

## VETERAN SUPERVISOR PASSES AT LANSING

**WILLIAM H. MCKALE PROMINENT  
IN COUNTY AFFAIRS.**

Served As Councilman And Supervisor  
Nearly Thirty Years, Once  
Prominent In State Politics.

Last rites were said Tuesday afternoon for Lansing's veteran alderman, William H. McKale. Mr. McKale had remained a picturesque and prominent figure in Ingham county affairs for more than forty years. He has served intermittently as a member of the county board of supervisors since 1902. His death resulted from an attack of heart trouble with which he was stricken about three weeks ago. He has been suffering from Bright's disease for a considerable length of time but held to his private and official duties until he was finally compelled to take to his bed in St. Lawrence hospital where he died Saturday night.

Previous to his elevation to the common council of Lansing, Mr. McKale had held other minor offices. He served as constable, deputy sheriff, assistant superintendent of public works, deputy United States marshal, and other positions. Early in life he was active in politics, affiliating himself with the republican party and taking active interest in convention and campaign affairs. In the old days of the caucus and convention he was an important and prominent figure and counted among his personal friends many of the important personages of his day.

Mr. McKale was born at Birmingham, Michigan, October 10, 1853. Besides the wife he is survived by two sons, Harold B. McKale, principal of Eastern Junior high school at Lansing, and J. Fred McKale, head coach and director of athletics at the university of Arizona, Tucson. He was a member of the Masonic fraternity and for the past 40 years has held a position on the board of directors of the Union Building and Loan association.

During his more active years he was engaged in the contracting and construction business, employing a large force of laborers. His kindly solicitude for their welfare, his many acts of charity, his helpful advice and assistance freely given to many an unfortunate workman, never failed him in his employment. It was from this source that he drew upon in many a hard fought political battle in his long career, and never did the laboring vote of his ward turn against him. Too ill to take an active interest in the recent election he was defeated by a slight margin.

"Billie" McKale as he was affectionately called by his colleagues, both in the city council and on the county board of supervisors, was a square shooter. He never dodged an issue or ducked a roll call. Frequently disagreed with the majority, but never doubted as to where he stood on any question.

The city council adjourned its regular session on Monday evening in honor of their colleague and on Tuesday during the services all city officers were closed. His funeral was held at the home of his wife, Mrs. McKale, attended by business men of Lansing, many of whom paid respect to his memory and honor to his long years of service.

Mr. McKale attended and took a prominent part in the recent session of the board of supervisors.

## Former Vevay Farmer Has Government Post

**LEO HOUSH IN CHARGE OF HOSPITAL FARM.**

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Housh of Coatesville, Pennsylvania, spent last week visiting old friends in Mason. Mr. Housh, a former Vevay farmer, is manager of a large farm at the U. S. hospital for mentally afflicted veterans at Coatesville, Pennsylvania, about thirty miles from Philadelphia. Speaking at a meeting of the American Legion post last week, Mr. Housh described his work and that of the institution which is one of the largest in the United States.

Mr. Housh is a veteran of the World War. He was wounded overseas and spent considerable time in government hospitals as a patient. He received his appointment as farm manager through a competitive civil service examination.

## Red Cross Roll Call Lags As Drive Ends

**WEDNESDAY IS LAST DAY OF OFFICIAL DRIVE.**

Red Cross roll call reports from Lansing headquarters of the Ingham county chapter indicate a lagging in membership renewals. Wednesday morning less than \$8000 in sight, whereas \$6000 is deemed the minimum amount upon which the chapter can carry on its work during the coming year. Mason memberships are considerably less than last year although members of the Woman's club of this city are on Wednesday making a last minute mop up of the city to bring it to its quota of 140 members.

Those who have delayed handing their membership of \$1.00 to the Red Cross workers may yet secure the coveted badge of honor by handing their dollar to any bank. While Wednesday will see the official close of the county campaign, this fact need not deter any who have delayed.

## Mason Men Trapping In Upper Michigan

**HOLLAND WILLIAMS AND KENNETH GRAHAM AT ENGADINE.**

Holland Williams and Kenneth Graham are in camp near Engadine in the upper peninsula where they will remain during the trapping season. They have a big trap line out. They expect to catch coyotes, wolves, fox and muskrats. Their camp is located on the shores of Millicocquin Lake near the Mackinac state forest.

Last week Forest Reinhart and Gerald Graham visited the camp. The latter secured a fine buck.

"Trader Horn" tonight. w1

## Hunters Crowd Table And Miss Deer Shots

Why that intrepid band of hunters that visits Sheriff Silsby's camp each fall fails to bring back its quota of deer is now explained. It is because Lloyd Doane is such a good cook. It is said that the hunters are so loath to get out of smelling range of the savory odors emanating from the cookstove that it is seldom that a member of the party gets more than 20 rods from camp.

The six men who went to the camp this year came back telling of the fine biscuits, the pies, the stews and other dishes. Only occasionally do they speak of the great open spaces, except those beneath their belts.

It is even said that had not J. B. Dean been afflicted with an attack of indigestion that not even one buck would have been brought down.

## S. L. MARSHALL HEADS IMPORTANT PRESS BODY

**ELECTED PRESIDENT MICHIGAN  
UNIVERSITY PRESS CLUB.**

**Counted Among Leading Journalists  
Of State, Former News Editor Is  
Honored By Fellows.**

Schuyler L. Marshall, for six years editor and publisher of the Ingham County News, was elected president of the Michigan University Press Club at Ann Arbor last Saturday. The honor is a distinct one. It is the first time in the history of the press group when the editor of a weekly paper has been selected to head the state's largest and most important association of journalists, publishers and writers. Mr. Marshall succeeds Lee White, editor in chief of the Detroit News.

The University press club derives its name because of the fact that it holds its annual sessions at the Union building on the campus of the university and was sponsored originally as an activity of the department of journalism of that institution. During its history the club has had as its guests of honor some of the most outstanding journalists and statesmen of the country. Holding membership in the organization are all the leading metropolitan daily newspapers of Michigan and many of the leading home edition and country weeklies.

The Clinton County Republican News is recognized as one of the leading weekly newspapers of the nation. Recently it was honored by being selected as having accomplished the most outstanding piece of promotional work of any newspaper in the United States. This came to Mr. Marshall and his colleagues by virtue of the promotion of a community hospital said to be among the finest enjoyed by any city of the size of St. Johns. Mr. Marshall headed the work of raising funds for the hospital and still serves upon the board of trustees. He is also a member of the board of control of the Michigan tuberculosis sanatorium at Howell.

"Ski," as he is familiarly known in the printing world, is a skilled artisan in the realm of typography, is an accomplished writer and a successful business man. His friends throughout Michigan rejoice that his continued success has been recognized by election as president of Michigan's most important journalistic society. Mr. Marshall has long been an active force in the affairs of the Michigan Press Association, the weekly press group, having served as president of this organization also.

## Compares Life To Set Brakes On Motor Car

**SPEAKER IS DETROIT MCGREGOR  
MISSION WORKER.**

Dr. George Lau of Detroit, for many years active worker in the McGregory Mission of Detroit, was speaker before the Kiwanis club Monday evening. He spoke on the subject, "Driving with the Brakes Set." Dr. Lau is the father of Mrs. Earl Brubaker of this city and returned to his home on Tuesday.

The speaker related of an experience when he had driven to a filling station for gas and of his difficulty in attaining the usual speed and smoothness as he proceeded on his way. Later he found he had not released his brakes. His talk was built around the danger of applying the brakes against his own life's progress, selfishness, evil habits, worry, fear, envy, diffidence and ingratitude. The McGregory Mission is conducted for the uplifting and rehabilitation of the down and out men of Detroit. His talk was inspiring and disclosed a rare philosophy of life. In private life Dr. Lau is a practicing dentist.

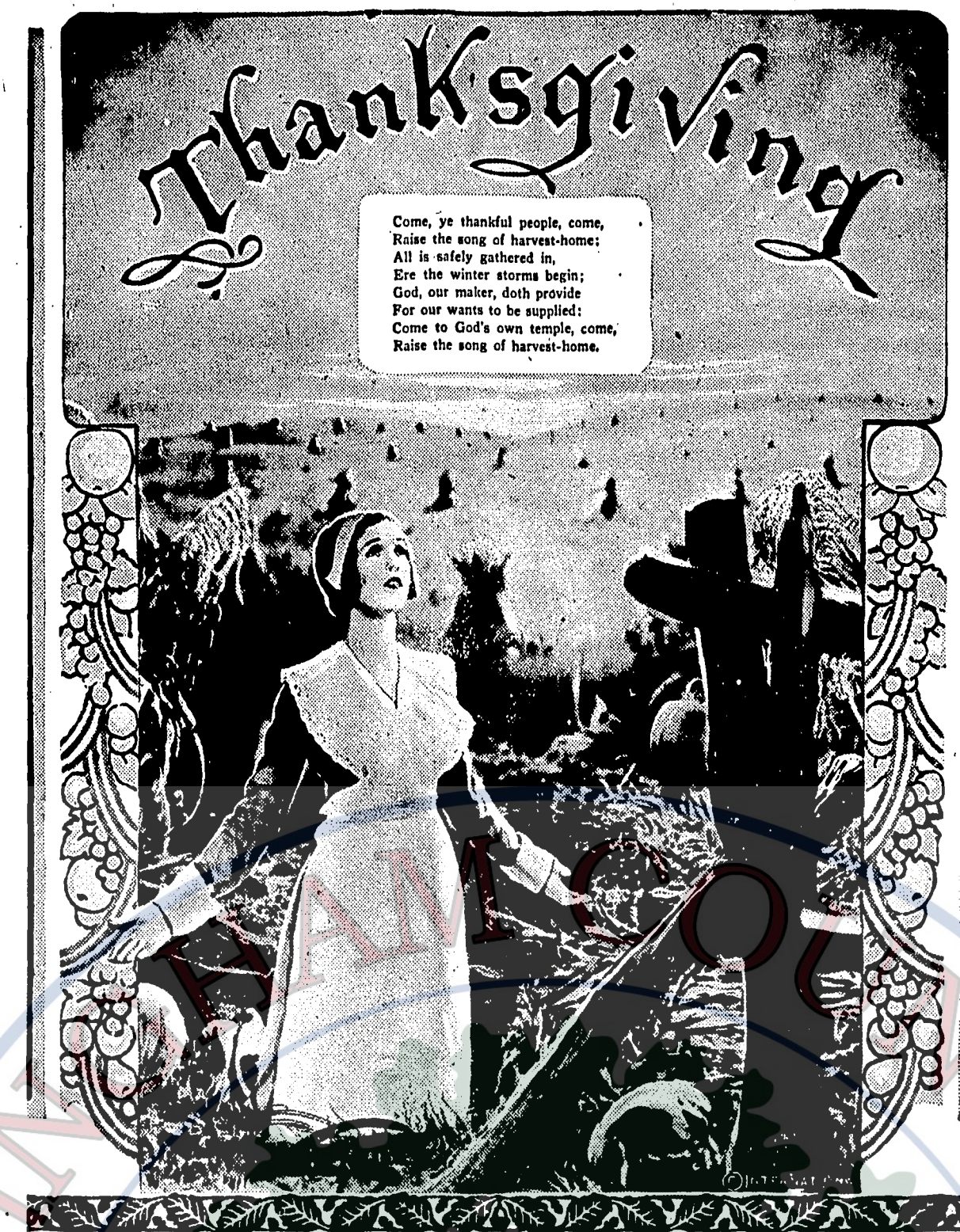
## Mason Masonic Lodge Has Successful Year

**MEMBERSHIP HAS SHOWN INCREASE DURING PERIOD.**

According to the reports to be submitted at the 78th annual communication of Mason Lodge No. 70, F. & A. M., which will be held Wednesday evening, December 2, the lodge has enjoyed a successful year under the leadership of Loris B. Curtis. On the date of the report the lodge had 280 members in good standing, an increase of 52 over 1930. More dues have also been received during the current year than were paid in 1930.

The finances of the lodge are in a healthy condition, despite the problem of delinquent dues which has troubled the officers during the year.

The officers of the lodge urge all members of the order to attend the annual communication Wednesday.



## INGHAM COUNTY HAS NO BONDED DEBT. DISCLOSED

**LANSING NEWSPAPER CARRIES  
DISTURBING SCAREHEAD.**

**Reports \$394,000 Covert Road And  
Drainage Bonds Against County—  
Correct Amount \$35,000.**

Glaring headlines appearing in a Lansing daily last Thursday stating that reports to the state treasurer made by the Ingham county treasurer disclosed a county bonded indebtedness amounting to nearly \$400,000, and never corrected so far as issues of that paper in circulation outside the city is concerned, were rather disturbing to residents of this county who had been led to believe Ingham had little bonded debt. The figures were grossly in error, had no foundation in fact, were not in accordance with the records of the state treasurer nor with the records in the office of the county clerk and treasurer in the court house.

The newspaper referred to reported outstanding Covert road bonds as amounting to \$330,000. Official records, verified in the audit completed late in the spring of the present year by examiners sent here by the auditor general, show that only \$7000 of Covert road bonds have not been retired and that taxes in amount sufficient to retire the last of this class of bonds were included in levy authorized in October. This money will be collected with the December rolls and will be in the hands of the county treasurer for the retirement of the bonds when they fall due in May of 1932.

The article mentioned above also stated that drainage bonds amounting to \$64,000 were also outstanding against Ingham county. The records show \$17,000 of McCrea drainage bonds as outstanding, \$6,600 of which is included in 1931 tax levy against property in Locke township. The McCrea drain is a joint county project with Shiawassee county and the bonds are a direct obligation against the property benefited and to be retired serially over a five year period. Two installments are left to be provided for in 1932 and 1933. In addition to the above there are \$11,000 Pratt drainage district bonds issued and not yet reported to the state treasurer. These also are a direct obligation of the district, carrying no tax at large against the property of the county.

Just where the article originated is not known. Certainly the amounts as reported to the state treasurer by Hubert R. Bullen, county treasurer, carried no such figures. Howard Lawrence, state treasurer, states that his records are in accordance with the records here.

Ingham county enjoys the distinction of having as low or lower bonded indebtedness than any other county of its size and importance in the state. From the outside it has followed a pay-as-you-go policy in highway construction. Comparatively little construction has been done under the Covert special assessment plan. The bonds still remaining unpaid will be met from taxes assessed against abutting property along the township of Delhi at large. Only \$1,165.28 is assessed against the county at large.

Not a dollar of general obligation bonds exist against the county. It is unfortunate that such a story should gain state wide circulation.

## WINTER COMING?

The beautiful Michigan weather which has marked November appears today to be giving away to the California variety from which coastal regions have suffered. While the north and east has languished in midsummer temperatures, the boasted sunshine states have shivered. Today snow is falling and so is the thermometer.

"Trader Horn" tonight. w1

## Churches Unite For Thanksgiving Praise

Union Thanksgiving services will be held Wednesday evening at the Baptist church. Rev. J. H. Bancroft will deliver the sermon. Special music is being provided and a general invitation for every citizen to attend, regardless of creed or religious affiliation. All banks and business houses of the city will be closed Thursday for the annual feast day. All offices in the court house will also be closed for the day. It is announced. Hundreds of homes will see the return of absent members of the family while other families will spend the day with friends and relatives elsewhere. Notwithstanding unemployment and stock market and business losses, poultry raisers report an excellent market for feast birds and local grocers report a brisk business in holiday food supplies during the past week.

## PROCLAIMS DAY FOR THANKSGIVING FEAST

**GOVERNOR BRUCKER ISSUES  
PLEA FOR OBSERVANCE.**

Business Throughout Nation Stops As Inhabitants Count Blessings Of Past Year, Local Stores Close.

Thursday the business of the nation will be halted while inhabitants from coast to coast gather at family boards to count their blessings and give thanks to the Almighty for food and shelter and liberty. Despite the world wide economic distress and notwithstanding the nations of the world facing a most critical period, the feast of the harvest continues. In America the day is one of particular significance and will be generally observed even though the day falls amidst a period when all eyes are turned to the problems of the winter just ahead.

Governor Wilbur M. Brucker has given expression to his thought in an official proclamation issued Tuesday in which he makes a plea for all to observe the day as a "demonstration of the gratitude of a thankful people." "In periods of meanness it becomes a test of honest appreciation," he states.

Continuing the proclamation reads: "We have much to be thankful for—our lives and health, our national peace and security, and the opportunity to serve our fellow man in greater measure than before. We have a better understanding of the value of human values and we have learned lessons of confessed humility. We have come to evaluate our spiritual possessions, without which our material wealth is of naught. We have again highly resolved to heed the still small voice which counsels the building of national prosperity on the rock of national conscience through unselfishness. We have learned the tremendous value of such neglected intangibles as confidence and faith. We have set out to cultivate greater peace and balance in our economic and social relationships."

## LIMB FALLS ON MAN.

Edward Biebesheimer was painfully injured Monday morning when a dead limb fell from a tree. The brush and the ground first, the limb striking Mr. Biebesheimer across the back. No bones were broken, according to Dr. E. W. Brubaker, but several ligaments were torn and strained.

The members of the Ingham County Superintendents Round Table met with Commissioner E. E. Seal Saturday evening at the home of Mrs. Marshall. Webster H. Pierce, of the Department of Public Instruction was present and assisted in the discussion of school law and school propaganda.

Dart's Farm Cottage Cream Cheese, rich, creamy, ready to serve. Approved by Michigan Home Products Marketing association. For sale at Palmer's grocery. 46w1

## WELFARE DRIVE SET FOR WEEK OF DEC. 7

**COLLECTION OF USED CLOTHING  
WEEK PREVIOUS.**

**L. A. WILSON AGAIN HEADS  
WELFARE GROUP, NEW BOARD  
OF DIRECTORS IS CHOSEN.**

Mason's annual drive for welfare funds will be made during the week of December 7, according to decision of the newly elected directors of the welfare association Tuesday evening. A city-wide campaign for the collection of used and new clothing will be conducted during the week previous. Solicitors will call at each home in the city and by scouts and volunteer trucks will call for and collect the garments.

Delegates were present at the annual meeting representing each of the three churches, the women's club, the American Legion and Auxiliary, the Kiwanis club, the Eastern Star and Pythian Sister lodges and the city council.

Directors elected for the ensuing year include Hugh W. Silsby, W. E. C. Cowan, Dr. O. H. Freeland, L. A. Wilson, Ethel Adams, Mrs. Lora Emerick, Mrs. Lura Wilcox and Mayor Jason E. Taylor. At the meeting of the directors held immediately following the annual meeting of the association, L. A. Wilson was re-elected chairman; Hugh W. Silsby, vice chairman; W. E. C. Cowan, treasurer; Ethel Adams, secretary.

According to the report of the chairman and director of welfare 26 families were aided during the past year to clothing, milk and other necessities included in these families are 101 children, according to the report. Plans were discussed at the general meeting for improvement in methods of distribution and in securing information relative to the needs of the worthy. The salvaging of used and outgrown clothing, its remodeling and repair, assistance to mothers in teaching of sewing, and other helpful activities were discussed. As soon as the store building donated by R. C. Dart for the use of the association during the winter, can be made ready and equipped, it is planned to hold sewing classes for the better salvaging of materials and to teach mothers the art of remodeling garments to their children. Miss Myrtle VanHorne, county demonstration leader, has volunteered her services in this respect.

## Alaiedon Farmers Club Holds Regular Meeting

**BANQUET IS SERVED AT OKE-  
MOS SCHOOL.**

Members and guests of the Alaiedon Farmers club met at the Oke-mos school, Friday evening, November 20, to enjoy the entertainment given by the ladies of the club. More than one hundred people were present. The long dining table in the lower hall was beautifully decorated with chrysanthemums and Chinese lanterns. A band of music from the Community Sunday school, led by Mrs. Marshall Forch, played a march as the victors gathered at the table and continued with pleasing selections throughout the banquet.

After the dinner, a program, conducted by Mrs. Patch, as president, was given in the assembly room. Clarence Holmes, Supt. of School for the Blind, gave a short and clever talk of special interest to farmers. Mr. Holmes was accompanied by Rex Bishop and Miss Agnes Hemstreet, graduates of the school and their musical director, Miss Clara Besch. Mr. Bishop played a piano solo, and Miss Hemstreet, accompanied by Miss Besch, appeared twice on the program with solo and encores.

E. M. Moore of the club gave the recitation, "Hanging Tree Bull" the Church at Kehoe's Bar.

## Fox Squirrel Costly For William Bowman

William Bowman paid a justice court fine and costs of \$10.00 for shooting a fox squirrel on his Wheatfield farm last week. He was brought before William S. Seelye, justice of the peace, where he entered a plea of guilty.

Following the payment of the fine, Bowman stated that the next time he shot anything it would be a hog; as the fine would probably be no higher and there would be considerable more meat on a hog than there was on the squirrel.

## DELHI ASSAULTERS ARE HELD TO CIRCUIT COURT

**Mrs. AND MRS. ROBERT HAWKS,  
PARENTS OF FOUR.**

**Alleged Attack Grew Out Of  
Controversy With Welfare Worker  
Over Shores For Daughter.**

Robert and Ella Hawks, Delhi residents charged with assault to do great bodily harm, the charge growing out of an alleged attack upon Rina Lott, supervisor of Delhi township, last Friday, were bound over to the circuit court for trial following the conclusion of an examination held before Justice William M. Keller at Holt Tuesday forenoon. More than 200 interested spectators heard the proceedings which were held in Oddfellow hall.

According to the testimony of Mr. Lott, the only witness sworn, and eye witnesses to the alleged assault, the Hawks family has been more or less dependent upon township relief since the summer of 1930. Friday morning it is stated, Mrs. Hawks appeared before Mrs. Frank Horst, investigator and township relief worker, demanding a pair of shoes for a twelve year old daughter. Mrs. Horst responded by stating to the applicant that a pair of shoes for each of the four Hawks children had been supplied less than a month previous. This angered the mother who insisted that only three pair had been supplied, the fourth woman calling Mrs. Horst a "D—n liar." It is said, Mrs. Hawks, it is stated, then left the room and within a few moments the husband came to the town hall door where he met Supervisor Lott just leaving. Mrs. Hawks told Lott four days on township work and according to the supervisor had \$4 due him. Asked if he was after his check, Hawks replied in the negative but stated he wanted to see Mrs. Horst, charging the latter with calling Mrs. Hawks a liar. He slammed the door in Lott's face, it is said, whereupon he was ordered to conduct himself as a gentleman or leave the room. An attack followed in which Mrs. Hawks is alleged to have appeared with the crank from their automobile with which she threatened Lott. In the melee which followed the supervisor was struck repeatedly, he testified, receiving bruises about the face and head, losing two front teeth and suffering a laceration on his lip. His eye glasses were also broken.

When the encounter first occurred Mrs. Horst used the telephone to call the sheriff. Hawks, it is claimed, attempted to secure possession of the instrument and finally tore the wires from the wall. Frank Harding, county road maintenance superintendent, was present to discuss employment of Delhi residents of road work with the supervisor. When Hawks finally succeeded in throwing Lott to the floor and began to pummel him, Harding took a hand and choked the assaulter into submission.

When first arrested Mr. and Mrs. Hawks were remanded to jail in default of bail set at \$1000 each. This was supplied Saturday by Clyde Smith, Lansing insurance man. When held for trial in the circuit court Tuesday, on suggestion of prosecutor John Wendell Birge, the bonds were reduced to \$500 each.

Hawks saw active service in the world war, and it is reported is drawing \$12 per month in government compensation. A collection of funds was taken among former service men and Attorney William Wise of Lansing, was retained for his defense. Repeated attempts were made by Attorney Wise to drag into the hearing a review of the Delhi dole situation. In this he was coached and encouraged by Merle Hopper, welfare agent for the Veterans Council of Lansing, who is a member of the county board of soldiers and sailors relief commission. It is evident that the veterans are attempting to cast aspersions upon the township board of Delhi and the committee on public relief which is serving voluntarily in an effort to meet the distressed situation existing among the unemployed of that township. The "bull-ragging" methods adopted by Attorney Wise were evidently designed to enlist the sympathies of the crowd in behalf of the client.

Supervisor Lott vigorously denied the charges that he had told Mr. Hawks he would put him to work on the highway along with "my other convicts" or that he had threatened to take the children from the parents. Atty. Wise strategically introduced this phase of questions into his examination despite objections by the prosecutor. Justice Keller ordered the question and answer stricken from the record.

## Stockbridge Divine Lincoln Book Author

**REV. JAMES F. GOODMAN, PUBLISHERS BOOK.**

Rev. James Francis Goodman, pastor of the First Baptist church of Stockbridge, is author of a new book on Lincoln just off the press of the Art Craft Press of Albion. The volume has the endorsement of a large number of critics and is said to reveal the fact that Lincoln's life is unmistakably one of great moral and religious contribution to his day and age. The volume may be secured by writing the publishers at Albion or the author at Stockbridge.

It is a volume of sixty pages and is appropriately bound in dark blue cloth. Those who have read the manuscript speak in highest terms of the work. The work is entitled, "Lincoln at Heart" or his moral and religious life.

## ALD. HILLIARD NAMED AS CITY SUPERVISOR

**ALDERMEN CRITICIZE PRO-  
VISION OF NEW CHARTER.**

**A. E. Hilliard To Take Position On  
County Board Held By Leo  
H. Harrison.**

A. E. Hilliard, first ward alderman elected November 3 to fill the unexpired portion of Frank Harding's term as alderman, will take the place of Leo Harrison upon the board of supervisors. Supervisor Leo Kelly will continue as supervisor from the second ward.

At the council meeting Monday night Mayor J. E. Taylor read a report that the city attorney holds that Ald. Hilliard is entitled to the supervisor's berth. The city attorney bases his decision upon the provision of the charter which provides that the junior alderman in each ward shall serve as supervisor. Although former alderman Harding was the junior alderman from the first ward he did not serve as supervisor but waived the appointment to Leo Harrison. The latter had served for several years as supervisor and when he withdrew from the race this fall claims were made that he could still serve as supervisor until April.

Others insisted that William Swartout, elected for the full term as first ward alderman, should be supervisor as he succeeds Mr. Harrison. But O. J. Hood, city attorney, held that Mr. Harrison's term as supervisor expired automatically when his term as alderman ended, as under the charter aldermen can serve upon the county board. As the matter now stands, Ald. Hilliard will be upon the county board until April. After that time, Ald. Swartout will serve as supervisor from the first ward. In the second ward Ald. Kelly will be upon the county board until April and after that date Ald. Fletcher will serve.

The charter provision covering the naming of supervisors was the subject of criticism Monday night. Ald. Kelly pointed out that the city had no influence upon the board of supervisors when new city members are named each year. He declared that it takes several months to become conversant with the duties and that by the time the supervisor knows what is going on that his term has ended. Asking the voters to amend the charter at the next general election was discussed.

The council also debated the matter of payment for the deep well pump furnished by the A. B. Cook company last February. No decision was reached. The public utilities committee was given authority to have a chemical analysis of the water made. The matter of providing the fire department with a quantity of new fire hose was also discussed. It was decided that members of the council would meet with the fire department Friday night to make a first-hand inspection of the hose situation.

Mayor Taylor reported that plans for welfare relief and the establishment of a welfare store were progressing satisfactorily. He stated that efforts are being made to see that every able-bodied man is given work of some kind. He declared that several are now cutting wood and others have been given employment on city streets and county roads.

Council will meet again next Monday night when action will probably be taken upon the launching of the welfare program.

## Court House Phones Now On Switchboard

**NUMBERS ASSIGNED TO VARIOUS COUNTY OFFICES.**

Full exchange service between Lansing and all county offices at the county seat is now in effect. Mrs. Helen King in charge of the switchboard and to call any county office it is necessary for local subscribers first in call number 3, and then ask for the office desired. To assist in obtaining most prompt results subscribers are requested to make notations in their directory. The county clerk now holds extension number 1; the sheriff, extension 2; county road commission, extension 3; register of deeds, extension 4; county treasurer, extension 5; detention house, extension 6; drain commissioner, extension 7; school commissioner, extension 8; superintendent of the poor, extension 9; agricultural extension office, extension 10; judge of probate, extension 11.

In calling any county office the subscriber will assist in prompt service by calling 400 and calling for extension desired.

## To Display Toys At Study Club Meeting

**LANSING WOMAN WILL SPEAK  
ON CHRISTMAS TOYS.**

Mrs. R. E. Loree of Lansing, will speak on children's toys before members of the Mason Child Study club on Wednesday evening, December 2, at the school. The meeting will begin at eight o'clock.

Mason business men will have displays of toys at the meeting. Those who have made arrangements to display toys include H. H. Snyder, Kearsy's 5c and 10c store and the Mason Plumbing and Heating company. A display of educational material from a Lansing book company has also been promised. It is announced.

Mrs. K. A. Zimmerman, president of the club, urges every member to attend the meeting. She says that the lecture should prove very helpful, coming as it does just before Christmas.

## LESLIE WOMAN DIES.

Mrs. Lina Pickett, 64, died at her home in Leslie Wednesday. Funeral services will be held from the home Friday at two o'clock with the Rev. E. J. Cross in charge. She leaves an husband, William Pickett of Leslie, an aged mother and two brothers of New York. Mrs. Pickett was very active in church work.

Dr. J. W. Gould, optometrist, will be at the Mason hotel on Tuesday, December 1 from nine to three. w1



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

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### Caution—Sharp Curve Ahead

Only the foolhardy motorist ignores the warning above. That very sign might well be posted upon the political highway of Michigan. Were it so posted, only foolhardy politicians would ignore it.

Nearly every editor in Michigan has tried his hand at some analysis of the political upheaval in the eighth congressional district of Michigan where a democrat won a decisive victory in a rockribbed republican stronghold. A few have approached the real facts of the case.

Those with wet sympathies see in the defeat of the republican candidate a distinct victory for anti-prohibition adherents. Drys are aroused but disclaim a defeat. Dyed-in-the-wool republicans blame the defeat of their candidate to the economic distress of the times, to unemployment and to off-season indifference on the part of the voter.

Democratic enthusiasts see in the election a reversion to democratic principles and hail a 1932 victory as more than a mere possibility.

Certain it is that no intelligent scrutiny of the returns from the various sections of the district can be made without definite conclusion that the election of Mr. Hart is something more than a victory for liquor forces. It may and it may not point the way to continued growth of democratic support. Lack of interest in an off year and at a special election can scarcely be held responsible for so marked an upheaval among the voters of the district. In certain sections there is no doubt that a revulsion against the 18th amendment and the Volstead law is to be held accountable for the almost unanimous democratic vote. In others there can be found no such tendency.

The eighth district election is a warning sign. There is a curve ahead. Michigan republican leaders may as well know now that unless they reduce speed they will find themselves riding in peril on two wheels as their handwagon rounds the sharp turn.

The eighth district is a cross section of Michigan. It contains an industrial center of considerable size and it contains a number of important cities of smaller population where agriculture holds more important position. The remainder of the district is made up of rich farming lands upon which reside some of the best citizens of this state. They are not radicals. They are not wetter than others. They are intelligent, well-informed, substantial citizens who are not accustomed to going off on tangents, politically or otherwise.

They are tired of the political leadership offered in Michigan in recent years. They are tired of campaign promises forgotten before the lid is clamped on the ballot box. They are tired of biennial mud-baths and factional controversies. As citizens of a great commonwealth they know they are beset with economic ills, unjust taxation, an overburden of government, and while all are favored topics for campaign speeches, nothing is ever done to relieve a situation rapidly approaching the intolerable.

The average voter is not so dumb as some might believe—even though he has been fooled so many times. During the past year and more he has taken considerable time for thinking. Especially is this true of the farmer and the shop hand.

At the election of 1930 there were signs that all was not well on the party front. Evidences of many turning away from the arrogant, majority drunk, republican column to vote elsewhere were to be found in practically every district of Michigan. Many candidates who are held in highest respect saw majorities dwindle. Voters were casting ballots against a party, its management, and its organization. They were willing to go so far as to hit at those whom they had many times supported in order to register their displeasure against the dominant party of the state.

The eighth district results are clearly a repetition of 1930 popular resentment. The republican primaries of that district gave just the proper setting for such a revulsion. Opposition to present political conditions in Michigan, unlike the echo which dwindles in volume as it repeats itself, grows in intensity and resonance and vigor of tone.

Leaders of the party will do well if they quit quarreling over the crumbs which fall from the patronage plates and devote themselves to the problems of the commonwealth, to seeking remedies for the ills which beset the citizens of the state and to performing some of the things which were so glibly promised before election.

Falling in this they will find themselves and their party well on the outside whining and cringing under the lash of an offended electorate.

And if there is any single gesture which will make certain the retirement of the party next November it is the proposal for a pre-primary convention to put the gag on popular selection of candidates, now so glibly falling from the tongues of self-styled republican leaders and party managers.

### Less Romance, More Value

There is a glamour to gold and silver and other precious metals. Copper also has a romance and thrill which grips the imagination.

Mother earth is rich. Dame Nature insists that this wealth be sought from cunningly hidden crevices. It may be secured by cultivating the top soil and harvesting prosaic crops or it may be had by boring into its very vitals and seeking gems and precious metals. Soil is the basis of all wealth. Commerce thrives merely because men barter in its products. Because man desires certain things which can only be secured by the blending of materials produced or mined at far distant points, manufacturing is done. To prompt, the raw materials must be assembled at a given point and the finished product distributed to consumers over the world. The article may be a brick or a biscuit, an article of food or a garment, a cart or a steamship, a motor car or a locomotive, a pen or a printing press—whatever is manufactured is made of natural products assembled and distributed. Transportation lines are built of such a requirement. Banking and commerce merely is servantmaid doing odd jobs for the farmer, the miner, the industrialist, the transporter and the merchant.

And so in this humdrum of life we have come to give to the mine a heritage of romance and a garment of adventure which other lines of human endeavor do not

enjoy. And when one speaks of mines there comes instantly to mind rich yellow gold, shining silver, glittering gems, coal and petroleum.

But according to geological survey division of the Michigan department of conservation, almost one-half of the wealth of mining in this state comes from the baser products of the earth. Among these are found such commonplace things as sand, gravel and stone; marl, peat and clay; rock, marble and granite and graphite. Salt once the greatest source of mining wealth for Michigan, now yields its place to stone and rock, a commodity which lands Michigan in third place among the states producing and marketing it.

The quarrying and marketing of 13,682,659 tons of stone in Michigan last year brought \$66,400.00 to the state. Cement made from this rock totaled 13,748,862 barrels with a commercial value of \$18,916,711. Lime, once looked upon as among the leading industries in which stone is employed, yielded only \$844,543. \$146,800,000 was the total value placed upon all the products which the mines of Michigan yielded last year.

### History Repeats

The following might have been clipped from most any of the leading financial journals of the present year. When it is known that instead of being current comment it was clipped from Harper's Weekly of October 10, 1857, one is impressed with the old adage that history repeats itself—even to the causes which lead to the repetition. We quote:

"It is a gloomy moment in history. Not for many years—not in the lifetime of most men who read this paper—has there been so much grave and deep apprehension. In our own country there is universal commercial prostration and panic and thousands of our poorest fellow-citizens are turned out against the approaching winter without employment."

"In France the political caldron seethes and bubbles with uncertainty. Russia hangs as usual like a cloud dark and silent upon the horizon of Europe; while all the energies, resources and influences of the British Empire are sorely tried, and are yet to be tried more sorely, in coping with the west and deadly Indian insurrection, and with disturbed relations in China."

"Of our own troubles no man can see the end. If we are only to lose money and by painful poverty to be taught wisdom, no man need seriously despair. Yet the very haste to be rich, which is the occasion of this widespread calamity, has also tended to destroy the moral forces with which we are to resist and subdue the calamity."

### Discard Billboards

In response to letters sent out by the General Federation of Women's Clubs and other organizations, 141 of the largest national advertisers have agreed that the use of billboards which deface the landscape should be abandoned. The same view has been expressed by 16 of the largest advertising agencies.

Advertisers are beginning to realize that billboards which mar the scenic beauty along the nation's highways are a source of annoyance and irritation to tourists and others, which does not make good will for the firms which indulge in their use.

The view of most of the concerns consulted is fairly expressed by the Haines Advertising Agency of Philadelphia, which wrote:

"We have not been able to check any great tangible results from outside billboard advertising. Accordingly we prefer newspapers and can not see why our beautiful landscape should be marred by promiscuous advertising."

Another firm declared that "nobody would suffer very much if all signs and billboard advertisements were abolished as there are certainly enough other forms of advertising available."

Many large advertisers have voluntarily discontinued billboard advertising during the last four or five years, and it is safe to say that the efforts of the women's organizations in eliminating unsightly outdoor signs will convince many others that they are not only disfiguring to the landscape, but involve a waste of money which might be spent more profitably in other publicity mediums.—Tuscola County Advertiser.

It requires little investigation to learn the cause of the farmer's demand for tax reform. According to figures just released from the United States census bureau, the total income from all farms in Michigan in 1929 amounted to \$173,314,607. Taxes paid for all purposes on farm lands of the state during the same period amounted to \$14,000,000. If there is another class of people in Michigan who are forced to pay nine per cent of their gross income for taxes, we have not heard of it. Half that rate applied to the total income of all classes in Michigan would support every political unit, every school, build adequate hospital and institutional facilities and change red ink deficits into snug balances. It is no wonder farmers see in the income tax their only hope of tax relief. Neither is it to be wondered at that the professions, the financial groups, the industrialists and business generally are content to permit the present inequitable system to continue. One is seldom heard to complain of injustice as long as he is among the beneficiaries.

Sing Sing's convict football eleven is breaking into front page position in the leading daily sport sections. Sunday this aggregation of footpads, bandits, gunmen and thugs went up against the law in form of eleven husky policemen from Port Jervis peace force. For once the law prevailed the score against the convict squad being 13 to 0. Proceeds of these games are being given to charity. Reports state that the receipts would be much greater if more seats were available. Probably in the next appropriation bill for state prisons will be included a request for stadia at all prisons—all in the name of charity.

With a democratic house, an insurgent-controlled senate and a republican president accused by some partisans of being a democrat, there ought at least to be a check and double check of party doings.

### Bits Ancient History

Gleaned from News Files of Years Past

#### Ten Years Ago

For the first time automobile owners of this section will avoid the necessity of going to the state capital to stand in line for auto license plates. County Clerk Brown has been appointed branch manager. During the rush before the end of the year, the office will be open here evenings for the accommodation of motorists.

Mary C. Stroud, city treasurer, announces that, beginning December 8, she will be at the Farmers Bank each Thursday to receive taxes.

Mrs. A. G. Ball was severely injured when she fell down the cellar stairs at the Jennie Hines home on Oak street last Friday.

Hugh W. Silsby, N. T. Hazellon, Keith Lang, Eugene A. Tyler, L. H. Minnis, Hubert R. Bullen, Walter Laxton, E. J. Topf, R. J. Topf and Sheriff (Hugh W. Silsby) made up a party of deer hunters who have just returned from the north. Wild stories of the sheriff becoming lost in the wilds of the deer country are told and denied.

#### Twenty Years Ago

Rollic D. Speer of Alameda, and Miss Iva Farmer of Ingham, were married at the M. E. parsonage, November 21.

Since the completion of apple drying, J. L. Cross has dried more than 3000 bushels of beans for farmers in this locality.

One hundred and ten cars of sugar beets have been shipped from this station during the present season. The price has averaged about \$5 per ton. Mason's dramatic organization, The A. B. C. stock company presented the "World Against Him" before a crowded house at Dansville town hall last Saturday evening.

#### Fifty Years Ago

Joe Smith is mourning the loss of his favorite meerschaum pipe which some sneak stole from the counter in Sayers and Phelps hardware store.

A temperance society has been organized here and meetings each Sunday evening during the winter will be conducted.

Williams Brothers of Bunkerhill have completed a large and well equipped carriage and wagon shop and are ready to take orders for quick delivery.

When congress convenes the senate will consist of 37 republicans, 37 democrats and two independents. The house will be organized by the republicans who number 146. They will have against them 136 democrats and 11 greenbackers, independents and readjusters.

### SLAT'S DIARY

By ROSS FARQUHAR

Friday—ole man MacKruger confessed today that he a tempted suicide last night. he turned on the gas and went to bed then he happened to think that he couldn't turn it off when he was three coming suicide so he jumped out of bed and turned it off. So he made a failure of the job.

Saturday—Mr. Gillem says he is not making expenses now on acct. of the Dipreshun but from the way the Collectors is calling on there house Ant Emmy says Mrs. Gillem must be a making plenty of expenses.

Sunday—pa says ole man MacKruger always pays as he goes. Unless he goes with somebody else.

Monday—one at the city last night after the show Ant Emmy went down a side St. and sed she would be back in a jiffie. and she went up to a fello and wanted a sack of Pea Nuts and she found out it was a fire engine taking its Xerxes.

Tuesday—pa told us at Supper time that the bos down at the Noose paper office had got himself a new Toopoe and Ant Emmy wanted to now if he had traded in the Tooring car for the new Toopoe.

Wednesday—Ant Emmy sent off for a sisten of Xerxes to reduce her wait and the 1st 1 is to tutch yure toes but all she can do yet is to point at them she says.

Thursday—Ant Emmy was happy today becuz she got word that a ole butcher for which she refused to marry 1 time had left her 5 thousand \$ Pa says mebbey that was what you wood call Gratitude.

### AROUND THE STATE

**BAD AXE**—The Irwin House, pioneer hotel of the city, reaches the end of the trail. Built more than fifty years ago, it will be torn down and a gasoline station will be erected upon the site.

**CHARLOTTE**—Justice of the Peace J. C. Nichols is facing disbarment proceedings. The proceedings are based upon two law cases in which the justice, as attorney, is alleged to have not properly accounted for funds entrusted to him.

**CHESANING**—The sheriff's department of Saginaw county will have snappy uniform, bullet-proof vests and two machine guns. Funds were raised by giving public concerts.

**EATON RAPIDS**—Eaton Rapids high school entered class B 3 athletic competition. The high school enrollment has passed the 300 mark.

**ALMA**—Farmers are rapidly signing contracts for the raising of sugar beets next year. More than 20,000 acres to be contracted.

**IONIA**—Warden Shean of reformatory brings suit against furniture company representative for \$14,000. Warden claims money due prison from company which acted as selling agents for prison-made furniture.

**NORTHVILLE**—Entire assets of Globe Furniture Co., one of the oldest in United States, auctioned off by court sale. The company was forced into bankruptcy by lack of orders several months ago.

### HEALTH AND HYGIENE

Treating Cancer

Disseminated through The Ingham County News by the State Joint Committee on Public Health Education comprising the Michigan State Medical Society, the University of Michigan Medical School, the Michigan Department of Health, the State Department of Public Instruction, Michigan State College, Detroit College of Medicine and Surgery, Wayne County Medical Society Committee on Education, Michigan State Dental Society, Michigan Tuberculosis Association, Michigan State Nurses Association, Michigan Conference of Social Workers, Michigan Division of the American Red Cross. All queries relating to health and prevention of disease may be addressed to Health and Hygiene, The News.

Recently the medical profession has been criticized for saying that some forms of cancer are curable, because, it was stated, all cases are hopelessly incurable. This statement is grossly misleading since physicians rely on publicity chiefly to have cancer patients seen before the disease becomes incurable and many times success is achieved in this manner.

Cancer publicity harms no one except the neurotic individual, and, in thousands of cases, the patient learns that he does or does not have cancer. It is surprising how many people know they have cancer and yet are afraid it is too late to be helped. Only by an examination can the diagnosis be made and then the proper curative treatment or alleviative measures can be carried out.

In Massachusetts, five years ago, the legislature established through the department of public health a program for cancer in that state. It provided for a state hospital for cancer patients, cancer clinics in various parts of the state, an extensive program of public education regarding cancer, and a survey of the cancer situation in the state.

Many interesting things resulted in this educational campaign in Massachusetts. In the hospital outside Boston, three patients with cancer were discharged for one who died. This emphasized the fact that in addition to the number of patients received in a sufficiently early stage of the disease to cure very large volume of alleviating service was rendered.

It was found during the five years that the average interval between the first symptom of cancer and the first visit to a doctor remained constantly at seven months. Even with all sorts of publicity this interval—fatal in many instances—could not be shortened, and we know that success in treating cancer depends upon early diagnosis.

On the brighter side, it was found that the percentage of persons coming to the doctor because of an abnormal lump or discharge had increased, while the percentage of those with symptoms but waiting for pain to appear, had decreased. It was also shown that an increase of 13 per cent occurred in those living more than two years after contracting cancer.

After the state wide campaign ended, it was found that 16,000 people who thought they had cancer were examined by their physicians, and 14 per cent of them had cancer. It is obvious that this number who had cancer were better off for discovering this fact, and the remainder who did not have cancer were relieved of the dread of it. It is apparent that much good can come from a frank discussion of this problem, but it requires always an increasing amount of individual initiative to have a symptom investigated.

In Massachusetts, the department of health now feels that cancer is far from the most important of the chronic diseases, whether considered economically, socially or medically, because means have been provided by which any person can learn whether or not he has cancer and be directed accordingly.

#### Questions and Answers

**Mrs. C. S. B.**—I am awakened several times during the night with my hands numb and stiff. The circulation returns after rubbing them. I am tired constantly regardless of how many hours I sleep.

**Answer**—without knowing your age or general condition it would be impossible for us to help you. However, you should have an examination by your family physician for evidence of some circulatory or metabolic disturbance.

## THANKSGIVING

After a long period of the direst distress, after months during which dear ones were tenderly placed in graves in the New World, the Pilgrim Fathers were still thankful.

The hardships and sufferings of those brave men and women make our own troubles seem small indeed. We should return thanks for a myriad of things of which our forefathers never dreamed. Yes, America should be and is thankful.

## The Dart National Bank

Under National Supervision

### COLUMBIA GROUP.

Members of the Columbia Road extension group of home management met with Miss Dorris Boutwell last Thursday afternoon. The lesson for the day was suggestions on cleaning the entire house—from carpets, rugs, windows, furniture, to the polishing of silver and utensils. Many valuable helps were given and it followed with

lighten the task for the housewife during cleaning time. Tasks in the daily, weekly, monthly and yearly work were discussed by the leaders, Mrs. Blanche Spink and Mrs. Paul Rowe. Members are asked to secure calendars with large squares to bring to the next meeting.

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Mother and Dad—  
**TELEPHONE SERVICE**

Have a telephone installed for Father and Mother, as a Christmas gift this year.

Or, if they have telephone service, a bedside Extension Telephone would be an appreciated gift. The cost is low.

Telephone service is invaluable in case of fire, accident or sudden sickness. It is a comfort and convenience at all times.

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**MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO.**



## Men Are Thankful That

**Hart Schaffner & Marx**

## Have Gone Back to Pre-war Prices

Men have a right to be thankful this year. For the prices on Hart Schaffner & Marx clothes have gone back to the pre-war level. A dollar now will buy more quality clothing than at any time since before the war. When a man can buy such fine clothes as Hart Schaffner & Marx at \$22.50 then it's certainly high time to buy. Come in today.

## Underwear Prices 'Way Down!

And underwear! Man, what values! Another reason to be thankful. Union suits, fleeced lined, 98c.

Heavy ribbed knit, regular \$1.50 value, now 98c.

Part wool suits, \$1.50 and up.

**HARRY E. NEELY**





Member Federal Reserve Bank



We all have reasons to be thankful. True, some of us have had a disappointing year, but we can be thankful that we have come through it with unbowed heads.

We can be thankful that we have another year ahead of us, a year of promise, a year of opportunity.

So it is well, that at this season of the year we pause to return thanks for our blessings.



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Tuesday, December 1, Webb's Shoe Store

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Full Three Course Dinner

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For Guaranteed Radiator Repairing—see us! We have started a new, modern Radiator Repair Shop.

Percy Streeter, for 12 years with Joe Smith at Capital Radiator Repair, is in charge of repair work. We guarantee all work and prices conform with present day conditions.

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Corner Grand Ave. and Washtenaw St. LANSING, MICH.

We also do all kinds of Soldering. Bring your Milk Cans In. This Ad Good for 50c During November on Any Radiator Repair Job. (One Credit to a radiator)

## LESLIE

By Mrs. Ernest Sherman

A quiet wedding took place Saturday afternoon at two o'clock at the residence of Edward J. Cross, pastor of the Baptist church, when Mrs. Fern Hiller was united in marriage to Edward Harkness. Both of these young people are residents of the vicinity of Aurelius Center and are widely known throughout this section of the county. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Underwood of Hanover. After a short wedding trip they will make their home at Aurelius Center.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Miller west of this village on the Bellevue road, in the presence of a company of friends, Miss Florence Isham was united in marriage to Alton Cook at four o'clock Saturday afternoon. The wedding ceremony was read by Edward J. Cross, pastor of the Leslie Baptist church. The young people were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith of Michigan Center. Mrs. Smith being a sister of the bride, who is the daughter of Walter Isham, of Onondaga township. A simple wedding luncheon was served by Mrs. Miller in honor of the newlyweds who expect to make their home in this vicinity.

The Willing Workers met with Mrs. Lulu Lyon, Friday, with 35 members, and guests present. A potluck dinner was served, after which games and contests afforded the entertainment for the afternoon. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Cora Harwood and the hostess. The next month's meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. C. Mitchell, Dec. 17, with Mrs. Claude Fay and Mrs. Albert Teubner, assistants. At this time plans for Christmas cheer will be furnished.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Poncin and the latter's brother, Ward Hill, of Lansing, were honor guests at a happy birthday surprise given by a group of Lansing friends at the Poncin home Friday afternoon. The birthday girl, Ward Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Doughty, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Sharon and daughter Elaine, Mrs. Reta Fritz and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Doyle, arrived with well filled baskets, a feature of which was three beautiful birthday cakes and served a sumptuous o'clock dinner. Mrs. Poncin was also the recipient of a lovely gift.

The Theta Sigma society held a Thanksgiving party at the home of Mrs. Madge Vicary, Friday. A one o'clock dinner was served. Prizes for contests were awarded to Mrs. Isabel Taylor and Mrs. Grace Chevie. Out of town guests were Mrs. Vera Smith of Bay City, and Mrs. Ethel Shaw of Springport. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Bessie Blackmore, December 3.

Members of the Stitches club met with Mrs. Myrtle Owen, Thursday. A potluck dinner was served at 1 o'clock, followed by a short business meeting, after which Mrs. Claude Clickner was awarded the quilt. The next meeting will be Dec. 10, at the home of Mrs. Delithia Updyke.

The first meeting of the season of the No. 4 Community club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Arnold, Friday evening with 80 people present. At the business meeting it was voted to provide a Christmas basket for one needy family. Assembly singing and readings by various members were enjoyed. A potluck supper was served. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harmon, Dec. 3.

The first annual Thanksgiving party given by the members of the Methodist church school was held Friday evening at the church. The six o'clock dinner was served in the dining room which had been beautifully decorated for the occasion by Mrs. Yolande Mitchell, Mrs. Lucile Taylor and Mrs. Estelle Ranney. The guests were received by the Misses Doris Taylor, Francella Parker and Mildred Fogg. Members of the Golden Rule class served the banquet. Mrs. Mae Taylor was in charge of the kitchen service. The following responded to requests of the acting toastmaster, Mrs. Zora Buckingham: Assembly singing; saxophone solo, Gertrude Parker; greetings, Miss Doris Taylor; talk, "Our Sunday School", Miss Mildred Fogg; cornet solo, Miss Phyllis West; "Our Primary Department", Delithia Updyke; "The Church of Tomorrow", Rev. W. Brown; vocal duet, Rev. and Mrs. G. Brown.

Lou Sherman, local real estate dealer, met with an unusual accident Saturday evening, while in the country. Several head of cattle near the Earl Gordon farm were crossing the road. Mr. Sherman stopped his auto to let them pass, when two of the drove began fighting, one pushing the other against the side of the machine, badly damaging the door and breaking a glass, which fell on his left hand lacerating the wrist. The wheel steering gear of the car was also broken.

Funeral services for Iva Schumler, 8-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Schumler of the House district, who died during an operation Saturday will be held from the United Brethren church of this district Tuesday at two o'clock with Rev. E. J. Cross officiating. Besides the parents, the child is survived by two brothers, Porter and Charles.

The annual meeting of the Congregational church will be held Thursday evening, Dec. 3. A potluck supper will be served in the church parlors. Reports from the officers of the church, Royal Daughters, church school and benevolence society will be given. Officers of the church for the coming year will also be elected.

Attorney Wirt King of Jackson, will speak before the Congregational church school Sunday at 11:30. His subject will be, "The Trial of Jesus" from a lawyer's standpoint.

Funeral services for Mrs. Eva Jane Palmer, 70, of Tompkins were conducted from the home Saturday by Rev. O. B. Thurston of Leslie. The deceased is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Nettie Ellsworth, of Leslie, and one son Vern.

The remains of Mrs. Elizabeth Manley were brought here Saturday from Grand Rapids, and burial made in the Manley lot in Woodlawn cemetery, with services in charge of Rev. E. J. Cross. The deceased was a widow of the late Dr. Manley. She is survived by three sons, by a former marriage, Herbert and Edward of Grand Rapids, and Dewitt Morrell of Big Rapids. Mrs. J. Russell Baggerly is confined to her home by illness.

Blair Freeman of Detroit, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis, Mrs. C. M. Casler and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Davis, Sunday.

Shirley Armstrong, attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss Beatrice Robinson and John Milligan, Thursday at Jackson. Miss Armstrong was the

## FINAL DEFEAT HANDED MASON FOOTBALL TEAM

MAROONS PLAY BUT ONE HALF OF GAME.

Mason Team Helpless in First Half But Come To Life in Last Two Periods.

Coach Carl Stewart's Mason high school Maroons played just one-half the scheduled football game with East Lansing last Friday. Mason played the last half; during the first half the Mason gridgers were as though they had been told not to lay hands on the visitors. As a result East Lansing was handed four touchdowns and walked away with the game by a 27 to 0 count.

That first half was a disheartening spectacle. Not once did the Maroons hold the Trojans for downs. East Lansing received the kickoff and marched from their own 20-yard line right down the field for a touchdown. Mason received the next kickoff but was forced to punt. Again East Lansing marched to a touchdown without opposition. In the second quarter two more touchdowns were handed the visitors by the same route, Mason never once holding the visitors.

During the first half trampled into obscurity, the Mason gridgers must have formed some resolutions for they actually played football the third and fourth periods. Not only was East Lansing held scoreless and helpless but the Maroons actually outplayed and outplayed the visitors.

Yeo, Grantham, Kirker and McKibbin, four good backs, stuck to straight football to pile up their four touchdowns. During the first half each gained from five to 20 yards on each play. Behind a fast-charging line the Trojan backs walked through gaping holes in the Maroon forward wall, if it could have been called a wall.

Holley and Strohm were the only two linemen who even laid hands on the Trojans in the first half. But in the third and fourth periods the Maroons seemed to come to the conclusion that a football game was underway and East Lansing was stopped.

Lang played a good game. His boots were accurate and had distance. On one occasion he punted from his own 38-yard line against a strong wind and the ball went sailing beyond the East Lansing goal. Lamphere played a good game, especially on defense. Strickland also rallied to the cause and on two plays made long gains, besides being in on his share of the tackles.

It was the last game of their high school careers for Lang, Lamphere, Strickland and Lee. All four are seniors.

Mason has had a poor football season. Just two victories have been won, Charlotte and Fowlerville being the only victims. Coach Stewart has been handicapped with an entirely inexperienced line this season. Next year with every lineman a veteran a better season is anticipated.

The lineup follows:

Mason		East Lansing
Strickland	LE	Bannen
Holley		Giltner
King	LG	Miller
C. Swartout		KC
Edgar	RG	E. Johnson
Strohm	RT	Webert
Michtisch	RE	Gump
Lang	QB	Yeo
Lamphere	LH	Grantham
Wilden	RH	Kirker
	FB	McKibbin
Officials—Referee, Harry Williams, (Albion), Wayne; Umpire, Niram Hawley, (Olivet), Wayne; Head Linesman, George Cook, (Hope), Leslie.		
Mason substitutions: Snow for Hanes, Palmer for King, Fancher for Holley, M. Swartout for Edgar, Lang for Strickland, Strickland for Lee, Barto for Lang, Lang for Barto, Barto for Wilden.		

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bridesmaid. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Robinson, both of whom were formerly of Leslie.

Mrs. Sarah Sherman has returned to her home after having been in the past week at the home of her son in Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cronkhite and Mrs. Emily Doughty of Detroit, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Starkweather.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Doyle of Flint and Miss Helen Disenroth of Jackson, will be Thanksgiving guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Disenroth. Guest of evening was observed by the E. O. T. C. club Tuesday evening, with Daniel O'Connor, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, speaker. Merion Buckingham, president of the Jackson Junior Chamber of Commerce and Mrs. Genevieve Dunn Smith were soloists and were accompanied by Dudley Verner, pianist, also of Jackson.

The No. 4 Aid society was entertained at the home of Mrs. Edna Hyatt, Thursday. A potluck dinner was served at noon to 24 members and guests. A program of songs and readings followed a business meeting. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Sinnerman, January 1, with Mrs. Mamie Shaw, Mrs. Kate Steffin, Mrs. Jennie Steffin, Mrs. Della Wood and Mrs. Kitty Steffin upon the committee.

The Leslie Independents and the Michigan Center Sportsmen club will play football here Thursday afternoon at 2:30. The proceeds will be turned over to the welfare committee of the village.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Forner, Sr., of Blackman, township, announced on Saturday the marriage of their daughter, Mary Pauline, to Floyd E. Hume, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hume of Leslie. The marriage took place Wednesday, Nov. 18, in the rectory of St. John's Catholic church and Rev. John G. Wall officiated. Miss Lucile Forner and Clarence Forner, sister and brother of the bride, were the attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Hume are making their home in Leslie.

The minister will continue the studies in the gospel of St. Mark at the morning worship at the church at the Aurelius Center, Onondaga Community and Leslie Baptist churches the coming Sunday. A special service to be addressed by the Rev. Ralph Montague of the Rives Junction Baptist church, will be held at the Onondaga church at three in the afternoon. The regular sessions of the church schools will be held at all three churches. The Leslie B. Y. P. U. will meet at 8:30. The evening service at Leslie will be dedicated to the pupils and patrons of the Sanders school.

will be the baby pictures of some of the adults of this community. These pictures will in addition to the rural school program and pictures which are given each Sunday evening.

## HOLT

Mary H. Austin, Correspondent

The Past Noble Grand club has been invited to the home of Mrs. Oscar Diehl, Moore's River Drive, Lansing, for a meeting on Wednesday, December 2. Besides the potluck dinner the members will continue their sewing.

The Jolly Bunch social club enjoyed another of their potluck parties at the I. O. O. F. hall on Tuesday evening. There will be a general meeting of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid society, and all the divisions will meet and serve a supper instead of dinner on Thursday, December 3.

Because of the prohibition mass meetings, which are being held at the Prudden auditorium in Lansing, all of this week, there will be no mid-week prayer meetings and no union Thanksgiving service at either the Presbyterian or Methodist churches. In order that all may attend the meetings in Lansing and hear prominent speakers on the temperance cause.

The Holt Woman's club had their meeting this week at the home of Mrs. Pearl Amrin, Sterling Farms, Tuesday, November 24. Mrs. Stanley Park gave her paper on "The First Thanksgiving Dinner prepared by Puritan Women" and Mrs. N. C. Morgan, matron of the Ingham County Woman's Home in Lansing, gave a talk. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Whitehouse of Dimondale, with their family, have moved to Holt and will occupy a part of the restaurant building and manage the restaurant formerly called the Dougherty restaurant. They have changed the name to Alicia, and will furnish lunches and special chicken dinners on Sunday. It is a kind of business needed in Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Husband are to live in the John Colbath house for the winter, with Mrs. Colbath.

Mr. and Mrs. Albie Ellis of Jackson, spent the day with his brother, Glenn and family, Sunday.

Mrs. VanHouten of Lansing, spent two days of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Glenn Ellis, of North Cedar street.

Mrs. Miller, mother of Mrs. Mae Clever, is very ill at the home of her daughter, Depot street.

Holt Presbyterian Church. Chas. P. Andrews, pastor, will conduct morning worship in Holt Presbyterian church next Sunday at 10:30. The choir will furnish appropriate music. The Sunday school will begin at 11:45 with music by the orchestra. Boys and girls from 9 to 13 years of age will meet next Sunday afternoon at the

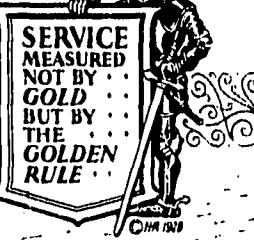
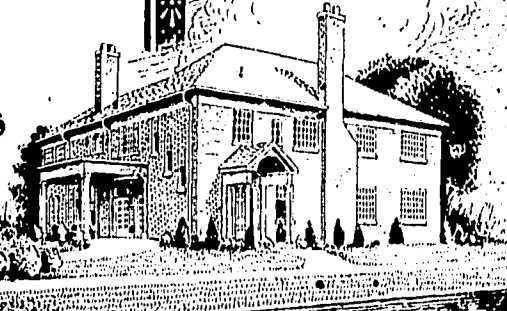
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## Eden

James W. Underwood and son Robt. of Pontiac, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Chapin.

Mr. and Mrs. Valmer Johnson and son Bobby visited at the home of C. Watters over the week end. They are on their way to North Carolina to spend the winter.

A. M. Chapin and John attended the Hope-Olivet football game at Olivet Saturday and the Adelphi family dinner, Saturday evening.

There was no school Wednesday on account of illness of teacher, Miss Sarah Ellis. School closes this Wednesday until Monday for Thanksgiving vacation. The following children were on the honor roll for November: Laura Amb, Glenna Childs, Pearl Kilpatrick, Helen Miller, Florence Vermillion, Wilma Willett, Dorothy Root, Andrew Willett, Hope Underwood.

The Thanksgiving supper at the church Saturday evening was well attended, about 90 people were served.

Charles Davis and Merrill Brockie spent the week end in Adrian.

## Northeast Onondaga

Mr. and Mrs. Alec McDonald and baby and Mrs. Vieta Wallerline of Jackson, spent Tuesday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Faught.

Miss Hattie Wright spent Saturday in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Strang and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Strang of Eaton Rapids, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Darrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Vanauker entertained about thirty of their neighbors Saturday evening. The evening was spent playing pedro ace prizes

going to Mr. and Mrs. Ott Richardson and consolation to Mr. and Mrs. Shumaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Underwood and children of Eden, Miss Hattie Wright and mother spent Sunday afternoon in Munith with the latter's son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lantis of Jackson, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Faught.

Richard and Gracia Mae Greenup spent the week end in Lansing, with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Burgess.

## Northwest Ingham

An enjoyable time was had at Ingham Grange last Thursday evening. The play, "Mary Jane and the Census Taker," caused much laughter and the roll call "What Am I Thankful For," brought forth a variety of answers.

Gayle Brown and Charles Albert played several duets on their harmonicas after which all took part in some games. Potluck supper with sauerkraut and weenies completed the evening's entertainment.

Iva Davidson, Hazel Gillette, Ethel Haynes and Pearl Terrill attended the home management class in Dansville, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson, Mr. and Mrs. Ami Terrill and Ellen attended Pomona Grange in Wheatfield, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Linus Randolph of Munith.

George Davidson returned home from his trip to Florida, Saturday night.

Arthur Pollok has a field with oats and barley all headed, another unusual feature of this year.

## Phillips District

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Green visited F. Strohle, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brown and family visited at the home of Charles Brown and George Gruhn, Sunday afternoon.

The U-Go-I-Go club met at the home of Harold Filton last Friday evening. "500" was played. High score went to Ora Wiegman and Geo. Marquand.

Arthur Gruhn is working for E. Moore.

Fred Johnson and Russell Higbie returned last week from the north, Russell getting a deer.

Herbert Brown, Raymond Elfert and Albert Turner returned home last week from the north hunting but came without a deer.

## Aurelius

About 40 attended the miscellaneous shower given last Friday night for June Harkness and Miss Lela Hall at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Straight. Many lovely gifts were received by the couple. A program consisting of a mock wedding, toasts to the bride and groom, prophecies and commandments for each was very much enjoyed by all.

Mrs. R. Richardson of Lansing, was a caller at the Jennings home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fanson and William and Mrs. Clara Casler spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Davis at Mason, it being Mr. and Mrs. Davis' 38th wedding anniversary.

Only a few attended the Aid at the church last Thursday.

The class in sewing met at the church Tuesday for their 3rd meeting. Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Droscha and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Droscha and family were among those who spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe.

Miss Frances Cady of Charlotte, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cady.

A son, Loyd Donald, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith of near Holt, recently. Mrs. Smith was formerly Miss Irene Warner.

## West Aurelius

Mr. and Mrs. Harry McGrath and daughter Dorothy of Detroit, spent the week end at the Robertson farm. The King's Herald class had a baked goods sale at Squires meat market in Eaton Rapids, Saturday.

Ruby Shopbell spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Fries and family in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Volney Backus of Potterville, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Robertson of Eaton Rapids, and Mrs. C. J. Whiting and daughter Irene called on Mrs. O. N. Robertson, Sunday.

The Robbins Child Study class met with Mrs. Edna Topf, Friday. The topic this week was child nutrition.

Maxine Jeffery spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Jeffery, and Audrey Jeffery spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Kikendall.

Frank Robertson and family and Andrew Foot attended a birthday dinner for Charles Kirby, Sr., in Eden, Sunday, celebrating his seventy-sixth birthday.

The home management club met with Mrs. Nettie Topf, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Fries and family of Lansing, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fries.

## Rofle Community

Mrs. Emma Darrow spent last Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. S. H. Haddy, of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells Clickner spent Sunday evening with E. H. Field.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Thorpe spent Sunday with Jackson friends.

Mrs. C. O. Reynolds and Edgar spent Saturday afternoon in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby and family spent Sunday with Rev. and Mrs. Mead of East Lansing.

Miss Shirley Hadwin is spending the week in Battle Creek, with her aunt, Mrs. Carl Staffelt.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pickworth of Eaton Rapids, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith of Holt, spent Friday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Field.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hadwin and fam-

ily spent Sunday with his father and mother of East Leroy.

Wesley Rolfe spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby.

## South Aurelius and North Onondaga

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Beach, son and four daughters of Hastings, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Clickner and son.

Wells Clickner and family visited Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Field of Vavay, Sunday evening.

Jack Clegg, daughter and family of Fitchburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dell Dolbee, Sunday.

Wells Cross of Leslie, was a caller Thursday at the home of L. H. Gretton.

Mesdames Mertie Clickner and Marie Field visited at the Harry Her- rington home near Mason, Monday.

George VanHorn of the DuBois neighborhood visited his daughter, Mrs. Clayton Snow and family, Sunday.

Ralph Miller and friend of the Bunker district were visitors at the Clayton Snow home Sunday evening.

## Millville

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hair and sons and John Hair visited Howard Herrick Sunday.

A good crowd attended the L. A. S. fair Friday evening, making it a success.

Mrs. Lettie Keitchon of Lansing, visited Mrs. Earl Walker and Mrs. Carpenter the week end and attended the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Keitchon and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Palen called on Mrs. Carpenter and took Mrs. L. Keitchon home.

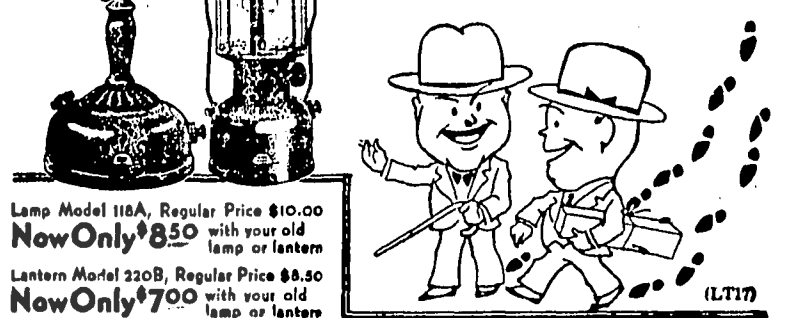
On account of the small number present the Gleaners failed to hold their election. They will hold a meeting Wednesday evening, Dec. 2, at which all members are urged to be present. Sandwiches, fried cakes, pickles and coffee will be served.

Preaching service next Sunday a. m., Sunday school following. L. A. S. next Tuesday for dinner.

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FILM NEWS  
PASTIME THEATRE

Mighty drama of a primeval world of savagery rampant in unknown parts of the globe; thundering adventures, strange rites of barbaric jungles—these are the background for an absorbing romance in "Trade Horn," showing at the Pastime Theater Wednesday and Thursday. Wild animals fight to the death; one sees a cobra worst a lion in a death struggle; a pack of hyenas roars routed by a pack of hyenas; a deadly charge of the ferocious "binoceros"; hair-breadth escapes from gigantic crocodiles—and through it all runs the amazing story that delighted millions of readers a short time ago. Twenty-five thousand miles the little company travelled to make this picture; visiting places never before seen by white men. Harry Carey gives a magnificent performance as Trade Horn, Duncan Renaldo plays the part of Peru, the young adventurer, convincingly, and Edwina Booth is beautiful as well as dramatic in the role of Nina, "The White Goddess."

Two big pictures, in addition to the usual short subjects, are promised for Friday and Saturday. First comes Bert Wheeler and Robert Woolsey in their big comedy hit, "Cracked Nuts." These boys are now being starred separately in pictures, but most people think that they are funnier when working together. "Cracked Nuts" is acclaimed as one of the most hilarious of their many comedy successes. Charming Dorothy Lee again heads the excellent supporting cast.

Second on the program is Victor MacLaglen in "Not Exactly Gentlemen," a lively action drama telling a stirring story of gold rush days in the West. MacLaglen, Lew Cody and Eddie Gribbon are seen as three tough guys who have taken a little girl from Virginia under their protection, and have a lively time when every crook in the camp tries to steal the girl's gold mine. A cartoon comedy and two newsreels complete the biggest program ever offered here at popular prices.

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### Across the Garden

Miss Lorna Ruch spent last Wednesday night with Mrs. Arvide North. Miss Ruby Shoppell spent the week end in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. H. Fries.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jewett and Mr. and Mrs. Tod Davis of Jackson, visited at the home of Harry Brown, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Anne Logan and son and Mrs. Milton Mauer and daughter and Mrs. Eunice Thelen, of Battle Creek, spent Friday with Mrs. C. L. Carrier.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shoppell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shoppell of Danville.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Parish of East Aurlus, called on Mr. and Mrs. Clark Haynes, Sunday afternoon.

Here's another story about our wonderful fall weather. Mrs. Neomi Schopp has a spirea in blossom just as it usually is in the spring.

Fred Carrier spent a part of last week with his aunt, Mrs. John Bateman.

### South Delhi

The following pupils have been neither absent or tardy during the past month at the Harper school. Berne Hinton, Dorcas, James, James, Betty J. Smith, Clyde Smith, Ninabel Smith and Willys Smith.

Mrs. Harold Spink and son Loren, were guests of Mrs. Lois Spink of Lansing, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Fay Foreman and son Charles of Grand Rapids, were guests of Mrs. Laura Miller, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy McMillan attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Underwood of Williamston, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wasp of Mason were guests of Mrs. Clara Evans, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Hayhoe of Lansing, were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Will Stid.

Edna Vigas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Habitzel are enjoying the deer hunting season in northern Michigan. The Williams entertained the Merry Makers last Tuesday afternoon. "Lindy" was the diversion of the afternoon. Mrs. Lottie Maltby won high score and Mrs. Bert Parker consolation. The hostess served dainty refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams entertained the Jolly Bunch, Saturday for their annual Thanksgiving dinner. Forty-four were present. Mrs. R. C. Dart had charge of a fine program. A chicken pie dinner was served. Table committee consisted of Mesdames Wheeler, McMillan and Ahren.

### Northwest Stockbridge

Frank Osborne of Danville, spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Lantis. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. William Wilson spent Sunday, with Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Wilson. Roland Barth spent the week end in Ohio.

Beryl Smith and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sharland.

The Ladies Aid will hold the annual church fair and chicken supper at their hall Friday, Dec. 4. Supper from six o'clock until all are served.

Chas. Hair and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Herrick.

### Wheatfield Center

The Wheatfield Center L. A. S. chicken pie supper was a success both financially and socially. Bertha and Roy Showerman and E. Mackey were in Lansing, Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Underwood, an old resident of this community passed away at her home in Williamston, Thursday at 3:25 p. m. Funeral was held Sunday at Gorsline funeral chapel. Burial was made in Summit cemetery. The family has the sympathy of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Wolf and children spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Sparling, and had a Thanksgiving dinner.

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

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Frost spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hammond.

Horace Doan and niece, Mrs. Archie Jolly, of Twining, were Thursday callers of Frank Biggs.

Glen Army of Ionia, spent Sunday with the Thompson boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Donal spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Backus.

Mrs. Eugene Frost and Mrs. Arthur Frost attended the Meech and Lee L. A. S. last Thursday at Mr. and Mrs. Henry Culver's.

Mrs. J. E. Frost spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ezra King in Williamston.

Mrs. Arthur Frost was in Lansing, Friday.

The Community L. A. S. will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Gus Grindling of Eaton Rapids, Thursday, Dec. 3. A potluck dinner will be served. Everyone try and come and bring china and silver.

### Town Line Road

Mr. and Mrs. Husband have moved from the John Jewel house to Holt, with Mrs. Husband's father, Mr. Colbath, whose wife died recently.

Miss Bessie Day from Lansing, spent the week end at the home of R. Sherman. They also entertained guests from Needmore, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hawks, parents of four children who live here, were in the Ingham county jail at Mason Saturday charged with assault to do great bodily harm as the result of an attack upon Rina Lott, Delhi township supervisor, and Mrs. Mary Horst, an investigator in his employ. They were arraigned Saturday morning before Justice W. Keller, who issued the warrant at Holt. They entered pleas of not guilty and were bound over for examination Tuesday morning under bonds of \$1000 each. Neighbors are caring for their children.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Halsey visited his sister in Battle Creek, Sunday.

The North cemetery association met at the home of L. I. Halsey last Wednesday with 26 in attendance. The next meeting will be at the home of Ross Hilliard in Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Acker celebrated their golden wedding anniversary last week.

The Maple Grove Mission Circle will be entertained at the home of Mrs. A. Butler, Dec. 3.

### Columbia Road

The Webb football team played the Dunn school team Friday night, winning with a score of 18 to 12, in favor of the Webb school.

The next meeting of the W. S. I. C. will be held with Mrs. Bert Webb, December 3rd.

Miss Maude Bullen entertained one of her schoolmates last Wednesday. Lloyd Smith has been home on a two weeks vacation and returned to his work, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith spent Sunday with their son, Forest Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Norris and son and Joseph Hafner motored to Midland and Coleman, Sunday. Returning via the oil wells near Mt. Pleasant and saw the one well still burning.

### Grovenburg

Elmer Leslie of Olivet, spent the week end with Harold Buskirk. Christian Miller was in Eaton Rapids, the first part of the week.

Hazel Strobel and Iva Wilson spent last Tuesday in Mason.

The next meeting of the home management class will be Dec. 1, with Mildred North.

Mrs. Jennie Freeman and Mrs. Hattie Clark visited their sister, Mrs. Swift, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hunt and Mr. Hunt's parents have moved into Howarth North's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Swift and family and his mother, Mrs. Swift, spent Sunday afternoon and evening

with Mrs. Freeman of North Aurlus. Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Strickling spent Sunday with Howard North.

Mrs. Della Angell was in Lansing, last week.

Royal, Ralph and Leslie Ried and Rex and Carl Finchbaugh spent Monday evening with Leone North.

Mrs. Willett recently moved with her brother, Mr. Niblick, to the Gail Bagley place.

Mrs. Willett's sisters from Chicago and Hillsdale and a niece are visiting her.

### Four Town Corners

Mrs. Edna Jolly of Twining, spent the week visiting among her friends in this neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ickes of Jackson, were Saturday visitors of John Ickes.

Mrs. Nellie Cady has traded her farm for a home in Lansing, and Mrs. Cady and Martha left Monday.

The oil station on Parks corner has started business again. A man from Williamston is looking after it.

Miss Mary Miller is making a few days' stay at the farm.

Mrs. Edd Mullen attended an Aid Thursday at the Severance home near Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hassa of Owosso, were week end guests of the Collier family.

Horace Doan was a Lansing visitor, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Thompson of Danville were with Mrs. Cady the last days of the week helping her get ready to move.

Miss Verlee Collar of Howell, spent the week end with her parents.

### Robbins

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams and daughters are visiting relatives in Gregory and Flint for a few days.

The Child Study class met with Mrs. Carl Topliff last Friday afternoon. There were ten members present.

The home management class met with Mrs. E. J. Topliff last Thursday afternoon. There were 15 present.

Eight students from Albion college had charge of the service at the church Sunday. The music and talks were enjoyed by all.

Next Sunday the people of Robbins church will pay tribute to the deceased pioneers of the church. Mrs. L. Clarke and Miss Edith Spaulding will assist in preparing the program. Rev. Keefer will conduct a brief memorial for Norman Campbell, a former pastor.

Miss Helen Topliff, who is teaching in East Jordan, will spend Thanksgiving vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Topliff.

### Hawley

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Housh and family of Conesville, Pa., are visiting in the community.

Belva and Austin Otis, grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Otis, visited school Wednesday.

Charlotte Housh visited her friends at school, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis and family took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collar.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crpwl were Sun-

day callers of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mann.

The members of the Hawley Community club, neighbors and friends of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Neuman gave a miscellaneous shower in their honor, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Cheney and son, C. Harris from Dewitt, called at R. L. Scribner's, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis and family spent Saturday at Mason at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shattuck.

Muriel Barr was home over the week end.

Mrs. R. L. Scribner, Helen, Marjorie Marion and Ronald, and Ruth Froedert motored to Jackson and North Adams and visited Steve Scribner and family and Geo. Scribner, at Jonesville.

Mrs. R. L. Scribner spent Friday afternoon in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Chardler called on R. L. Scribner, Sunday evening.

Miss Nina Chandler called on R. L. Scribner, Sunday afternoon.

### Towar Garden and Hart Sub. Div.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Lomack were Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Boyle.

Robert Paché had a fine attendance at a hard time dance Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Boyle and uncle, Ernest Boyle, of Holt, called on their brother and uncle, Orville Boyle, of Breckenridge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Gass of Lansing, were callers of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Bennett, Sunday.

Dick Hurley of Lansing, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Summers.

### White Oak

Orla Haynes and son of Mason, were callers of James Wilcox, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Seelhoff entertained guests over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bartlett and children visited Mrs. Bartlett's parents at Marlett from Friday until Sunday of last week.

Lavender and G. H. Foster each returned from the north with a deer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilcox and daughter Jeanette were callers of Will Clark in Millville, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Wright visited her brother, A. Brandybeery, in Stockbridge, Sunday.

Art Nelson is on the sick list. John Seelhoff, Jr. was in Lansing a few days last week.

### Star Route

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis, Greda, Beatrice, Bernard and Birnie Otis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Collar.

Mr. Chalker of Mason, spent Sunday with his brother, Bert Chalker, who is now living in his home he recently purchased.

Bernice Otis spent Saturday with Esther and Cleo Shattuck.

Charlotte House visited school one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Reithmiller were in Lansing, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Colby were in Jackson, Thursday.

Cordie Barker has returned from the north with his deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Reithmiller entertained guests Sunday from Lansing.

### EYE SYMPTOMS

that should receive prompt attention. It is dangerous and costly to neglect the warnings.

"Blurred vision", "seeing double", "headache", "blind spots", "pain in back of eyes", "having to hold newspaper or needle farther away than usual", "eyes sensitive to light", "black specks before the eyes", etc.

Many suffer from eyestrain unconsciously treating the symptoms instead of the cause. A thorough eye examination by



Dr. J. W. Gould, the Optometrist, will reveal the trouble if it is your eyes. Often a slight correction of the eyes gives astonishing relief. Prices moderate, everything the best. Dr. Gould will be at Hotel Mason, Tuesday, Dec. 1, from 9 a. m. to 3 p. m. Get the benefit of his wide experience in the correction of your eyes.

# A Better Gasoline

## Is Here

72 OCTANE RATING

UP

Goes Blue Sunoco's Knockless Quality

Proof Positive...

that BLUE SUNOCO Is a HIGH POWERED, KNOCKLESS Motor Fuel

The Society of Automotive Engineers has already adopted "octane rating" as the method of measuring anti-knock quality in gasoline. The Sun Oil Company gladly accepts this measuring stick, as have many other refiners.

High up the octane scale stands BLUE SUNOCO—proof positive of the powerful knockless qualities that make it a motor fuel of undisputed premium quality!

Automotive engineers agree that gasoline over 70 octane rating is essential for modern high compression motors. BLUE SUNOCO'S Octane Rating of 72 plus assures knockless performance in any stock automobile made.

This high octane rating proves BLUE SUNOCO is a high powered, knockless, quality motor fuel... yet it sells at regular gas prices. You save at least 3c per gallon quality motor fuel... yes it sells at regular

For Best Results

... use also

THE NEW SUNOCO MOTOR OIL

... the only motor oil

made by the

Mercury Process

FLOWS FREELY

... way below zero

LONG LASTING

NO HARD CARBON

The NEW

BLUE SUNOCO

MOTOR FUEL

... THE PREMIUM MOTOR FUEL AT REGULAR GAS PRICE ...

You save at least 3c per gallon

Arrow Oil Company, Mason



## Classified Advertisements

### For Sale

#### LIVESTOCK—TOOLS

**FOR SERVICE**—Purebred large type Poland China boar, 3½ miles south, ½ mile west of Mason, George Hall, Phone 233-F11. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—Jersey-Guernsey heifer and 14 months old grade Holstein bull. 3½ miles south, ½ mile west of Mason, George Hall, Phone 233-F11. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—Grade Holstein cow, Cash or note. Ray E. Cavender, Star Route. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—One Holstein and one Durham cow. Both have calves by side and are fresh. Also 1927 Chevrolet truck with stakebed, 3 miles north and ½ mile east of Mason, Paul Francis. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—New milk cow with calf by side. Alton Jewett, phone 273-M. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—Double harness and corn fodder. Mrs. Della Pryor, Phone 256-F4. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—Or trade for shoats—2-year-old Guernsey heifer, been fresh four weeks. Russell Cole, three miles east, one mile north of Alameda Center road. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—Several good work horses, 3 to 12 years old, weight from 1300 to 1600. Carl Warner, Aurelius phone 703. 47w4p-1f

**FOR SALE**—Big type Poland China spring boars. Size and quality at a moderate price. C. H. Ellison & Son, First farm west of game farm. 44-1f

**FOR SALE**—Reg. Shropshire yearling rams. Roy Hobart, Dansville phone 17-4R. 42-1f

**FOR SALE**—Registered Shropshire yearling and two year old rams at \$100. B. A. Marshall, phone 702 Aurelius. 40-1f

**FOR SALE**—Yearling Oxford rams and O. I. C. boars. H. W. Mann, Dansville, Mich. 40-1f

**FOR SALE**—Horses and cattle, or will trade for feed. Phone 273-F24. George Colby, Cozy Valley farm, 3 miles east on Dansville road. 46-1f

**FOR SALE**—Registered Holstein cow, 8 years old, due to freshen Nov. 25. Good producer. Priced reasonable to make room for heifers. C. H. Ellison & Son, first farm west of state game farm. 46-1f

#### FARMS—REAL ESTATE

**IN** all fair bargains both sides win. If you wish to do business in this way call Earl Parish on your real estate deals. Mason, Mich., phone 67. 35-1f

**FOR SALE**—Seven room modern home, garage, a bargain. Edgar T. Adams, 418 West Elm street. 35-1f

**FOR SALE**—Or rent store building. H. N. Champlin, Plainwell, Mich. 52-1f

**FOR SALE**—Or trade for farm. Free and clear modern bungalow, complete, well located in Holt. Sold on J. Dyer, Keller road, Holt. Phone 14-F2. 46w3

#### MISCELLANEOUS

**FOR SALE**—Australian hullless popcorn, \$1.50 per bushel, 40c per peck. Bert L. Green, Phone 131-F11. 48w2p

**FOR SALE**—Apples; spies and greenings. Australia hullless popcorn. M. H. Oesterle, Phone 279-F2. 48w3

**FOR SALE**—Guaranteed 98% pure seeds. All kinds, farm and garden and flowers, direct from the Higbie farms of Rochester, N. Y. Frank Barber, 228 E. South St., Mason. 1p

**FOR SALE**—800 egg Schwalbe sectional incubator, 4 milk goats for sale or exchange for young Barred Rock hens. O. B. Shopbell, Dansville. 47w2

**FOR SALE**—Hay, alfalfa, garden tractor, 1½ h. p. gas engine, platform scales, corn sheller, push cart, milk separator, other tools, also pair of pet rabbits with young. P. E. Houzel, corner S. Lansing and U. S. 127. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—Day old eggs. Zimmerman's will deliver anywhere in city. Mineral fed eggs, laid in large, airy, cheerful laying house by Happy Leghorn Hens. Try them. Call 28. Zimmerman's Hatchery. 48w1p

**FOR SALE**—Beach body wood. \$2.00 per cord in woods or \$3.00 delivered in Mason. Arthur F. Deyo, 4 miles east on Brickyard road. Phone 18-F15. 47-1f

**FOR SALE**—Black Beauty popcorn, bu. \$1.50, pk. 40c. Pumpkins, 5 and 10c. Arthur F. Deyo, 4 miles east on Brickyard road. Phone 18-F15. 44-1f

**FOR SALE**—One used Hoover sweeper in good condition, price \$10.00. C. W. Browne. 46-1f

**FOR SALE**—Hand picked, sprayed winter apples. Priced from 75c down. Spys, Baldwins, Sweeties, Puyallukas, York Imperials. Will Barr, 2½ miles south of Swan's corners. 43-1f

**FOR SALE**—Factory rebuilt Hoover sweepers with Hoover guarantee at \$21.95. C. W. Browne, sole authorized Hoover representative for Mason. 46-1f

**FOR SALE**—Onions, potatoes, apples. See H. W. Silsby, sheriff, Mason. 41-1f

**FOR SALE**—2 h. p. electric motor just as good as new. Has been used less than ten hours. Price is \$45. Ingham County News, Mason. 44-1f

#### Wanted

**TO EXCHANGE**—Rolled top desk with swivel chair, large cabinet, radio, super-heterodyne, battery set, refrigerator 100 pound, 9x12 rug, 4-burner gas range with side oven, to trade for wood, coal, wheat or what have you? Dr. Seth H. Jones, Holt. Phone 14-F2. 46w3

## Not All Americans Look on Day of Thanksgiving With the Pessimistic Eyes of Will Carleton

Will Carleton in his verses on "Captain Young's Thanksgiving" says:

Thanksgiving day, I fear,  
If one the solemn truth must touch,  
Is celebrated, not so much  
To thank the Lord for blessings o'er  
As for the sake of getting more.

It is the "fastive" day on which Little Willie, on hearing the end of a beautiful meal, will sigh, "I've pretty near reached my bust measure." And dad will again wonder why Thanksgiving day doesn't follow Christmas so he can be thankful that both purchasing days are over. It is also the season in which dogs and cats beat a tattoo on drumsticks with their teeth.

Truly, a man is old when he begins to fear mice pie. What this world needs is for some one to devise a plan whereby the bone of contention can be utilized like the Thanksgiving turkey for making lunch and soup. But 'twas ever thus—these big Thanksgiving meals. Indeed, some 140 years ago the Thanksgiving menu of which George Washington partook at Mount Vernon consisted of:

Concoct of Fresh Fruit

Oyster Soup

(Mrs. John Marshall's recipe—black eye peas and Virginia ham knuckles added.)

Roast turkey stuffed with wild rice, pulverized boiled chestnuts, artichokes.

truffles, chicken livers and toasted bread crumbs, flavored with rosemary, sage and mother of thyme, larded with Virginia ham fat and basted with Madeira wine, served with boghery sauce, fresh cauliflower and candied sweet potatoes.

Old Virginia mince pie, served in tannet.

New Orleans old French market coffee.

Mum! Those were the good old days! But, observes the Providence Bulletin:

The special blessings for the sake of which children and some adult persons celebrate Thanksgiving day are transitory at best. They center round the dinner table, "gobbling" with good things. But even if Will Carleton thinks that most of us regard such matters as these more seriously than the dinner and nobler feelings of the day, surely many of us leave the occasion with the spirit of gratitude for our "blessings" and endeavor to spread this spirit by providing for the comfort and happiness of some less fortunate household than ours at this one festival of the year.

It is a familiar law of nature that the more we give the more we have. This may not be true of material possessions, but it is certainly true of the things of the spirit. If we increase the spiritual wealth of others we increase our own.

Anyhow, here's hoping you got the long end of the wish bone!—Pathfinder Magazine.

## Ohio City Courtroom to Visitors



Freemont, Ohio, situated on one of the most important highways in the United States, has set about showing the rest of the country what true hospitality really is. A staff of more than fifty "courtesy boys" are stationed at intersections of main highway routes in the city to assist tourists, and special sections on the business streets have been set aside for the exclusive parking of out-of-town visitors.

#### PROGRAM OF CONGRESS

We shall have the biggest crop of cockeyed legislative proposals in the history of the world.—American Magazine.

**WANTED**—To buy raw fur of all kinds, pelts and hides. L. A. Beach, phone 133-F3, Mason. 47w4p

**WANTED**—Farm of 60 to 80 acres, within reasonable distance from Lansing, cash or share rent. Write Box 101, News office, Mason, 46w3p

**WANTED**—Horses at Capitol Silver Fox farms. Jas. Kramer, R. 1, Mason. 46w4p-1f

#### For Rent

**FOR RENT**—Two rooms, suitable for office or light housekeeping. Steam heated. Inquire at Jewett Floral company. 48w1

**FOR RENT**—Six room modern house on W. Columbia. W. W. Smith, 602 W. Columbia, phone 38. 48w1p

**FOR RENT**—Modern 5 room house. Inquire of Oliver Maine at court house. 45-1f

**FOR RENT**—6 room modern house and garage. Reasonable, at 417 Sycamore street. Phone 702 Aurelius. B. A. Marshall. 47-1f

**FOR RENT**—Modern house, 9 rooms and bath, new furnace, double garage and two lots. 443 West Ash street. Mrs. C. N. Bateman, phone 335-F2. 48w1

**FOR RENT**—5 room apartment on 334 E. Oak after Oct. 15. Mrs. Arthur Laxton. Phone 266-F21. 40-1f

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment for light housekeeping, 130 W. Ash. C. W. Browne. 13-1f

#### Business Locals

**FOR GUARANTEED Radiator repair**, hand cleaning your radiators, or any soldering see Economy Radiator Repair (F. J. Blanding Bldg.) corner Grand Ave. and Washtenaw St., Lansing, Michigan. 47-1f

**TRUCKING**—Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday I truck livestock and poultry to Detroit. When you have anything to send please give me a ring. Phone 65R. Floyd Otis, Mason. 34-1f

**FOR SERVICE**—O. I. C. boar. Fee \$1.00 cash. Floyd Launstein, phone 39-F21. 46-1f

#### Lost and Found

Don't be consistent at the cost of honesty. It is nothing against you to admit honestly that you are wiser than you were.

#### Miscellaneous

**NOTICE**—All accounts due the late Dr. R. E. Benner must be settled by Dec. 15, 1931, or they will be turned over for collection. Mason hospital. 48w1p

**NOTICE**—Cider mill closes. Harmon's cider mill will be closed after November 27. 48w1

#### Legal Notice

**MORTGAGE SALE.**  
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, given by Carl W. Sump, a single man, to the State Savings and Loan Company, of Lansing, Michigan, a corporation, on the 12th day of December, A. D. 1929, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Ingham, in the State of Michigan, on the 13th day of January, A. D. 1930, in Liber 258 of Mortgages, at page 244 thereof, upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal, interest, taxes and insurance the sum of \$1400.00.

And no action at law having been brought to recover said mortgage debt or any part thereof.

And George G. Madan having been duly appointed the Receiver of the State Savings and Loan Company, a corporation, and having been duly qualified as such Receiver, and having been duly authorized in the premises.

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Wednesday, the 24th day of February, A. D. 1932, at 11:00 o'clock in the forenoon (Eastern Standard Time) said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the north entrance to the City Hall in the City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, that being one of the places where the Circuit Court for the said County of Ingham is held, of the lands and premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid on said mortgage, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fee of \$35.00 allowed by law and also any other sum or sums which may be paid by the Receiver of the mortgage to protect his interest as such Receiver in the premises.

The lands and premises described in said mortgage being as follows: Situated in the Township of Lansing, County of Ingham and State of Michigan, and more particularly described as:

Lot one hundred forty (40), forty-one (41), and one hundred eighty (180) of North Gables Subdivision of a part of the South half (½) of Section four (4), Town four (4) north, Range two (2) west, Lansing Township, Ingham County, Michigan, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereof.

Dated at Lansing, Michigan, this 21st day of November, A. D. 1931.

**MORTGAGE SALE.**  
Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, whereby the power of sale therein contained has become operative, given by Ove L. Saxman and Charles M. Saxman, husband and wife, to the State Savings and Loan Company of Lansing, Michigan, a corporation, on the 13th day of June, A. D. 1927, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Ingham in the State of Michigan on the 14th day of June, A. D. 1927, in Liber 258 of Mortgages at page 142 thereof, upon which said mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal, interest and taxes the sum of \$500.00.

And no action at law having been brought to recover said mortgage debt or any part thereof.

And George G. Madan having been duly appointed the Receiver of the State Savings and Loan Company, a corporation, and having been duly qualified as such Receiver, and having been duly authorized in the premises.

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The lands and premises described in said mortgage being as follows: Situated in the City of Lansing, County of Ingham and State of Michigan, and more particularly described as:

Lot one hundred ten (110) of Hollywood Subdivision of a part of the northwest quarter (¼) of Section twenty-seven (27), Town four (4) north, Range two (2) west, City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereof.

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# We Suggest for THANKSGIVING DAY

To those hundreds who are members of our Christmas Savings Club there is no necessity for our making suggestions for Thanksgiving. They have ample reason to be thankful. They will have holiday shopping funds, or they will have a sizeable check to apply upon their taxes.

But to those who are not members of our Christmas Savings Club we suggest that a membership will make you thankful for an entire year.

Join now for 1932. A small sum deposited each week will make it possible for you to enjoy the next holiday season as you have never done before.

Within a few days checks will be mailed to members of the 1931 club. Resolve to receive one of these Christmas checks in 1932.

## THE Farmers Bank

MEMBER OF FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

These men are members of the Board of this strong Bank:

L. B. McArthur	E. M. Salisbury
A. J. Hall	J. N. Baker
A. McDonald	A. G. Wilson
J. E. Taylor	Mac Vaughn
L. T. Laseby	H. E. Neely
L. H. Harrison	N. N. Rouse
L. R. White	J. B. Dean

#### Methodist Episcopal Church

J. H. Bancroft, Pastor

"Communion Sunday." All are invited to attend the services.

Fellowship meeting at 9:30 a. m.

Regular preaching and worship at 10:00 a. m. Sermon topic, "The Great Model." Followed by Lord's Supper.

Sunday school at 11:30 a. m. The Christmas program is being planned by the committee.

Epworth League 6 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 6, is League "Visiting Sunday" at which time the Leaguers visit other Leagues.

Evening hour 7. Special music, congregational singing and sermon. Sermon topic, "Whom I Believe."

#### Baptist Church Notes

H. H. Hoyt, Pastor

Morning worship 10. Subject, "No Difference."

Bible school 11:30 a. m. Rev. J. H. Davis, Supt.

B. Y. P. U. 6 p. m.

Evening service 7 p. m.

Union Thanksgiving service at 7:30 p. m. this Wednesday evening. Rev. Mr. Bancroft is the speaker.

You are invited to attend all these services.

"Trader Horn" tonight. w1

MILLIONS PREFER  
**FOLEY'S**  
30¢ for COUGHS  
30¢-60¢-1.20  
GENUINE HONEY & TAR COMPOUND

#### Christian Science Society

Over Asteline's jewelry store Sunday morning at 10:30. Subject of the lesson sermon, "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced."

Primary Sunday School will be held during the church services.

Wednesday evening meeting at 8. "Soul and Body" was the subject of the lesson sermon in all Christian Science churches on Sunday, Nov. 22. Among the citations which comprised the lesson sermon was the following from the Bible: "O bless our God, ye people, and make the voice of his praise to be heard: Which holdeth our soul in life, and suffereth not our feet to be moved." (Ps. 66:8,9).

The lesson sermon also included the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Man's individual being can no more die or disappear in unconsciousness than can 'Soul,' for both are immortal." (p. 427).

#### Where the Winds Sing an Eternal Requiem

The trees bow their heads in homage and the birds carol a lullaby of endless sleep. There is an appropriateness about the last resting place of a lover of nature that can be duplicated by no artist's brush, no sculptor's chisel, no architect's skill.

The eternal fitness of things is nowhere more apparent, good taste nowhere more appreciated than in funeral arrangements.

We have made a study of them, backed by years of experience in such service.

## JEWETT-VOGT

Funeral Directors

Phones 132 and 356 Funeral Home—605 S. Jefferson

# Auction Sale

At the farm 12 miles east of Mason on the Mason-Howell road, or five miles south of Webberville, on

## THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3

Beginning at 1:00 O'clock







# OTHER THINGS THAN TURKEY INTERESTED PILGRIM COUPLE THREE CENTURIES AGO



Dan Cupid has his innings while the task of gathering material for the Thanksgiving feast is temporarily forgotten.

## Made Day National

Persistent Woman Editor  
United the Nation in  
Giving Thanks.

The impression seems to prevail in some quarters that the women of the United States never accomplished anything worth while before they were given the right to vote. Talk of that character is a million miles from the truth. The women of America have always been doing fine, big, worthwhile things. H. O. Bishop writes in the National Republic.

At this particular season of the year it is appropriate to tell about the woman who, after twenty years of patient effort, succeeded in having an annual Thanksgiving celebration in this country observed on the same day by all of the people.

The name of this woman was Mrs. Sarah Josepha Hale. Few women, either before or since, have accomplished more big things for the betterment of men and women. Probably few persons of the present generation have ever heard of this gifted woman. She was born at Newport, N. H., October 24, 1788, and died in Philadelphia, April 20, 1879. She was not a college woman, but was taught by her mother. In 1813, at the age of twenty-five, she married a lawyer, David Hale, a brother of Salmon Hale, historian and at one time a member of congress from New Hampshire. Nine years later she was left a widow with five children. She was a genuine, old-fashioned American woman, and did not clamor for governmental or individual aid. She was quite content to go to work. In 1828 she became editor of the Ladies' Magazine, which had recently been started in Boston. She successfully edited this publication until 1837, when it was merged with Goddard's Ladies' Book. She continued with the latter publication until 1877.

### Much Work Well Done.

Editing a magazine is usually considered a pretty big job in itself. Mrs. Hale, however, seemed to find time for many other things. She organized the Seaman's Aid society in Boston, which is the parent of similar organizations now existing in most ports. The completion of the Bunker Hill monument was also partly due to the efforts of this little woman. She persuaded the women of New England to raise \$50,000 for that purpose.

The plan of educating women for medical and missionary service in foreign lands was inaugurated by Mrs. Hale. She devoted a number of years to this effort, finally succeeding through the organization of the Ladies' Medical Missionary society of Philadelphia, and the Woman's Union Missionary Society for Heavily Lands, in New York.

Throughout her editorial work Mrs. Hale urged the practical advancement of women, advocating their employment as teachers and the establishment of seminaries for their higher education.

Thanksgiving in 1777.

It was in the early forties that Mrs. Hale began her campaign for making Thanksgiving a national holiday and its celebration on the same day all over the country. It was then the custom for different localities to observe the occasion on whatever day happened to strike their fancy.

Following the surrender of Burgoyne at Saratoga in 1777, the Continental congress had appointed a committee to recommend joint thanksgiving for "the signal success lately obtained over the enemies of the United States."

In 1778 Thanksgiving was set for December 30, most of the states concurring in a uniform date, but there were other Thanksgiving days in May, June and December as the various states saw fit to order them.

It was not until January, 1795, that Washington was authorized by congress to proclaim a national Thanksgiving, which he did for February 19.

For twenty years Mrs. Hale wrote editorials in her magazine, and personal letters to governors and Presidents, in behalf of a national Thanksgiving day. Her efforts and patience were rewarded in 1863, when Abraham Lincoln saw the wisdom of her suggestions and decided to adopt the plan. From that day to this Thanksgiving has been celebrated by the entire nation.

After the last Thursday of November. After the 1795 day of Thanksgiving in February, the festival was skipped for twenty years. In 1815, when peace with Great Britain followed the War of 1812, congress resolved that "a joint committee of both houses wait upon the President of the United States and request that he recommend a day of Thanksgiving to be observed by the people of the United States with religious solemnity and the offering of devout acknowledgments to God for his mercies and in prayer to him for the continuance of his blessings."

Long Lapse After 1815.

The day fixed for observance was April 13, 1815, but thereafter Thanksgiving as a national celebration fell by the wayside, not to be revived until Mrs. Hale's campaign moved President Lincoln to act in 1863.

Mrs. Hale's persistent efforts had won favor for the idea in most states by the time the Civil war had arrived. Some states already had begun the observance of a full Thanksgiving day nearly ten years before the national day in November was set aside. New York was one of these, and her representatives in congress tried repeatedly to induce that body to name a day. In 1863 there were actually two Thanksgiving days, the northern states having observed one in August for the victory at Gettysburg.

Following the assassination of Lincoln, Mrs. Hale feared the holiday might be allowed to drop. She urged the necessity of keeping the national fall festival as a "Thank day for all good things given us by the Heavenly Father."

Mrs. Hale wrote to ministers all over the country, urging them to help.

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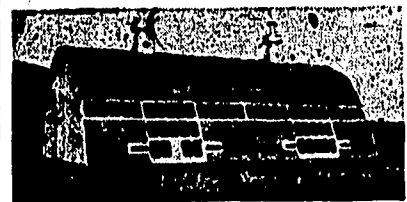
Mrs. Hale wrote many books and poems. The most famous of her poems were "Mary's Lamb," "The Light of Home," and "It Snows." Perhaps the best known of her works is "Woman's Record, or Sketches of All Distinguished Women From the Creation to the Present Day," first published in 1853, and enlarged in 1863. She went on writing verses and jingles for children, articles and novels for grown persons and editing her magazine until shortly before her death in 1879, at which time she was ninety-one years old.

THANKS is one of the things we forget. We take our blessings as a matter of course. We seldom say a word about them—although we kick like steers when things don't go right. So let's stop complaining long enough to say "Thank You."—Grit.

### Early Silk Spinning

Perhaps the first mention of the silkworm in western literature is that by Aristotle, pupil of Plato and teacher of Alexander the Great, who lived in the Fourth century B. C. He speaks of it as: "A great worm which has horns and so differs from others. At its first metamorphosis it produces a caterpillar, then a bombylius, then a chrysalis—all the three changes taking place within six months. From this animal women separate and reel off the cocoons, and afterwards spin them. It is said that silk was first spun in the Island of Cos, by Pamphile, daughter of Platea."

## Unusual Poultry House



The rather unusual poultry house shown above has just been completed on the Jerome Tanghe farm, five miles southeast of Mason. The structure is designed to accommodate about 150 White Leghorn pullets and has many novel features embodied in it.

It might well be said that the building has no side walls, the roof beginning directly at the foundation. One of the objects of this design is to cut down the areas of the walls and ceiling exposed to the outside elements, making it easier to keep the poultry house warm and comfortable.

All walls and the ceiling are insulated with a special insulating material. An air space is between the inside and outside walls.

The building may be used either as a laying house or for brooding baby chicks with the use of oil or hard coal brooders. Light is admitted through regulation window glass which is installed in steel frames. Steel frames are used so that more light can be admitted and more heat kept inside the building.

A modern controlled ventilating system is installed to keep the air pure during the winter months when the house must be kept closed.

Jerome Tanghe's building was designed by the James-Way company of Fort Atkinson, Wisconsin. It was furnished complete by the Mason Plumbing and Heating company of this city.

## Figures Show Loss For Land In Farms

DECREASE SEEMS TO BE SHIRT  
FROM POOR SOILS.

A reduction of 1,914,000 acres, 10 per cent of the land in farms occurred in Michigan in the decade between 1920 and 1930, according to figures released by the farm management department at Michigan State college.

The decrease was not uniform for all sections in the state and the farm management department believes that most of the loss was in marginal lands which will not grow profitable crops except in years of high prices.

Figures from the same source show a lower number of acres of land planted to crops and a larger number devoted to pasture.

Michigan farms now have larger average size than in the years preceding 1920. The shifts in farm lands and in land ownership apparently have resulted in an increase in holdings of the farmers who have remained on the land.

Plantings of corn, oats, rye, sugar beets, potatoes and wheat decreased during the period; while barley plantings and seedlings of alfalfa increased. Nearly one-third of Michigan farm land now grows hay; oats is the next most popular crop; and others named in the order of their ranking in acres planted, are wheat, potatoes, barley, rye and sugar beets.

## College Has Tested Winter Hardy Wheat

NEW VARIETY SURVIVES AD-  
VERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS.

A new wheat variety which shows exceptional resistance to winter killing has been developed by the plant breeding work carried on at Michigan State college to find the best crop varieties for state farmers.

The new variety, Bald Rock, has a long stiff straw and has no beard. It has yielded well in the tests made during the past several years at Lake City and Augusta. It is a red wheat with good milling qualities.

Red Rock, one of the parents of Bald Rock, yielded only about one-half bushel more than the new variety in 14 tests made in the past two years. Red Rock is grown by many Michigan farmers but some object to it because of the beard; Bald Rock has the same yielding, and quality characteristics, is more winter hardy, and is not bearded.

In 1928, when a great deal of winter killing cut down wheat yields, Bald Rock yielded twice as much as Red Rock. The new wheat seems to yield equally well in good years and is much superior in harvests which follow damaging winters.

Another wheat variety tested at the college, Berkley Rock, is resistant to both loose and stinking smut and is also winter hardy, but this wheat has a weak straw which causes it to lodge more easily than other varieties. The Berkley Rock will be used in plant breeding work in an attempt to develop a variety which has smut resistance and other desirable characteristics as well.

Blanche Aseltine was operated on for appendicitis at Sparrow hospital, Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. Donovan called in this neighborhood, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Matthews called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mills, Sunday.

Mr. Keller of Shiawassee county is spending several days with Hardy Aseltine.

Wm. Eberly of Williamston, spent several days last week with his daughter, Mrs. Earl Osgood.

Mr. Bennett had several sheep killed by dogs, Saturday night.

Henry Sherman spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Hardy Aseltine.

The Ladies Aid held its annual fair and supper in the church basement Friday evening. Proceeds were about \$100.

Miss Tillie Hale of Williamston is visiting Mrs. Lewis Hartwig.

Mrs. D. F. Harris has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Walter Osterle, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton of Howell, spent Sunday with George Mills.

Ernest Monroe and family were Sunday visitors of Norman Showers near Danville.

John Edwards was a Sunday visitor of Chas. Godley, near Vantown.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE NEWS

## South Leroy

Mrs. Rose Nelson and Mrs. Carrie Rich were the sick list the first of last week but are better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Risch have moved to their new home near Williamston.

Mr. Howe has moved into Vern Stove's tenant house.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Monore and Seldon visited friends in Grand Rapids, this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rice and Junior visited the week end with his brother Merton of this place.

Mrs. Anson Nelson was in Lansing Saturday.

Fred Osterle is building a tenant house.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Risch called on M. Rice, Saturday.

A surprise was given Miss Juanita Mead Friday evening on her sixteenth birthday anniversary.

The annual sale and supper was held at the Vantown hall Tuesday, November 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Donal visited friends in Midland, Sunday.

Went and Gerald Douglass have returned from the north.

## East Alameda

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Perkins of Williamston, and daughter Darlene called on John Speer last Wednesday.

Junior and Charles Kaimon of Williamston, spent last week with their grandparents.

Mrs. Chas. McClung visited her sister, Mrs. C. G. Keesler of Mason, recently.

Mr. Petterson and daughter of near Williamston, Mr. and Mrs. John Potter and Phyllis were Sunday guests of George Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McClung, Mrs. J. Speer and Hugh were in Lansing, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Sherwood were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McClung.

Mrs. John Kaimon, Mrs. Floyd Leach of Williamston, spent Friday evening with John Speer.

Mrs. Clarence Foreman and Marian of Williamston, spent Friday and Saturday with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Lott were in the north hunting deer last week.

## Central Onondaga

Carl Williams who is staying with his grandparents of this place broke his arm while cranking a Ford car last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doytader and family of Holt, spent one day last week with his parents of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Williams of Ackerson Lake, spent last Friday with her parents and their son who broke his arm.

P. Down and sister are on the sick list.

## Northwest Vantown

Leo Chick, who underwent an operation at St. Lawrence hospital, returned home last Thursday and is doing nicely.

Those who called on Mr. and Mrs. James Thayer, Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lepley, also Mr. and Mrs. Ora Sheathelm and daughter Joyce.

Mrs. George Martin is in Detroit. A. C. and Mrs. Alice Dean were in Lansing, Friday, on business.

Richard Mierndorf of near Millville spent Friday and Saturday with his brother, Chas. Mierndorf and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayhoe and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hayhoe were Saturday evening callers of Chas. Mierndorf.

Mr. and Mrs. Cley Foreman visited Mr. and Mrs. Vert Douglas, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harm Miller of Lansing, visited her mother, Mrs. A. Dean Thursday and also called on Mr. and Mrs. C. Mierndorf in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Metzger entertained guests from Lansing, Sunday.

## Dunn Community

Arlene Schram spent part of last week with Betty Baldwin.

Mabel Darling came home last week after spending a week with her parents in Rockford.

The Dunn school played the Harper school here Nov. 13, and won with a score of 75 to 0; and last week the Webb school came and played and won with a score of 16 to 8.

Helen Reese and Hilary Ruark of Wayne, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Reese.

Mrs. Elmer Dakin has been caring for Mrs. Oliver Schram.

Casper Lott of Imlay City, spent the week end with his parents.

Mrs. Robert Bartlett and Claire and Louise, spent last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Dakin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. Ford Whipple.

Russell Smith and Dorothy Ferris of Eaton Rapids, were married last Tuesday, November 17. A chavivari was

held Monday at the Geo. Smith home in their honor.

Robert Reed is a new student in the third grade.

The honor roll for November is composed of Floyd and Rose Darling, Marie Lenon, Robert and Theamae Reese, and Dorothy Rich. The perfect spelling club for past month contains 4 members, Rose and Floyd Darling, Marie Lenon and Verda Horn.

The Dunn school football team

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# AUCTION SALE! Of Livestock

I will sell at Public Auction at the place the Dart farm two miles northwest of Mason, or one mile south of the Canaan school house, on

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 1931**

Commencing at 10:00 o'clock, sharp, the following described property:

## HORSES

Gray Mare, 9 years old, weight about 1400 pounds

Gray Mare, 8 years old, weight about 1400 pounds

Gray Mare, 4 years old, weight about 1500 pounds

Black Mare, 9 years old, weight about 1100 pounds

Black Gelding, 12 years old, wt. about 1250 pounds

## CATTLE

Holstein Cow, 5 years old, due in December

Holstein Cow, 10 years old, due December

Holstein Cow, 5 years old, due January

Holstein Cow, 6 years old due January

Holstein Cow, 10 years old, due January

Holstein Cow, 10 years old, due January

Holstein Cow, 8 years old, due January

Holstein Cow, 3 years old, due February

Holstein Cow, 3 years old, due February

Holstein Cow, 5 years old, due April

Holstein Cow, 8 years old, due May

Holstein Cow, 3 years old, due June

Holstein Cow, 2 years old, due June

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Two Holstein Cows, 3 years old Jersey Cow, 3 years old, not bred

Black Cow, 7 years old, due Jan. old, due January

Guernsey & Durham Cow, 3 yrs. old, due January

Durham Cow, 9 years old

Holstein Bull, 18 months' old

Guernsey Heifer, 2 years old

## TOOLS

A few farm tools will be sold

TERMS—If terms are desired arrange with clerk prior to sale.

LUNCH AT NOON

**R. C. DART, Proprietor**  
D. C. Dart, Clerk  
Dolbee & Feighner, Auctioneers

# Auction Sale!

To settle an estate I will sell at Public Auction at the place the P. E. Tihart farm 1/2 mile south of Haslett, on

**THURSDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1931**

Commencing at 12:00 o'clock, sharp, the following described property:

Set Platform Scales  
2 Corn Shellers  
Riding Plow  
Milwaukee Mowing Machine  
John Deere Corn Planter, nearly new  
2 Shovel Cultivators  
Bob Sleigh and Box  
Keystone Hay Loader  
Wagon Rack, combination  
Power Feed Grinder  
Power Cutting Box  
8 h. p. Ideal Gas Engine  
Power Emery Wheel  
4 Pulleys and Shafting  
3 Riding Cultivators  
2 Bean Pullers  
Hay Rake  
4 Wagons  
Spring Tooth Harrow  
Land Roller

2 Disc Harrows  
Hay Tedder  
Breaking Cart  
Spike Tooth Drag  
2 Scrapers  
6 Ajax Cultivators  
2 Deering Corn Binders  
Walking Plow  
Riding Plow  
Sugar Beet Plow  
Grindstone  
Hay Rack  
Fanning Mill  
McCormick-Deering Grain Drill with fertilizer attachment  
Empire, Jr. Hoe Drill  
Manure Spreader  
4 Heavy Work Harnesses and Collars  
John Deere Tractor

3-bottom Tractor Plow  
Double Tractor Disc  
Double Buggy  
Cutter  
Surrey  
Single Buggy  
Grain Binder  
Sugar Beet Drill  
Model T Ford Truck  
Chevrolet 1929 Sedan  
4-section Spring Tooth Drag  
20-ft. Ladder  
10-ft. Stepladder  
17 acres Corn in shock  
15 tons Timothy Hay  
2 Bay Mares, weight 1500  
Gray Mare, weight 1500  
Gray Mare, weight 1050  
Bay Gelding, weight 1400  
Bay Gelding, weight 1200

TERMS—Ten dollars or under, cash; over that amount 6 months' time will be given on good bankable notes, drawing 7 per cent interest. 5% discount for cash. Bring bank references.

**JAY G. MARSH, Administrator**

Exchange Bank of Haslett, Clerk

J. E. Ruppert, Auctioneer



# Ingham County Legal News

A SUMMARY OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IN INGHAM COUNTY

## ROSTER OF COUNTY OFFICERS

### CIRCUIT COURT

Thirtieth Judicial Circuit

Terms: January, 2nd Monday in January at Mason; March, 2nd Monday in March at Lansing; May, 2nd Monday in May at Mason; September, 2nd Monday in September in Lansing.

Judges: Hon. Charles B. Collingwood and Hon. Leland W. Carr.

Prosecuting Attorney: John Wendell Bird, Lansing; Assistant, Dan McCullough, Lansing. Main office, American State Savings Bank Bldg., Lansing. Mason office, 3rd floor Court House, open Mondays 1:00 to 3:00 p. m.

Sheriff: Hugh W. Silsby, Mason.

Court Officer: William S. Rhodes, Mason.

Probation Officer and Friend of the Court, Laird Troyer, Lansing.

State Parole Officer: Everts Rouse, Lansing.

Circuit Court Commissioners: Carl H. McLean and William G. Cameron, Lansing.

### PROBATE COURT

Main office in Mason, branch at Lansing in Bauch Bldg., open Mondays and Thursdays

Judge: Hon. L. B. McArthur, Mason.

Probate Register: Charles A. Clinton, Mason.

County Agent: J. M. Hewitt, Mason.

Supervisor of Mothers' Pensions: E. Maud Orr, Mason.

### COUNTY CLERK

Main office at Lansing, branch in Lansing city hall

Clerk: C. Ross Hilliard, Mason.

Lansing Chief Deputy: Flora G. Dewey, Lansing.

### OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS

Treasurer: Hubert R. Bullen, Mason.

Register of Deeds: Ethel L. Phillips, Mason.

Drain Commissioner: George Graham, Mason.

School Commissioner: Fred E. Searl, Mason.

Road Commissioner: L. T. Lasenby, chairman, Mason, A. H. Phillips, Lansing, C. H. Murray, Bunkerhill

## New Cases Begun In Circuit Court

Chancery and law cases begun in Ingham county circuit court during week ending Monday before date of publication.

### Chancery

City National Bank, etc. vs. Asa G. Hamilton, foreclosure. E. C. Smith, Atty.

Mich. Life Ins. Co., a Mich. Corp. vs. Milo R. Perkins, et al., foreclosure. Groesbeck & Kelly, Atty.

Mich. Life Ins. Co., a Mich. Corp. vs. Ellen J. Cole, foreclosure. Groesbeck & Kelly, Atty.

Mich. Life Ins. Co., a Mich. Corp. vs. Louis H. Estfan, et al., foreclosure. Groesbeck & Kelly, Atty.

Mich. Life Ins. Co., a Mich. Corp. vs. Albert Holtz, et al., foreclosure. Groesbeck & Kelly, Atty.

Mich. Life Ins. Co., a Mich. Corp. vs. Wm. G. Kinney, et al., foreclosure. Groesbeck & Kelly, Atty.

American State Savings Bank, etc. vs. Prudden Bldg. Co., etc., foreclosure. Foster & Cameron, Atty.

Manlius M. Clark vs. Robt. B. Holt, bill in aid execution. Fox & Fox, Atty.

Helen M. LaGuire vs. Ralph S. LaGuire, divorce. Geo. R. Heck, Atty.

Glady's M. Stevens vs. Fred A. Stevens, divorce. John F. Berry, Atty.

In re Macy Conveyors, Inc., a Corp. Petition for appointment of receiver. John F. Berry, Atty.

### Law

Charles Shean, warden of Mich. Reformatory vs. U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Co., etc., trespass on the case upon promises. Paul W. Voorhies, Atty.

R. A. Yunker vs. Marelle Davis Brown and Samuel H. Davis, trespass on the case upon promises. Shields, Silsbee, Ballard & Jennings, Atty.

Eugene H. Hall vs. Waldron E. Filling, trespass on the case. James A. Greene, Atty.

Adams Realty Co., etc. vs. George W. Amnden, et al., trespass on the case upon promises. Shields, Silsbee, Ballard & Jennings, Atty.

George F. Tripp, Adm'r. of the estate of Mary Ruth Tripp, deceased, vs. Donald Rhodes, et al., trespass on the case. McQuinn & Neill, Atty.

Charlotte Leland vs. Russell A. Reed, trespass on the case. I. J. Salotte, Atty.

## Circuit Court Proceedings

Taken from journal entries of the circuit court

November 14 People vs. Lester Mings. Order for writ of habeas corpus ad testificandum.

November 16 People vs. Lee May. Recognizance, \$500.00.

People of Poor of Ingham Co. vs. Supps. of Poor of Kent Co. Trial, verdict and judgment: \$144.33, costs to be taxed.

Allice Fox vs. E. Guy Campbell. Judgment \$500.00, costs to be taxed. Twenty day stay.

Charles J. Fox vs. E. Guy Campbell. Judgment \$18.50, costs to be taxed. Twenty day stay.

People vs. Carlton Castle. Arraigned, pleaded guilty, plea accepted. Remanded to await sentence.

People vs. Ethelbert Jones. Order remanding to justice court.

Pooran Depts., Inc. vs. Seaman Co. Order.

People vs. Lester Mings. Arraigned, pleaded guilty, plea accepted. (Criminal code). Sentence: 15 to 30 years Jackson (3rd felony).

November 17 People vs. Peter A. Miller. Order remanding to justice court.

People vs. Maurice London. Recognizance, \$500.00.

Boyd Motor Sales Co. vs. Floyd C. Conklin, et al. Trial and verdict: Not guilty.

People vs. Harold Barber. Arraigned, waived, pleaded guilty, plea refused, pleaded not guilty, ordered.

Lytle C. Howlett, et al. vs. John McCabe. Default judgment: \$699.47, costs to be taxed.

In the matter of the contempt proceedings, Frank McLachlan. Proofs heard, adjourned until Saturday, Sept. 21, 1931.

November 18 Boyd Motor Sales Co. vs. Floyd C. Conklin, et al. Judgment for defendants, costs to be taxed.

Homer J. Ketchum and Miner G. Ketchum vs. Toledo-Lansing Ne-Hi Co. Motion to amend answer, granted. Motion for continuance, granted. Order setting aside default heretofore entered.

November 19 Sidney H. Culver vs. Vernon J. Brown and Nelson D. Brown. Trial. Ethel B. Bailey vs. Alvin J. Smith and Ora Smith. Trial, verdict and judgment: \$415.00, costs to be taxed.

Robert W. Dorgan vs. Ehinger Realty Co. Trial commenced.

November 20 In the matter of the contempt proceedings, Oscar Hedman. Guilty of contempt of court. Jail until decree is complied with, but not exceeding one year.

Charles N. Halstead vs. Joseph S. Bateman. Default judgment: \$287.29, costs taxed at \$21.10.

In the matter of petition of Charles F. Speerbrecker and Harriet Speerbrecker for order requiring Charles A. Trowbridge to make discovery concerning his property, in nature of a continuing proceedings one week.

November 20 Albert W. Dorgan vs. Ehinger Realty Co. and Albert L. Ehinger. Conclusion of trial, verdict and judgment: \$300.00, costs to be taxed.

November 21 In the matter of the contempt proceedings, Frank McLachlan. Guilty of contempt of court, sentence suspended on condition that he pay \$6 each week.

## Decrees Granted

Gertrude Doane vs. Alfred Doane. Helen E. Waldron vs. Wm. Waldron. Charles E. McComb vs. Milo B. McComb.

mentally incompetent, hearing on license to sell real estate. Estate of Harvey O. Williams, deceased, hearing on determination of heirs: Estate of Elizabeth C. Brittain, deceased, hearing on will; Estate of George G. Rogers, deceased, hearing on will and codicil; Estate of Frances R. Rogers, deceased, hearing on will and codicil.

Dachshunds come out every year with wheelbase. Woman's Home Companion.

## Canvas Tubes Used To Irrigate Crops

METHOD DEVELOPED BY MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE.

The old timers who used to say that you cannot make a silk purse out of a sow's ear would be somewhat astonished to inspect the irrigation system developed by the agricultural engineering department of Michigan State college, in which the pipes carrying the water are made of ordinary 8-ounce canvas cloth.

This method of irrigation has several distinct advantages in a state where the rapidly changing weather conditions may make the ownership of an expensive system an unneeded luxury. The water-conveying tubes used by the college are made of 8-ounce duck with the edges brought together and double stitched. The cost of material enough to make pipes for one acre is less than \$10, and this cost could be greatly reduced by quantity production.

The tubes can be bent to follow the contour of the ground or to carry water over hills. Water pumped into the tubes gradually oozes out and saturates the soil for strips a rod wide on each side of the tube. Tubes which were 60 rods long have been successfully used in college experiments. The water escapes from the tubes so slowly that none is lost through surface runoff and the soil is not eroded as occurs in surface irrigation. The tubes are placed on the soil surface, and the water can be turned off and the tubes moved to another location at any time.

Potatoes which were irrigated in Michigan this year with this system yielded 128 bushels more per acre than those getting only rainwater.

## DANSVILLE

"Trader Horn" tonight, w1

The first of a series of card parties being sponsored by the members of the O. E. S. of Dansville will be held Saturday evening, November 28, at Masonic hall. Games will be begun at eight o'clock. Euchre is expected to be the game of the evening for which liberal prizes are being awarded. Light refreshments will be served for which a nominal charge of ten cents will be made. An enjoyable time is anticipated. Those members who can conveniently do so are requested by the committee to bring a card table and pack of cards.

Mr. Finch, mentioned last week as locating at Dansville, is now comfortably located in his office in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Squire Holt.

A number from this village attended the Thanksgiving dinner and entertainment given at the Catholic church and school last Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen will spend Thanksgiving day at Detroit, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Watson. Mrs. Allen and Mrs. Watson are sisters.

Livestock 4-H club members held their regular meeting at the school on Tuesday evening. On Wednesday evening the Future Farmers group enjoyed a banquet at the school house. The winners in the fair contest were guests of honor, the losers providing the eats and entertainment.

The Woman's Home and Missionary societies will meet with Mrs. Eber Thompson, Wednesday, Dec. 2. Potluck dinner at noon. Bring table service and thimbles.

The O. E. supper last Saturday evening was attended by a large crowd and the entertainment was fine.

Mrs. Francis Oils and Mrs. Mildred Jones called on Mrs. Gladys Yaeger Sunday afternoon at the Mitchell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hullinger entertained Mayor and Mrs. M. R. Hullinger and daughter Robertagene of Jackson, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Yaeger visited at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, Saturday night and Sunday.

Dansville Free Methodist Church.

Wesley R. Cassell, Pastor.

Sunday school at 10:30.

Morning worship at 11:30.

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.

Dansville M. E. Church.

S. S. Cross, Pastor.

Class meeting at 10:30. H. Dakin, leader.

Morning worship at 11:00, subject, "Nathaniel."

Church school, 12:00. D. F. Grimes, Supt.

Epworth League at 6:30.

Evening preaching at 7:30.

Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30.

Wheatfield Methodist Church.

S. S. Cross, Pastor.

Morning preaching at 9:30, subject, "Nathaniel."

Church school at 10:30. Dell Wolf, superintendent.

Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 8:00.

CERTIFICATES OF ASSUMED NAME

East Side News, John Harrod, Lansing.

The East Side Courier, R. I. Griswold.

D and N One Stop Service, Earl L. Dake, 1514 New York Ave., Lansing.

Acme Carpet Cleaning Co., Charles Stall.

Marriage Licenses

Claude B. Hale, Lansing

Margaret Munsell, Lansing

Arthur C. Shellits, Lansing

Lillian M. Cummins, Flint

Elwin J. Harkness, Vevay

Leah P. Hall, Vevay

Floyd L. Thomas, Lansing

Bertha E. Roberts, Lake Odessa

Clyde Proctor, Lansing

Nora Stanton, Lansing

Burdett E. Phillips, Lansing

Mary G. Patterson, Lansing

James S. Dyer, Lansing

Viola B. Olson, Lansing

Arvin W. Long, Dimondale

Edith A. Hawley, Lansing

Lovell C. Thomas, Lansing

Evelyn M. McKee, Lansing

Delbert J. Spurbeck, Lansing

Marguerite Massau, Lansing

Ramond P. Smith, Lennon

Mary M. Berner, Lansing

Cyril W. Lauritzen, East Lansing

Nella S. Westrate, East Lansing

P. W. Wagnvoord, Jr., East Lansing

F. H. Sammon, Lansing

Lawrence Langham, Williamston

Helen Oakes, Williamston

## South Wheatfield

Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Warner were Sunday afternoon callers of S. A. Warner.

Mrs. Lucy Morse and Mrs. Ethel Hayhoe were in Mason, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Orlin Morse and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Casler visited Frank Hayhoe, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Iva Frost spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Lucy Morse.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hayhoe and family spent Sunday with Ed Ballard.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glynn and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks spent Sunday with Mrs. Maud Glynn.

Mrs. Iva Frost and Mrs. Lucy Morse were in Lansing, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Piper and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marsh of Haslett, and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cornell of Okemos, were Sunday visitors of Thos. Hart.

Dist. No. 7, White Oak

Mr. and Mrs. Trumble and family of Jackson, called on Mrs. Mary Collier and Guy, Monday.

Mrs. A. Springstead, Mrs. Rosa Freer and Mrs. Mary Kendrick attended the funeral of Miss Theodora Branch at Fowlerville Monday. Miss Branch was for many years a resident of Dansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt and little Robert of Albion, spent from Wednesday until Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kendrick.

Edward Eldred slipped and fell on the cement step at the Cady school last Tuesday, hurting his head and breaking his glasses, cutting his face so that he had to be taken to Dr. Larabee of Williamston, to have it dressed.

Mr. Trumble of Jackson, and Guy and Chas. Collier called on F. C. Kendrick, Monday evening.

Harry Ellerby of Albion, called on Mrs. F. C. Kendrick, last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt and Robert of Albion, called on Mr. and Mrs. N. Nemer, last Wednesday.

Mrs. Rose Freer of Dansville, spent the first part of the week with Mrs. F. C. Kendrick.

The many friends of Mrs. Nellie Cady and Martha will be sorry to learn that they have left the farm and have gone to Lansing. They will be greatly missed in the community where they have resided for so many years.

Mrs. F. C. Kendrick visited Mrs. R. Freer, Sunday.

Stockbridge

The officers of the County Federation of Woman's clubs visited the Home Culture club at the home of Mrs. Whitney last Tuesday afternoon and put on a very interesting program.

Commissioner P. E. Searl visited schools in this vicinity the first part of last week.

Mrs. Addie Lowe visited Mrs. Vesta Thompson last week Wednesday.

Over a hundred attended the Fellowship meeting at the Presbyterian church last week Thursday evening.

"Harvest Home" was observed by the Presbyterian Sunday school last Sunday.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bott helped them celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary, Monday.

The McCall and Batchelor schools participated in the Baptist program last Sunday evening.

HOW TIMES CHANGE!

When times were good we treated bankers like sacred cows and imputed to them all knowledge and wisdom.—Collier's Weekly.

It's mighty hard for a man to strike unselfish attitudes when he's shap a pair of pants.—The Country Home.

Council Proceedings

Mason, Mich., Nov. 23, 1931.

Council met and was called to order by Mayor Taylor. Present, Aldermen Barber, Fletcher, Hilliard, Jewett, Kelly, Swartout. Absent, O.

The minutes of the preceding session were read and approved.

A motion by Ald. Barber supported by Ald. Jewett, that the county bond of E. E. Kelly, city treasurer, with A. J. Hall, L. B. McArthur, A. McDonald, J. E. Taylor, L. T. Lasenby, L. H. Harrison, L. R. White, E. M. Salisbury, J. N. Baker, A. G. Wilson, Mac Vaughn, H. E. Neely, N. N. Rouse and J. B. Dean as sureties, be approved. Carried by vote: Yeas 6; nays 0.

By Mayor Taylor—

I hereby select and appoint Ald. Hilliard to represent the first ward, City of Mason, as supervisor from Nov. 5, 1931, until April 1, 1932. The above was approved by the council. Carried: Yeas 6; nays 0.

By Ald. Barber—

That the City Clerk be and is hereby instructed to make application for the renewal of the workmen's compensation insurance of the state accident fund, Lansing, Mich. The above motion was supported by Ald. Swartout and carried by vote: Yeas 6; nays 0.

On motion council adjourned one week until Nov. 30, 1931, at 7:30 p. m. GEO. E. KELLOGG, City Clerk.

## SCHOOL NOTES

The second debate of the preliminary series will be held in Fowlerville next week. Mason will uphold the affirmative side of the compulsory unemployment insurance question and will be represented by Norman Dart, Fred Rowland and James Wiegman.

Rev. George A. Percival and son James, Ronald Lung and Herbert Barnum will attend the Hi-Y conference in Ann Arbor, Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Lang is being sent by the school and Barnum by the Kiwanis club.

The Boy Scouts under the direction of Clifford Walcott met last Thursday at the school. They are beginning work for the second class scouts and are studying signalling at present. The next meeting will be this, Wednesday, evening at the school.

The report cards were sent home today, Wednesday, and the honor roll will appear next week.

The complete basketball schedule is announced in this issue of the paper. Practice has already begun for both boys and girls.

School dismissed Wednesday evening for the Thanksgiving vacation and will resume Monday, November 30. Most of the teachers have planned to spend the holiday at their homes.

Northeast Delhi

Twenty-six neighbors and friends gathered at the home of Seymour Ensign, Saturday evening, the event being a complete surprise to Mrs. Ensign. A Bohemian supper was served. A fine time was reported by all.

Mrs. John Schult of Brighton, spent the week with her brother, Seymour Ensign and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Coryell spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Carrie Hawkins, in Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ribby and son visited at the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fry, in Meridian, Sunday.

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## Legal Notice

**HEARING CLAIMS.**      **BIGN.**  
State of Michigan..      The Probate

at a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 2nd day of November, A. D. 1931.

Present, HON. L. B. McARTHUR, Judge of Probate,

the Matter of the Estate of **MARY E. WAL**, Deceased.

Appearing to the court that the time for entation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by before said court:

is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased be required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the day of March, A. D. 1932, at ten o'clock the forenoon, said time and place being by appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against deceased.

is Further Ordered, That public notice be given by publication of a copy of this order in the Ingham County Record, on the 14th day of January, 1911, at the said day of hearing, in the Ingham County, a newspaper printed and circulated in the County of Ingham, Michigan, to the true copy of which is attached, and signed by the Judge of Probate.

CLINTON, Register of Probate. 46w1c

**T. OF ADMR. HILL-DEC.**  
County of Michigan. The Probate Court for  
County of Ingham  
a session of said Court, held at the Pro-  
Office in the City of Mason, in said coun-  
ty of Michigan, on the 11th day of November, A. D. 1931,  
present: HON. L. B. McARTHUR, Judge  
of Probate, the latter of the Estate of ADAM L.  
Deceased.  
Edward J. Seiffert having filed in said  
his petition praying that the adminis-  
tration of the estate of said ADAM L. Mc-  
to or to some other suitable person:  
It is Ordered, That the 8th day of December,  
1931, be and the same is appointed as an  
of Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed

earing said petition;  
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 Lughan County  
press, or a newspaper printed and circulated  
in county.  
L. H. McARTHUR,  
true copy.) Judge of Probate,  
CLINTON, Register of Probate. 46w4

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**MORTGAGE SALE.**  
It is hereby certified that the conditions  
certain real estate mortgage, whereby the  
of sale therein contained became oper-  
made by Agnes A. Allen (survivor of

W. Allen, deceased) to the Union Building Loan Association, (limited), a Michigan corporation, of Lansing, Michigan, dated January 1, 1929, and recorded in the Ingham County, Michigan, Register of Deed's office on January 3, 1929, in liber 317 of mortgages on page 189 upon which mortgage there is now claimed to be due and payable for principal and interest the sum of \$1945.25, insurance premiums of \$6.63, and taxes paid on mort-

lands of \$719.18, making a total debt of \$1,000.00. The said mortgage was given to recover said debt, or any part thereof said mortgage, having by resolution duly adopted by the board of directors of said corporation, declared its election to consider the amount unpaid on said mortgage debt now due and payable the reason of the said election being the installment of said mortgage and interest as provided for by said mortgage, notice is hereby given that on Friday, the 10th day of November, 1911, at the noon of said day (Eastern Standard Time) the entrance to City Hall Building, Lancaster, Pa., at the City Hall, will be the place where the Ingham County (Pa. Ct. is held), said mortgage will, by the said corporation, be foreclosed in pursuance of the statute, sell at public sale in the lands described therein, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage, together with all costs, interest and attorney fee of Thirty-dollars, as therein provided, parcel of land lying and being situated in the township of Manheim at southwest corner of east

ruels of gold one, black fifteen, of Town-  
ship of Jackson, section 20, thence north  
and west, along the line of section 20,  
east two rods, south two rods, west  
eight and one-fourth feet, south to  
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of 115 of Assessor's Plat No. 3, City of  
Chicago, thence to beginning, in the  
County of Cook, State of Illinois, dated  
October 31, 1931.

**ON BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIA-  
TION, LIMITED, Mortgagee.**

**W. E. HANCOCK, Attorneys for  
Mortgagee, Business Address, Lansing, Michi-  
gan 13.**

**MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE.**

Know all men by these presents, that I, the  
undersigned, for and in consideration of the  
sum of more than thirty days having  
expired, the payment of a certain in-  
terest of interest and of certain taxes, and  
certain insurance premiums, paid by the  
undersigned, secured by a certain mortgage giv-  
ing to Hanser Peter and Clara Peters, his wife,  
Edward Henniker, December 21, 1926, re-  
corded in the Ingham County Register's office

whereby the mortgagor hereby gives, transfers, conveys, assigns, releases, waives, and covenants that the principal of the mortgage, including insurance premiums, assessments and taxes paid by the mortgagor, all arrearages of interest, viz: the interest due on the 20th day of February, 1927, is due at the date of this mortgage, and the mortgagor hereby waives all suits or proceedings having been instituted at law to recover the debt secured by this mortgage.

The mortgagor hereby given that by virtue of the sale of said contained therein, said mortgage is foreclosed to satisfy the amount due thereon, (including insurance premiums and assessments) by the mortgagee, and the proceeds, by sale of the mortgaged premises in full and entire satisfaction of the debt, shall be vendue to the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the City of New York, on the 20th day of February, next, at ten o'clock in forenoon of said day, which premises are set out in said mortgage as follows:

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(10) rods, thence north forty-five (45)  
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thence south thirty-three and one-half  
degrees east in center of said drain  
north line of said highway, thence south  
west (45) degrees, west in the place of  
said November 9, 1931.

EDWARD HENNIKEN, Mortgagee,  
HODD & W. S. SEELYE, Attorneys  
Mortgagee, Business Address, Mason, Mich-  
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## Basketball Schedule Announced By Coach

### FOURTEEN GAMES ARE LINED UP FOR MAROON MEN.

Coach Carl Stewart has arranged a schedule of fourteen games for the local basketball quintet and announces the following schedule: December 11, Charlotte, there; December 18, Alumn, here; December 22, East Lansing, there; January 8, Hastings, here; January 15, Hastings, there; January 19, Eaton Rapids, here; January 22, Grand Ledge, there; January 29, Grand Ledge, here; February 2, Eaton Rapids, there; February 5, Howell, there; February 12, St. Mary's of Lansing, here; February 16, Charlotte, here; February 19, East Lansing, here and February 29, Howell, here.

Ronald Lang, Morris Strickland, Celand Lamphere, Theo Barker and Charles Clippert are among the veterans of the first team squad who will be out for positions this year. Many new recruits were present at the first practice held Tuesday evening and it is expected that plenty of good material will be on hand for the players who made good showings in the reserve and Junior High of last year will be available. Swartout, Michels, Lee, Kinnison, Hanes, Holley and Aseltine are among them.

### Northeast Lansing Township

Mrs. Wm. Gladden and Mrs. Loren Bancroft entertained the Rural Missionary Glensers at the home of Mrs. Gladden last Thursday. Plans were made for the annual community Christmas tree.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Stockman will entertain the new officers and committees of Capitol Grange, Saturday evening at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gladden have gone to spend the winter in Florida.

W. E. West attended Pomona Grange in Wheatfield, Saturday.

Mrs. Wm. Baumgras attended the Red Cross banquet at the Franklin Ave. Presbyterian church last Wednesday evening.

Capitol Grange met at the Student Grange hall Saturday evening. After a Bohemian supper C. H. Bramble installed the new officers. Honors were given two members, John Valentine and James Hult, who the National Grange has designated as Golden Sheaf members having been in the Grange 50 years or more.

"Trader Horn" tonight.

## Robbins Child Study Club Holds Meeting

### OFFICERS ARE ELECTED BY MEMBERS.

The first meeting of the Robbins Child Study Club was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Edna Topf, with ten members present. The following officers were elected for the year: Leaders, Mrs. Edna Topf and Mrs. Neoma Bunker; chairman, Mrs. Margaret Clark; secretary and treasurer, Mrs. Genevieve Topf. The subject of the lesson was "Your Child's Nutrition", and the discussion was led by the hostess in a very interesting and instructive manner.

The leader told of the proper foods for children of all ages, especially those of pre-school age. She also brought out the importance of good food habits, regularity of meals, well-cooked food served in tempting ways, and especially the importance of a pleasant atmosphere at meal-time. Causes of lack of hunger should be determined and remedied, as a low standard of nutrition often brings about serious results. Sunshine, fresh air, exercise, plenty of water to drink and care of the teeth were all emphasized as contributing to good health.

### Dansville

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson of Coloma, visited their cousin, Mrs. Rose Freer, last week.

Mrs. Frankie Greenough attended the funeral of Theodosia Branch of Fowlerville, Monday.

Miss Theodosia Branch of Fowlerville, passed away Saturday, Nov. 21, at the age of 87 years. She was for many years a resident of Dansville and resided with her niece, Mrs. Clara Hinkley. She was a faithful member of the Baptist church and beloved by all who knew her and she will be greatly missed.

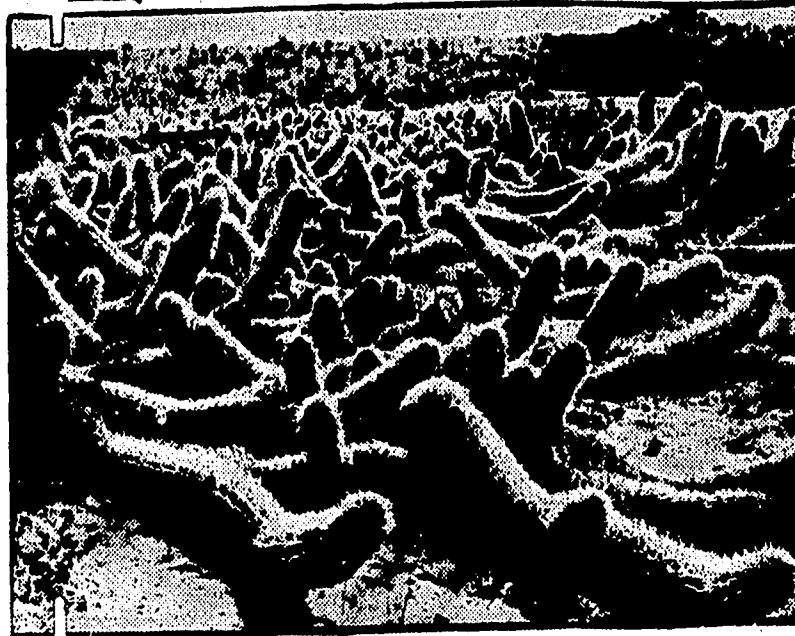
Dansville Baptist Church Rev. James Goodman will preach next Sunday morning at nine o'clock. Sunday school immediately following the preaching service.

The Baptist Ladies Aid will meet at the town hall for dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 9.

NECESSITY KNOWS NO LAW. Men whose babies cry for bread may override any barrier of words written down on paper.—The Country Home.

WORLD UNITY. The time has passed when any nation can prosper unless all nations are prosperous.—American Magazine.

# Lower California



Caterpillar Cactus of Lower California.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

NOT often does Lower California get too much rain. The long peninsula which, in shape, resembles a man's neck, thrusts its 800 miles southward into the Pacific from the southern border of California, is a land scored by sun's rays and largely covered by cactus and other growth that is found in arid regions. But recently, when a hurricane struck the peninsula, a large area was drenched. Many of its villages including La Paz, the capital, suffered from high water.

Lower California was once in the custody of the United States. During the Mexican war, in 1847, the forces of the United States occupied the principal points in the peninsula and declared it American territory, but relinquished it at the close of hostilities.

Its width varies from 20 to 100 miles and its coast line of over 2,000 miles is indented by numerous bays and bordered by many islands. Most of its nearly 100,000 inhabitants live in villages that dot the slopes of the Pacific and the Gulf of California. Its broad areas of low, sun-scorched plains, where death by thirst awaits unwary travelers and desolate plateaus of rugged black lava present an ungenial aspect.

But all Lower California is not forlorn. Many of its villages of low mud houses are set amid clumps of lofty shade trees, although some of them, surrounded by sandy wastes, might almost have been set down bodily from Arabia.

Nature has made queer marks on the peninsula's panorama. Almost without exception of majestic palms that would not be out of place on a Sahara oasis, are great hosts of creeping figs which resemble nests of gigantic spine-covered caterpillars creeping in all directions from a central root. This peculiar weed is native to this country. The caterpillars creep away from their roots sometimes 20 to 30 yards. The part of the stem resting on the ground sends down small roots and the older stems die in the rear at about the same rate as they grow in front, so they slowly move away from the colony across the flats where they live.

Animals Who Drink No Water. A large number of the smaller kinds of desert mammals never drink water. They live and thrive on dry seeds and scraps of vegetation in places where the heat and aridity are excessive, without ever touching their lips to water, and it has even been found impossible to teach some of them in captivity to take water. Apparently they never know thirst or the delight of quenching it.

Many Lower California birds and mammals, however, are closely related to those of southern California. Only a few species of birds and a single land mammal, all in the extreme southern end of the peninsula, appear to have originated on the Mexican mainland. All the others are evidently derived from well-known species of southern California, though they have been isolated long enough to develop numerous geographic forms. This is in strong contrast to the great difference shown by the flora in which we

numerous strongly marked species peculiar to this region.

As in similar arid areas of the extreme southwestern United States, the plains of Lower California ordinarily abound with small desert mammals such as rabbits, pocket mice, kangaroo rats, and others. During long-continued dry periods vast numbers of these small mammals perish of starvation, owing to the failure of necessary crops of succulent and seed-bearing herbage; but after two or three years of renewed rainfall and abundant plant life, the desert again swarms with countless numbers of these small folk.

So accustomed do the animals become to depending upon plants for moisture that travelers have come to water holes in the hottest weather and found no evidence that animals have come there to drink while fresh tracks have been found a few rods away.

Small desert foxes, with large ears and bodies not much larger than those of a cat, occur on the larger plains throughout the peninsula. They live in burrows and, when surprised away from home by day, are very cunning in concealing themselves. As danger approaches they skulk to the nearest bush, tuft of grass, or other little object breaking the surface and sink down flat on the ground beside it, and although they may be in plain view, they are almost certain to escape notice unless seen before they reach shelter.

When concealment becomes impossible they are up and off like a flash, and so swift and graceful are their movements that they appear to float across the plain like a yellowish gray streak. On the Magdalena plains the cowboys ride down and lasso coyotes for sport; but they admit defeat in attempting to catch the fleet-footed fox.

### Some Large Game Animals.

Antelope, mountain sheep, mule-deer, and mountain lions are the only large game animals on the peninsula. Antelope formerly occupied all the plains, but are now reduced to a small number in a few localities, and there appears to be little hope of saving them from early extermination. Deer are still to be found in many localities and with the mountain lion will outlast other large game in that region.

The first mountain sheep discovered in America were those recorded in the early writings of the Spanish missionaries from Lower California. There are numerous species of mountain sheep in the Old and New worlds, and most of them have their homes about high and desolate mountain crests rising above the coniferous forests at timber line, where they live amid Arctic and semi-Arctic conditions.

Among the mountain sheep of Lower California these common conditions of life are reversed and they occupy the low desert ranges parallel to the Gulf coast from sea-level up to 4,000 or 5,000 feet altitude, always below the lower limit of the coniferous forests which adorn the upper levels of the high mountains in the northern part of the peninsula.

Here the summer temperatures are commonly much more than 100 degrees Fahrenheit in the shade, and the arid mountain slopes have a scanty growth of cactuses, yuccas and other strictly desert plants. These sheep commonly go to water when available in the hot, dry summers, but are able to exist for considerable periods, even in hot weather, on the moisture obtained from the more fleshy cactus plants, the tender flowers and flower stalks of agaves and yuccas, and from other water-storing desert plants.

In addition to the mammals already mentioned wild cats, badgers, spotted skunks, raccoons, coyotes and other kind of fox make their homes on desert areas of Lower California. The spotted skunk, or hydrophobia skunk, as it is commonly called, is most abundant in the extreme southern end of the peninsula, where it is looked upon with fear and abhorrence owing to its habit of biting people in the face while they are sleeping on the ground and the reputed commonly resulting death of its victims by rabies. The fear of these skunks extends throughout the peninsula.

Doves and Calliope valley quail are numerous the entire length of the peninsula, their presence always indicating the vicinity of permanent water. Often while camping near a desert water hole, hunters have watched birds come and go unafraid of man. Even quail stand quietly and after drinking preen their plumage or move carelessly about, uttering little subdued call-notes to one another.

### Soldier's Idea of Action

This is my philosophy of action: Every time you've a task before you examine it carefully, take exact measure of what is expected of you. Then make your plan, and in order to execute it properly create for yourself a method. Never improvise. The fundamental qualities for good execution of a plan are, first, naturally, intelligence; then discernment and judgment which enable one to recognize the best methods to attain it; then, singleness of purpose; and, lastly, what is most essential of all, namely, will—stubborn will.—Marshal Foch.

## Three Farm Auctions Listed This Week

### SOME EXCELLENT DAIRY STOCK IS OFFERED.

In the current issue of this newspaper advertising will be found carrying full information concerning three important farm auctions.

On Monday, November 30, R. C. Dart will sell at his farm two miles northwest of Mason, five head of horses, 16 Holstein cows, several head of other cattle, and some farm tools. On Thursday, December 3, Jay G. Marsh, administrator, will sell at the Peter Thart farm, one-half mile south of Haslett, five good work horses and a complete line of farm tools and equipment.

On Thursday, December 3, Ed. L. Wagner will sell at his farm 12 miles east of Mason on the Howell road, 25 head of high grade Guernsey, Jersey and Holstein cows, several head of horses, some hogs and poultry.

### Southeast Ingham

Alva and Anna Ewers were in Jackson visiting relatives the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn were in Lansing, Monday.

Emma Heenev spent a part of last week visiting relatives in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Wordon were callers of James Quinn and family, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Merlyn Ewers of Jackson, were guests of Ervin Ewers and family one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn and Art Conklin were callers of Lydia Filzenreiter in Lansing, Saturday.

### Leslie

Charles Luther is convalescing at his home from a serious operation on his face performed last week at Pompano.

Mrs. Emily Gibson will be hostess to the Outlook club, Dec. 1.

Leslie Free Methodist Church Wesley R. Caswell, Pastor

Sunday school 10 a. m.

Class meeting 11 a. m.

Prayer and Praise service 7:30 p. m.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30.

### HARMONY MUSICAL CLUB.

The next regular meeting of the Harmony Musical club will be held in the Marie Smith studio on Jefferson avenue on Thursday, December 3. The program will consist of roll call response, naming a musician who was also famous in other lines. Mary Jane Burton will give the biography of Stephen Foster and Jane Ziegler will give selections of his music and the members will sing some of his songs. Winford Barnum will play a violin solo and Elicene Carrier and Betty Bergin will play a two piano duo. Boyd Longyear and Austin Williams will entertain with piano solos. Maxine Rouse will give a reading and Arthur Chappell will render piano selections.

### Fitchburg

B. J. Holland returned home Tuesday from Ann Arbor. He has been receiving observation tests at the U. of M. hospital for the past five days.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hawley entertained the Community club at their home Saturday evening. More than sixty were in attendance. Games and stunts were the diversions of the evening. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. Guests departed at a late hour hoping to meet again in the near future.

The Bunkerhill sewing group will meet at the town hall, Dec. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Clinton visited relatives at Fitchburg, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Batdorf and family and Mrs. B. J. Holland visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Monroe, Sunday.

The Merry-Go-Round club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Celia Weston with her mother assisting as hostess on Thursday of last week.

After a very lovely dinner the afternoon was spent in sewing for Valentine Tropic's children. Mrs. Fred Lord read the scripture lesson and Mrs.



## WHEN YOUR DOLLARS GO SHOPPING

### ARE THEY WELL INFORMED?

In order to be well informed follow this space every week and profit by the savings that Parkhurst's offer.

Wool and Rayon Hose—in all fall and winter shades, sizes 8½ to 10, pair.....**.25**

Children's Knit Sleepers or Tennis Flannel Sleepers, sizes 2 to 6.....**.49**

Fast color Novelty Coverall Aprons, ideal for Christmas gifts, and only.....**.50**

Massilon Made—Nun Run Bloomers, vest, French panties and combinations, flesh and peach.....**.50**

Pure thread silk, Ladies' Full Fashioned Silk Hose, all the new wanted shades.....**.69**

42-inch Linen Finish Pillow Tubing, per yard....**.19**

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## PARKHURST'S

Myrtle Lord conducted the program entitled "Influence", which consisted of readings and poems. All except one member was present. Mrs. Edwin Friermuth, Mrs. Mary McCreery, Mrs. Elton Musbach and Mrs. Watson were guests. The next meeting will be in December at Mrs. Kate Hawley's.

The school news for November was written by the fourth grade English class.

On Monday, Nov. 16, F. E. Searl visited the school.

The fourth graders are now using the "Far and Near" work book in geography which also helps them in reading.

Eleanor Flagg, Virgil Flagg and Lavonda Lawrence had a perfect record in spelling this month.

The pupils have begun to learn a Christmas song for our Christmas program.

The sixth grade has finished the middle Atlantic states in their United States notebooks.

The fourth grade kept an interesting weather chart the third week in November.

Our teacher has just finished reading a health book called "The Great East Gate."

There have been no tardiness during November.

The fourth graders have their collections of "Methods of Transportation" ready to make their poster.

### Dart District

The Ladies Aid of Vantown will serve a chicken pie supper Tuesday evening, Nov. 24, at their hall.

Mrs. Albert Malcho and daughters spent Friday night and Saturday with Mrs. Lawrence Fink.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gauss of Pinfield, and John Edwards of Webberville, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. C. Godley.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Malcho visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Galpin near Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Joslin and Mrs. Carrie Joslin were Sunday callers of Mrs. Nellie Cady and Martha, in Lansing.

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Country Club peanut butter lb. jar 15c

**JEWEL COFFEE** A mild drinking santon lb. **19c**

Her Grace, lb. 25c French, lb. 25c Country Club, lb. 35c

**SLICED BREAD** Country Club full lb. loaf **6c**

Regular 1½ lb. loaf 7c Sandwich Bread 1½ lb. 8c

**COTTAGE CHEESE** Bulk lb. **12c**

Package Cottage Cheese 12 oz. pkg. 12c

**TOMATOES** Standard quality 3 No. 2 cans **25c**

**Pancake Flour** Country Club 5 lb. sack **19c**

Henkel's or Rowena pancake flour 5 lb. sack 23c

**Log Cabin Syrup** can **27c**

For those delicious steaming pancakes

**BROWN SUGAR** Bulk lb. **5c**

Real old fashioned brown sugar

**PRUNES** Bulk lb. **5c**

California fresh crop 70 - 80 size

**CANVAS GLOVES** pair **9c**

Strong and well made - handy everywhere

**SCRATCH FEED** 100 lb. bag **\$1.39**

A high quality low priced feed

**WHITE or SHOE PEG CORN** No. 2 can **10c**

Here is outstanding corn value

**SUGAR** Fine Michigan granulated bulk, lb. **5c**

**Pork and Beans** Country Club 4 cans **25c**

An economical easily prepared meal

**Catsup** Country Club 14-oz. bottle **15c** 8-oz. bottle **10c**

For that delicious plate of pork and beans

**FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES**

Kroger Produce departments are the brightest spots in every community. Choice Fruits and Vegetables are received fresh daily.

**Bananas** Fancy yellow fruit 4 lbs. **19c**

**LEMONS** 300 size - Sunkist doz. **25c**

**IDAHO POTATOES** 15 lb. bag **31c**

**CARROTS** Fancy California 2 bunches **15c**

**APPLES** Jonathans - for eating 4 lbs. **25c**

Kings - for cooking, 5 lbs. 15c

**Oranges** California Navel - sweet and juicy 176 size doz. **33c**

**CHOICE QUALITY MEATS**

**FRIDAY and SATURDAY SPECIALS**

**Pork Roast** Picnic style lb. **8c**

**Smoked Hams** lb. **15c**

Whole or shank half

**Beef Roast** Choice chuck cuts lb. **10c**

## "Trader Horn"

The thrill of a life time—white men battling the savage men and beasts of the Dark Continent!

## Pastime Theatre

Wednesday and Thursday

Friday and Saturday

Two Big Pictures

**WHEELER**

**WOOLSEY**

**"Cracked Nuts"**

Their big comedy hit, also

Victor MacLaglen in

Not Exactly Gentlemen

Next week Friday-Saturday

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## Sellers Klearfront Cabinets

A high grade cabinet in every respect—replete with extra Sellers features—yet priced to suit you.

### HUSBANDS

No better suggestion can be offered for your principal Christmas gift. The investment is very reasonable and years of joyful use are assured.

Stainless extending porcelain top—chromium plated hardware—glass drawer pulls—six piece glassware set—30 pound flour bin.

All finished by the Sellers "Baked On" process. Nine finishes.

