbs that grow toward the sky And beckon to the clouds as they go sailing by.

So often trees remind me of the friends that I have had, At times seeming carefree then slowly growing sad. There's days they flutter noisily they just don't seem to care, Again all so quiet I scarcely know they're there.

And when the wind starts blowing the leaves sing songs to me. What's more enchanting than songs coming from a tree? I think trees are quite like people. Each has a life to live, I loev to linger near them for the comfort they give.

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Latest fashions in England is for women to indicate their status or mood by ear ornaments. Two earings means a woman is married;

in the right ear, that she is engaged. Circles and ropes of gems indicate that she desires no new acquaintances, while ear ornaments in the form of bells denote that she is out for a good time.

More than \$400,000,000 is hoarded away in mattresses, stockings, sugar bowls, cupboards, and other household hiding places in this country, according to experts of the United States Treasury.

Commerce in the Air

Arthur Brisbane, in the Chicago Herald and Examiner of May 18, says, "Standard Oil of Indiana announced yesterday the purchase from Henry and Edsel Ford of a huge, all-metal, three-engine monoplane to provide safe, fast and comfortable trips" for its officials to outlying oil regions.

"The time of a good oil man is worth more than the price of several airplanes.

"Perhaps Standard Oil will contribute to America flying on its own account, and build that 'real flying machine' which Henry Ford suggests."

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) has been, and is, contributing to American flying in the interest of the people whom it serves by the development of special gasoline and lubricating oil for aviation use and by its program of marking air trails.

This company is interested in commercial aviation. It has proved in its own business that the air is an extraordinarily satisfactory medium of communication.

The Air Mail has been a tremendous asset to the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), increasing the efficiency of the organization. Other business concerns and individuals throughout the United States have appreciated this speedier mail communication it makes possible, as the record for 1926 testifies. A total of 17,345,960 letters were carried by airplane during the year.

This Company's investment in a giant monoplane is further evidence that the Company is deeply interested in commercial aviation.

The new all-metal monoplane, named the Stanolind, can accommodate eight passengers, has a wing span of 71 feet, and is propelled by three motors. It uses 46 gallons of gasoline an hour and carries fuel for a sustained flight of five hours.

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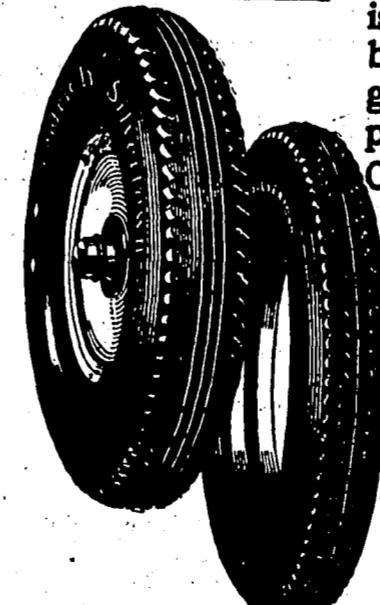
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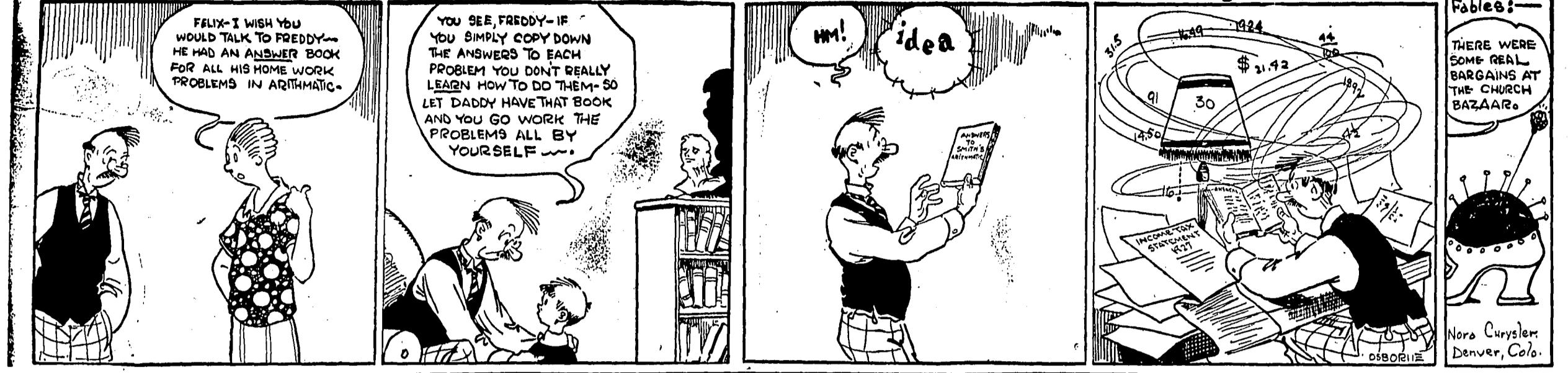


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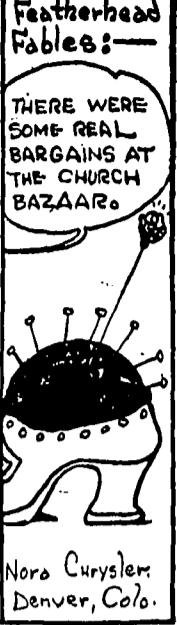
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PROBATE OF WILL. SEELEY-JULY 12 for the County of Ingham. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham, in said court, at a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said court, on the 11th day of June, A. D. 1927, Present, Hon. L. B. McARTHUR, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of FRANK SEELEY, Deceased.

Alice Fuller Seeley having filed in said court petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be a will, and a copy of the testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the instrument in writing, purporting to be a will, and a copy of the testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or to some other suitable person.

It is further ordered that public notice be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Ingham County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

L. B. McARTHUR, Judge of Probate.

Deputy Register of Probate. 22w4

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the conditions of a real estate mortgage whereby the power of sale therein contained became operative, made by Ward A. Miller, and Charles H. Trimble, his wife, to the Michigan Commercial Insurance Company, a Michigan corporation, dated October 27, 1915, and recorded in the Register of Deed's office for Ingham County, Michigan, on October 30, 1915, in lot 17 of the northwest quarter (1/4) of Section 30, in Township three (3) north, Range one (1) west, Michigan, except commanding the east end of a road, running from north to south, running east and west, (Eastern Standard Time) which premises are described as follows, to wit: The west one-half (1/2) of the west one-half (1/2) of the southeast quarter (1/4) of section seven (7) in Township two (2) north, Range one (1) west, Michigan, containing 5 acres of land, more or less. And also the west half (1/2) of the southwest quarter (1/4) of the southwest quarter (1/4) of the northeast quarter (1/4) of section seven (7) in said Township, containing 5 acres of land, more or less.

Dated this 24th day of March, A. D. 1927.

RAY S. SHAFER, LUELLEN SHAFER, Mortgagors.

A. A. BERGMAN, Attorney for Mortgagors, Business Address, Mason, Mich. 12w13

MORTGAGE SALE.

Default having been made in the terms of a certain real estate mortgage whereby the power of sale therein contained became operative, made by Anna M. McLaughlin, of Goshen, Town, to Ray S. Shaeffer and Luelen Shaeffer, husband and wife, jointly, of New Hampshire, Ohio, dated the 2nd day of April, A. D. 1921, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Ingham County, Michigan, on April 10, 1921, in lot 2 of Mortgagors, on Page 223, on which mortgage there is now claimed to be the principal sum of \$3000.00, and interest in the sum of \$677.88, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to foreclose and indefeasible and present, said mortgage.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, said mortgage will be foreclosed to satisfy the principal sum of \$3000.00, and interest in the sum of \$677.88, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law to foreclose and indefeasible and present, said mortgage.

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HEARING CLAIMS.

HOYT-SEPT. 28 for the State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham, Juvenile Division, in said court, at a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 27th day of May, A. D. 1927, Present, Hon. L. B. McARTHUR, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of Russell Charles VanVoorhis, a minor, and Hazel L. Lund, having filed in said court a petition alleging that said above named child is a dependent child and praying that the facts and circumstances set forth in said petition be made known to the court.

It is ordered that the foster father, Charles VanVoorhis, cannot be found and cannot be personally served with notice of hearing on this cause.

It is further ordered that public notice be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Ingham County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

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Alaiedon

Arthur Mueller motored to Detroit, Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Swain's brother, Mr. West, of near Dansville, was seriously injured by a horse running away. He is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Darrow and Leon Swain were in Williamston, Saturday evening.

Floyd Rector has been visiting his grandmother of Wheatfield the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Eifert were callers at Arthur Mueller's, Sunday.

Mrs. Blanche Force and Myrtle were in Lansing, Wednesday.

North Alaiedon

R. E. Allen has commenced the final inspection of the European Corn Borer cleanup in Vevay and Aurelius towns.

Lewis Wieland and family spent the week end with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Miss Sylvia Greenfield of Wacousta, spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. George Morton.

Miss Thelma Videlot of Spring Arbor, who has been visiting relatives here and in Lansing, returned to her home Sunday.

Miss Iva Allen, who is spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Allen left for Marquette Monday, where she will attend the meeting of the Mich. State Nurses Association as a delegate of the Ann Arbor district.

Columbia Road

The ladies of North Aurelius L. A. S. will hold a baked goods sale at Rose, Howard & Vail's meat market Wednesday, June 22.

Next Sunday evening will be children's night at the N. A. church. A fine program is being prepared.

Enoch Friend and wife spent Sunday with George Smith and family.

The L. A. S. elected their officers last Thursday for another year: President, Mrs. Blanche Spink; vice president, Mrs. Pearl Bullen; secretary, Mrs. Della Hilton; treasurer, Mrs. Darling. The dinner netted \$13.45.

Howard Smith, wife and daughter motored to Cheboygan last Thursday to attend the graduating exercises of Mrs. Smith's sister.

Austin Smith and family spent Sunday with her parents, Wm. Holcomb and wife at Eaton Rapids.

W. C. Norris, wife and son motored to Grand Rapids, Sunday.

South Leroy

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Rice and baby visited his grandmother in Marion, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pringle and children of Brighton, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Lantis. John Risch was quite sick last week.

Mrs. Nellie Stowe of Webberville, visited her brother, F. L. Monroe, a part of the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Oesterle were Lansing shoppers, Friday.

Children's day was largely attended at Vantown, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Oesterle and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Risch and two children and Mr. and Mrs. Merton Rice and baby visited friends in Webberville Sunday evening.

Grandma Stowe spent the past week with her son, Elmer, west of Vantown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Stowe were in Jackson, Wednesday.

Aurelius

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harrison of Rochester, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Scutt.

Little Hallie Isabell Hire of Lansing, was the week end guest of Wilda Droscha.

Mrs. Alvira Evelyn and Mr. and Mrs. Hyde Adams were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Martha Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Green were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Dora Thayer of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hemans of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Hemans Disenroth.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith of Mason, and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hiller visited at Owego, New York, last week, where they will be the guests of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Scutt called on relatives at Dansville, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Droscha gave a dinner Sunday in honor of their son, Harley Droscha's, birthday anniversary. Covers were laid for 25. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harley Droscha and baby, Robert, Mr. and Mrs. John McCabe and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eckhart.

Mrs. Wallace Smith of Lansing, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. George Hunt, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith left Sunday on an extended motor trip through the western states. They expect to be gone two months and to visit Yellowstone Park before their return. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Parish of Mason, accompanied them as far as Chicago.

North Okemos

The children's day program were well presented at the Baptist church and Methodist churches, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Long were in Detroit, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Allen are at Vernon, this week at the home of the latter's parents.

Miss Ruth Bidwell of Springport, is spending a few days at home of her uncle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Leach entertained at their home Saturday evening some of the Reo employees. The

men spent the social hours in card playing while the ladies visited. The hostess served a luncheon.

Mr. Miller, who has been spending a few weeks at the home of his grandson, Vernon Long, returned to Ithaca, Sunday.

The Happy Workers of the Methodist Sunday school with their teacher, Mrs. Kelly, and husband met at the home of James and Ruth Heathman on Monday evening when they entertained the Willing Workers and their teacher, Mr. Black, and wife as their guests. The evening was spent in games, music, home made ice cream and cake were served to about thirty.

Webberville

Herbert Grant and family of Florida, are visiting her mother, Mrs. N. Stowe.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leonard were Mason visitors, Thursday.

Mrs. Lewis Beament spent the week end with her sister near Jackson.

Chas. Cook and family of Fowlerville, were Wednesday evening visitors at J. D. VanRiper's.

Gale Wickman of Detroit, was here taking in wool for the Ford Co. last week.

Mrs. Russell Wade is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Taylor and little grandson, Richard Gage, of Clio.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Briggs and son Russell were in Howell on business, Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Konkak, a baby girl, Wednesday, June 8. Wm. Crossley and family were Stockbridge visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Metcalf spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller of Lansing.

Miss Lucy Monroe, who is attending school in Kentucky, is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Monroe.

Lott District

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Harris are on a week's vacation visiting Niagara Falls and other points of interest.

Mark Morrison visited his brother at Laingsburg, Sunday.

Mrs. John Rummins and two daughters and her mother spent the week end in Detroit.

Mrs. Edna MacFadden of Lansing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Binkley, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Sparrow hospital last week.

Mrs. George Harris and daughter of Lansing, spent last Monday with Mrs. LaVerne Clements.

Mr. and Mrs. Amelia Taylor is keeping house for her brother, Chas. Binkley.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Nichols of Mayville, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Nichols of Detroit, visited Mr. and Mrs. John Rummins, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lamoreaux entertained friends from Ohio, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Colman and son visited at Ed Hills near Williamston, Sunday.

Wm. Binkley accompanied his son-in-law, Glenn Barber, who is representative for the Lansing Granite Works, on a trip through the southern part of the state last Monday.

Ralph Lott spent the week end at Houghton Lake.

The community picnic and homecoming last Saturday was well attended, about 100 being present. After spending some time visiting a bountiful dinner was served. Rev. Wm.

Exner of Freeport, was the principal speaker, his subject being "Reminiscences." Mr. Exner started school here as a very small lad and later taught in his home district. The incidents that he related were very amusing. D. DeCamp of Holt, also a former resident and teacher of this district, gave a very interesting talk. Another feature of the program was a orchestra from Honolulu. It is told that Art McCauley, president of the club while on vacation made a trip to that place, hearing them give a concert engaged them for this occasion in due time they arrived. The orchestra is led by Chas. Crane and consists of five pieces and gave a very interesting program of music and song. The club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Rita Lott on North street in Holt, July 8.

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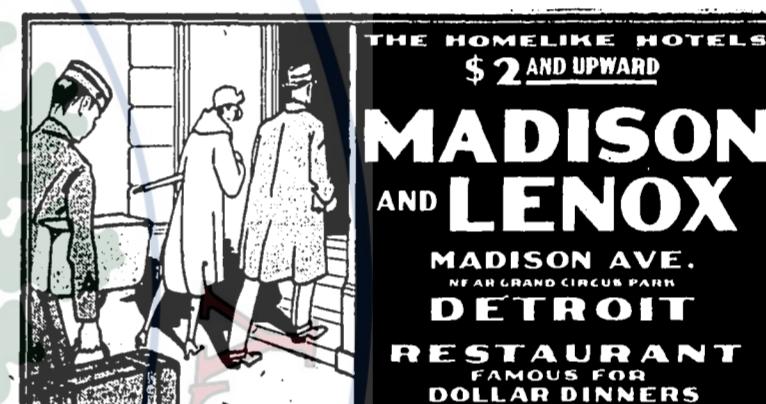
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