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When a man seeks your advice he generally wants your praise.

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JOINT SESSION PLANNED ON REFUNDING OF BONDS

CITY COUNCIL TO MEET WITH SCHOOL BOARD.

Members of the city council and the board of education will hold a joint session Monday night, January 23, to discuss the refunding of \$75,000 in school bonds. The board of education has tentatively planned to retire \$10,000 of the bonds on April 1 and to retire the balance of \$65,000 over a five-year period. The city administration declares that it is in the city's best interest to refund the bonds before 1940, when the school board should stretch its retirement period to at least 10 years.

Following the destruction of the Mason school by fire, \$150,000 in six per cent bonds were issued to construct the new building. The money market was high at the time the fire in 1921 and the school district was forced to issue six per cent bonds with none of them callable until 15 years had elapsed. The school district has long been penalized by a high rate of interest. Tentative plans call for the refunding of the remaining \$75,000 in bonds at an interest rate between three and three and one-half per cent. The school board position is that a lower interest rate can be secured for longer periods. The school board also takes the stand that if the present increase in enrollment continues that additional school facilities will have to be provided in five years. Members of the board also point out that the retirement of the bonds in five years will not necessitate any increase in the school tax rate and that the rate may even be lowered.

Fear Power Lead
Ald. Charles Clinton at the council meeting Monday night declared that property owners will be burdened by the retirement of bonds over a short period. He said, "The city has \$31,000 in debt to retire by 1940. If this burden is increased by the retirement of \$65,000 in school bonds over the same period the burden will be too heavy for taxpayers. It would mean that Mason taxpayers would have to pay \$22,000 a year for debt service."

The school building is in good shape. I can see the necessity for retiring the bonds in five years. Let the coming crop of taxpayers bear part of the cost."

Mayor Arthur W. Jowett told the council that he understood that the retirement of the school bonds would not lift the school tax rate. However, he suggested that the council and school board co-operate in refunding the bonds. He stated that the school board members have not manifested any co-operative spirit with the city administration. He also declared that the school aid legislation is providing so much money that the board of education is in the position of having too much cash.

Informed of the statements made at the council session, C. H. Hall, secretary of the school board, said, "Members of the school board are entirely willing and anxious to co-operate with the city council. The city council went ahead and refunded the bonds without consulting the school board and we have attempted to work out the school district's refunding problems for the benefit of the district. However, we will be glad to have the aldermen attend our meeting."

The school board has done its best in the past few years to lower the tax rate. We have lowered school taxes and reduced the school tax rate. Yet total taxes are no lower. The city administration has taken most of the reduction in school taxes. What we have cut the city council has used. Perhaps there has been a dire need for the city council to take advantage of the reductions in order to carry the load but certainly it can not be said that the school board has failed to co-operate in holding taxes down.

"With few exceptions the same taxpayers who pay school taxes are those who pay city taxes. The same taxpayers bear the burden of the city and school district. We have not lost sight of that fact and we will be pleased to give the aldermen a respectful hearing."

Meeting Next Thursday Of Credit Association

ANNUAL MEETING PLANNED FOR THREE COUNTIES.

Farmers of Ingham, Eaton and Barry counties are expected to attend the second annual meeting of the Charlotte Production Credit association, which is to be held in the Grange hall at Charlotte, Thursday afternoon, January 30, beginning at one o'clock. The association is one of 15 local cooperative associations in Michigan set up under authority of the Federal Credit Administration, through which farmers may obtain short term credit for production purposes, including the purchase of livestock, feed, equipment and other production purposes. The association has served 560 farmers in its district since it was organized in the early part of 1934, totaling loans aggregating \$188,000 having been made. The present interest rate on loans through the association is 5%.

B. F. Reynolds, vice president of the association will report for the board of directors on the growth which the association has made during 1935 and the general progress in extending credit service to the farmers of the territory. Glen A. Speers, secretary-treasurer, will make a complete business report for the association for the past year.

Special invitations have been extended to officers and directors of National Farm Loan Association, county agricultural agents and home demonstration agents, teachers of vocational agriculture, and officers of other cooperative farm organizations. The meeting is open to all persons interested in agriculture and in the development of a permanent cooperative credit system for agriculture. George Sussner, president of the Production Credit Corporation of St. Paul, will be the guest speaker.

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Government Should Have Planted Mantanuska Colonists In Arizona

By V. J. Brown

Had the United States government taken its \$12,000 per family it is claimed to have invested in the Alaska colonists and purchased 10-acre tracts for each in Gila valley, a lot more families might have been rehabilitated. Moreover there is already at hand here along the Gila an abundance of electric power for industrial and domestic use and there is a climate which requires much less for shelter and sustenance than in Alaskan regions.

Our family-conducted tour left Tucson early one morning to travel back to El Paso by way of Casa Grande, Superior, Globe and Safford. We selected the route for various reasons. First we wanted again to visit the Casa Grande ruins where some ancient nation now so obscured that even the best of archeologists find difficulty in agreeing. A visit here is intriguing. The government park service is gradually making improvements for increasing numbers of students and more sight-seeing has been expended in the erection of permanent shelter over the best of the ruins in order that the elements may not destroy them for future generations.

Second, we wanted to visit the Gila valley where the waters impounded by the Coolidge dam are employed to transform a desert into a verdant garden. The thriving city of Coolidge is but 10 years old but is a humming market community with excellent schools, churches, paved streets, theaters, modern stores, municipal water system and electric light. What a contrast we pictured the day as we traversed this fertile valley. Alaskan frozen in for the long winter, assailed by virulent disease and plagued by monotonous and long night. Gila valley children shouting gleefully on playgrounds flooded by health-giving sunlight, ever over hot stoves. Arizonians awaiting each morning of the year to a day of sunshine and soil second to none in fertility. Who thought up that Alaskan venture anyway?

Another reason we had for taking this route back to Texas was that it passes through Miami and Globe, two mining sections that first put the skirts under our own copper country of Michigan. Today, we found, the skirts are under their own feet. The skirts are not being operated, their mines as dead as any and their miners, like our own, are employed altogether in emergency relief projects financed by the federal government. South African copper, richer or mined with far less expense, is held to blame for the situation in Arizona.

Coolidge dam is worth seeing. Approaching it and leaving it the traveler winds through narrow canyons and abrupt precipices, not too interesting. It is one of the larger irrigation projects of the nation, prevents devastating floods in the lower valleys and holds the waters of a vast drainage area back until the farmers in the lower valley have use for it. The main levee crosses Coolidge dam and on each side skirts the impounded water for considerable distance.

Up stream from Coolidge dam, Gila River is quite a river, meandering and winding down a limited valley containing within the Apache Indian reservation. The aborigines still live in the crude "Hogans" as they are called—made of sticks and long coarse grass, dirt floor, open fire in center and smoke smoking from every crevice. At modern trend where a small cabin has been constructed but for the most part the families huddle together just as the Apaches lived when the "forty-niners" crossed the plains in search of gold. Farther up the valley, outside the reservation boundaries, are found several thriving towns and small cities, chief of which is Safford, a town of around 4000 inhabitants.

Storm Sewer Project Temporarily Held Up

STEELE STREET PRIVATELY OWNED, RECORDS SHOW.

Work on the east side storm sewer, the city's major WPA project, is being temporarily held up because of a dispute over right of way. The city maps and plat books show that Steele street was laid out as a street although between Main and Columbia streets it has not been used for street purposes. The sewer project was well underway when L. J. Robinson brought forth a deed which proves that he is the owner of nine rods of the street. He has demanded payment for a right of way for the sewer.

Attended to the land has not been assessed to Mr. Robinson, City Attorney E. A. Densmore told the council that there is no doubt that Mr. Robinson is the bona fide owner. Mr. Robinson has held the deed for more than 40 years, Mr. Densmore said.

The council at its session Monday night ordered the WPA project halted until the issue is settled.

Eaton Stock Rustlers Sentenced To Prison

SIX EATON RAPIDS YOUTHS GET LONG TERMS.

Eaton Rapids' ring of stock rustlers have begun prison terms. They were sentenced to terms of one to five years at the Eaton Rapids penitentiary. The youths are: Harry Bates, 22; Howard Pollett, 22; Charles Barnett, 20; Ralph Baumer, 21; Reginald Johnson, 19; and Kenneth Boorn, 15. Barnett and Baumer are former high school athletes. Boorn is the son of a former sheriff. Two of the young men had made their home at the V. F. W. institution.

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FARM MUTUAL RE-ELECTS OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

LOUIS A. STID AGAIN CHOSEN AS SECRETARY.

Policy Holders Cheered By Announcement Of Fine Surplus Built Up During Past Year.

Louis A. Stid, for the past four years secretary-treasurer of the Ingham County Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance company, was unanimously elected to his third two-year term at the annual meeting held in the Mason theater Saturday night. The directors were also re-elected. They are: George Allen, Ingham; Charles H. Kurtz, Lansing; Claude Keith, Leroy; Lou Sherman, E. Livenshance, Meridian; W. Lockie, F. E. Livenshance, Meridian; H. Baldwin, Onondaga; L. W. V. Heesey, Stockbridge; C. A. Davis, Vevay; Jess V. Fisher, Wheatfield; Rex Osborne, White Oak; Bert Liverance, Williamston; and J. H. Shafer of Mason, county at large.

E. A. Densmore is president of the company. The secretary-treasurer and the president are elected for two-year terms on alternate years.

Surplus Built Up
While losses to the company were greater in 1935 than in 1934, the financial statement was cheering. The surplus at the close of 1935 approximated \$150,000 and the greatest in the history of the company for which records are available. Records go back to 1914.

The financial statement submitted by Mr. Stid showed cash on hand of \$47,832.39. Total receipts for 1935 were \$1,000,963.01. There was a surplus on hand back in 1924. Then for nine years in succession there were deficits ranging from \$5500 to \$28,500. In 1934 the company succeeded in wiping out the deficit and getting back on the right side of the ledger.

Company executives are anxious that the surplus be built up so the co-operative can operate on a paid-in-advance basis. They believe that a will reduce losses from non-payment of assessments.

Present Rates Low
President E. A. Densmore told the policy holders that present rates on Ingham Farmers Mutual insurance are as low as are offered by any insurance company in the state. He explained the protected rate by which about 10 per cent of the policy holders benefit. "Owners or responsible tenants may obtain a 25 per cent discount on insurance premiums by safeguarding their property against fire," said Mr. Densmore. "The general rate during 1935 was \$4.00 per \$1000. If an owner invests \$1000 in fire insurance on his buildings with chimneys or has several for all chimneys which are used then the protected rate of \$3.00 per \$1000 is offered. We want patrons to come under the protected rate as our first experience has shown the protected rates to be a good investment to the company."

The secretary stated that losses on protected property were less than \$50 during the past year. However, he explained, the small loss was unusual and without doubt can not be maintained over a period of years.

Mr. Densmore urged that farmers install telephones where possible in order to have better fire protection. Auditors reported the secretary's books to be in excellent shape.

Harmony Prevailed
The president told the policy holders that harmony has prevailed in the affairs of the company. He also complimented them on the show in inspecting risks during the year.

Following his re-election as secretary, Mr. Stid said, "The past year has been enjoyable and I am looking forward to even better business during 1936. During the past year there have been few cancellations. In 1933 and 1934 cancellations were numerous. Not only have cancellations been few but we are now welcoming a lot of former members back into the company. We are on the road to success and every policy holder in the company is creditworthy, helping in the improvement of conditions."

Plans Are Completed For President's Ball

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR GAY PARTY THURSDAY NIGHT.

Dr. D. R. Lethbridge, general chairman for the 1936 President's Ball to be held in the school gymnasium Thursday night, January 30, reported that the committee are working hard on the various assignments and that everything points to a successful party.

A grand march will open the party at nine o'clock. Dancing will continue until 12:30. Jerry Strong's seven-piece band of Jackson will provide the music. Tickets for the affair are still available. Admission tickets to the balcony are also being sold to those who do not care to dance. President Roosevelt's radio broadcast is to be received in the school auditorium. Refreshments are to be served by the junior class. Members of the class will also operate the check room.

Proceeds from the party are to be devoted to relief and treatment of infantile paralysis. Seventy per cent of the proceeds are to be used in the community while 30 per cent will be forwarded to the Warm Springs Foundation.

BREAKS WRIST ON ICE
Mrs. Harold Jarvis fell on the ice on West Maple street Saturday afternoon and broke her wrist.

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Chosen Secretary



LOUIS A. STID

Mr. Stid was re-elected secretary of the Farmers Mutual Insurance company Saturday. He has begun his third two-year term as chief administrative officer of the insurance company.

GUILTY PLEA ENTERED IN MORRISON'S TRIAL

PLEA OF GUILTY TO LESSER OFFENSE ACCEPTED.

Charge Of Intent To Murder Is Withdrawn By Agreement With Prosecutor And Consent Of Victims.

Harry Morrison, former Mason man charged with shooting Mrs. Vivian Morrison, his divorced wife, and Mrs. Hazel Hunter, his former sister-in-law at the Ezra Clark farm in Onondaga at the night of December 6, pleaded guilty to felonious assault Thursday afternoon.

The double charges against Morrison of "assault with intent to commit murder" were dropped and the lesser charges of "felonious assault" were substituted. The change was made by Prosecutor Dan D. McCullough after

ONLY ONE PLEA ACCEPTED

Court attaches said Thursday afternoon that Morrison's plea of guilty to felonious assault was accepted only in the case of the shooting of Mrs. Hazel Hunter. The charges in the companion case, it is said, have not yet answered the charges in the companion case, it is said. The charges in the case arising from the shooting of Mrs. Morrison can still be pressed, it is stated. Sentence on the plea of guilt has not been passed and Morrison is in the custody of the sheriff.

a conference with the shooting victims. The original charges carried maximum sentences of life imprisonment. The maximum sentence for felonious assault is four years in prison.

Witnesses, attorneys and prospective jurors were in the court room awaiting the opening of the trial when the charges were changed. The charges were changed by the information, Charles F. Hemans, Morrison's attorney, waived the reading of the information.

Judge Carr said to Morrison, "Do you understand the charges?" Morrison replied that he did understand. Then the judge asked, "To those charges do you plead guilty or not guilty?" Morrison said, "Guilty."

Following the plea of guilt Judge Carr ordered the prisoner brought before him in his chambers.

Witnesses In Court
Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Hunter, the victims of the shooting, were in court ready to testify. Both women are on the road to recovery although Mrs. Hunter is still in a serious condition.

Morrison has consistently maintained following his arrest in Jackson a few hours after the crime that he did not intend to commit murder. He said that he was about to leave the Clark home when he was struck over the head with a piece of stove wood in the hands of Mrs. Hunter.

The difference in the two sets of charges revolved around the stove wood incident. If Morrison was hit before the shooting it is doubtful if the charges of "intent to murder" could have been sustained.

The lessening of the charges was agreeable to the victims. They were reported to have declared that they had no desire to see Morrison sentenced to a long prison term.

The Morrison family lived in Mason for a number of years. Last spring Mrs. Morrison started divorce proceedings and obtained a divorce. Morrison had been employed at the S.M.A. Corporation plant in Mason. During the divorce proceedings he quit his job and at the time of the shooting was employed as a Jackson taxi driver. Morrison claimed that on the night of December 6 he went to the farm to see if he could take his son to Lansing to view Christmas decorations.

TRIALS TO CONTINUE

Judge Leland W. Carr said Monday that jurors will probably have to serve at least three weeks and possibly four to hear evidence in trials scheduled this term.

INJURED IN WRECK

Albert St. George of Mason, whose car developed motor trouble on the way home from a dance early Wednesday morning, and who stopped to investigate the cause, was injured when the car was pushed over him by the impact of a collision. He was treated at the Edward W. Sparrow hospital. Lloyd D. Utter of Lansing was driving the car that struck him and was arrested for drunk driving. St. George was severely bruised.

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Differing Opinions On Timbering Operations

TREES BEING CUT AND TRIMMED AT SCHOOL.

Cutting and trimming of trees in front of the Mason school has been the subject for considerable comment and debate the past week. The members of the school board were advised by tree experts that unless the trees were thinned that all of them would soon die. The trees have been cut out frequently to clear lines of the Consumers Power. The construction of the pavement has also cut off moisture from reaching the roots. Tree experts also claim that the trees were set too close when they were planted.

Owners of adjoining property have protested the cutting of the trees. They claim that the trees have been there for 75 years and have given shade to several generations. Complaints were lodged with the city council Monday night but the mayor declared that the matter is entirely one for the school board to settle.

PLUMBERS ARE OPPOSED TO PROPOSED ORDINANCE

VOICE OPPOSITION TO REGULATION BY CITY.

Ordinance Withdrawn With Expectation That City Will Again Come Under State Plumbing Code.

With one exception, Mason plumbers voiced their opposition Monday night to the plumbing ordinance proposed by Ald. Floyd Taylor several weeks ago. Mayor Arthur W. Jowett's suggestion that the proposed ordinance be withdrawn was adopted by the council.

Mason's plumbing regulations have undergone rapid changes in the past year. The city council a year ago decided to come under the state code which provides for state licenses for plumbers and for state inspection of plumbing installations. Last fall William L. Schlack was prosecuted under the state law for doing plumbing without a state license. The justice court trial resulted in a disagreement and a second trial was scheduled before the time arrived for the second trial the council, on motion of Ald. Taylor, rescinded the resolution which placed the city under the state code, so the trial was abandoned.

Ald. Taylor sought to have a city plumbing ordinance enacted which would return fees paid under the state law to the city coffers. The ordinance proposed that a city plumbing inspector be appointed and that inspection fees be paid on every job. Under the proposed ordinance the plumbers would be forced to pay \$10 for a license and five dollars a year for renewing besides one dollar for each inspection.

Claim Double Fees
Claude Perrin said, "Your proposed ordinance merely doubles the cost to Mason plumbers. We'll still have to have state licenses for doing outside work and then have to go to the added expense of securing city licenses. The license cost and the inspection fees will, of course, have to be passed on to the property owner who is having the work done."

William F. Dart also spoke in opposition to the proposed adoption of the ordinance. He stated, "If this ordinance is adopted it will cost more for us to do business in Mason than it would cost in Lansing, Jackson or any other city in the state. I don't believe the additional expense would be justified."

R. B. Wallace was another Mason plumber who opposed the proposed ordinance. He said that he had no fault to find with state inspection and that inasmuch as a plumber must have a state license to do business in Lansing or other cities that the ordinance would merely add to the costs.

The only plumber favoring the adoption of the proposed ordinance was William L. Schlack. He declared, "State inspection is of no account. It protects neither the plumber nor the customer. It is just a racket. All the state is interested in is the collection of license fees. Because I refused to procure a license the state made trouble." Mr. Schlack also cited numerous cases in which he claimed state inspection has proved worthless.

A compromise was suggested by the mayor which would demand city licenses from those who do not procure state licenses. The plumbers claimed that the city license provision would benefit no one. All of them but Mr. Schlack urged that the city re-enact the resolution to come under state inspection.

Ingham Roads Cleared After Long Struggle

MEN WORK LONG HOURS TO BATTLE ELEMENTS.

Wednesday's storm offered a hard battle to Ingham county road commission forces. It was nearly three o'clock Thursday morning before trunk lines and main secondary roads were cleared of drifts packed in by the 40-mile an hour wind.

Road commission workers claim Wednesday's storm was the worst in years from the standpoint of cold and driving conditions. The air was so filled with snow that vision was all but obscured. The low temperatures nipped hands, feet and faces.

Rudolph Bowman was at the head of the Ingham road forces during the blizzard. He was placed in charge of the road commission general staff while Engineer Jack Rakowsky, Equipment Superintendent Lyle Warner, Commissioner Chairman Charles Murray and Commissioner Lee T. Lastenby are in Cleveland attending a national road show.

ROAD WAGES BOOSTED
Men holding highway relief jobs have been granted a raise in wages. The Ingham scale has been fixed at 40c and 45c an hour for unskilled and intermediate labor.

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MAIN WITNESS EVASIVE IN STOCKBRIDGE TRIAL

LETTER FOUND BY SHERIFF USED IN TRIAL.

Bradley Makes Attempt To Shoulder Entire Blame In Robbery Of Stockbridge Store.

Evasiveness of Harold Bradley, former Stockbridge man, who has pleaded guilty to looting the Dancer store in Stockbridge on December 28, has marked the trial of Harry McKay, who is accused of participating in the robbery and is standing trial. The trial was begun before Judge Leland W. Carr Wednesday morning for several hours because it was necessary for Judge Carr to attend naturalization court in Lansing.

A letter written by McKay to Bradley setting forth the testimony Bradley should give on the stand was introduced as evidence. The letter was passed through a conduit opening through a partition at the jail. Inmates gave a tip to the sheriff and officers raided Bradley's cell and forced McKay to surrender the six-page note. McKay had instructed Bradley to burn the letter but Bradley is a slow

MCKAY CONVICTED

The jury was out but 15 minutes to agree on the guilt of McKay. The case went to the jury at 1:20 Thursday afternoon. 1:35 the verdict of guilty was returned.

reader and had not completed the reading of the message when his cell was raided. Confronted with the letter in court, McKay after a conference with Thomas J. Tenre, his attorney, confessed to the authorship. On the stand he declared that the letter was written merely to refresh the memory of Bradley.

In the letter Bradley was told that if he testified "right" and McKay was freed that McKay would take care of the Bradley family while the prison term was being served.

Bradley was a poor witness. He continually evaded questions regarding McKay's participation in the robbery. However, Bradley freely admitted that several Stockbridge and Pinckney people knew that the Dancer store was being robbed.

Maintains Innocence
McKay when he took the stand maintained his innocence. He admitted purchasing liquor at Stockbridge under an assumed name and told of former prison terms.

Paul Spadafore of Stockbridge was the first witness in the case. He identified McKay as the man who purchased two pints of liquor under the name of Charles P. Morton. Robert Dancer testified that the clothing recovered from McKay and from the Virgil Miller farm was stolen from his store.

George Griswold of Stockbridge told the jury that he furnished Bradley with a brace and bit used to bore holes in the rear door of the Dancer store. However, he claimed that he had no knowledge that Bradley intended to use the tools for the purpose of burglarizing the store.

Fred Stafford of Stockbridge testified that McKay and Bradley came to the Griswold home about nine o'clock on the Saturday night of the robbery and remained for about two hours. He told of the liquor purchased and consumed.

Virgil Miller, Pinckney farmer, told the court that Bradley and McKay came to his farm about three o'clock Sunday morning and traded clothing for hay to cover the load of stolen goods. Miller claimed that he had a suspicion that the goods might have been stolen but that he asked no questions. He said Bradley was a good friend. Ernest Gardner, residing at the Miller home, also testified of the early-morning visit of Bradley and McKay.

Irving Jackson, owner of the truck used in the robbery, testified that he had no knowledge of the crime. He claimed he could not identify McKay as the man who left Detroit with Bradley the night of the robbery. Sheriff Allan A. MacDonald and Detective Sergeant Hutson of the state police testified of their part in the long vigil which was rewarded by the capture of Bradley and McKay in Detroit on Monday night following the robbery of the store. Fred A. VanCampen, state police photographer, and William Goodhue and A. R. McGraw of the Detroit police also testified Wednesday.

Many Trials Held

There has been action in circuit court in Mason this week. Criminal cases have been heard before Judge Leland W. Carr and Judge Charles H. Hayden. Judge Carr has presided in the court room while Judge Hayden has been presiding over trials in the board of supervisors' room on the second floor.

Fred Powell of Lansing was found guilty by a jury in Judge Carr's court Tuesday morning. The trial was begun Monday morning. Powell was charged with statutory rape against a young girl. The jury went into deliberation at three o'clock Monday afternoon but was unable to reach an agreement. Afternoon. The jurors returned Tuesday and again went into deliberation. At 1:40 Tuesday morning the jurors filed back into the box and the foreman, Charles Clipper of Mason, declared that Powell had been found guilty. The convicted man was remanded to the custody of the sheriff to await sentence.

Judge Hayden's first criminal case was the trial of William Louis Whitney of Lansing who was charged with assault with a dangerous weapon. The jury found Whitney guilty of simple assault, a lesser crime than that charged. He is awaiting sentence.

A jury in Judge Hayden's court found William Chesney of Lenawee guilty of taking indecent liberties with a young girl. The case was heard Tuesday.

In Judge Carr's court Tuesday Edward Kolodziecki was found guilty of forgery. He was charged with passing a forged check on clerks employed in the G. A. Cone meat market in Lansing. He also tried to pass a check at A. Schetzer and Sons' store where

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GOOD THEATER VS. STATESMANSHIP

Several persons who heard Col. Frank Knox, publisher of the Chicago Daily News and aspirant for the republican presidential nomination, on his swing through Michigan last week have said that the publisher is no orator and therefore has little chance in the presidential race. Perhaps Col. Knox has no chance in the race but certainly he should not be shunted aside merely because he is not an orator.

This state and this nation have had too many orators. There has been too much of the theatrical and not enough of statesmanship. Showmanship has too often taken the place of honest, courageous statesmanship. We have had governors in Michigan who have used up their energies and their time in platform appearances. The national stage is also dominated by great orators. Some of them are even listed as rabble-rousers. For several years there have been surpluses of oratory and excess verbiage. Many men prefer talking to thinking and many of their listeners are so carried off their feet by well-rounded phrases that they forget to think for themselves.

History will reveal that most of the great executives have been men of few words. If a man has work to do he can not afford to waste his time talking. It was the orator Cicero who himself declared, "Orators are most vehement when they have the weakest cause."

Oratory is based on the theory that all hearers have ears although many lack judgment. People wise enough to read and to think for themselves are not usually carried off by huffing and puffing bombast that for lack of a better name is listed as oratory.

A man who seeks to make the headlines every day, a man who counts that day lost when his voice fails to resound over radio networks, a man who is anxious to sound off on every occasion is usually a man who cares much more for his own advancement than he does for the progress of his company, his state or the nation. Such a man is usually intoxicated with his own voice, deluded by his own value of his importance and bent on deluding others.

Honest facts do not need to be garbed in oratory. Sincere men do not need to have a silver-tongue. Plain facts, honest statements, logic, reasoning, sincerity are so much more important than a line of theatrical chatter. Lincoln was no orator yet Lincoln's homely presentation of facts was more impressive than the polished sentences of Stephen A. Douglas. Coolidge was no orator. He was too busy with governmental affairs. Cleveland was no great speaker but his rugged honesty won him a wide following. America has had and now has all the orators needed. We could well spare a few.

SO THIS IS RELIEF

The FARM JOURNAL is one of the liveliest magazines that comes to the desk. In its February issue Phelps Haviland Adams takes a hard rap at boondoggling. Here is what he says:

"Are you troubled by insomnia? Do you count flock after flock of sheep as you lie, resting, in your bed each night? If so, the federal government has a perfect job for you at Harrisburg, Pa., where you may join a small army of relief workers who are taking a census of the trees in the city. Trees should prove as effective as sheep, and they pay better.

"Are you quick at figures? Then, by all means, go to Pittsburgh and help the Works Progress Administration compute the area and the cubic content of the buildings in Allegheny county. If you are not quick at figures, so much the better. That will make the job last longer.

"Do you like to browse around bookstores? Then go west, young man, and join the corps of literary advisors in California, who are being paid by Uncle Sam to help patrons of the public library select 'appropriate reading matter.'

"Do your kidneys bother you? Excellent. You are ideally qualified to work for the Roosevelt administration as one of the 'supervisors' it is placing in rest rooms at Alameda, California.

"Perhaps you just like to sit and whittle on sticks to pass the time away? All right, you can help the government build bird houses in Jersey City, N. J.

"You say you just want to sit around without even whittling? Well, if you are smart, the treasury will pay you for doing that, too. Just get yourself a smock and a beret, and join the four mural artists and the two models who sat for six months in the dining room at Ellis Island, smoking, telling stories, and singing songs at federal expense while waiting for an inspiration that never arrived.

"Oh, you are a federal taxpayer who must help dig up the four billion? That's tough. About the best the government can do for you is to give you work on the greenhouse it is building at the almshouse at Secaucus, N. J. Working at the almshouse, you won't have so far to go when the tax collector catches up with you."

The article in the FARM JOURNAL is funny. It would be funnier if the instances had not been taken from official records. But it happens that you and I, our children and our grandchildren will have to pay back the money squandered on boondoggling.

HONESTY IS COMMON

If honesty were not so common the everyday acts of honesty would be heralded in headlines in the same manner as are dishonest acts. Most everyone is honest. Only a small minority is dishonest. Most preachers are men of high character. That's why when a preacher goes wrong that it is blazoned in newspapers. If preachers usually went wrong it would not be news when one fell by the wayside.

Honesty is a common virtue. It is only a small minority that steals, jumps board bills and dodges grocery bills. Most people are willing to pay their debts if they can get hold of the money. Of course, there are many instances where poor management interferes with prompt payment. Some people with the best of intentions spend more than they earn and perforce are unable to care for their debts. But all in all, this is an honest community.

Last week E. A. Densmore, president of the Farmers Mutual Fire Insurance company, received an unsigned letter in which was enclosed a \$20 bill. The person who sent it had taken advantage of the company a few years ago and returned the cash to clear his conscience.

Several years ago a sum of money was loaned to a Mason youth so that he could attend college. The young

man came to town Saturday to complete the payment on the largest note he gave when he needed the money. He wanted to settle up. The eagerness with which he watched the final payment being recorded was cheering. The young man is working at small wages yet he practices the utmost economy in order to clear his indebtedness. He is getting almost as much pleasure out of paying the debt as the creditor gets in receiving the cash.

There are many Mason homes where keys are seldom turned in the locks. Most people are honest.

CO-OPERATIVES THAT CO-OPERATE

In this community are three co-operatives that really co-operate. They are the Mason Co-operative Shipping association, the Ingham County Farmers Mutual Insurance company and the Mason Milk Producers association. Likely there are others but these three are outstanding and come readily to mind.

The success of the three co-operatives lies in their lack of compulsion and their possession of good business management. Members of the co-operatives are free to join and free to quit. There are no rigid bureaucratic administrators appointed by the government to force members into line. The men at the head of the co-operatives are men chosen because of practical experience, because of reputations for honesty and fair dealing.

When a man has made a success of his own business he can usually successfully operate a business for others. It is when men who have failed in private business or who lack practical business experience are elected or appointed to operate public business or co-operatives that loss and disaster result. That's why government ownership and operation always prove to be so expensive. Under government, politics is the ruling consideration. If the man has the right political backing he gets the job regardless of qualifications or experience.

The success of the three Ingham county co-operatives mentioned is because politics plays no part and because the members use good judgment in choosing their officials. The administrators and the co-operative members are to be congratulated on the success their organizations have won.

OLEO SALES ARE UP

The dairy industry has been gazing ruefully at the oleomargarine sales chart for the first 10 months of 1935. That chart shows that sales of oleo jumped from 203,983,457 pounds in the first 10 months of 1934 to 311,671,802 pounds for the same period in 1935. The increase was 107,688,345 pounds.

The Michigan Milk Producers association is alarmed at the increase in oleo consumption. Despite the fact that oleo is far below butter in nutritional value the use of butter substitutes is increasing. It is not increasing because people like the taste of oleo or because the public wants to undermine the farmers' dairy market. Oleo is used when the price of butter reaches a point where the price precludes its untimed use.

When butter passes a retail price of 35c a pound there are many families, and among them are many farm families, which feel they can not afford to use butter. Perhaps they are wrong in their conclusions but time and again the case has been proved. If the dairy industry wants to force oleo out of competition the best way is to compete on price because it is price that governs the use of the substitute.

Dieticians claim that there is little comparison between food values of oleo and butter, that butter at 40c is actually a better buy from the nutritional standpoint than oleo at half the price. But when butter mounts to 40c nutritional values frequently go unconsidered and the housewife buys oleo or her family uses no spread for bread. Necessity governs the choice.

WINTER SPORTS

Detroit people are flocking to Grayling and other northern points to enjoy winter sports. Ample snow on the hills around Grayling plus the organized effort in providing sport facilities are attracting people to Grayling. Here in the southern part of the state the weather is more changeable and skiing and skating conditions are subject to frequent change. But when we have skiing weather there are as good hills here as there are at Grayling.

The last week end saw as good skiing conditions near Mason as were offered at Grayling yet only a few took advantage of them. Skiing on the west slope of the fresh air camp was excellent. The crust on the snow made skiing lightning fast. The crisp weather added to the zest of the day.

Winter is an enjoyable time of the year if we get far enough away from radiators and stoves to take advantage of it.

CONGRESSMEN OPPOSE ECONOMY

News comes from Washington that western and southwestern representatives are banding together to battle against the proposed halting of vast reclamation projects designed to bring millions of acres of lands into agricultural production. That is hardly news. It would be news if the greedy congressmen banded together to work for the best interests of the whole nation. It would be news were congressmen to say, "We are fearful of sectionalism. We realize that we have been chosen to work for the best interests of the United States. We care not a whit whether or not we are re-elected. All we want to do is our duty."

As long as a congressman conceives his own re-election to be the most important thing in government just so long will there be log-rolling and waste in government. Perhaps the only cure is to elect representatives, senators and even presidents for longer periods and to limit their services to single terms.

The cradle in which lay the twelfth child of Bill Johnson and wife had served its purpose for eleven preceding children and its rockers were so far gone there was no more rock in them. "Guess we gotta get a new cradle," said the wife with a wan smile. "This one's 'erbed used up." Bill looked over the dilapidated crib. "Yes, Mandy," he drawled, "reckon we gotta get a new one. Next time I go ter town I'll git one but I'll git one that will last."—From Heavy Stuff.

What Other Editors Have to Say

Order Some Halos!

It remains to be seen whether the NBC and Columbia broadcasting networks were acting "impartially" to further the cause of a more intelligent and enlightened politics when they rejected a program sponsored by the Republican Central Committee, or whether pressure were brought to bear from the powers in Washington.

Both of these chains, according to David Lawrence, well-known Washington newspaper correspondent, are afraid of the Roosevelt administration and consequently will do everything possible to favor it. Under the present setup the administration at Washington is able to exercise a censorship of the radio, through the power of license, that it does not hold over the press. Therefore, if the party in power chooses to "crack down" on radio stations managers must listen if they prefer to remain in business. But possibly Mr. Lawrence is wrong; possibly Lenox R. Lohr of the NBC and William Paley of CBS are motivated by lofty ideals to purge radio of all that is stupid and inane (how nice, if they had only started in on blues singers). However, time will tell, as the old saying goes. Republicans have been refused the privilege of broadcasting a little bit dramatizing certain criticisms of the New Deal. But if the time ever comes when the party in power should indicate an urge to present a similar playlet telling why the Roosevelt administration has been a 100 per cent success do you suppose that the request of Democratic Committee No. 1, James A. Farley (who, incidentally, is also postmaster general of the United States), would be turned down?

Well if he is, Messrs. Paley and Lohr can order themselves some gold plated halos and sit enthroned above the rabble as America's No. 1 idealists.—Hastings Banner.

How About A Receipt?

One of the most sweetly persuasive arguments by which persons have been induced to support payment of the veterans' bonus in the United States is that which runs, "We owe them a debt and have acknowledged it and promised to pay it in 1945; why not pay it now and have it off our hands?"

It would be very nice if immediate payment could accomplish this. Of course, paying the service certificates nine years before maturity is equivalent to paying a third more than the stated amount. But even that might be worth-while if the payment would really buy the nation a release from subsequent pension claims for the veterans—pensions such as are still being paid to widows of three soldiers of the war of 1812.

During America's participation in the World War, every effort was made by President Wilson and Secretary McAdoo, now Senator, to set up a compensation system that would do

away with the aftermath of pensions. This was the objective in the war risk insurance, and many hopefully supposed the problem had been solved.

We have had to stand a good deal of disillusionment about various post-war expectations, of course, but at length when Congress passed the Adjusted Services Compensation Act in 1924 and liberalized it several times afterward, the country fondly indulged the belief that it had struck a bargain with the veterans' organizations and they were satisfied. So it seemed for a while. But the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, as it now appears, had only begun.

The latest version of the bonus legislation as drawn up in the Senate, providing for payment in bonds or "demand notes" rather than cash in all instances, sugarcats the bill about as effectively as could be done. But it still gives the American taxpayer no receipt for his payment. There is no assurance that in paying this obligation before it is due he has absolved himself from caring for the veteran and his dependents any time they may fall into need. On the contrary, this payment probably will have only hastened the time when pensions will be demanded.

Fifteen years ago, when it was campaigning for the Adjusted Compensation Act, the American Legion, in its national convention took a public stand against adoption of a general pension system for World War veterans. Maj. Knowlton Durham, commander of the New York Chapter of the American Veterans' Association, recently called upon J. Ray Murphy, national commander of the American Legion, to reaffirm that position in connection with the pending legislation. There has been no response and there is not likely to be, since the Legion weeks ago dismissed from its legislative staff a man who opposed pensions and replaced him with an ardent campaigner.

Now it is argued, and the reasoning is adopted by the House Ways and Means Committee, that the 1924 act was not a contract with the veteran nor an agreement by which he should be bound. If that be so, should there not be a clearer understanding the next time the nation shovels out money in the supposition that it is discharging its debt to the veteran?

One way would be to attach to the proposed bonds a clause by which the former service man signing for them would give the government a waiver of any future claims for pensions. Doubtless there would be a terrible outcry about "Uncle Shylock" if this were seriously advocated. Perhaps an equally effective pledge would be one from the legislative staffs and officers of the American Legion and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, whose speeches, gumshoe work and billboard posters are largely responsible for having made the veteran "bonus conscious." Will they give the nation such an assurance?—Christian Science Monitor.

Ancient History

Gleaned from News Files of Years Past

Fifty Years Ago

For the first time in many years the NEWS failed to come out on schedule. The delay was caused by the breakage of the power press last Friday. The broken part had to be sent to Chicago for repairs and it was not returned until Thursday.

The board of supervisors has taken drastic action against justices of the peace and other officers for packing the county jail with tramps. Hereafter no bills will be paid for prosecuting men arrested on vagrancy charges.

The donation for the Rev. F. L. McCoy at the M. E. church Thursday night netted \$100 in cash.

Several of our citizens drive handsome jumpseat cutters this winter. It is a pleasant sight to see a merry load of sleighriders.

The Ingham County Democrat in its lead editorial recommends that a whipping post be established.

Mr. and Mrs. Chief Hunt of Onondaga were seriously and perhaps fatally injured Friday when they were thrown from their buggy by a runaway horse.

Twenty Years Ago

Hazleton Bros. have sold to L. B. McArthur, a Studebaker touring car. Bruce Ball has purchased the new house on C street recently built by Elias Culver.

Rev. G. D. Sherman of the Presbyterian church was stricken with apoplexy Sunday afternoon and remains in a critical condition.

The farm residence of George B. Sawyer near Dansville was completely destroyed by fire last Thursday morning.

It looks as though the Chautauqua business is about over. A canvass of businessmen this week shows that little support can be had for such a venture.

Judge Howard Wiest has announced his candidacy for the supreme court nomination.

Hardscrabble, a colt owned by O. E. Bell, won second prize at the Michigan Horse Breeders' colt show at M. S. C. last week. The first prize colt was shipped from Illinois.

Ten Years Ago

Charles Force, Stockbridge merchant charged with an unspendable offense against three small girls, was sentenced Thursday by Judge Carr to spend from two and one-half to 10 years in Jackson prison.

The Rich trial has been postponed for two weeks. The postponement was on account of the death of Mrs. W. J. Barnard, wife of the chief defense counsel. Mrs. Barnard met death when a can of gasoline exploded.

Governor Groesbeck has issued a call for a special legislative session to enact highway legislation.

Fifty farmers have signed up in the campaign to buy a fire truck.

E. J. Doane and Russell Bartlett have returned to South Carolina to complete a drainage project.

Burr DuBois, student at the University of Michigan, has left for Tucson, Arizona, for an indefinite stay.

Holt taxpayers are to vote Saturday on the issuance of \$40,000 in bonds for the construction of a 36x120 addition to the school.

A world standard of time was adopted at an international congress held at Washington, D. C., in 1884. Standard time was inaugurated in this country in March of the same year, and came into use without any legislation.

AROUND THE STATE

ELSIE—What is said will be the state's biggest cheese factory is being constructed at Elsie. A yearly capacity of 1,500,000 pounds of cheese is planned besides a big butter production.

WEST BRANCH—Ogemaw's board of supervisors issued subpoenas to force members of the county road commission to appear and explain discrepancies in an annual report.

CHARLOTTE—The general contract for Charlotte's new \$250,000

school has been let to Spence Bros. of Saginaw.

ANN ARBOR—Forty-one University students are enrolled in a flying course.

ALLEGAN—Acceptance of options on 31,000 of the 35,000 acres in the Grubbs recreational area has been announced. Men are now building fire lanes through the area.

NORTHVILLE—Fire completely destroyed the eight-room grade school building Monday of last week. The loss of \$41,000 is covered by insurance. The fire broke out at five o'clock in the morning.

Faded writing may be restored by rubbing the manuscript with a solution of ammonium sulphide or hydrogen sulphide. The restoration is not permanent but the writing can be traced with India ink to make it so. This procedure will not be effective if the original writing has been done with an aniline ink.

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\$1.19 Dripolators,	89c
79c Furniture Dressing,	29c
10c Dust Cloths,	3 for 15c

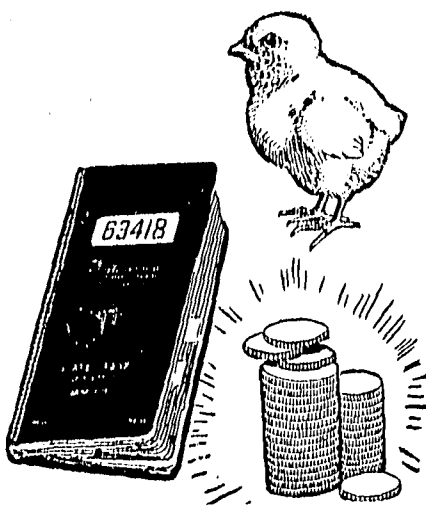
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A small deposit in our savings department will never be of great value unless it is added to and increased.

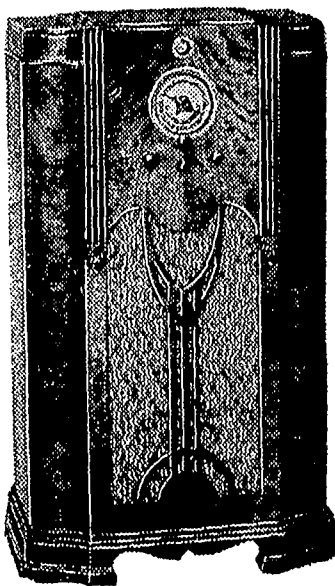
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THIRD QUARTER DRIVE GIVES HOWELL VICTORY

**MAROONS AND HIGHLANDERS
PLAY FIRST HALF EVEN.**

Mason Drilling Hard To Win First Conference Game At Grand Lodge Friday Night.

Mason's high school basketball team lost to Howell Friday night at the Livingston county seat 24 to 14 when the Highlanders staged a third period drive. The two teams were tied 8 to 8 at the half but at the opening of the third period the Maroon defense sagged momentarily while Howell snatched four baskets.

The Howell victory over Mason gave the Highlanders a snug lead in the conference race. While Howell was winning, Eaton Rapids staged a surprise party for the East Lansing Trojans. The Cardinals beat East Lansing 19 to 15 to give the Trojans their second taste of defeat this season.

Mason hopes to bring home its first conference victory this week at the expense of Grand Lodge. The Maroons have been coming along fast and Coach Gordon Dawson has hopes that they will start a push which will carry them out of the conference cellar.

Shots Stay Out
The Maroons had plenty of shots in the Howell game but the ball would not stay down. Youngs had his eye and turned in great game but his makes could not sink their shots. Statistics show that Mason had three shots for every two taken by Howell.

Reiner was the big shot in the Highland team. He sank four baskets and a free throw for nine points. Ross, high-scoring guard, was held to a basket and a charity toss. Spencer caged three baskets for the winners.

The Maroon reserves tossed their game away when there were less than two minutes remaining. The count was 13 to 12 at that point with Mason in the lead. DeRose was forced out on fouls. Three times in a row Howell lads stepped through the Mason defense to ring up baskets and a free toss was added for good measure.

Underwood and Fancher were high scorers for the Mason reserves.

Mason		fg	ft	pts
Saunders, f	0	2	2	4
Haase, f	1	2	3	4
Parker, c	0	0	2	0
Youngs, g	2	0	1	5
Dietrich, g	0	0	2	0
Substitutions:				
Barto, f	0	0	2	0
Bullen, c	1	1	0	3
		4	6	12
Howell		fg	ft	pts
Spencer, f	3	0	3	6
Prasli, f	1	2	2	3
Reiner, c	4	1	2	9
Ross, g	1	2	2	3
Fohey, g	1	0	2	2
Substitutions:				
Smith, f	0	1	0	0
Beat, g	0	0	1	0
Schofield, g	0	0	1	0
		10	4	13

Davis Clothiers Five Even With Dansville

**MASON AND DANSVILLE TIED
FOR LEAGUE LEAD.**

Davis Clothiers defeated Dansville in a Two-County league game at Mason Thursday night, 35 to 22. The victory knotted the count in the standing of the two teams and gave Mason revenge for a 23-33 defeat at the hands of Dansville a month ago. Charles Clippert took a good share of the pep out of the Dansville team at the start of the game when he sank two long shots in less than two minutes of play.

The game was marked with rough playing and missed free throws. Art Somers of the Dansville five was the only man that did not have at least one personal charged to him. Dansville missed nine free chances at the basket and Davis Clothiers missed seven.

Mason led 18 to 10 at the half, and both teams played even in the third quarter. In the last quarter, Simon made two baskets and showed a dash of his usual form, but even then Mason made 13 points to Dansville's 8. Anderson, usually the main cog in the Dansville team, was off form.

The entire starting line-up for the Davis Clothiers consisting of Lang and Otis Clippert, forward; Simon, center; and Kinnison and Charles Clippert, guards, played a consistently good game until part of them were relieved with about two minutes to play.

Davis Clothiers	fg	ft	pts
Ran, Lang, f	5	0	10
Ken Cline, f	0	1	0
Otis Clippert, f	1	0	2
Lyle Aseltine, f	0	1	2
Dawson, c	3	3	9
Orrin Kinnison, g	2	0	4
Leo Shusser, g	0	1	0
Charles Clippert, g	4	0	8
Dansville	fg	ft	pts
Don Simons, f	3	0	6
David Diehl, f	2	0	4
Art Somers, f	0	1	0
Gilbert Glover, c	2	0	4
Don Anderson, g	1	2	3
Alfred Hayhoe, g	2	0	4
	10	2	22

West Aurelius By Barbara Robertson

The penny social held at the Robins church Friday night netted them \$12.50.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Buckingham, son Henry and John Searfoss visited a cousin, George Drake, in Kalamazoo, Sunday.

Helen Schneppe entertained at a party and shower Saturday night for relatives who lost their home furnishings by fire.

Barbara Robertson is working for Mrs. Van Wagner in Eaton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams and family visited in Bellevue, Sunday.

Mrs. Buckingham and son Henry and Mrs. Carrie Pierce and family spent Tuesday night at the home of Leo Florian.

Frank Robertson called on his mother in Mason Friday. She has pieced a Dresden plate quilt since Christmas. Clyde Ellsworth and family have rented the Whittem farm near the Fox church and will move there when the other family vacates.

Towar Garden and Hart Subdivision By Mrs. Jay Boyle

Several friends and neighbors gathered at the home of Mrs. Carl Ball, Friday evening to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Miller called on their brother, Lloyd Fulton, and family.

Mrs. Jay Boyle and children spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hayhoe.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson of Mason, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Rose Teed.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Teed of Detroit, called on Mrs. Rose Teed, Sunday. Miss Nina Teed and friend called on her sister Faye at Mason, Saturday evening.

Bateman Neighborhood By Edna Casper

Mr. and Mrs. Elton Woodruff visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lewis, Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Lewis' father, Mr. Gager, who has been living with the Lewis family, is now working in Lansing.

William Crane and brother Lewis called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Z. C. Lewis, Sunday. Irving Neal and Elmer Huntley also called in the afternoon.

Mrs. William Uber is reported ill at this writing.

Mrs. Alvin Smith is still confined to her bed.

Harold Smith is ill with flu and bronchitis. Little Lewis Smith is also reported ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Smith spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith.

Phillips District By Mrs. Geo. Gruhn

Burt and Addie Tyler spent last week in Detroit. Mrs. Laura Tyler returned with them for a visit.

The U-Ce 1-2-3 club meets at the Tyler home Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown entertained at a family and guest dinner Sunday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Alex Brown and son Harold of Lansing, Mrs. Loretta Whitehead of Eaton Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. George Gruhn of Lansing, Mrs. Ivan Larson and son, Doyle, Miss Garnet Spear, Miss Iona McNeal and Miss Wanda Walters.

Miss Marjorie Green spent Sunday with her parents. She is attending college at East Lansing.

Harry Goble, brother of Arthur Goble, will work for Norman Sparling the coming spring. They will move soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Krantz are the parents of a son.

Herbert Brown, Garnet Spear, Arthur Gruhn and Iona McNeal spent Sunday evening with Mrs. Loretta Whitehead of Eaton Rapids.

Mrs. Harry Baker of Dewitt, spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Albert Fry.

District No. 3, Wheatfield By Mrs. Elmer Otis

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McFarren of Olenos, spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis.

Little Tommy Otis Ballard was cared for Saturday at the home of her grandparents.

Mrs. Eva Collar spent the past week at Detroit with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Glynn.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cley Foreman and son and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ballard and sons, Friday night.

Mrs. Earnest Stettler and Mrs. Sam Williams attended the funeral of John Hurlburt at Dansville, Thursday.

John Hummel is not back at school after being absent from school for three weeks.

Janette Campbell underwent an operation at the Stobie hospital at Mason, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Osterle and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hoyt were at Williamston, Friday.

Mr. Hudson, who has been ill for some time, was taken to a St. Johns hospital this week. Mrs. Hudson was in St. Johns Monday to see him.

Henry Brotherton is doing custom sawing on the place known as the R. Backus farm.

Mr. and Mrs. John Foreman and Mr. and Mrs. John Foreman, Jr. and little daughter spent Thursday evening at Cley Foreman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Turner were at Williamston, Saturday.

Howard Biggs is hauling logs to the Henry Brotherton saw mill.

Northwest Ingham By Mrs. Ami Terrill

Edmund Cooper of Detroit, spent the week end at the Osborne home.

After attending the funeral of John Hurlburt last Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson and Robert Swan called on Alfred Bravender.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborne attended the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Smith near Parkers Corners, Monday evening.

Howard Gillette was pleasantly surprised last Tuesday evening by his neighbors and friends, the occasion being his birthday. Eucire furnished the entertainment, prizes being won by Pearl Terrill, J. A. Davidson, Marion Bravender and Burton Miller. He received a gift of silver and other articles. Refreshments were served.

Eileen Terrill is visiting friends at Otsville, since last Friday.

Joan Terrill of Lansing, spent the week end with her parents.

Mrs. J. A. Davidson and Mr. and Mrs. Ami Terrill attended Pomona Grange at East Lansing, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Soule and son Leroy of Alaledon, were Sunday visitors at the Roy Rae and Walter Soule homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Orson Swan attended the wedding of her granddaughter, Blanche Evans, to Albert Poirier last Saturday evening. After the wedding which occurred at Holt, a reception was held at the bride's home. They received many gifts.

Ray Cavender, who has been ill for several weeks is slowly improving. Bonita Cavender was quite ill over the week end.

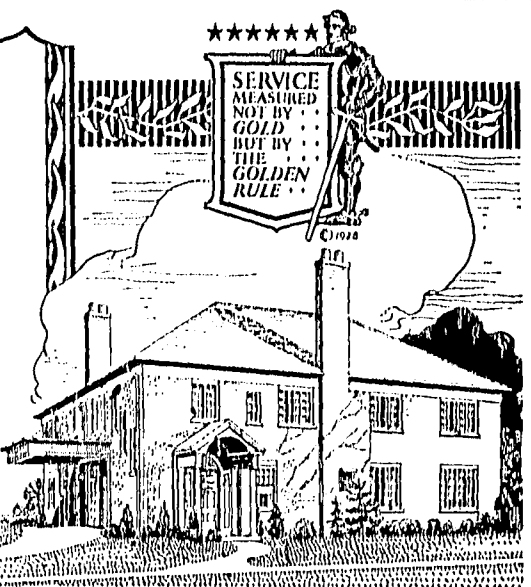
George Davidson was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson.

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Williamston By Inez C. White

Mrs. Leland West, formerly Nettle Watson, who suffered an attack of pleurisy which ran for two weeks, was taken last week to the South Lansing sanitarium, where she will remain for some time for observation.

Frank Dewitt went to Ann Arbor hospital last week, where he later underwent an operation. At last reports he was convalescing satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Spens entertained nine relatives for dinner last Sunday.

Kieth and Kenneth Swan, twins, have entered a college in Minnesota, where they will take a four year course in osteopathy.

Earnest Jaquett has been to Ann Arbor several times the past few weeks. He expects to undergo an operation on his limb in the near future. This will make the limb stiff but will relieve the pain, which is continuous.

Mrs. Ezra Hartman fell in the business district Saturday and dislocated her right shoulder. The fracture was reduced and she is reported getting along satisfactorily.

Mrs. Inez C. White fell on the sidewalk in front of her home January 2, injuring the right hip and limb. She kept about for a week, then was compelled to take to her bed for a week, but is so as to be about the home at present.

Harry Graves and two sons of Lansing, were Sunday dinner guests of his father, Martin Graves.

Herrick District By Mrs. Howard Herrick

Aaron Drumheller was in Holt, Saturday.

Howard Herrick, who has been having a severe cold the past two weeks, remains about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Drumheller entertained a brother Saturday and Sunday.

During the icy roads last week, John

Knock in coming up the Bement marsh on the Powell farm tipping the hill with a trailer load of feed, lost control of the car and went off the east side through the fence into the R. E. Monroe has been ill.

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Millville

By Mrs. Muggie Burden

The L. A. S. will meet Tuesday, January 28, for dinner.

Sunday school Sunday, January 20, at 10 a. m. Preaching at 8:00.

Mrs. Adah Brown and son, R. C., were in Jackson, Saturday.

Everett Horwood and Muggie Burden visited their nephew, Ray Horwood, and family of West Marion last Thursday.

Mrs. Adah Brown and family were dinner guests of her aunt, Mrs. Square Holt, of Danville, Saturday.

Frances and Rosalie Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. James Pierce of Stockbridge, visited at Mr. Eggleston's a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Franklin of Mason, called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Franklin and on Mr. and Mrs. Howard North, Sunday afternoon.

Glenn Miller of New York City, came last week for a visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Tillie Angell. Their father, Christian Miller, is not well, but is reported better.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford and daughter of Lansing, visited Mrs. Quenby and her sister, Mrs. Parker, last Thursday. They returned to Lansing with the Sanford's for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Orry Thompson started Tuesday of last week for Florida.

Grovenburg

By Mrs. Howard C. North

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Coburn visited her parents, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Everett of Lott district, visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Binkley, Sunday.

Mrs. Maude Beck, who has been in Grand Lodge, the past few weeks, spent Sunday at her home. She has been caring for Mr. Beck's mother who fell New Years day and fractured her arm, besides bruising her face. She is 84 years of age and suffering from blindness. Until a few years ago

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\$1.50 Lydia Pinkham Veg. Compound	.98c
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South Aurelius and North Onondaga

By Mrs. B. H. Field

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Snow and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Potter, Sunday, in the DuBois neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Shaw of Lansing, visited Mr. and Mrs. Wells Ciekner, Sunday.

Harold Scott and Zelma Smith of Lansing, were married Sunday afternoon at the Aurelius Baptist parsonage by the pastor, Rev. Duckworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Snow visited at the Floyd Wambles home, Saturday night near Danville.

Charles Bragg of Lansing, visited the families of Will and Glen Scott the week end.

Northeast Lansing "Township"

By Alice H. West

At the monthly meeting of the Rural Missionary Cleaners held last Thursday at the home of Mrs. Frank Foreback, plans were made for the annual family night to be held Friday night, January 31, at the home of Mrs. William Baumgras.

Members of Capitol Grange will have a sleigh ride Thursday night to the home of Charles White and family near Okemos.

Members will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Christian. There will be an oyster supper, each family to bring doughnuts.

Capitol Grange will hold a supper Saturday night from six-thirty to seven-thirty o'clock at the I. O. O. F. hall East Lansing. Members are to bring creamed potatoes, beans, cabbage salad or pie.

Mr. Bobcock of the Lansing fire department will speak on "Safety." Roll call is also on safety. A business meeting will follow. The charge for the supper will include a chance on a quilt.

District No. 7, White Oak

By Mrs. F. C. Kendrick

Mrs. C. W. Benjamin of Cedar Springs came Sunday to help care for her father, F. C. Kendrick, this week. He is reported slowly recovering.

Floyd Bartlett and his mother, Mrs. Bartlett, of Stockbridge were in Detroit last Wednesday and Thursday on business.

Donald Hunt of Albion spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kendrick. Mrs. Hunt and Robert returned home with him Sunday after spending the past 10 days with her parents, helping to care for her father.

Edward Eldred was out of school all last week on account of a hard cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bachman and Mr. and Mrs. T. Dayton called on F. C. Kendrick Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Koons of Lansing spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Scripser.

Mrs. T. Dayton spent Wednesday and Thursday in Mason with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grable of Mason and Mrs. E. Scripser called on F. C. Kendrick Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mires of Durand spent last week with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bartlett.

Mrs. Sam Williams and children and Mrs. Ami Stettlar were callers at the Kendrick home last Thursday.

Mrs. Carrie Baker is reported quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Grable and family of Mason spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Scripser.

Stockbridge Town Line

By Mrs. J. H. Hayner

Mrs. Nellie Barton of Unadilla, passed away Monday morning. She was a sister of Man Asquith of Stockbridge.

Mrs. Orville Cosgray was operated on at the Row, L. Mires of hospital Wednesday night for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Beemer spent Sunday evening with Herman Riggs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayner spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Lowe of Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Steffey and family and Dan Steffey were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Huffman of Layton Corners.

Leonard Walker underwent a minor operation at the office of Dr. Culver, Saturday night.

Miss Helen Paul and friend and Mr. and Mrs. Frazier of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mrs. Eva Paul.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whitney were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hayner, Tuesday evening.

The Friendly Bible class of the M. E. church met in the basement of the church Monday night for their annual supper, which is put on by the men of the class. A fish supper was served.

After the supper came the business meeting and election of officers. The following were elected: C. H. Whitney, president; H. Sharp, vice president; Barbara Bowdish, secretary; and Mrs. J. H. Hayner, treasurer. Progressive dominoes furnished the entertainment for the evening. The next meeting will be the Experience social, when every member tells how he has earned his dollar.

Southeast Ingham

By Mrs. James Quinn

A wood bee was held at the home of Patrick Murphy, Friday, with 12 men attending. Mr. Murphy broke his leg while working in the woods last Tuesday morning. He was taken to Mason where the bone was set. He was brought home that evening where he is getting along nicely.

Elizabeth Jenkins spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quinn entertained friends for dinner Sunday from Ann Arbor.

There will be a dancing party at the Catholic school hall Friday night.

Betty and Howard Quinn were absent from school last week with intestinal flu.

Leo Remalla from Whitmore Lake, was a guest of his father, Will Remalla, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn and daughter Phyllis, were supper guests of E. J. Worden and son Raymond last Wednesday night.

Frank and Ella Cassidy attended the wedding of their niece, Margaret Cassidy, and Harold Artz of Jackson, last week Tuesday.

The young people of this community attended a skating party held at the Mason park, Wednesday evening. Beverly and Gerald Quinn are seriously ill with the flu this week.

MANAGER'S WEEK

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Jan. 20 to 25



Sugar	Bulk Beet	10 lbs.	50c	Red Circle Coffee		lb.	19c		
Cane Sugar	Bulk	10 lbs.	52c	Bokar Coffee		lb. tin	21c		
Iona Flour	49-lb. bag	\$1.40	24 3/4-lb. bag	75c	Chase & Sanborn Coffee	lb. bag	23c		
Splendid Flour			24 3/4-lb. bag	65c	Maxwell House Coffee	2-lb. tin	49c		
Sunnyfield Flour			24 3/4-lb. bag	79c	Whitehouse Coffee	lb. ctn.	21c		
Crescent or Lily White			24 3/4-lb. bag	89c	Del Monte Coffee	lb. tin	24c		
Gold Medal or Pillsbury	24 3/4-lb. bag	\$1.09			Beech-Nut Coffee	lb. tin	26c		
Henkel's Family Flour	24 3/4-lb. bag	99c			Hills Bros. Coffee	lb. tin	27c		
Henkel's Velvet	Cake and Pastry Flour	5 lb. bag	29c		Kaffee Hag or Sanka	lb. tin	43c		
Henkel's Pancake Flour		5 lb. bag	21c		Ajax Soap	Giant	10 bars	37c	
Pancake Flour	Splendid	5 lb. bag	17c		Fels Naptha Soap		10 bars	41c	
Sunnyfield Pancake Flour		5 lb. bag	19c		P&G Soap	Giant	6 bars	20c	
Navy Beans	Michigan	6 lbs.	17c		P&G or Kirk's Flake Soap		10 sm. bars	29c	
Bulk Rice	Blue Rose	4 lbs.	19c		Easy Task Soap Chips		5 lb. ctn.	29c	
Rolled O's	22 3/4-lb. bag	75c	6 lbs.	17c	Oxydol Rinso or Chipso		lge pkg.	19c	
Corn Meal	Yellow		5 lb. bag	17c	Palmolive or Camay Soap		12 cakes	49c	
Wheaties	Breakfast Food		pkg.	10c	Lux or Lifebuoy Soap		4 cakes	25c	
Corn Flakes	Sunnyfield	3 lge. pkgs.	25c		Jack Frost Sugar	Powdered	2 1-lb. pkgs.	15c	
Post Toasties		lge. pkg.	10c		Mustard	Ma Brown's	qt. jar	10c	
Corn Flakes	Kellogg's	lge. pkg.	10c		Dill Pickles	Quart	2 jars	25c	
Sunnyfield Oats		2 lge. pkgs.	29c		Beans	Red or Kidney	4 1-lb. cans	19c	
Puffy Pops	Wheat or Rice		pkg.	10c	Karo	Blue Label	5-lb. tin	29c	
Pink Salmon			tall can	10c	Rajah Salad Dressing		qt. jar	29c	
Ketchup	Ann Page	3 lge. bottles	29c		Bulk Prunes	70/80 Size	6 lbs.	25c	
Donuts	Plain, Sugared, Cinnamon	doz.	10c		Matches	Birdseye	6 boxes	25c	
Seedless Raisins		4 lb. pkg.	25c		Brown Sugar	Bulk	10 lbs.	49c	
Keyko Oleo		2 lbs.	23c		Cheese	Full Cream. or Brick	lb.	21c	
Peanut Butter	Sultana, lb. jar	13c	2 lb. jar	25c	Beer Full Strength	Von case	\$1.19	bottle	5c
Crackers	Sodas or Grahams	2 lb. pkg.	17c		Fig Bars	Bulk	3 lbs.	25c	
Cigarettes	Popular Brands	carton	\$1.12		Sparkle Gelatin		6 pkgs.	25c	
Cigarettes	Paul Jones, Wings 20 Grand	carton	89c		Whitehouse Milk	Tall	4 cans	25c	
Iona Pork and Beans	lb. can	6 cans	25c		Mello Wheat	Cereal	2 pkgs.	25c	
Brooms	Clean Sweep	each	21c		Corned Beef Hash		2 cans	25c	
Tomatoes	No. 2 Can	4 cans	25c		Reliable Peas	No. 2 Can	2 cans	27c	
White Corn or Peas	No. 2 Can	4 cans	29c		Iona Peaches	No. 2 1/2 Can	2 cans	29c	
Cut Green Beans	No. 2 Can	4 cans	29c		Iona Cocoa		2 lb. can	15c	
Sauerkraut	No. 2 1/2 Can	4 cans	29c		Calumet Baking Powder		lb. can	19c	
Macaroni or Spaghetti	Bulk	4 lbs.	29c		Northern Tissue		5 rolls	25c	

SCRATCH FEED	100-lb. bag	\$1.55	OYSTER SHELLS	100-lb. bag	75c
EGG MASH	100-lb. bag	\$1.89	POULTRY GRITS	100-lb. bag	69c
GROWING MASH	100-lb. bag	\$1.98	16% DAIRY FEED	100-lb. bag	\$1.15
FINE CHICK FEED	100-lb. bag	\$1.98	20% DAIRY FEED	100-lb. bag	\$1.45
CHICK STARTER	100-lb. bag	\$2.25	24% DAIRY FEED	100-lb. bag	\$1.49

Daily Dog Feed		6 cans	25c	Kiefer Pears	No. 2 Can	3 cans	25c
Cut Wax Beans	No. 2 Can	3 cans	25c	Ovaltine	Sm. can 29c	lge. can	55c
Golden Bantam Corn		3 cans	25c	Seminole Tissue		4 rolls	25c
Campbell's Soups	Except Chicken	3 cans	25c	Corned Beef		3 cans	49c
Tall Boy Soups	Tom. or Veg	3 cans	25c	Bulk Green Tea		lb.	25c
R. S. P. Cherries	No. 2 Can	3 cans	25c	Iona Tomato Juice	24-oz. Can	3 cans	25c
Grapefruit	No. 2 Can	2 cans	21c	Canvas Gloves		3 pairs	25c
Heinz Soups	Assorted	2 cans	25c	Medium Red Salmon	Tall	2 cans	35c
Del Maiz Niblets		2 cans	25c	Red Salmon	Tall Can	2 cans	45c

Fresh Fruits and Vegetables

Lard	<i>100% Pure</i>	2 lbs. 25c	Hamburg	2 lbs. 29c
Bacon	<i>Lean Squares</i>	lb. 21c	<i>Fresh Chopped</i>	
Fillets	<i>Ocean Pollock</i>	lb. 9½c	Beef Roast	lb. 17c
Oysters	<i>Fresh</i>	pint 23c	<i>All Chuck Cuts</i>	
Frankfurts, Bologna			Dried Beef	4-oz. pkg. 10c
or Liver Sausage,			Steaks	lb. 23c
		lb. 14½c	<i>Cut From Young Beef</i>	
			Salt Pork	lb. 23c

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DANSVILLE NEWS

First Semester Honor Roll

The honor roll for the high school for the first semester is as follows: Mary Cline, Ruth Crakes, Maxine Miller, June Dalton, Donovan Elwanger, Fern Osterlo, Verna Glover, Pauline Ives, Virginia Osterlo, Dorothy Harrison, Virginia Anderson, Harvey Owen, Marjory Lewis, Julia Dallas, Dora Smalley, Elaine Musser, Dora Diah, Dorothy Townsend, Pauline Shurland, Marjory Frost, Ina Townsend, Frances Shute, Mary Janus, Harriett Bailey, Leona Smith, Arlene Miller, Edith Crakes, Douglas Evans, Helen Ives, Eunice Walworth, Lloyd Galley, George Vogt, Mary Wolf, Dorothy Burgess, Thelma Hayhoe, Lloyd Shurland, Verna Shurland, Dorothy Sheathill, Dorothy Titus, Eulene Bates, Agnes Bravender, Bernice Haynes, Eleanor Knaut, Margaret Owen, Georgia Parks, Frank Scriber, Albert Tanghe, David Tilford, Viola Wilcox. The honor roll for the lower six grades is: Barbara Anderson, Dorothy Frost, Madlyn Anderson, Annabelle Cook, Kathryn Frost, Lowell Anderson, Bonita Cavender, Joan Parks, Nora Shute, Lawrence Dorck, Eddy Allen, Winifred Ives, James Frost, Martha Donal, Juanita Brown, Norma Heinz, Jacqueline Nelson, Marjory Haynes, Geraldine St. Clair, Ina Terrell, Betty Cleckner, Phyllis Shurland, Patsy Utter, Richard Crakes, Carrie Mae Ives, Doris Cole, Rosalyn Miller, Annabelle West, Florence Vermillion, Eleanor Terrell, Shirley Montgomery, Sara Jane Cline, Betty Ann Greenough.

Dr. Stuckey Here

Dr. George C. Stuckey of the Ingham county tuberculosis sanatorium was at the local school Monday to give skin tests to all children from the sixth to 12th grades inclusive. About 75 children received the test. Wednesday Dr. Stuckey was present to repeat the negative reactions and Monday he will come to read the repeat tests. On Tuesday he will give x-ray examinations to the positive reactions.

Plan Father-Son Banquet

The F. F. A. held their regular meeting at the school Tuesday night. Plans were made for the annual father and son banquet. They also expect to entertain the Leslie chapter sometime in the near future. Volley ball was played and refreshments of cookies and cocoa were served.

Hot Lunches Served to Students

More than 200 pupils in the school

are receiving hot lunches furnished by the WPA and the school district. This hot dish is a supplement to the lunch which the child brings. Mrs. Myrtle Boyd and Mrs. Abbie Parks are employed for the purpose of preparing the dish for the children.

Grade Work

The third grade children are making a birthday calendar and are learning how to write dates and to spell the names of the months. In arithmetic they are reviewing subtraction, addition and multiplication. The fourth grade geography class is studying Norway. The sixth grade geography class is studying the Scandinavian. One group of the fifth grade is studying the area of a rectangle, the other group is studying multiplication of fractions. Quite a few students are absent with colds. The sixth grade students are making health posters about foods.

Another Euchre Party Held

Another euchre party was held Saturday night in the C. M. Young building. Prizes were awarded to A. J. Miller, Will Curtis and Myron Kirby. The committee for the occasion was: Irma Hullberger, Arvilla Collar and party Saturday night, February 1, the committee consisting of Iva Corwin, Zoa Hobart and Ethel Evans.

Music Directors and Men Teachers

The Ingham county men teachers and music directors met last Thursday night at the local school. After a dinner they enjoyed the evening in singing and playing games. The music for the county festivals was selected at this meeting. The next meeting of the group will be in Okemos.

Baptist L. A. S. Meets

The Baptist Ladies Aid society met Wednesday for their regular monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Rose Freer. About 30 enjoyed the potluck dinner served by the committee consisting of Mrs. Abbie Fortman, Mary Arnold, Frances Keene, Mary Bradford and Eva Young. Plans were made to complete several quilts in the near future. The next meeting will be

Wednesday, February 5, at Mrs. Macbelle Howlett's. Those assisting the hostesses are Verna Dayton, Nora Walker, Nina Wing and Elizabeth Backus.

Dance Club Study Club

The Dansville Child Study club held a meeting Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lois Cohen. After a short business meeting an article was read by Mrs. Alta Anderson and a discussion followed. The next meeting will be February 3, at the home of Mrs. Irene Braun to hear the radio lecture by Mrs. Lydia Lynde.

Have Penny Supper

The M. E. L. A. S. met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Linnie Holt for their regular meeting. Their penny supper will be Wednesday at the town hall.

W. M. S. Holds Meeting

The Woman's Missionary society of the Free Methodist church met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Emery Freer. An hour was spent in sewing for the poor and a short business meeting followed in charge of the president, Mrs. S. A. Watters. A brief program closed the afternoon's meeting. Two new members joined the society at this time.

Aggies Defeated by Leslie Team

Dansville and Leslie high school cagers engaged in a struggle here Friday night with Coach Gus Hanson's Friday night team. The Leslie team, a veteran outfit emerging victorious in the second overtime period with a score of 30-28. With four minutes to go in the last quarter, three of the Aggies' mistakes were taken from the game for personal fouls. The Dansville team held a six-point lead midway of the last period. Worden's sharpshooting gave the Aggies a 5-3 margin at the quarter but the teams were even 12-12 at the half. Each Leslie player had scored one field goal and Aldrich had sunk two free throws. Dansville's 12 points were accounted for by Worden's three set shots, Greenough's long toss, Kelly's dribbling in shot and free throws by Wardle and Crakes. The teams went into the fourth period with the score even 19-19. Brownlee got a free throw and followed up with a basket to make the count 22-19 for Leslie. Crakes countered with a gift pass and Raymond Worden caged his fourth field goal to tie the score. "Wuzzie" Wardle, Aggie center, broke loose with three goals in rapid succession and the Orange and Black led with about four minutes to go. Aldrich retaliated with a basket and Dowling a free throw to make it 28-25. Fighting doggedly to protect their margin, the Aggies were fouling frequently, Dowling scored again from the foul line and Kelly left the game on personals. Jupp found the range and tied the score. Crakes fouled and the blond guard had his chance to cinch the victory with a free shot but missed. Crakes was taken out at this time and Dowling a free throw to make it 30-25. Brownlee made it 30-28 after being fouled by Greenough. As the whistle blew Berger, a Dansville sub, was fouled in the act of shooting, but missed his shot.

Free Methodist Church
Vernon J. Anderson, Pastor
Sunday school 10:30.
Morning service 11:30.
Evening service 7:30.
Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30 at church.

Methodist Episcopal Church
Emerald B. Dixon, Pastor
Morning service 11:00.
Sunday school 12:00.
Evening service 7:30.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30 at church.

Mrs. John Ickes is spending the week at the home of Robert Church of Redford.

Thelma Corrette was brought home Saturday from the Poote hospital in Jackson, where she has been since December 1. She is gradually improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hague of Ann Arbor, were week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Square Holt.

Mrs. Rosa Anderson spent the week end in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. William Burlingame.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Almond and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker and family were entertained at Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Oils.

Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson of Lansing, were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Anderson.

Donald Simons and Lyle Wolcott spent Sunday in Flint with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolcott.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Otis and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Almond were Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker, the occasion being Mr. Walker's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen attended the Superintendents Round Table at Woburnville, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Anderson and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Garner of Stockbridge.

Mrs. Emma Densmore has been ill the past week at the home of her son, E. A. Densmore, of Mason. She will celebrate her 88th birthday anniversary, Saturday, January 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods and son Frank visited Mary Elizabeth Woods in Flint, Sunday.

A boy was born Saturday morning January 18, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayhoe. Both mother and son are doing nicely.

Earl Cross spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Cessie Crakes, of Charlotte.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Proctor and Jack spent Friday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Latson of Ann Arbor.

George Cline, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cline, suffered a painful injury Tuesday when he fell with an eversharp pencil in his hand, the pencil going into the roof of his mouth. It is reported healing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Corbin and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin May of Stockbridge, Mr. and Mrs. John Sherwood of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Sherwood of Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Aseltine of Flint, and Mrs. Nellie Menke of Jackson, have all been visitors at the home of Alfred Aseltine, the past week.

Mrs. Elmer Simons spent Saturday in Lansing, with Mr. and Mrs. Jack LaFontaine.

Mrs. Ellen Simon's condition remains about the same.

Margie Thompson, Gar Briggs and Bobby Thompson of Lansing, were

Sunday visitors of Mrs. Myrtle Briggs. Rev. Emerald B. Dixon attended the Wheatfield Aid society at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mann.

B. B. Backus underwent a serious operation at the Sparrow hospital in Lansing Saturday. He is reported doing well.

Rev. Emerald B. Dixon spoke at the Capital City Townsend club in Lansing Thursday evening and also at the Leslie club the same evening.

Alfred Aseltine, who has been in the Mason hospital the past 10 days, underwent a serious operation Saturday night. His condition is reported good.

A daughter was born Sunday morning, January 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Doron Ferguson at the Mason hospital. She will answer to the name of Virginia Leo.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raymond spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Foster of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy West were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gran Dunsmore of Williamston.

Miss Genevieve Kinney and Joe Keene of Ypsilanti were Sunday visitors of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Keene.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collar of Wheatfield were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Dakin.

Mrs. Nathan Lantis is confined to her home by illness.

Marion Anderson has been ill the past week but is reported improving.

Mrs. Ray Youcum and sons, Robert and Wilbur, of Stockbridge were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Balmer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt and Junior were Sunday guests of Mrs. Joseph Miller of Perry.

George Allen, who has been critically ill for the past three weeks, is reported slightly improved.

Henry Lee is confined to his home this week with ear trouble.

Mrs. Wirt Dakin spent the latter part of the week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Tidwell, of Lansing.

Phyllis Balmer is ill this week with bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Blakely of Miller Road were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hullinger.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Anway of Mason were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noland Douglas.

Romer Bulen left Thursday for his home in Fort Ogden, Florida. Mrs. Bulen is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. B. Ward, of Dearborn.

Mrs. Lloyd Brooks spent Wednesday in Saginaw with Mrs. Hazel Bower.

Miss Frances Keene spent the week end in Ypsilanti as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burleigh, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne DeCamp and Grace and Vernice Lee of Lansing were Sunday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee, the occasion being Mrs. Lee's birthday anniversary.

Miss Ernestine Keene is employed at the home of Dr. N. K. McElmurry.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Balmer of Chelsea were Friday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Balmer.

Mrs. John Lunsie is ill at the home of her brother in Lansing. Mr. Lunsie's parents from St. Johns are staying at the Lunsie home during her absence.

Harold Ludlue of Gregory was a Monday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt.

Mrs. Ada Brown and family of Millville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Square Holt.

The Misses Margaret Curtis and Kathryn Boonstra were Wednesday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dol Wolf of Wheatfield.

Miss Marcela Doloff spent the week end in Lansing with the Downey's.

Northeast Alaiedon
By Mrs. Sadie Roback

Mr. and Mrs. John Evans and Geo. Marzen spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Roback and Ted.

Merritt Wade of Lake Odessa, was the guest of his uncle, Ben Wade, Wednesday night.

Mrs. Edwards has returned to her home here after a four weeks' illness in the Sparrow hospital in Lansing.

Dr. and Mrs. O. H. Core of Lansing, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Evans.

Harmon Grottenberger and family started for the south Friday morning. They are traveling in a house car and expect to be gone several months.

Wayne Elbert of Lansing, was the guest of his uncle, James Woodworth, and family one day last week.

A farmer's union meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dorn, Tuesday night. A large crowd was in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roback, Mrs. Grace Fizzell and Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Morrice Vianne and Miss Dora McDonald of Lansing, were dinner guests of the Roback family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Wade and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cook spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shultz and Mrs. Alta Fair in Lansing.

Mrs. Emily Marzen called on Mrs. Sadie Roback, Wednesday afternoon. Clarence Brown had the misfortune to lose a work horse last week.

Mary Marzen is suffering with a severe case of rheumatism.

Old Home Roundup club whose members are former scholars of the Leek school, will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stillman, Saturday evening, January 25. Members are requested to bring a table service. R. Koeler is president and Ida Hawkins, secretary of the club.

Bernie Hague and family formerly of Okemos, have moved into Jim Woodworth's tenant house.

A card party will be held at the home of Mrs. Thelma Madden, 1034 Raider street, Lansing, Friday, January 24, for the benefit of the O. E. S. of Okemos.

Mr. and Mrs. Philo Woodworth and Mrs. Laura Grottenberger of Okemos, were guests of Jim Woodworth and family, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Sullivan of

Jacksonville, Florida, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sullivan of Pontiac, were guests of their sister, Mrs. John Evans, Saturday.

Verna Dosey of Lansing, was the guest of Miss Eleanor Woodworth, Tuesday night.

White Oak
By Mrs. Fred Hayhoe

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnhart and Mrs. Ella Springstead have been ill.

Mrs. S. H. Williams, daughters Irene and Phyllis, and son, Samuel, called on her mother, Mrs. Fred Hayhoe, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Witt visited her sister, Mrs. Donald Maynard, and family Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Fred Hayhoe and Norma attended the funeral of John Hurlburt at Dansville Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Maynard and family were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnhart.

Mrs. J. L. Boyle and sons of Toward Gardens spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hayhoe.

Elephants are near-sighted.

Felt Plains
By Mrs. Norris Hart

There will be a picnic at the Felt Plains church Monday, January 27, sponsored by the south division of the Ladies Aid.

Mr. and Mrs. James McIntee attended a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Berry in Stockbridge Sunday night.

Mrs. Blanche Wood, Mrs. Dot Ward, Mrs. Bowby and Mrs. Ida Baker spent Friday in Baton Rapids with Mrs. Grace Winslow.

A baby girl was born January 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hart. She will be called Phyllis Elaine. Baby and mother are being cared for by Mrs. Lew Hart.

Low Hart, Miss Ruby Wright, Mrs. Anna Wheeler and Norma Jean of Jackson called to see Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hart and baby and Mrs. Lew Hart Friday.

The Ladies Aid society will hold its next meeting at the home of Mrs. Blanche Wood February 20.

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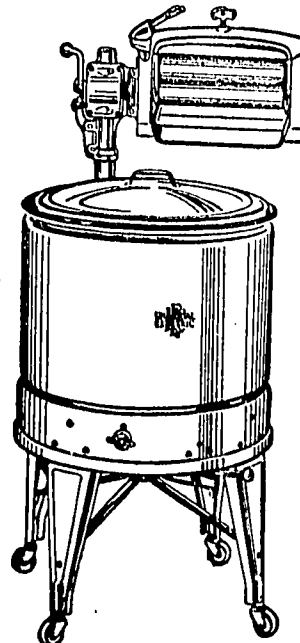
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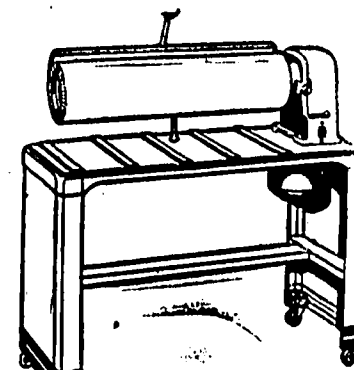
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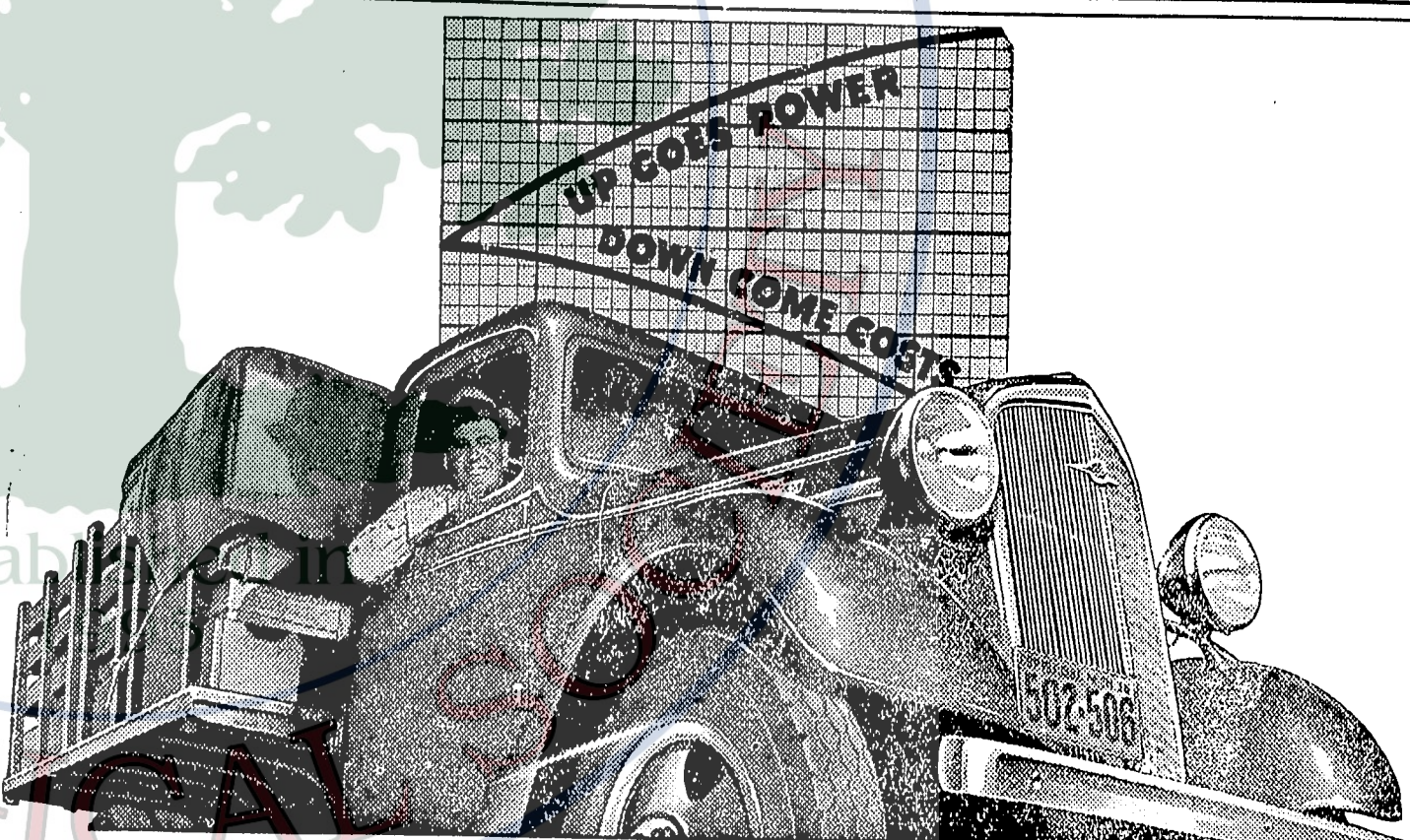
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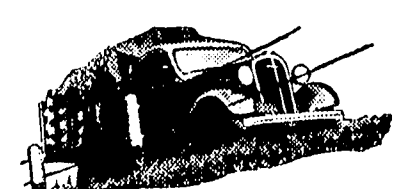
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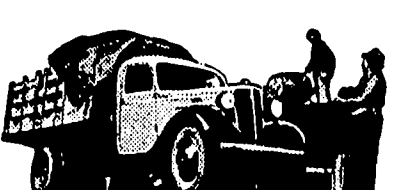
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FOR SALE—Purchased Holstein bull calf, \$15.00 if taken this week. Postcrest Farms, Mason R. 3. Phone 131-FJ2. 4w1

FOR SALE—20 head of good work horses, all sizes and prices; black Jersey and Holstein cow, to freshen soon. W. Carl Warner, four miles south and 2½ miles west of Mason. Phone Aurelius 703. 4w1

FOR SALE—Holstein cow due to freshen soon, Broadway sewing machine, also your choice between a Swedish Queen and a DeLaval cream separator. Phone 273-M, Alton Jewett, South Jefferson St., Mason. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Three-year-old colt. Denton Eckhart, Mason, two miles west and ½ mile north of Aurelius Center. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Two young grade Guernsey springers. B. J. Wigman, Holt. 4w1

FOR SALE—Eight months old colt. C. L. Sowers, 3½ miles south of Mason and first house west. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Five pigs; also one brood sow, due in April. Robert Medley, second house west of Mason golf course corner. 4w1p

FOR SALE—19 breeding ewes, coarse wool, good ones. John Jones, on old Joe Bennett farm, R. 1, Mason. 1p

FOR SALE—10 Barred Rock pullets. Clarence J. Freer, R. 1, Mason. 1½ miles east of Aurelius on Aurelius-Elden road. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Plymouth Rock pullets. Also two pairs of geese for breeding purposes. Mrs. B. F. Guenther, one mile north and ½ mile west of Philip school. 4w1p

FOR SALE—20 two-year-old coarse wool ewes, bred to start lambing April 25. Also a few fine wool ewes. Emory Jewett, R. 2, Mason. 4w1p

BABY CHICKS—Now hatching for January delivery. Broiler chicks, custom hatching, supplies, equipment. Larro poultry, dairy feeds, seed. Sunburst Hatcheries, 1006 S. Washington Ave., Lansing. 51-f

BABY CHICKS—Barred Rocks for broilers and early layers. First hatch December 30. Order now for delivery later. A Michigan R. O. P. breeder. Lowden Farms, postoffice, Rives Junction. Location Pleasant Lake. Phone Jackson 816-P23. 50-f

Farms—Real Estate

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Large house, barn and four acres of land in Mason. All modern. Will sell or trade for smaller place. Claude Post, Rives Junction. 4w1

FOR SALE—Or trade 60 acres. Will trade for house and lot. C. P. Grimm R. 1, Eaton Rapids. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Brick home and 2½ acres of land in Leslie, fine home, well located. Also 106-acre farm with new 32x60 barn and other good buildings. Fences up. Excellent soil. Well seeded. Priced right for quick sale. David A. Litter, Leslie. 3w2p

Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—180-egg Queen incubator, and 136-egg Queen incubator for half-price. Mrs. James Knauf, one mile west of Fitchburg. 4w2

FOR SALE—Radio, nearly new, five tube, table model. Reasonably priced. 440 S. Jefferson. Call 312. 1p

FOR SALE—Essex deluxe sedan, in first-class condition, good tires and battery. F. P. Millbury, 120 Sycamore street. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Outside toilet, good condition. Forest Hill, 2½ miles west of Mason on Columbia road. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Fresh eggs, graded according to weight. No. 4 and 2. Phone us your order, we deliver. Phone 206-J. Art L. Buck, Mason. 4w1p

FOR SALE—Good used Remington typewriter, \$21.00. Also a repossessed typewriter, only used three weeks, will sell cheap. Ingham County News. 4w1p

NOTICE—For custom butchering of beef at your home, see Leon Cowdry on Barnhill road, 3 miles north on Okemos road. 1st house east or leave word at E. D. Franklin's Meat Market. 4w1

FOR SALE AND REPAIR—Radios, washing machines and all household appliances, easy terms. Tubes tested free. Buy yours at Danville telephone office. Agent for L. B. Rullison Co. 3w1p

FOR SALE—Graded eating potatoes, either white or russets. Bob Howery, R. 1, Leslie. A mile east and ½ mile south of Elden. 2w3p

Wanted

WANTED—Work on farm, good rest of winter. Small wages. Inquire at Stanley Bowen's, 225 W. Elm street. 4w1p

WANTED—To rent farm, 80 acres or more, with electricity, 50-50 or 2-3 basis. Robert Medley, R. 1, Mason. 4w1p

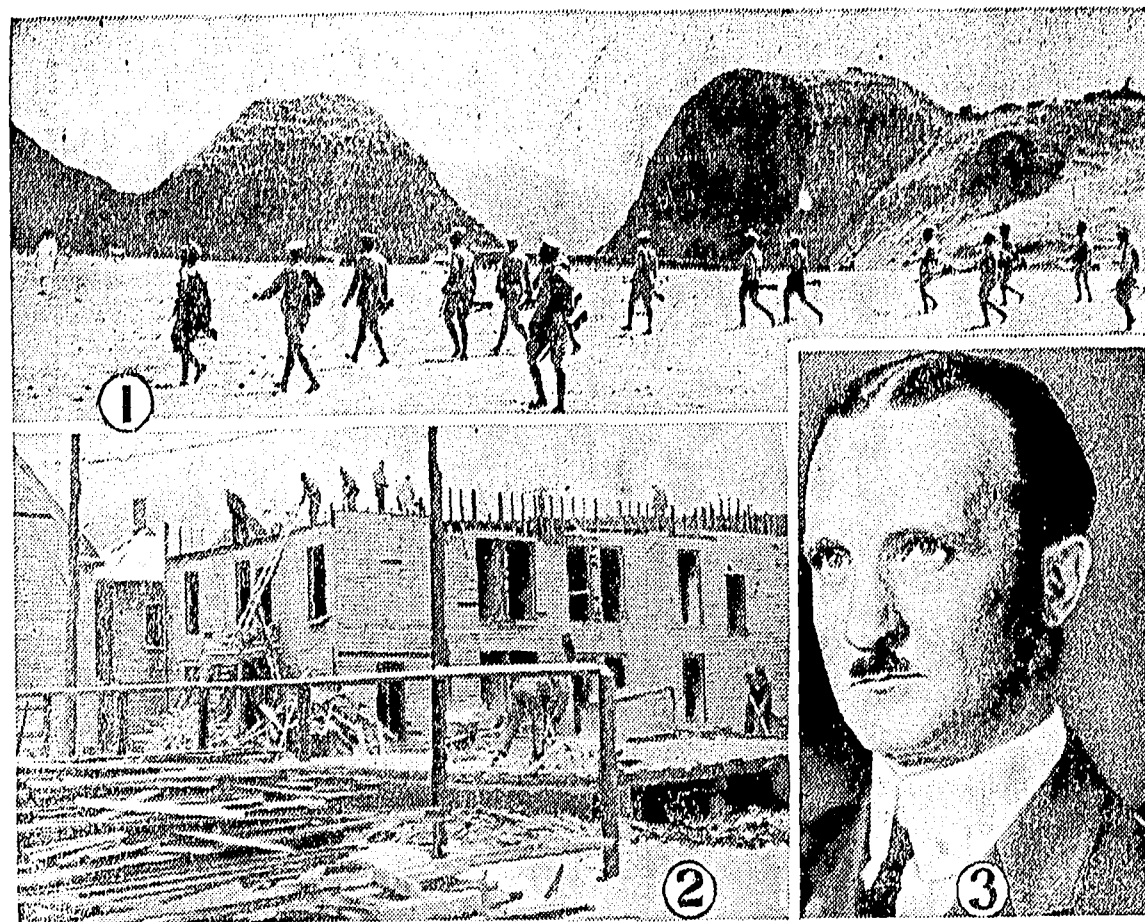
WANTED—Livestock. We will pay 20c from the Detroit market for good hogs, weighing from 160 to 230 pounds. Roseale Packing Company, phone 88, Detroit. 4-f

WANTED—Someone to cut wood on shares or by cord. Jerome Tanghe, R. 2, Mason, seven miles east of Mason on game farm road. 4w1p

WANTED—To rent good farm, equipped for dairy stock. Money rent preferred. R. M. Garrett, Route 2, Leslie, one mile east of Leslie. w1p

WANTED—Middle-aged couple, responsible, to take charge of farm. Good home, plenty of land. Preferably no children. E. L. Davis, ½ mile south of Aurelius. Phone Aurelius. 4w1

Scenes and Persons in the Current News



1—Photograph from the Ethiopian war front showing some of Halle Selassie's warriors starting from Dessye on a raiding expedition. 2—Workmen tearing down old buildings in the five-block federal slum clearance project in Detroit. 3—Brig. Gen. Oscar Westover, who has been made chief of the army air corps.

WANTED—To rent an 80 acre farm for cash or shares, within eight miles of Mason. Walter E. Weeks, R. 1, Mason. 4w1p

WANTED—Oats. See W. N. Sweeney, Michigan State college, East Lansing. 4w1

WANTED—To rent 80 to 120 acres. Must be good land. Share are money rent. Erwin Nott, R. 1, Stockbridge. 4w1p

WANTED—Waitress, 18 years of age or over. Will pay good wages with room. Maties Cafe, Leslie. 4w1p

WANTED—Housekeeper, between the ages of 30 and 40. Must be good cook and kind to children. Will pay good wages. Ernest Edger, Leslie, Michigan. 4w1p

WANTED—Housekeeper, able to take charge in a mother's home. Must like small children. Box 28, Ingham County News. 4w1

WANTED—Sound ear corn delivered four miles west of Teapoon Corners. W. D. Byrum, Onondaga. 1p

WANTED—Car load of ear corn. Drop me a card stating amount you have and I will call making you an offer. Arden Marquand, R. 4, Mason. 1p

WANTED—500 bushels of ear corn. C. A. Diehl, Dansville. 4w1p

For Rent

FOR RENT—5k room house with bath, fireplace, centrally located, beautiful lawn, fruit. Inquire 502 South Park street, Mason. 4-f

FOR RENT—110-acre farm to tenant with equipment, 50-50 share basis. Located one mile north of East Lansing. C. A. Brown, 948 University Drive, East Lansing. 4w1

FOR RENT—452 W. Maple street, modern seven room house, barn and garden. Mrs. W. Carl Warner, phone 703 Aurelius. 4w1

FOR RENT—Four room apartment, for light housekeeping, steam heat, gas, and electric lights. C. W. Browne, opposite postoffice. 3-f

Business Locals

FLOWERS—To the living! Certainly! Flowers sent when sorrow comes are for the living. A very comforting expression of sympathy. Jewett's Flower Shop, phone 61, Mason. 4w1

SAW MILL—Located on Geo. Davidson farm, five miles east of Mason on Brickyard road. All kinds of lumber for sale; also custom sawing of any kind. James Stone. 2w4

NOTICE—Disabled or dead farm animals removed free of charge. Sunday and holiday service. For quick service, call Central Dead Stock Company, Mason, phone 180, Mizer & Robinson, Agents. 4-f

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Miscellaneous

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank the Baptist church, Woman's Union, Philanthropy class, Rebekahs, Coterie, neighbors and friends, who so kindly remembered me with flowers, sweets and cards following my accident. Mrs. Clarence Ellison. 4w1p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank friends for their flowers and many kindnesses and the Rev. James Bowker for his comforting words during the long illness and death of Mrs. Willis Every. Willis Every. 4w1

WHERE TO PAY TAXES

ALABEDON—I will be at the Dart National Bank, Mason, each Saturday during December and January, for the collection of taxes. Preferably no cash payments at my home. No business done on Sunday. Lloyd Aseltine, treasurer. 49-f

AURELIUS—I will be at the Farmers Bank, Mason, Saturday afternoons, and at Jennings' Brothers store in Aurelius Center Fridays, for the purpose of collecting taxes. George Clark, township treasurer. 3w2

CITY OF MASON—The time for paying taxes without penalty having been extended to February 10, I will be at the First State Savings bank for the purpose of collecting taxes for the city of Mason, each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, and Monday, February 10. Cornelia Waggoner, city treasurer. 3w4

WHITE OAK—I will be at the White Oak town hall December 10, at the Millville store December 17, at the Vantown store December 19, and at home Fridays for the purpose of collecting taxes. Charles C. Gauss, township treasurer. 48-f

WHEATFIELD TOWNSHIP—I will be at the Williamson State Bank for collection of taxes every Saturday until further notice. Also on Monday, December 30, I will be at Paul's store, west of the Pollok school. A. R. Allen, Twp. treasurer. 50w4

BUNKERHILL—I will be at the Bunkerhill store Mondays and at Fitchburg, Fridays for purpose of collecting Bunkerhill taxes. No money accepted after three p. m. Emmet Woods, township treasurer. 50w5

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Rocks . . . 18c
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart attended Potomac Grange in East Lansing last Saturday and spent the evening with Mrs. Dora H. Stockman.

Merritt VanOstran and family are staying with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert VanOstran for a time.

Leon Newcombe is confined to his home by a severe cold.

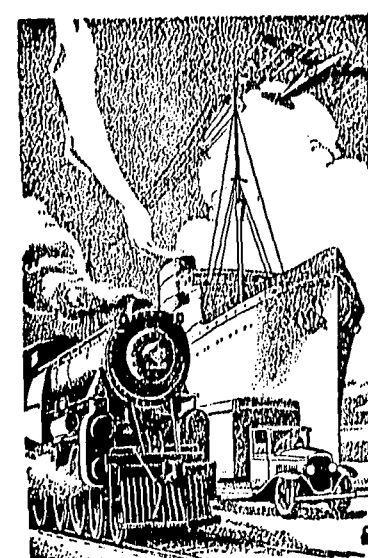
Mr. and Mrs. Hartman entertained relatives from Saline, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lindsey of Detroit, spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newcombe. Their son, Billy, who has spent the past few weeks with his grandparents returned home with them.

The Derby school has been newly decorated inside and looks very nice and cheerful.

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Muck Land Farmers
To Discuss Problems

COLLEGE SOILS EXPERT TO ADDRESS INGHAM FARMERS.

Farmers already working muck land as well as those contemplating doing so are to be given the latest information along this line at meetings to be held next week Monday and Tuesday, at the White Oak town hall. Dr. Paul M. Harmer, M. S. C. muck soils specialist, has been secured by County Agent Barnum to address both meetings.

Muck farming has been a considerable industry in Ingham county for some time and many new areas have been developed in recent years. Because of the varying types of muck and other factors that determine success or failure the muck farmer who consistently gets a satisfactory cash return must know exactly what he is doing.

Dr. Harmer is well known to most Ingham muck owners and is recognized as an authority in his field. He will discuss some general phases of the subject but perhaps will devote most of the time to results of his muck experiments for the last two or three years. His talk will be reinforced with appropriate lantern slides.

Monday's meeting, January 27, is to be at the White Oak town hall. The one for the following day, January 28, will be in the science room of the Stockbridge high school. Both sessions are to start at 1:30 p. m.

Frogs, rather than apes, were our remote ancestors, according to a new theory of evolution advanced by a Swedish scientist.

Two Ingham Granges
In Dramatic Contest

TO STAGE PLAYS AT COLLEGE DURING FARMERS WEEK.

Two Ingham county groups, the Capitol Grange and the Wheatfield

Grange, have entered the rural drama competition which culminates in the state contest at East Lansing on Friday of Farmers Week. Prof. Cecil Nickle of the college speech department recently met with both groups to coach them for the district elimination contest scheduled for January 28.

Mrs. Mabel Pierce, lecturer of the Wheatfield Grange, is sponsoring the play for that group while Mrs. Robert Watkins is in charge of the Capitol Grange cast. The third entry in the so-called district contest is a group from near DeWitt.

Keen interest has been shown in this movement ever since it was started as a Farmers Week feature by Prof. E. S. King several years ago. Two Ingham county entries have taken first honors, a Webberville group winning in 1931, and Capitol Grange in 1934.

The scene of the contest, the State theatre, is always filled to capacity. This year six casts are to compete instead of three or four as formerly. A forenoon session beginning at 10 o'clock will be added to provide for the extra time needed.

No admission charge is made to any of the contests. County Agricultural Agent H. H. Barnum, who is in charge of the district event, urges rural organizations that may be interested in entering next year to attend both the district and state meets. The district contest will be held at the East Lansing high school beginning at 7:30 on Tuesday night, January 28. An interesting evening's entertainment is assured.

SOCIAL EVENTS

About 20 members of the junior class of Mason high school enjoyed a party at the school Saturday night. Games were enjoyed and group prizes awarded, followed by refreshments of jelly and cake. Miss Hattie Lucas is class sponsor. The committee in charge of the program consisted of Janet Hemans, Margaret Barr, Dermont Hanes and Ellen Field.

Mrs. Wayne Spenny entertained a bridge club at her home Saturday night. Prizes were won by Mrs. S. A. Laxton and Mrs. Marshall Barr. Refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Humphrey entertained Mr. and Mrs. Glen Helmer of Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis, Miss Addie Keesler, Bob Bullen, Miss LuVerne Shender and Arden Marquette at a party Saturday night. Bridge was played, prizes being won by Miss Keesler and Mr. Bullen.

Members of the Knights of Pythias and their guests enjoyed a leap year dance at the hall last Thursday night. The Philan Sisters of Fowlerville provided good music. The feminine contingent made out dance programs.

Mrs. George Whyte entertained at a party Wednesday night. Cards were enjoyed, prizes being won by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Powell, Mrs. Gerald Parsons and Herbert Howe. Refreshments were served.

PERSONALS

Harry Howell is visiting relatives in Waterloo and Ottumwa, Iowa.

Miss Dorothy Rider has accepted a position with C. W. Couch & Son.

Thomas Hanna is reported ill at the home of Charles Hanna.

Mrs. I. J. Kellogg has returned to Mason after spending a short time in Bloxi, Mississippi.

Harry Freshour spent Wednesday and Thursday in Detroit at a convention of Michigan fair officers.

Emery Barr expects to attend the Sinclair sales school in Flint, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dakin and family of Ann Arbor, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Dakin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Brown spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Robinson of near Dansville.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jones of Mason, were dinner guests of Mrs. Harvey Beach, Monday evening.

Miss Ardus Ferguson of Detroit spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ferguson.

Miss Lucille Dissenroth was a guest of Miss Gwendall Clancy in Flint over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold King attended a birthday party in honor of Ralph King in Jackson Sunday.

Miss Elberta French spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Bernice French, at Onondaga.

Mrs. W. S. Rhodes is reported recovering from a painful abscess on her eye.

Mr. and Mrs. George Eckhart of Fowlerville visited Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Edgar Friday.

Miss Una Blodgett of Lansing spent Sunday and Monday with her sister, Miss Ula Blodgett.

Mrs. C. A. Clinton is caring for her mother, Mrs. Ransom Jump, who is ill at her home in Munith.

Mrs. Fred Williams has been seriously ill with inflammatory rheumatism.

Miss Margaret Lasenby of East Lansing and Mrs. Harold Fry of Detroit were week end guests at the L. T. Lasenby home.

Richard Mills returned to his work as manager of the local Kroger store Monday morning. He has been suffering from injuries to his back.

Mrs. Pearl Hardenburg left Saturday for a visit with her sister, Mrs. B. Douglas, and family in South Bend, Indiana.

Miss Frances Mickelson spent the week end in Royal Oak with Miss Hazel Gordon. Saturday they saw George M. Cohan at a Detroit theatre.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Vandercreek, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Peterson and Miss Lucille Ketchum of East Lansing were guests Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ketchum.

Mrs. O. D. Campbell spent Sunday in Royal Oak with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jones. She also attended the Masonic county club meeting at the Masonic temple in Detroit.

Mrs. Paul H. Barker of Rockwell City, Iowa, is the house guest of Miss Kate Henderson and Mrs. Richard Henderson. Mrs. Barker is a sister of Mrs. Henderson.

A daughter, Virginia Lee, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Doren Ferguson at the city hospital Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Freshour and Mrs. Mary Jo of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Freshour, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holmes and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dart spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Freshour.

Mrs. Russell Birkett spent the week end in Lansing with Mrs. Dale Peasley. Mr. Birkett and family and Howard Jackson were guests at the Peasley home Sunday and attended a shower in honor of Mr. Birkett's niece, Mrs. Howard Lasenby.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Beach, Mrs. Harvey Beach and Spencer Lindsey of Williamston, were in Detroit Thursday. While there they were in the J. L. Hudson building and saw Colleen Moore's doll house, which is on exhibition there.

Mrs. C. H. Ellison has returned from the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harold Bickert, in Lansing and is convalescing at her home. Miss May Lamb is caring for her. Mrs. Ellison received injuries when she fell from an automobile several weeks ago.

A Mason girl, freshman at Michigan State college, East Lansing, was in the dramatic cast of "The Tale of a Shirt", presented at the college Tuesday night. She is Maxine Rouse, graduate of the Mason high school.

Miss Rouse, who is registered in the division of liberal arts, is a member of the Spartan Women's League, social co-ed organization, which produced the play.

Judge L. B. McArthur and Mrs. McArthur entertained at a party Wednesday night. Prizes at bridge were won by Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clippert, Mrs. Frank Harding and Clarence Haugh.

There will be a dance for young people at the K. of P. hall Friday night, January 24.

Mrs. Gerald Parsons entertained at a farewell surprise party in honor of Mrs. Edgar Daft last Tuesday night. Mrs. Daft with her family moved to Detroit this week. Members of the Los Amis club attended. Additional guests were Mrs. Leola Austin, Mrs. E. E. Lohman and Mrs. Mary Smith. Prizes at 500 were won by Mrs. D. A. Smith and Mrs. Forest Starr. Mrs. Daft was presented with a gift from the group. Light refreshments were served by the hostess.

Members of the freshman class of Mason high school enjoyed a party at the high school gym Friday night. A scavenger hunt was held, the group headed by Pauline Riggs winning the prize. Dancing was also enjoyed, and refreshments were served. The committees were as follows: Entertainment, Elison Smith, chairman, Doris Michelsch and Barbara Petty; refreshments, Bernard Fancher, chairman, Jim Young, Marie Simmons and Wallace Bailey; clean-up, Lyle Hanna, chairman, Robert Colby, Margaret Willard and Betty Fulton. The class sponsor is Miss Alice Rand.

Juro Wyeno left Monday for a short vacation in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Daft and family have moved to Detroit.

Bert DeMuth returned to his home from the city hospital, Thursday.

Janet Campbell underwent an operation at the city hospital, Friday.

Mrs. Irene Franklin was in Ann Arbor on business Saturday.

A son, Richard Allen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Dale Reese, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Brown of Lansing spent Monday with their mother, Mrs. Olive E. Brown.

Mrs. Bess Gohn of Lansing, spent the week end with Mrs. N. T. Hazelton.

Mrs. George Deuel entertained Mrs. Edwin Shreve of East Lansing, Thursday.

Mrs. Clara Perry of Detroit, spent a few days this week with her grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Stoutenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. James Keen of Lansing, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Roland Childs.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Voss and Donagan of Williamston spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lottie Kent.

Mrs. Donald Haynes is caring for Mrs. Richard Jewett and son, Ronald Richard, at the Jewett home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Porter spent the week end in Grand Rapids with Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Alchin.

Mr. and Mrs. N. N. Rouse and family were guests at the T. J. Sweeney home in Brant Sunday.

Mrs. Maurice Peek of Flint spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peek.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Oserberg and Ronald spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips in Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Post of Rives Junction, spent the week end with relatives in Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Warren entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Allen of Perrinton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Heath of Milbrook are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hotchkiss.

Kenneth Robinson is confined to the city hospital with an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Orrin Hall has returned to her work at the local office of the Michigan Bell Telephone company.

Mrs. Elmer Brown underwent an operation at the city hospital, Friday and returned to her home Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slagh were in Holland and Grand Rapids last week Tuesday and Wednesday.

Miss Lorraine Smith of Middleton spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Smith.

Mrs. Olive E. Brown and Calvin visited her daughter, Mrs. Harold Miller, in Lansing Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Smith of Middleton is visiting at the home of her son, D. A. Smith, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cedric Allen of Perrinton called on Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Smith Sunday.

A son, Keith Frederick, was born Tuesday to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cline. Mrs. Cline was formerly Doris Fuhrman.

Mrs. Carlton Smith of Lansing, and Mrs. John Joy of Haslett, visited their mother, Mrs. Crump, at the George Whyte residence, Tuesday.

Judge L. B. McArthur and Mrs. McArthur attended the funeral services of Mrs. Mary K. Fitch in Lansing Monday.

Harry Moore of Tecumseh, and Mr. Sprinborn of Cleveland, Ohio, spent the fore part of the week at the Forest Smith home.

Miss Effie Hawn, accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Hawn of Lansing, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hawn of Detroit over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wourt Every and daughter, Joyce, were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Otis.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Morrison and Mrs. Cora Parr were guests at a birthday dinner given for Lou Tucker in Lansing Saturday night.

Mrs. W. S. Seelye and Mrs. C. W. Bell attended a district meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary at Swartz Creek, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aseltine of Cleveland are visiting in Mason. They were called here by the death of Mrs. Aseltine's father, Alfred Aseltine.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawyer were guests Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grindling in Williamston.

Benjamin Barr of Detroit, spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Barr. Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Hall and Mrs. Mary Proctor of Stockbridge, were Sunday callers.

Miss Martha Pearl White of East Lansing spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. White. Mr. and Mrs. Charles White of Detroit spent Friday night at the L. R. White home.

Organizations

The Maccabees will hold a pedro party at their hall Saturday night, January 25. Those attending are asked to bring sandwiches and one dish to pass.

A regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held Tuesday, January 28. The program will be "Legislation." William S. Seelye will address the group. Members of the American Legion are invited to be present at this meeting. Mrs. Burt Green is in charge.

Members of the Mizpah class of the Methodist Sunday school and their husbands will enjoy an oyster supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Campbell, Friday night at six-thirty. The oysters were sent by Mr. and Mrs. Walter S. Root from Bloxi, Mississippi.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the Maccabee hall, Tuesday evening, January 21, when the officers of the Lady Maccabees and the Junior Maccabees were installed by Deputy Great Commander, Margaret E. Cline of Lansing. Several ladies from the Hives in Lansing were present including Assistant Great Commander Minnie L. Adams.

A regular meeting of the Ladies of the Maccabees will be held Monday night, January 27.

The Sans Souci club members were entertained by Mrs. Leo L. Kelly, Mrs. Richard Cayender and Mrs. Leo Burton at the Kelly home Monday night.

The Past Noble Grand club will meet Wednesday night, January 29, with Mrs. Lee Barnhill on North Lansing street.

A regular convention of Mason Lodge No. 70, K. of P., will be held Monday night, January 27. The rank of Knight will be conferred on two candidates. A good attendance is desired.

A town night club dance will be held Wednesday night, January 29, at Jennings play house at Aurelius Center.

The Home Economics committee of Capitol Grange No. 540 of East Lansing, will serve a dinner at the I. O. O. F. hall, East Lansing, Saturday evening, January 25, from six-thirty to seven-thirty, to be served as guests arrive. Tickets for the dinner will be on sale at that time with a ticket on the quilt included. The lecturer's program follows the dinner and the regular business session will follow the program.

The Presbyterian L. A. S. will meet at the church Friday, January 31. Members of Circle No. 1 will be hostesses.

The Baptist Woman's Union will meet Wednesday, January 29, at two o'clock with Mrs. Clarence Bickert. Mrs. Floyd Otis will be program leader.

Members of the Mason Rebekah degree team will meet at the hall Monday night, January 27, at eight-thirty o'clock for practice.

Members of Mason Chapter No. 150, O. E. S., will entertain past matrons and past patrons at a six-thirty dinner at the hall Friday night, January 31. The dinner will be potluck, but meat, potatoes and rolls will be furnished by the chapter. A program will follow.

The Mason Woman's club met January 14 at the home of Mrs. Ray Bullen, with Mrs. Leo Kelly, assisting the hostess. Roll call was "Name a Mineral of Alaska." Mrs. Russell McBride gave a paper on "Mineral Productions of Alaska" and Mrs. Carl Jewett, a guest for the day, gave a reading. The next meeting of the club will be held in the directors room of the First State Savings bank with Mrs. Ward Bullen and Mrs. Margaret Burgess as hostesses Tuesday, January 28. Roll call will be "Give Your Native Town and State." Mrs. G. J. Jorden will speak on "Cities and Towns of Alaska."

The midwinter meeting of the Ingham County Federation of Women's clubs will be held in Lansing, Wednesday, January 29, at the Woman's club house on South Washington avenue. A session of the executive board will be held at 10 o'clock, followed by Bohemian luncheon at noon. Activities for the afternoon will begin with a reception in the blue parlor, with officers of the Woman's club house association and the federation in the receiving line. The program following will consist of a play, a short play and an address by Dr. Brock, scientist and economist of Saginaw.

The Wheatfield Gleaners will have an open meeting at their hall Tuesday night, January 28. Bingo will be played and a potluck supper served.

The Alameda Farmers club will be held January 25, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Young. An address will be given by E. W. Kiebler and roll call will be "One Resolution I Carried Out Last Year." Committees in charge are Mesdames Kaiser, Kelly, Straight and J. B. True.

The Semper Fidelis class of the Baptist church will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Troxell Friday night, January 24, at eight o'clock. Everyone is asked to attend, as a teacher will be elected at this meeting.

Ingham Chapter No. 51, R. A. M., will have a special convocation Tuesday night, January 28, at eight o'clock. The Past Master degree will be conferred. The officers will appreciate a good attendance. Visitors are expected. Refreshments will follow the work.

Circle No. 4 of the Presbyterian L. A. S. will meet with Mrs. R. B. Wallace at 215 East Ash street Tuesday afternoon, January 28.

The Mason 4-H Needlecraft club met Saturday, January 18, at the home of the leader, Miss Ethel Arend. After sewing on their articles of clothing, the girls played games under the direction of Sarah Guenther and Pauline Thorburn. The members then joined in singing the club song. The next meeting will be February 1, at the home of Pauline Thorburn.

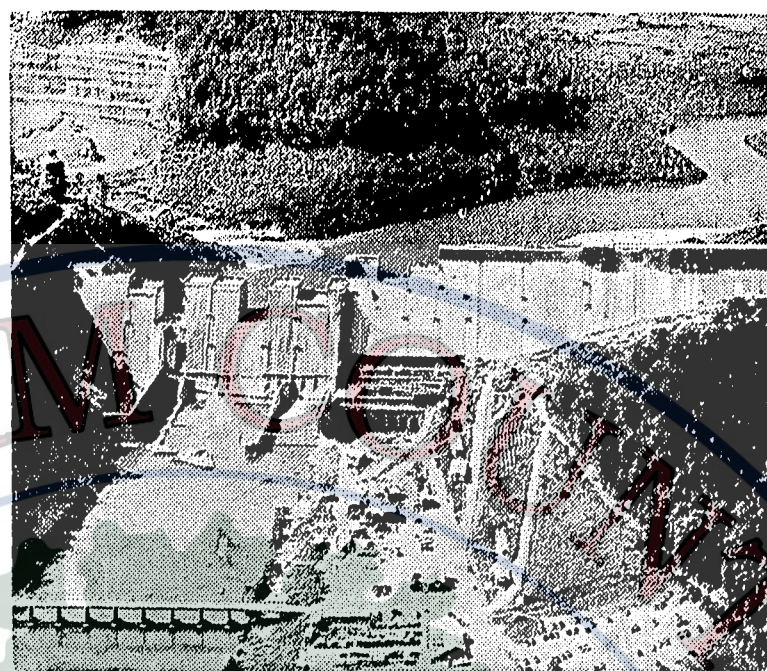
The Aurelius Center L. A. S. will meet Thursday for dinner.

Two-Man Olympic Bob Sled Team



The two-man bobsled team of the American team, Allan Brown, driver, and Allan Washbond, brak, works out daily at Lake Placid, N. Y., in preparation for the Olympic winter games.

Norris Dam Almost Completed



Norris dam, now more than nine-tenths complete, as it appeared from an airplane recently. The view shows the dam, being built on the cliche river, by the TVA, with more than 900,000 cubic yards of concrete already poured. Several hundred feet of the east abutment, at the right, are finished.

Teachers Whose Ears Were Cut Off



These two rural school teachers near Jalisco, Mexico, were attacked by what the Mexican government terms "religious rebels," and their ears were cut off because the taught socialist doctrines. Police officials assert many teachers have been mutilated and some have been killed.

Conference Is Planned For 4-H Club Leaders

CLUB ENROLLMENT SHOWS HEAVY INCREASE THIS YEAR.

A sectional 4-H Club leaders' conference is announced by the county extension office for Wednesday evening, January 29, to be held at the Union building, East Lansing. Local leaders in charge of winter projects, clothing for girls and carpentry for boys, will receive instruction from Miss Lois Corbett and P. G. Lundin, assistant state club leaders. Clubs are especially numerous this year in the north and northwestern part of the county, hence the decision to meet at East Lansing.

A similar get-together will be held February 10 in another part of the county. Enrollment in winter projects shows a gratifying increase over 1935, according to the extension office records. There are 28 clothing groups with an aggregate membership of over 300. Eight handicraft clubs are going this winter as compared to two last year. Two hot lunch clubs, a new project in this county, have also been launched.

C. A. Prentiss, 4-H Club extension agent in the district composed of Ingham, Eaton, Clinton and Ionia counties, is spending the week in Ingham county getting acquainted with club members and leaders and laying plans with County Agricultural Agent H. H. Barnum for the summer program. He is also assisting the handicraft clubs in details of their winter work.

It is believed that with the additional help of a district agent a closer contact can be maintained with individual members than has been possible heretofore. He will also be available for assistance with the county fair, achievement days, and other special events. Mr. Prentiss has been a local club leader for some time hence has an intimate knowledge of club problems.

ANNOUNCE SCHOLARSHIPS

The Meizinger Foundation announces that 25 scholarships valued at \$5000 are to be awarded. Full details of the contest have been sent to all schools and colleges.

RAPIDLY IMPROVING

Mrs. Clifford Ray is reported as making rapid improvement. She has been removed from the home of Mrs. Minnie Hemans to her home on Cedar street.

Shirley Temple Sun.-Mon. w1

Calendar of Events For Coming Week

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Wednesday, January 29, Ingham County Federation of Women's clubs beginning at 10 o'clock.

Thursday, January 30, President's ball at high school gymnasium.

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Friday, January 31, Presbyterian L. A. S. at church.

Friday, January 31, O. E. S. members entertaining past matrons and patrons at six-thirty potluck dinner at hall.

Officers Installed At Joint Meeting

POMONA AND CAPITOL GRANGES MEET AT EAST LANSING.

Ingham County Pomona Grange met for an all-day session with Capitol Grange No. 340, at East Lansing, Saturday, January 18. The forenoon session was called to order by the over-seer, Ami Terrill of Ingham Grange, in the absence of the Master, L. S. Barnes, of Leslie Grange. A potluck dinner was served at noon by the home economics committee of Capitol Grange. The lecturer's program in the afternoon was open to the public. The new Pomona officers were installed by the county delegates to State Grange, Mrs. Mildred Stafford of LeRoy Grange, and Robert Watkins of Capitol Grange, assisted by the subordinate delegates, C. A. Rinehart of Capitol Grange, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart of Williamston Grange. The newly installed officers are: Master, Vern A. Stockman, Capitol Grange; over-seer, Earl Gordon, Leslie Grange; lecturer, Daisy L. Sturges, Capitol Grange; steward, Owen Karn, Wheatfield Grange; assistant steward, Roy Wallis, M. S. C. Student Grange; lady assistant steward, Mary McMullen, M. S. C. Student Grange; chaplain, Margaret Gordon, Leslie Grange; treasurer, Ina Davidson, Ingham Grange; secretary, Mildred Stafford, LeRoy Grange; gatekeeper, Charles Hart, Williamston Grange; Coran, Hazel Gordon, Leslie Grange; Pomona, Janie Hart, Williamston Grange; Flora, Wava Mowen, M. S. C. Student Grange; and executive committee, Pearl Terrill, Ingham Grange, C. A. Rinehart, Capitol Grange, Grace Barnes, Leslie Grange. The master, Vern Stockman, outlined the work which he hopes to accomplish in the two year term, stressing ritualism, legislative programs and work among the youth of the county. The lecturer, Daisy L. Sturges, gave a resume of her work in the past two years and a glimpse of her program plans for the new term, urging co-operation of the members. The master and lecturer were appointed to get out the new year books. Mrs. Dora Stockman was present and gave an interesting account of her recent trips to California and Washington. Capitol Grange orchestra furnished music for the afternoon and Mr. and Mrs. Robert N. Watkins, Mrs. Pearl Widman and Ivan Christian, all of Capitol Grange, presented a playlet. Every officer and committee member was present to be installed in spite of bad roads and inclement weather.

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\$6.95 to \$29.75

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—Mrs. Ernest Sherman

Grange Meets

Reports from the meeting held Saturday night, Leslie Community Grange, include the announcement of the continuation of the membership drive the next two weeks also the devotion of the lecturer's hour of the next meeting to be held February 1, to local members of the Future Farmers of America. An appropriate program and refreshments will be featured at this meeting. After the business meeting a Michigan Day program of assembly singing, readings by Mrs. Harry Covett and Mrs. Gertrude Harmon; vocal solos by Mrs. Lella Brownlee and Paul Simpson and a short history of Michigan by Mrs. Cecil Crowell, together with games were enjoyed and refreshments were served. On February 15, M. S. C. will send a team here to debate against a debating team from Battle Creek.

Church Board Meets

A meeting of the board of trustees and other officials of the Congregational church was held Wednesday at the parsonage for the purpose of conferring with the pastor, the Rev. E. L. Sutherland, and formulating plans for furthering the progression of the church in various ways. A report read by the treasurer showed a marked improvement in financial conditions. A verbal resignation of Russell Hammond, one of the trustees from the office was accepted and the vacancy was filled by the appointment by the board of Charles Wilcox. Following the business transactions Mrs. Sutherland during a social hour served refreshments.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hammond and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Harwood entertained at the latter's farm home Wednesday the following group at a bridge dinner: Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Blackmore, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Reardon, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Brown, Dr. and Mrs. Harland Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Byrum, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Teft of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blackmore of Eaton Rapids.

Baptist Church Notes

Sunday announcements of the Rev. Samuel Ruster, pastor of the Baptist church, include church school at 10:30, Leslie Vince, superintendent; 11:30, morning worship, sermon subject, "The Woman at the Well," by F. U. at 6:30 p. m. with Mrs. Iva Hampton, leader. "The Confidence That Counts" will be the topic of the evening service. The Rev. E. L. Sutherland, pastor of the Congregational church will have "The Law of Service" for his adult sermon subject, and "Friendliness" for the subject for the young people Sunday morning at the usual church hour 11:00, with Sunday school at 10 o'clock.

Free Methodist Church

Vernon J. Anderson, pastor. Morning service, 10:00. Sunday school, 11:00. Evening service, 7:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30, at the church.

Jay Waite, a former trainer of Red Grange, and father of the Y. M. C. A. movement, will be the guest speaker at the F. F. A. banquet to be held January 27, in the Leslie high school auditorium.

Miss Grace Mastick, teacher of the Anis school is absent from her duties on account of illness.

The Rev. Samuel Ruster, pastor of the Baptist church here, will be the speaker at the young people's rally held in the evening at the First Baptist church in Jackson, following the mid-year association January 27, with morning, afternoon and evening sessions.

Mrs. Leon Crowl and Mrs. Frank Launstein were Friday guests of Mrs. Madge Vicary.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hart, January 15, a daughter, Mrs. Hart was formerly Miss Helen Clineker.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnstone and daughter, Nancy Lou, of Detroit, were Thursday and Friday guests of Mrs. Johnstone's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hanson, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hull, Jr.

A regular meeting of Leslie Township club No. 1, was held Thursday evening at the G. A. R. hall with 200 members and guests in attendance. The Rev. Monroe Dickinson, pastor of the Methodist church of Dansville, was the speaker. A program of assembly singing, tap dancing selections by Burcey Parker of Bunkerhill, several numbers by a men's quartet composed of James Black, Paul Lantz, W. R. Castle and William Kelly; poems written and read by L. C. Miles; was presented. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held February 6, at the above mentioned place of meeting. This club now has a membership of 333. Lansing Township club No. 1 has an invitation to members of this program to furnish a program for their next meeting January 23.

The Northeast Rives Community club met Thursday evening at the school building with 89 people present. The president of the organization called a business meeting with the result that a Valentine party will be held the evening of February 14 at the school house with the following committee in charge: Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Abbey, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crowl, Mr. and Mrs. John Steffen, Mr. and Mrs. William Abbey, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. William Blair. The program for the evening was as follows: Music by the newly organized community orchestra composed of the following members, Floyd and Fred Steffen, Dewayne Ketchum and Roland Glasse; playlet, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Steffen; violin duet, Dewey Blake and Lee Osborne, with piano accompaniment by Floyd Steffen; humorous reading by Miss Gertrude Hemstreet; group of songs by the boys of the school, with mandolin accompaniment by Dewayne Ketchum; playlet, Lynn Young, the Misses Madeline Abbey and Emmogene Young and Dewayne Ketchum; group of songs by the girls of the school; playlet, by the Abbey troupe consisting of Mrs. Myra Abbey, Mrs. Annabelle Abbey, Mrs. Retta Abbey and Mrs. Evelyn Abbey; tap dancing, Madeline Abbey with harmonica accompaniment by Henry Barnes.

At a meeting of the Theta Sigma society held at the home of Mrs. Madge Vicary, Thursday, Mrs. Effie Baggerly and Mrs. Warren Byrum were admitted to membership. A one o'clock dinner was served, after which the time was passed with contests. The next

meeting will be held January 31, at the home of Mrs. Leah Harwood. The annual junior play of Leslie high school will be held in the auditorium of the school building the evening of February fifth and sixth beginning at 8:15 o'clock. The play is entitled "Phillip for Short." The scene for this three act comedy is laid in the living room of the Henry Dodge residence at Mayfield. The part of Henry Dodge, a very prominent man of the town is to be played by Eugene Dohy. The other cast of characters are as follows: His sister, Phillis Loseny; his wife, Josephine, Josephine Reynolds; his cousin Jane, Eleanor Wood; his butler Samuel, Junior Blood; his mother-in-law, Mrs. Wiggins, Emmogene Parsons; Alfred Duke, his next door neighbor, Loren Shosmith; Germaine the cook, Helen Uren; Matilda Tucker of the Mayfield Purity League, Hazel Reader; Phillip McGrath himself, Bud Allen, and his servant Spasm, Herbert Shaw. The proceeds of the play will be used to defray the spring junior and senior prom.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Scofield, daughter Ruth and son Marshall of Davidson; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scofield and son Harold, of Mason; Mr. and Mrs. Donald Scofield and daughter Kathryn of Lake Lansing; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blakely, daughters, Erma and Dorothy and son Royal, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Glasse, and daughter, Jenn and Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Hull, Jr., surprised Mrs. Roy Scofield at her home northeast of the village Saturday to celebrate her 71st birthday anniversary. The guests were her children and their families. A bountiful dinner was enjoyed and Mrs. Scofield was presented a gift.

B. M. Landfair, a resident of Leslie more than 50 years ago and now a lake captain called on Mr. and Mrs. William Vicary, Sunday.

The south division of the Felt Plains Aid society will hold a pie social at the church at seven o'clock Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Artie Wood, Mrs. Clifford Ward and Mrs. Thomas Bowby visited the former's daughter, Mrs. Gleeland Winslow, of Eaton Rapids, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Blackmore and daughter, Maxine, as guests of Dr. Harland Campbell and Mrs. Campbell attended a concert at Ann Arbor, Monday evening.

The Willing Workers honored Mrs. Jane Cook on her 82nd birthday anniversary with a party held at the G. A. R. hall. A birthday cake was made by Mrs. Maude Ray featured a one o'clock dinner. Mrs. Cook Long, a resident of this vicinity, and a valued member of the society, was remembered with many gifts. Her talk to her co-workers was much appreciated. On account of change of residence, Mrs. R. C. Stewart, president of the organization, handed in her resignation and Mrs. M. Lawrence, vice president, Mrs. J. Webber, will fill the office until the annual election. Mrs. Christiana Royston will be hostess at the next meeting to be held in the above mentioned hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McClelland and daughter, Lois of Portland, Charles Shean, and Mr. and Mrs. Claud Young were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Young of Jackson.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Doren Ferguson of Dansville, January 19, a daughter, Virginia Lee.

Mrs. Mabel Miner was hostess Wednesday to the following group of cousins: Mrs. Carrie Heath, Grass Lake; Mrs. Villa Sargent, Henrietta; Mrs. Alice Fruschar and Mrs. Ila Hartsell, Jackson; Mrs. A. B. Rice, Lansing; Mrs. Edna Western and Mrs. Orla Russ, Rives; Mrs. Belle Lumbard and Mrs. Margaret Blackmore of this place.

Leslie defeated Dansville in basketball played Friday evening by a score of 30 to 28. Friday evening St. Mary's high school team will compete with the local team.

Mrs. Mary Jewell is visiting at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. Allen Fredericks of Mason.

Rev. M. Lawrence is confined to his home by illness.

One of the outstanding musical events of Leslie high school will be a broadcast over WIBM, Jackson, Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with a band of 28 pieces under the direction of Keith Forbush.

"Death Takes the Steering Wheel", a mock court trial sponsored by the Anti-Saloon League of Michigan and presented Wednesday evening at the Methodist church here will be portrayed by the following cast of characters composed of professional actors and business men and prominent people of the village: Judge, J. B. Baggerly; defendant, M. C. Ward; court clerk, Robert Brownlee; bailiff, Leslie Vince; foreman of jury, Branch Fisher; Dr. Ransom, D. E. Clay; detective, the Rev. Edward J. Cross; Gladys Brennon, Mrs. Grace Lawrence; Alice Ball, Julie Fogg.

The Rev. R. M. Lawrence announces a mid-winter institute for the young people of the Albion-Lansing district Epworth League will be held Friday and Saturday of this week at the Maple street Methodist church in Battle Creek. The institute theme will be "Christian Youth." Those desirous of attending from here will please meet at the parsonage at four o'clock Friday afternoon.

The Rev. R. M. Lawrence, pastor of the Leslie, Felt Plains and Methodist churches announces beginning the evening of February 3, a two weeks' series of special evangelistic services will be held at the Eden church with the Rev. E. C. McComb and son as evangelists. The latter, an accomplished musician, will lead in singing and will also furnish music on the trombone, euphonium and xylophone.

"Breaking Jail" will be the Sunday morning sermon subject of the Rev. R. M. Lawrence, pastor of the Methodist church here, solving Life's Problems" will be the evening's subject. Church school and Epworth League will convene at their regular hours. Church and Sunday school will be held at the Felt Plains church at the usual hours as will also the regular Sunday services at Eden.

A series of store thefts was solved Wednesday with the arrest of a 14-year-old boy by Deputy Robert Harwood. The lad confessed to numerous robberies. He is now in the detention home in Mason and will be taken into juvenile court before Judge L. B. McArthur.

Mrs. Clarence Freeman was in Detroit on business, Monday. Governor's Wife Guest With the state's first lady, Mrs. Frank Fitzgerald, honor guest, members of the E. O. T. C. club Tuesday evening celebrated Michigan Day. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Bernice Whitney, the vice president, Mrs. Blanche Ingalls, presided. The leader for the evening, Mrs. Anna Cove, announced the following numbers: Two trumpet solos, George Vicary;

group of readings, Mrs. Grace Lawrence; two vocal solos, the Rev. E. L. Sutherland; paper, written by Mrs. Nova Vicary read by Mrs. Estella Ranney. Mrs. Ingalls in behalf of the club presented Mrs. Fitzgerald with a corsage bouquet of violets and spring flowers. The governor's wife talked informally and mentioned that as their residence at Grand Lodge was only 10 miles from Lansing it had not been necessary for them to give up their home when the governor went into office. She also mentioned in a humorous way the fact that as the governor generally did most of the talking she had felt the necessity of speech making. Mrs. William Harzig, a member of the club, is a sister of Mrs. Fitzgerald. Hostesses for the evening were Mrs. Elizabeth McArthur, Mrs. E. T. Blackmore and Mrs. Yolande Mitchell. During a social hour refreshments were served by Mrs. Twilla Allen, Mrs. Mabel Albright, Mrs. Ellen Ward, Mrs. Lucile Brown and Miss Vesta Belle.

OBITUARY

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary M. Diamond, 93, were held Monday afternoon at the Jewett funeral home with the Rev. John Adams officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove cemetery.

Mary Margaret, daughter of Thomas and Susan Barnes, was born at the Barnes homestead in Niagara county, New York, December 19, 1842, and died at her home, Mrs. Bertha Shafner in Mason, January 18. She was of Revolutionary ancestry on both sides of the family.

At the age of 16 she taught school in her home district and throughout her life she taught and loved the work, teaching in New York, Ohio, Michigan, Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado.

In 1888 she was married to Joseph Diamond of Colorado and thenceforth they lived on a ranch in Colorado, save for one year spent in California. After Mr. Diamond's death in 1913, Mrs. Diamond came to Mason to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Ida M. Korns.

She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Ida Korns of Grand Rapids, two nieces and a nephew, the nephew's family and a number of more distant relatives.

The friends of her childhood and youth have long since passed over the river and now, at the ripe age of 93, she goes to join them.

I know not where His Islands lift
Their fringed palaces of air;
I only know I cannot drift
Beyond His love and care.

And so, beside the silent sea,
I wait the muffled oar;
No harm from Him can come to me,
On ocean or on shore.

PREACHER KNOWN HERE HONORED IN ARKANSAS

DR. O. P. CHRISTIAN FORMER
MASON BOY.

Has Held Pastorates In Many States,
Spent Year In Australia, Now
Heads Hospital.

Dr. O. P. Christian was honored at his home in Little Rock, Arkansas, on his 80th birthday anniversary. There are several people in Mason who remember him as he was born and brought up here. He is a cousin of Miss Kate Henderson. Mrs. Richard Henderson, with her late husband, visited Dr. Christian at his home in Little Rock three years ago. Two years ago Dr. Christian returned to his former home here and spoke at the Methodist church.

The following article appeared in a recent edition of a Little Rock newspaper:

"It has been said somewhere that when a man reaches the age of 60, he ought to be chloroformed. If such a state probably would not have its Arkansas Children's Home and Hospital, for Dr. O. P. Christian had passed the ripe old mark of 62 when he began his work here for crippled children of the state.

"Yes! When that Methodist preacher came here and grouped the first six or seven children of his home around a table, made of a barn door on soap boxes, he was already an old man, as the world calculates ages. But Doctor Christian knew different. So from that beginning, when he and the children confided to his care slept on pallets on the floor of an otherwise for one of the finest children's homes in the country through 19 years of hard work. Work that would be hard for any man at any age.

"Now he has retired from active management of the hospital and home. The board in charge of the affairs of this institution has conferred upon him the title of Superintendent Emeritus Christian, for life, has voted him an honorable stipend that will enable him to live modestly and care for his invalid wife, and has provided him a home.

To Celebrate Birthday
"Sunday at noon the old preacher's friends will gather at his home, 905 Battery, to celebrate his eightieth birthday. His birthday is Saturday, "Eighty years, though, still weigh but lightly on the shoulders of this Methodist minister, who retired at the age of 60 because of ill health. It was

20 years ago that he gave up his work with children in Idaho, where he built and organized an institution similar to the one here, to go to Australia for his health. One year in Australia was sufficient to revive him, so he returned to the United States and spent a year in California. Then he was ordered to come to Little Rock. Like most Methodist ministers, he hated to give up his assignment in the worst coast state, but nevertheless he obeyed orders.

Has "Planned" Garden
"He took the writer along the rock-bordered walks through the garden and pointed out the various beds of tulips, and other flowers. He explained how he had planted the back border of the garden so that when summer comes, flowers will be banked in a wall around that side. On the outside, he has planted castor beans, which grow very tall in rich soil. In front of them he has seeded sunflowers and a shorter colorful flower is in front of those.

"He has an enjoyable time in his garden, this doctor, but he hasn't quit his work for the hospital yet. He has been assisted through his many years here by donated labor from the local citizens, notably those of the late Mrs. Forney Smith, who presented her home to the institution and purchased lots for it. Now the doctor doesn't see any reason why he can't induce someone else to give \$5,000 with which he is living on condition that he make a deed for it in full immediately to the Children's Home and Hospital.

"And he believes that he can do at least this one more thing for the institution he loves."

DANSVILLE

The Queen Esther Circle will serve a pancake supper at the town hall Wednesday evening, January 29. This is a public supper and everybody is cordially invited. Besides the pancakes, sausage, doughnuts and coffee will be served.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. N. K. McEl-

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murry, Monday, January 21, a daughter, Mrs. McElmurry and baby are in the Sparrow hospital in Lansing.

Man's Heart Skips Beats—Due To Gas

W. L. Adams was blotted so with gas that his heart often missed beats after eating. Advertiser said him of all gas, and now he eats anything and feels fine. L. H. Harrison, druggist.

A suggested method to eliminate the tendency of bound carbon copies to muddle consisted of melting the colored wax of the carbon print into the fibers of the paper. This may be accomplished by passing a tall Bunson flame rapidly over the surface of the sheet. The paper should be lying smooth on a good conducting surface when the flame is applied. If the sheets warp slightly, they may be flattened in a press.

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KAFFEE HAG lb. can 39c

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TUNSO BIG BAR SOAP 6 bars 25c

COUNTRY CLUB RICH APPLE BUTTER 2 GIANT 25c

COUNTRY CLUB FRESH BREAD lb. loaf 6c

CAMPBELL'S PORK & BEANS can 5c

YELLOW CORN MEAL 5 lb. pkg. 15c

LOG CABIN SYRUP can 18c

Wesco Balanced

SCRATCH FEED

100-lb. bag \$1.49

WESCO LAYING MASH 100-lb. bag \$1.89

BULK ROLLED OATS 10 lbs. 33c

FLOUR

SINCERITY BRAND

24 1/2-lb. sack 65c

KRAFT'S PACKAGE CHEESE

OLD ENGLISH 1/2-lb. pkg. 18c

HOT DATED FRENCH COFFEE

2 1-lb. bags 39c

Country Club Coffee lb. can 25c

COUNTRY CLUB CHILI CON CARNE 3 cans 25c

EATMORE BRAND

NUT OLEO

lb. 11c

BEEF — BEEF — BEEF

CONTROLLED QUALITY

STEAK

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Chuck ROAST lb. 17c

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POT ROAST

lb. 14c

DRIED SALT STRIPS lb. 21c

BACON 2 to 3 lb. pieces lb. 29c

WHITING A REAL PAN FISH 3 lbs. 25c

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FLOUR KING'S FLAKE 24 1/2-lb. sack 73c

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GOLD MEDAL 24 1/2-lb. sack \$1.07

OR PILLSBURY'S FLOUR

SWEETHEART SOAP FLAKES 5 lb. pkg. 29c

MAXWELL HOUSE 1 lb. can 25c

CHASE and SANBORN COFFEE lb. bag 23c

BEECH-NUT or HILL'S BROS. lb. can 27c

WHIZ PANCAKE FLOUR 5 lb. sack 17c

SYRUP BLUE BOW 5 lb. pail 25c

SUGAR GRANULATED BEET lb. bulk 5c

FANCY MICHIGAN BARTLETT PEARS No. 2 can 10c

WELL MADE CANVAS GLOVES pair 10c

CIGARETTES carton \$1.12

CAMELS, OLD GOLD, CHESTERFIELD, LUCKY STRIKES, KENTUCKY WINNERS, AND RALEIGH

CORN MEAL YELLOW 5 lb. pkg. 15c

BIG BAR SOAP TUNSO 6 bars 25c

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NAVEL ORANGES 250 size doz. 23c

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FANCY BOX DELICIOUS 3 lbs. 25c

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ROME BEAUTIES FANCY BOX 4 lbs. 29c

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 at Lansing.

Judges: Hon. Leland W. Carr and Hon. Charles H. Hayden.

Prosecuting Attorney: Dan D. McCullough, Lansing; Assistant, Benjamin F. Watson, Lansing. Main office, Capital Bank Tower, Lansing.

Sheriff: Allan A. MacDonald, Mason.

Court Officer: Chauncey Wyman, Lansing.

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

Circuit Court Commissioners: Carl H. McLean and Alvin A. Neller, 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.

Juvenile Probation Officer: J. M. Hewitt, Mason.

Supervisor of Mother's Pensions: Mrs. Karen Lyman, Lansing.

COUNTY CLERK

Main office at Mason, branch in Lansing city hall.

Clerk: C. Ross Hillard, Mason.

Lansing Chief Deputy: Flora G. Dewey, Lansing.

OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS

Treasurer: Clarence W. Lock, Mason.

Register of Deeds: Ethel L. Phillips, Mason.

Drain Commissioner: Francis N. Bateman, Lansing.

School Commissioner: Fred E. Searl, Mason.

County Surveyor: Walter E. Zimmer, Mason.

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

County Highway Engineer: Jack Rakowsky, Mason.

Dog Warden: Clay Braden, Mason.

County Relief Commission: C. R. Hoffer, East Lansing; A. B. Ball, Mason; Joseph Dunnebacke, Lansing.

Soldiers and Sailors Relief Commission: Robert J. Ingham, Mason; C. J. Whiting, Mason; B. W. Bushnell, Leslie.

State Conservation Officer, Glen Murphy, Mason. Residence 210 E. Maple street.

County Welfare Agent: Mrs. Chas. Lawton, Lansing.

Old Age Pension Board: Mrs. Chas. Lawton, Lansing, chairman, Judge L. B. McArthur, Mason; Mrs. Terry Corliss, Lansing.

Superintendents of Poor: S. S. Main, Lansing; C. C. Foster, Haslett; William S. Rhodes, Mason.

SLAT'S DIARY

By OLIVER N. WARREN

Sunday: At 8.30 a. m. a missionary who has been to Africa by a giving are class that Africa is well named the dark continent & that many of the people there were next to nothing. Juko nudged me & I most, last, out when he and his good thing it is a dark continent then.

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COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Mason, Mich., January 20, 1936.

Council met and was called to order by Mayor Jewett. Present, Aldermen Clinton, Darling, Davis, Fletcher, Kelly, Taylor, Absent, none.

The finance committee report the following claims and recommend their allowance:

W. A. Teadley \$ 7.92
Lansing Supply Co. 40.20
W. S. Darley & Co. 2.00
Board of Cemetery Trustees 50.00
Flynt Miller 1.00
Hoyt-Slagh, Inc. 2.22
International Harvester Co.44
A. & P. Tea Co. 5.84
Frank Rathburn and men 153.15
Glen Stevens and men 46.15
Glen Colby 20.40
Elmer Wilkins 7.95
Michigan Mutual Liability 37.87

The report of the finance committee was adopted by the following vote: Yeas 6; Nays 0.

By Ald. Clinton, supported by Ald. Darling:

The resolution passed January 6, 1936, permitting Walter Root the use of sidewalk in front of building now in course of construction on East Ash street, be and the same is hereby rescinded. Carried by vote: Yeas 6; Nays 0.

By Ald. Clinton:

Resolved by the city council of the City of Mason, that the Wolverine Engineering Co., and Michigan-Slagh, Inc., be and is hereby granted permission to use sidewalk in front of building now in course of construction on the south side of East Ash street for storing of materials, provided however that they shall keep any obstruction from the sidewalk and that they shall be responsible for any accident or other damage that may occur because of such storing of said materials.

On motion council adjourned until February 3, 1936, at 7:30 p. m.

GEO. KELLOGG, City Clerk.

Canaan District

By Mrs. P. M. Huntley

Mrs. Louise Carroll was surprised by relatives Sunday, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. There were 22 present. A potluck dinner was served.

N. H. Huntley of Adrian, spent Monday night at the home of his brother, D. O. Huntley. He was enroute to Lansing on business.

Webberville

By Fred Holland

Louis Schmidt is serving on jury in Mason.

Miss Dorothy Dingman is sick with the quinsy.

Mrs. Kenneth Cool has moved into the home they recently bought on E. Grand Ave. and will leave in a short time to join her husband in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holland and daughter and granddaughter drove to Ann Arbor Thursday and spent the day with their son and family.

Curtis Stoddard died at the home of his nephew, Earl Mead, last Friday. Burial was in Aichi. He was a brother of Mrs. Fred Mead and a resident of Leroy for many years.

Merritt VanOstran has moved his family to his father's farm, northwest of Williamston.

Frank Winters is still unable to be around the house.

Rev. Sander of Lansing, will address the Townsfolk old age pension club of this place Wednesday night, January 28, at the community hall.

Russell Wade and family visited his uncle, near Mt. Rose, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Smith, of Lansing, visited her mother, Mrs. Ann

Smith, at her home in Lansing.

Miss Grace Wolf of Danville, was a guest at the Collar home.

Donna Parson and family spent the week end with friends in Lansing.

Roy Parks is serving as juror on the January term of court at Mason.

Legal Notice

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made (and such default continuing for more than ninety days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Julia Duffer of the City of Lansing, in Ingham County, State of Michigan, to Home Owners' Loan Corporation, a corporation organized under the laws of the United States of America, dated the 4th day of July, A. D. 1934, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Ingham County, Michigan, on the 9th day of August, A. D. 1934, in Liber 32 of Mortgages on Page 41, and said mortgage having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare the entire principal and accrued interest thereon due, which election it does hereby exercise, pursuant to the provisions of said mortgage, and to the principal sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$2,550.00), and interest thereon at six per cent per annum, and to the terms of said mortgage, and all legal charges and expenses, including an attorney's fee of Thirty-five Dollars (\$35.00) as provided by law and in accordance with the terms of the aforesaid mortgage, which premises are described as follows:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the City of Lansing, County of Ingham, and State of Michigan, more particularly described as:

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Alfred Aseltine Dead, Spent Life In County

WELL KNOWN FARMER PASSED AWAY TUESDAY.

Alfred Aseltine, 60, died at 2:30 Tuesday morning at the Mason hospital where he had been since January 12. Funeral services are to be held at the Danville Methodist church Friday afternoon at two o'clock. The Rev. Emerald B. Dixon will officiate.

Born on a farm in Vevay township April 20, 1860, Mr. Aseltine spent his entire life in the community. He was one of a family of nine children born to Luke and Harriett Aseltine. On November 11, 1885, he married Lucy Shawwood. To them were born seven children, all of whom survive except Alfo who died in 1899 at the age of two years.

Surviving are the widow, six children, Mrs. Nellie Menko of Michigan Center, Mrs. Josie Corbin of Lansing, Harry Aseltine of Cleveland, Ohio, Harold Aseltine of Flint, Mrs. Rena Ludlow of Jackson, and Mrs. Bernice May of Stockbridge. There also survive 13 grandchildren, five great grandchildren, three sisters and two brothers. The sisters are Mrs. Rose Corwin of Danville, and Mrs. Minnie Ramsdell and Mrs. Martha Hanford of Lansing. The brothers are Walter Aseltine and Leo Aseltine of Danville.

Mr. Aseltine was fond of children and gained a wide circle of friends by his jolly manner. On November 11, 1935, Mr. and Mrs. Aseltine celebrated their golden wedding with more than 200 relatives and friends present for the occasion.

Big Crowds Attending A. & P. Manager Sale

BARGAINS OFFERED DURING ANNUAL STORE EVENT.

Managers and clerks at the Mason Atlantic and Pacific store are busy this week serving customers attracted by the annual managers' sale being staged. Managers' week for Mason has been planned by J. A. Rose, store manager, and Frank Hoover, manager of the meat department. Every article chosen for the sale was chosen by the managers.

Managers' week last year was the biggest selling event of the year and it promises to even set a new record for 1936. It is the second managers' week staged by the company.

MRS. EVERY DEAD

Mrs. Lona Every, 65, died Saturday evening. She was born in Farmington January 31, 1870, the daughter of Buell and Josephine Sablin. She married Willis Every who survives. Services were held from the Jewett funeral home Tuesday afternoon with burial in Maple Grove cemetery. The Rev. James Bowker of the Mason Methodist church officiated. Mrs. Every came to Mason at the age of 20, and was married to Willis Every on March 5, 1892. She is survived by her husband, her mother, Mrs. Josephine Henderson of Oxford, New York, a sister, Mrs. Estelle Swanson of Campbell, California, and a brother, George Sablin, of Shreveport, Louisiana. A son, Louis, preceded her in death 12 years ago.

TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS

In the United States in 1934, 34,500 persons were killed due to accidents in the home and nearly 5,000,000 were injured. Many of these accidents are preventable. As a part of their home economics extension work, women of Ingham county are going to study what these accidents are and how to prevent them. Project leaders of local groups will meet with Miss Helen Strow, extension specialist of Michigan State college on January 28, in Mason and January 29 in Williamston to discuss this subject.

RELATIVE DIES

Miss Kate Henderson has received word of the passing on January 20 of Jennie Christian Soper at her home in Cincinnati, Ohio. Much of Mrs. Soper's girlhood was spent in Mason. She was a cousin of Miss Henderson. Her father, Timothy Christian, was a wholesale baking and candy merchant of Lansing in the 80's.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

Many cars were marooned Wednesday afternoon and a number of the drivers suffered with the cold before their rescue. In some instances cars had to be abandoned because of drifts.

No question about it, there has been some real winter weather the past week. Last Friday was bright and warm. There was a fall of snow Friday night. A high wind accompanied the snow and roads were drifted. Saturday was cold and blustery. The cold wind continued Sunday. The thermometer recorded three degrees below zero Monday morning. Tuesday was cold with frequent flurries of snow. Then on Wednesday came a young blizzard. The mercury hung around the zero mark all afternoon and then dipped to six and seven below at night. A 40-mile an hour breeze made the cold almost unbearable to those who were forced to be out in the open. Thursday broke cold and clear with the wind abating.

The cold wave was widespread. Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Bond, enroute to California, were forced to stop at El Paso, Texas, to have ice chiseled off their car. Reports from Florida are that the cold wave swooped down to cities in the northern part of the state.

The Upper Peninsula was snow-bound Tuesday and Wednesday. A heavy fall of snow covers the northern part of the state. Backers of the Grayling winter carnival are not worrying about soft weather for the week end.

State Makes Purchase Of Butterfield Swamp

SAID TO BE FINEST DEER YARD IN LOWER PENINSULA.

State control of the Butterfield swamp in Missaukee and Roscommon counties, one of the finest deer-yarding areas in the lower peninsula, was assured at the January meeting of the state conservation commission at Lansing.

The commission authorized purchase of approximately 19,000 acres of land in the two counties and in the heart of the Butterfield swamp near the north and west side of Houghton Lake.

In acquiring title to the land the state will gain control not only of deer, but also of the surrounding area, which is approximately six miles of drainage on Dead stream, which flows through the swamp and is considered good trout water.

During the current winter 550 deer may be "planted" in this swamp from the Portage creek locality of the Crawford refuge. State game men have requested approval of CCC authorities to use CCC men for the removal of 150 deer from the Portage Creek area by live-trapping. Of this number 50 will go into the Butterfield swamp if the project is approved. The transfer of these animals is for the purpose of obtaining information concerning the range and migration of deer.

In addition to the Butterfield swamp purchases the conservation commission authorized acquisition of more than 2,000 additional acres of deer-yard by purchase and exchange.

South Leroy By Mrs. W. L. Rice

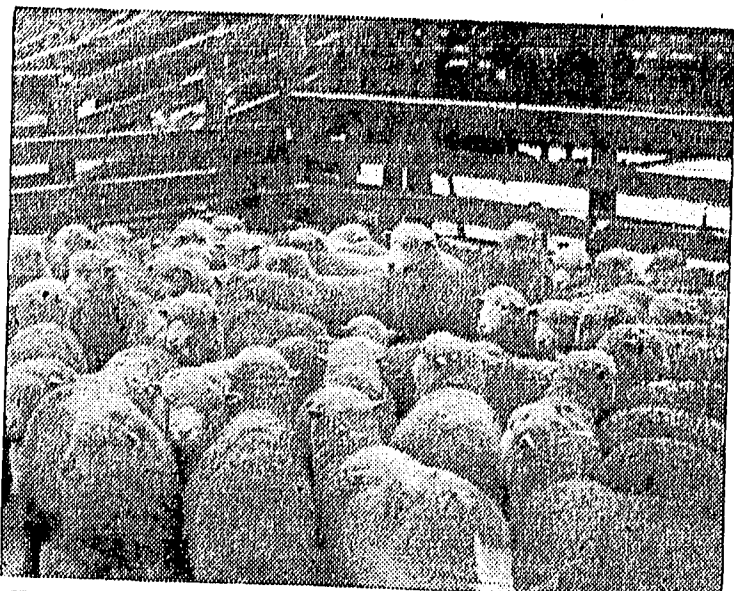
Mrs. Stanley Risch, who has been ill with pneumonia, is reported as improving rapidly. Irene Judd has been assisting Mrs. Graham Geiger with her work and taking care of Stanley Risch's children.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Rice and Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Monroe attended a young people's rally at Ainger, Sunday.

MOTHER DIES

Mrs. Amelia Washburn, mother of Mrs. Ruth Kinnison, died at her home in Onondaga Friday morning. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon.

THERE'S MONEY IN SHEEP



Here are a few of the 1000 Wyoming lambs fed by Collins Huntington of Aurelius. Mr. Huntington shipped this carload of lambs to Detroit Tuesday through the Mason Cooperative Shipping association. The lambs averaged about 93 pounds. They were light when received last fall, but have done well on feed. Mr. Huntington has been in the sheep feeding business for many years. He will reap a nice profit this year.

LECTURER DEAD



LINCOLN E. BRADT

Lincoln E. Bradt, 70, died at the W. W. Johnston home at East Lansing Sunday night. Funeral services were held Wednesday and the body was cremated in Detroit. Mr. Bradt had conducted several theological lectures in Mason, at one time holding weekly meetings here. A meeting is scheduled for Thursday night. It is also planned to hold memorial services at the Crossman home Friday night. Mr. Bradt was assistant attorney general under the Greenback and Green administrations. For more than a third of a century Mr. Bradt had been a lecturer for the Michigan Theosophical society.

HOLT

By Mrs. James P. King

Presbyterian Church
Chas. P. Andrews, Pastor

Morning worship and Junior church will be conducted in Holt Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 10:30. There will be a Junior story and music by the choir and a sermon by the pastor on "The Church a Spiritual Gymnasium."

The Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock with classes for all and music by the orchestra. The young people will attend a Christian Endeavor rally at the Main Street M. P. church in Lansing, Saturday evening at 7:30, and a rally of Presbyterian young people at the First Presbyterian church, Lansing, beginning with a luncheon at 6 o'clock.

Miss Louise Evans and Almond Polier of Lansing, were married at the First M. E. parsonage by the pastor, Rev. E. A. Runkel, Saturday, January 18.

On Monday, Rev. E. A. Runkel officiated at the wedding of Frank Lance and Virginia Guernsey, both of Lansing. They were also married at the parsonage and were attended by Clayton and Norma Watson.

Monday at 7:45 p. m. at First M. E. church, Larnard Acker, an Ethiopian and international war correspondent and radio talker, will speak on "Spotlights on Ethiopian Civilization." He will also sing and include some negro spirituals.

Martin Kahres, who has been very ill with pneumonia is reported as improving nicely. The Holt fire department was called to fight a serious fire at the first house north of the Maple Grove school, Monday afternoon about five o'clock. It was a two-apartment house and burned to the ground with an estimated loss of about \$4,000, only the furniture on the first floor being saved. The cause of the fire was reported that children were playing with matches.

At the first M. E. church the morning worship service at 10, will include special music by the choir and Rev. E. A. Runkel will use the subject of "Assurance" for his sermon. 11:10 Sunday school with Arthur Wemple, superintendent. 8 p. m., Epworth League. Rev. E. A. Runkel, leader.

The regular meeting of W. C. T. U. will be held Friday, January 24, at two-thirty at the home of Mrs. C. L. Thompson, South Cedar street.

The community chorus will meet for practice at 7:15 Thursday night, followed by the M. E. rehearsal at 8:15. Members of the Christian Endeavor society are planning to attend a meeting at the Main Street M. P. church in Lansing, Saturday night at seven-thirty when it is hoped to reorganize the Lansing C. E. union.

A Presbyterian missionary rally is to be held in Jackson, Friday, January 31, beginning at two o'clock and in the evening to which the missionary members of Holt are invited.

The U-Go I-Go "500" club meets this week at the Tyler home for their usual evening of cards.

The seniors are occupying their time this week with plans and giving the play entitled "The Campus Quarantine." It is a comedy and will be presented in the high school auditorium Thursday and Friday evenings, January 23 and 24.

The Holt State Bank meeting was held Tuesday evening and all of the

NEW GOVERNOR



W. Blaine Holt, president pro tem of the Montana senate, who succeeded the late Frank L. Cooney as governor of Montana. Mr. Holt will serve until the general election next November.

HEADS THE N. E. C.



Lyle C. Alverson is now serving as acting director of the National Emergency council, in succession to Frank C. Walker, who retired from the post.

Eyes Seen as Life Indicator

Your life tenure is shown in your eyes, according to a report issued by a committee of eye specialists in Nice, France. The average person's eyesight changes at about the age of fifty, says the report, then the majority of people become far-sighted. Those who do not acquire far-sightedness until later in life live longer than those to whom the change of vision takes place at an earlier age.

Loss By Forest Fire Sets New Low Record

LOSSES DURING 1935 LOWEST SINCE 1923.

The revised figures of fire occurrences and quantitative forest damage, recently compiled, sustain the expectations of Michigan's conservation authorities in setting the lowest record of fire loss in the state's history.

Only 1,457 fires were counted in the 18,965,582 acres of forest-lands covered under protection and only 18,119 acres—a ratio of less than one per cent—were burned over. The average acreage devastated per fire was 12.44 and the average cost of suppression per acre, 17 cents. Of the total acreage burned, 7,434 was in the upper peninsula; 10,485 in the lower peninsula.

Classification of timber burned shows a total of 170 acres of merchantable timber, 3,309 acres of "popple" and approximately 5,000 acres of average second growth, the remainder being in grass plains, grass swamp, fresh slash and hayland pasture lands.

The number of forest fires in 1935 was the lowest since 1923. The 11-year record follows:

Year	Fires	Acreage Burned
1935	1,457	18,119
1934	3,038	54,016
1933	4,557	202,090
1932	2,536	39,033
1931	4,133	282,979
1930	4,593	278,297
1929	2,395	49,811
1928	1,294	66,926
1927	2,380	94,477
1926	1,499	166,112
1925	3,852	725,928

MASON GIRLS WIN

The Mason high school girls' basketball team won a game from Dimondale at the local gym Wednesday afternoon by a score of 21-6. The game was scheduled to be held at Dimondale, but was changed late in the day. Doris Michitsch, Helen Eggers, Ercella Thompson, Ellen Field, Lois Heinzelman and Frances Peek made up the Mason squad.

Directors were re-elected as follows: W. S. Foster, Burt L. Green, H. E. Gunn, E. J. Himmelberger, C. V. Koller, A. E. Walter and Frank Wrook. The officers re-elected were: President, H. E. Gunn; vice president, E. J. Himmelberger; vice president, Alfred E. Walter; cashier, Howard Chappell; assistant cashier, Charlene Clever.

Jolly Bunch Pedro club hold another party at the I. O. O. F. hall on Wednesday night, January 29.

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PARKHURST'S

Former School Teacher Dead At Advanced Age

SERVICES HELD FOR FORMER WELL KNOWN TEACHER.

Funeral services for Mrs. Mary M. Diamond, 93, were held Monday afternoon at the Jewett funeral home with the Rev. John Adams officiating. Burial was in Maple Grove cemetery. Mary Margaret, daughter of Thomas and Susan Barnes, was born at the Barnes homestead in Niagara county, New York, December 19, 1842, and died at the Mason hospital, January 18, 1936. She was of Revolutionary ancestry on both sides of the family.

At the age of 16 she taught school in her home district and throughout her life she taught and loved the work, teaching in New York, Ohio, Michigan, Nebraska, Wyoming and Colorado. In 1888 she was married to Joseph Diamond of Colorado and thenceforth they lived on a ranch in Colorado, save for one year spent in California. After Mr. Diamond's death in 1918, Mrs. Diamond came to Mason to make her home with her sister, Mrs. Ida M. Korns.

She is survived by her sister, Mrs. Ida Korns of Grand Rapids, two nieces and a nephew, the nephew's family and a number of more distant relatives. The friends of her childhood and youth have long since passed over the river and now, at the ripe age of 93, she goes to join them.

I know not where His islands lift
Their fringed palms in air;
I only know I cannot drift
Beyond His love and care.

And so, beside the silent sea,
I wait the muffled oar,
No harm from Him can come to me,
On ocean or on shore.

Main Witness Evasive In Stockbridge Trial

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he was arrested. Kolodziecki is in jail awaiting sentence.

Albert Scott, a Lansing chimney sweep, was acquitted by a jury Wednesday morning. The trial was held Tuesday but the jurors did not reach a decision until Wednesday morning. Scott was charged with assault to do great bodily harm. It was alleged that he carved Charles Sharpe with a knife.

More Jurors Drawn
Because four members of the original jury panel were excused because of business or illness, seven more names were drawn Monday to report for duty Tuesday. Of the seven drawn two will not serve. They are Dr. Paul Wellman of East Lansing who was excused because of his medical practice, and Mrs. Lou Bergman of Mason, who is spending the winter in Florida.

The remaining five who have been added to the panel are Gerald Dimond, Vevay; Leo Glynn, Wheatfield; Mrs. Alice Hayhoe, White Oak; Leon Webb, Williamston; and Mrs. Clara Dickman, Mason.

Wednesday's storm delayed court proceedings before Judge Hayden Thursday morning. Trial of George H. Bunnell of Lansing, charged with

Native Of Ethiopia On Church Program

SINGER AND LECTURER AT THE M. E. CHURCH WEDNESDAY.

Prof. Larnard Acker, Ethiopian baritone, lecturer and radio artist, will present a program at the Methodist church on Wednesday evening, January 29, at eight o'clock. Mr. Acker was educated in America, being graduated from the Chicago University school of speech and the Conservatory of Music. In his program which portrays the life and civilization of his people, he illustrates freely by the use of African chants and prayers, sung and spoken in native dialect, sometimes to the rhythm of the tom-tom.

He has made a close study of the folk songs of the American Negro and compares the Negro's contribution to American music to that of his native people. In his lecture, "Spotlights on Ethiopian Civilization," Prof. Acker presents the view of native Ethiopia regarding the crisis faced today. There will be no admission charge, but a silver offering will be taken. Everyone is welcome to attend.

The Rev. Emerald Dixon, Danville pastor and former Chautauqua headliner, appeared at the church Wednesday night of last week in a one-man Chautauqua. Those who heard Rev. Dixon report that the entertainment was worthwhile and was well received.

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