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Expect Light Vote At Spring Election

DEMOCRATS ARE CONFIDENT OF SWEEPING TO VICTORY WITH STATE TICKET.

Few Upsets Visioned In Township Contests, Little Apparent Interest Being Shown In State And Township Races, Light Vote Is Predicted.

Political observers have forecast a light vote at the annual spring election Monday. Despite the campaign being waged for the state offices, interest is slight outside the ranks of party workers. Democrats are confident that they will sweep into victory. They point out that republicans will probably carry rural counties by small majorities while democrats will carry populous industrial counties by huge margins.

There are five parties, democratic, republican, socialist, American and Commonwealth, on the state ticket. However, the democrats and republicans are the only parties with complete tickets and few votes will likely be cast for minor party candidates.

Democratic candidates are Thomas F. McAllister and Walter I. McKenzie, justices of the supreme court; Edmund C. Shields and John D. Lynch, regents of the university; Arthur E. Erickson, superintendent of public instruction; Charles M. Novak, member of state board of education; Lavina Masselink and James J. Wakay, members of state board of agriculture; and Murray D. VanWagoner, state highway commissioner. Mr. VanWagoner is the only democratic incumbent but is regarded as powerful because the state highway machine is reported to be the best organized, the best financed and has more members than any other political organization which has existed in Michigan in years.

Republican candidates are Walter H. North and Louis H. Fead, justices of the supreme court; James O. Murfin and Richard R. Smith, regents of the university; Eugene B. Elliott, superintendent of public instruction; Frank Cody, member of state board of education; Gilbert L. Deane and Malinda R. Wilson, members of state board of agriculture; and Charles M. Ziegler, state highway commissioner. Mr. Ziegler is the only republican who does not now hold the office for which he is running.

13 Township Races

Leslie, Locke and Onondaga are the only townships in the county to be without two tickets in the field for local offices. The republicans have won three townships to themselves for local offices although in all three the democrats are staging drives to gain votes for the state ticket. In the other 13 townships there are at least two candidates for every office.

Democratic supervisors now predominate among the 16 townships. Democrats claim they will garner more other next Monday. The republicans make the same claim. Those close to the scene believe there will be few upsets.

There is slight interest among Mason voters. There are no local issues or local candidates on the ballots.

Farm Sales Continue, More Auctions Listed

FOUR AUCTION SALES LISTED IN ADVERTISING COLUMNS.

Auction sales are holding their popularity in Ingham county. Four more auctions are listed in the advertising columns of the Ingham County News this week. The first is on Tuesday, April 6, at the home of C. S. & H. C. Everett will be held at the old J. B. Thorburn farm on the Hogback a mile south of Holt. On Wednesday, April 7, the Owen E. Clark and C. M. Putman sales are scheduled. Mr. Clark's farm is a mile north of Okemos. He has a full line of livestock, farm tools and household goods. The Putman sale is at the farm a half-mile east and a half-mile south of the game farm road-Meridian road corner. M. L. Foerch will hold a sale Friday, April 8, at the farm a mile south of Okemos on the Mason-Okemos road. He is offering a complete line of livestock and tools. Clyde Henderson, administrator of the estate of Dean Henderson, will hold a sale Friday, April 2, at the farm on Harrison road, 1 1/2 miles south of state police headquarters. Some good cows, hogs and farm tools are listed.

Remodeling Building For Doctor's Office

FORMER WEBB GARAGE IS BEING REMODELED.

Dr. Joseph C. Ponton is transforming the former stables and garage of the Webb estate at the corner of State and Park streets into an office for himself. The building was first erected as a stable for thoroughbred horses. When the fast horse era passed in Mason the building was used as a garage. It was originally built with residential construction and with living quarters above the garage. Dr. Ponton is remodeling the building throughout and is elevating the roof so that living quarters or hospital rooms may be provided on the second floor. Dr. Ponton purchased the former Webb home two years ago. The remodeling will be completed so that the office and apartments will be ready for occupancy by May 15, Dr. Ponton said. Since coming to Mason in August of 1931 Dr. Ponton has had his offices in the Mason City hospital.

TOWNSEND CLUB RALLY

Mason Townsend club No. 1 is planning a mass meeting to be held at the court house Friday night, April 9. George Vose of the Mason club will attempt to answer all questions relative to the Townsend backed welfare act now before congress. A special drive is being made by club members to get Mason business men to attend the rally. Speakers are to explain the benefits which they claim will accrue to business men if the Townsend plan is adopted.

LANSING PASTOR CHOSEN RELIEF ADMINISTRATOR

A. R. RAYMOND PROMOTED BY STATE RELIEF BOARD.

Rev. Norman Kunkle Named By County Commission To Fill Ingham Vacancy.

Norman Kunkle, pastor of the Lansing Mt. Hope Presbyterian church until Wednesday, became administrator for the Ingham County Relief commission Thursday. The announcement was made Wednesday by A. B. Ball of Mason, chairman of the Ingham commission. The other two members of the commission are Sup. Roy Moore of Lansing township and Sup. Thomas Toy of Lansing. The decision to employ Rev. Kunkle was reached at a commission meeting held March 24. The new administrator will receive a salary of \$2800 per year. A. R. Raymond, administrator for the Ingham County Emergency Relief commission for the past 19 months, has resigned to take the position of social service district supervisor for the state FERA. Mr. Raymond will have charge of supervising social service work in the 11 Upper Peninsula counties of Alger, Delta, Marquette, Menominee, Dickinson, Baraga, Iron, Keweenaw, Houghton, Ontonagon and Gogebic. His headquarters will be at Iron Mountain.

Miss Ruth Bowen, now one of the chiefs of the state relief setup, was administrator of the Ingham County Emergency Relief commission. When she resigned to accept the state position Mr. Raymond was appointed her successor. He came to Ingham county after having served as relief administrator for VanBuren county.

His Relief Experience Mr. Ball explained that Mr. Kunkle had considerable experience in relief work. He was employed in Kent county under State Welfare Director Bryant. He also was administrator in Berrien county and has served in an executive capacity in Washtenaw county and for some months was a member of the staff of the district FERA.

Before entering relief work Mr. Kunkle was student pastor of the Peoples church in East Lansing. His relief work a few months ago to become pastor of the Mt. Hope Presbyterian church.

Record Crowd Attends Good Friday Services

HILLSDALE PROFESSOR GAVE ADDRESS HERE.

The Methodist church was filled to capacity Friday afternoon at the community Good Friday services. Prof. John Mason Wells of Hillsdale college gave the principal address. The Rev. John Adams of the Presbyterian church, the Rev. James Bowker of the Methodist church, the Rev. Ernest Martin of the Baptist church, the Rev. Daniel Hunt of the Baptist church and Dr. W. B. Hartung joined in conducting religious services.

Music included selections by the Methodist choir and duets sung by Mrs. Floyd Otis and George Shaffer of the Baptist church and Mrs. Richard Mills and Ralph Adams of the Presbyterian church. Children's Good Friday services held at the Baptist church were also well attended.

Quits College To Take Managership Of Store

CHARLES SWARTOUT IS MANAGER OF NEELY STORE.

Charles (Chuck) Swartout, star basketball player at Olivet college, has assumed the managership of the Harry E. Neely clothing store. Mr. Neely is in a Lansing hospital. He was to submit to an operation Thursday afternoon. Mr. Swartout has made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Neely since he was a small child. He is a graduate of Mason high school and was completing his third year at Olivet.

Former Mason Youth Named City Manager

LEAVES GENERAL MOTORS TO RUN INDIANAPOLIS.

Merrill D. Graham, son of Mrs. Hattie Freeland of Mason, has been named city manager of Indianapolis, Indiana. He resigned as promotional director for General Motors to accept the municipal position. Mr. Graham is well known throughout the automobile industry. He has capably filled numerous positions of responsibility. Mr. Graham spent his boyhood in Mason. He was graduated from Mason high school with the class of 1911. The Graham family has been in Flint for several years. Mr. Graham began his work in Indianapolis this week. The family will follow when the Flint schools close in June.

JAIL REACHES LOW

Warmer weather and possibly the rush of spring work at the jail farm has reduced the county jail population down to a low of 26. The population usually stands between 40 and 55.

ARRIVES AT GAME FARM



DR. DON L. CASWELL

Dr. Don L. Caswell, Mrs. Caswell and Carolyn, 5, arrived Tuesday afternoon to make their home at the State Game Farm, four miles east of Mason. On Thursday morning Dr. Caswell assumed his duties as superintendent of the State Game Farm. He succeeds the late Donald Lamont who died last fall.

NEW SUPERINTENDENT AT STATE GAME FARM

IOWAN AND FAMILY ARRIVED HERE TUESDAY.

State Game Farm Has New Superintendent, Former Executive Died Last Fall.

Dr. Don L. Caswell began his superintendency at the state game farm Thursday morning, April 1. The doctor, Mrs. Caswell and their daughter arrived in Mason Tuesday to take up their residence at the farm.

A few days ago the University of Iowa conferred a doctor's degree on the new Michigan conservation executive. The degree was conferred on Dr. Caswell on completion of a course in the university veterinary school at Ames.

Before entering conservation work in Iowa Dr. Caswell was a newspaperman. He had two years of journalism in college and had worked on a Kansas City newspaper when he decided to enter the conservation field. He at first managed a fur farm and later operated his own fur and game farm. After several years of fur farm operation he re-entered college to pursue a veterinary course.

Dr. Caswell was chosen by the state department of conservation to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Donald Lamont last fall. Mr. Lamont was superintendent of the game farm for 18 years. Roy Hunt, veteran employee at the game farm, acted as superintendent from the time of Mr. Lamont's death until the arrival of Dr. Caswell.

His More Duties Besides serving as superintendent of the farm, Dr. Caswell will carry on experimental work with game and fur animals throughout the state. It is expected. He will be at the farm directing the pheasant hatchery and rearing seasons and will probably be assigned to studying deer and big game problems at other times of the year.

Dr. Caswell, Mrs. Caswell and their daughter are enthusiastic over their new home. They said Tuesday that they were impressed by the appearance of the town and its many fine stores.

Expect Legion Project To Be Started Monday

WPA CLAIMS IT IS ASSIGNING MEN TO JOB.

According to the Works Progress Administration the Legion Community building project will be started Monday if enough workers can be secured. Assignments are now being made to the Mason project, Joy O. Davis was informed Thursday.

The drive for funds is progressing satisfactorily, Mr. Davis stated. The biggest pledge of the current week was \$400. The biggest contribution so far secured is \$1000. There have been a number of \$100 contributions. Mr. Davis reported. Another list of \$50 contributors has been received. Court house officials and employees are making up a donation which is likely to reach \$150. The proprietors of the Mason bowling alley have agreed to donate 10 per cent of their receipts every Wednesday night to the Legion building fund.

Springport Editor Acquires Brief-Sun

DAN F. REASON DISPOSES OF STOCKBRIDGE PAPER.

The Stockbridge Brief-Sun has again changed hands. Dan Reason, publisher for the past five years, has sold his interests in the plant and the paper to Clyde Sibley of Springport. With his brother, Charles Sibley, Clyde has for a number of years edited and published the Springport Signal. Mr. Sibley is a skilled printer, a clear writer, and during his residence in Springport has been active in all civic and community enterprises.

Mr. Reason has not decided upon his future. Before coming to Stockbridge he was employed on the staff of the Lansing State Journal. He has several offers under consideration but has agreed to remain in Stockbridge until the close of the school year when Mr. Sibley will move his family to their new home.

RECEIVE SOIL CHECKS

About 60 per cent of Ingham's co-operating farmers have received their soil conservation payment checks. Six weeks ago 410 checks were received and 415 more came three weeks ago. H. H. Barnum, county agricultural agent, said that another 800 checks are on their way and should be here within a few days. When the 800 checks arrive there will be only about 300 conservation checks outstanding.

LEGISLATURE GRINDING AWAY ON SMALL CRIST

BOUNTIES ARE PLACED ON BIRDS AND EGGS.

Relief Bloc Fighting Appropriations For Michigan State College.

By V. J. Brown

There is an old proverb which reads something like this: "The mills of the gods grind slowly, but they grind exceeding small." The same might be said of the Michigan legislature 1937 vintage, except it should conclude, "but they grind on small corn." The legislature has begun to grind a little of the grist but it is trying its gears for the most part on rather small grain—chaff one might almost say.

The sixth bill through the hopper was that providing a bounty on crows, sparrows, starlings and their eggs. The bill was originally drawn to cover crows and crows' eggs only. The house struck out the eggs and then the senate not only put them back but added sparrows and starlings along with them.

The senate on Wednesday passed the much discussed occupational disease measure and sent it to the house. Here it will likely meet with considerable change as in the senate an attempt to substitute a house bill for the language of the bill prepared by Senator Harry F. Hitt of the Ingham-Livingston district, failed of approval by only a single vote. The measure would require employers to engage, for compensation when afflicted. Three schools of thought predominate. One would limit compensable diseases to a very small list of afflictions easily traced to the particular employer. Another would expand this list; still another group wants the language broad in application. To the arguments of the last mentioned group, the others insist that such a measure would lead to endless litigation and delay in paying claims.

Tax measures begin to move, several senate bills now being on the calendar for consideration. House bills are being introduced. The measure being on their way, to the senate. There are about 20 measures having to do with tax delinquencies and the mechanics of more modern accounting and record keeping. Next week should see several of these measures well on their way to the desk of the governor.

Colleges Attacked

The first of the appropriation measures found its way to the house floor during the morning session. The measure providing revenue for Michigan State college. It is in the form of a "measuring stick" measure by which the amount appropriated is determined by taking a percentage of the total assessed valuation of the taxable property of the state, a measure favored by college heads and more especially by the regents and the president of the university. It is claimed that such colleges have a stabilized method of measuring appropriations far better in the way of endowments and in the matter of attracting professors to the faculty. Legislators do not like it. They prefer their appropriation bills to be expressed in terms of dollars and cents. To make matters worse, a bloc of north Michigan representatives was formed to raise the public treasury for increased welfare funds and for increased old age assistance and for increased pensions to be paid by the state. The net result was that the bill went back to committee to await the passing of the storm.

Another bill which is attracting wide attention, especially among the farmer members, is the milk commission bill, drafted and backed by the Michigan Milk Producers association, representative James Helme of Lenawee, writing in his home paper, the Adrian Telegram, last week, claiming this bill is designed "to do about everything for the farmer, except milk his cows and get for him a decent price for his milk." The fighting lawyer-farmer from Adrian contends that the bill as proposed is ideal for the farmer. It provides for a five-man commission, consisting of the director of agriculture, and four others appointed by the governor, two to be selected from a list of five submitted by the Milk Producers organization and two from a similar list submitted by distributors and dealers. Rep. Helme claims that the Milk Producers association is dominated by the distributors which gives them four of the five votes on all matters and that the commissioner being a political appointee, will fall in line with them.

Helme points to the numberless licensed independent producers and dealers, the regulations prescribed and other expenses which will eat up any increase which the farmer might hope for. Commissioner Burr Lincoln, who recently visited several states having such laws, reports that after his long tour he came back to Michigan doubtful of the benefits of such a bill to the producers and equally doubtful as to whether he desires to have its administration forced upon his department.

To Protect Holdings

Your representative and scribe has joined his woman colleague from the Lansing district in introducing a measure designed to look ahead a decade or two and prepare a master plan for the acquisition of land required for new buildings if and when they are constructed. The bill sets up a commission of seven to be appointed by the governor of which the mayor of Lansing and the governor shall be ex-officio members, such commission to be charged with the responsibility of preparing a master plan for future development, to provide for the proper zoning of the city to protect the area selected against commercial invasion, to determine upon a proper site for the proposed mansion in case one is to be provided, and to otherwise prevent the surrounding properties from detracting from the buildings to be erected by the state and city in the territory involved. Work has already been done on the project by joint arrangement between the state administrative board and the city of Lansing, the measure proposed being designed to give legal standing to and protection to the area involved against being

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Sealed Bids Being Taken For New Mason Postoffice, Drawings Now Available

Bids To Be Opened In Washington April 27, Plans And Specifications Available Here

MASON'S BUSINESS SECTION TO BE TRANSFORMED BY CONSTRUCTION OF POSTOFFICE ON CORNER NOW ABANDONED.



HARRY E. NEELY

Mr. Neely's condition was reported as fair by attendants at the St. Lawrence hospital in Lansing Thursday afternoon. The veteran Mason business man submitted to an operation Thursday morning.

4-H ACHIEVEMENT DAY TO BE HELD SATURDAY

EXHIBITS OF CLUB MEMBERS TO BE SHOWN.

Certificates And Other Awards To Be Presented To 4-H Boys And Girls.

Mason will be the Mecca Saturday for between 500 and 600 4-H club members, leaders, parents and friends who are expected to attend the annual achievement day for winter clubs. Clothing, handicraft and home lunch projects comprised the winter program of 4-H club work.

H. H. Barnum, county agricultural agent; Mrs. Bertine Benedict, home demonstration agent; and John Converse, district club agent, have charge of the program for achievement day. A full day of activities has been planned. During the morning, health and wood identification contests are scheduled along with the inspection of exhibits arranged in the Mason school gymnasium and the showing of motion pictures at the Mason Theatre.

In the afternoon a program in the school auditorium will include entertainment, style revue and presentation of certificates and other awards.

Miss Lois Corbett and P. G. Lundin of the state 4-H club department will judge the exhibits which will be placed Friday. The general public may inspect the exhibits anytime after the judging has been completed. It is announced.

Records of the extension office show that winter club work reached a new high this year. There were 35 clothing groups, 11 handicraft clubs and three hot lunch clubs. The combined membership of the 49 4-H clubs reached 425. Club work was begun last fall. The achievement day to be held in Mason Saturday will climax the work.

Summer 4-H clubs are now being organized. A new record is expected to be established this year in summer clubs.

Ingham Farmers Aided By Government Agency

72 FARMERS HELPED BY RESETTLEMENT ADMINISTRATION.

S. D. Menovske, county supervisor of rural rehabilitation for the Resettlement Administration, revealed Thursday that his agency has given aid to 72 Ingham farmers. He said that 22 farm families holding title and equities to lands have held their ownership status by reason of rehabilitation loans. Fifty tenant farmer families, Mr. Menovske reported, have been helped by loans and by the agency securing better leases for them.

The Resettlement Administration maintains an office on the first floor of the court house in Mason.

WRONG DAIL

The Ingham County News had the wrong Dail purchasing the old J. B. Thorburn Hogback farm. The purchaser is Elmer R. Dail, manager of the Jarvis Engineering company of Lansing, instead of Ernest Dail, head of the Dail Steel Products company of Lansing.

BULLETINS

Gov. Frank Murphy sits down on sit-down strikers; declares laws must be obeyed.

Paving Contractors' association gives Mason first place in national contest for best asphalt paving.

Harmsworth speedboat races to be held on Sycamore during August.

Dinner-dance to be held in new American Legion Community hall Friday night.

Mason high school basketball team ends undefeated season and Big League scouts are in Mason to watch early practice sessions of baseball team.

Nelson Brown of Ingham County News wins Pulitzer prize in Journalism.

Joy O. Davis, Dr. Jay C. Corsaut and S. A. Laxton refuse to enter any debate.

APRIL FOOL

Bids To Be Opened In Washington April 27, Plans And Specifications Available Here

MASON'S BUSINESS SECTION TO BE TRANSFORMED BY CONSTRUCTION OF POSTOFFICE ON CORNER NOW ABANDONED.

Mason's postoffice building is emerging from the dream stage and now looms as a reality. The Procurement Division, Public Buildings Branch, Washington, D. C., will accept sealed bids at its Washington office until one o'clock Tuesday, April 27, for furnishing the labor and materials and performing all work for construction of the Mason postoffice.

An official notice of the letting appears on Page 10. The notice sets forth that drawings and specifications will be furnished free of charge to general contractors interested in submitting proposals. The Mason Kiwanis club has made application for a set of plans and specifications which are to be made available for sub-contractors and material men. The plans are expected to arrive at the office of the Ingham County News Monday.

MAISON SCHOOL BOARD RAISES SALARY SCALE

TEACHERS OFFERED CONTRACTS FOR NEXT YEAR.

Superintendency Narrowed Down To Two Men, Decision Is Expected Soon.

Mason school teachers will receive advanced salaries next year. It was decided by the board of education Friday night. Raises of from 7 1/2 to 14 per cent were voted by members of the board. To grade teachers who have had several years of experience or who have taken advanced college work salaries of \$1375 will be paid. To high school teachers of experience or those who have taken advanced work the base pay will be \$1475 a year. Salaries fixed for special teachers and for teachers in administrative posts have not been definitely set because it is not yet known who will fill the positions next year.

C. H. Hall, secretary of the school board, stated that the wide gap which has heretofore existed between salaries of teachers in grades and in high school has been narrowed in line with recommendations of the leading educationists. Mr. Hall said, "We believe the teachers in the lower grades have to work just as hard as do high school teachers. We also believe that the fundamentals learned by children in the lower grades are all-important and that the board of education should obtain elementary teachers qualified by experience or thoroughly prepared by training. That is why we have advanced wages for elementary teachers. It will encourage them to take extra training."

It is reported that contracts were issued to almost the entire faculty. However, it is said that at least three of the women teachers are going to abandon the classroom in June in favor of marriage. The makeup of next year's faculty will probably not be definitely known until April 15, Mr. Hall said.

Two For Superintendent The 60 applications for the position of superintendent to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Donald A. Murray have been narrowed down to two. One of the applicants is now superintendent of a school about the size of Mason. The other is principal of a Class A high school. Both men have been highly recommended for the Mason position, members of the school board report.

A member of the board of education confirmed the rumor that M. W. VanPatten, principal at Mason back in 1922, had been considered for the superintendency. After leaving Mason Mr. VanPatten went to Minnesota where he taught for several years and then went to Arizona for two years. He then returned to Minnesota as principal of a large high school. He had almost decided to apply for the Mason superintendency when he could be near his aged mother at Highland when a vacancy as superintendent occurred in his own system. The salary differential is so great that Mr. VanPatten did not make application for the Mason post.

The Mason postoffice now leases space in the Knights of Pythias building. The postoffice has been in its present location for 12 years. Before being housed in the present Mason building the postoffice was in the C. W. Browne building across the street. The federal building erected in the same block, a few feet farther west.

Advance In Milk Price Aids Ingham Producers

BASE PRICE FOR DETROIT FLUID MILK RAISED.

Ingham dairymen who sell their milk on the Detroit fluid market will receive an advanced price beginning April 1. The portion of fluid milk shipments sold off Detroit retail wagons will bring \$2.68 instead of \$2.48. Detroit wagon prices have been advanced to 13c per quart. The cash and carry store price remains at 12c per quart. About 60 per cent of Detroit fluid milk is sold from wagons with 40 per cent sold from stores and stations.

Walter R. Carven, one of the Ingham dairymen on the sales committee, stated that the base price of milk will be increased between 14c and 16c by the one-cent advance on Detroit wagon sales.

Dancers Are Exposed To Smallpox Danger

ACTIVE CASE ATTENDED DANCE AT HENRIETTA.

Jackson county health authorities are attempting to round up all the people who attended a dance in the Masonic hall in Henrietta Saturday night. A man who had an active case of smallpox attended the dance. He is now said to be in a serious condition and it is feared that those who attended the dance may come down with the disease unless they have been recently vaccinated.

Dr. E. L. MacLachlan of Jackson, is broadcasting the warning of the smallpox case. He said that persons who attended the dance and have not been vaccinated within five years should be vaccinated immediately.

Promoters Intend To Resume Test For Oil

EXPECT TO START SURVEY AGAIN NEXT WEEK.

Carl Jewett was notified Thursday morning that the Hitzel-Leland Development corporation, subsidiary of the Refiners Petroleum company, will resume its geological survey of Ingham leases next week. An electric resistivity machine is used in testing geological formations for oil bearing strata. The survey was started last fall but frost and cold weather interfered with the tests.

Mr. Jewett said that the testing will be continued for six weeks and that the company intends to drill a well immediately if the survey shows any promise of oil. The bulk of the Hitzel-Leland leases are in Alaledon, Vevay, Ingham, Leslie and Bunkerhill townships.

Farmers, notice, Michigan grown alfalfa, clover, timothy, prices right. Come and see. Mason Elevator Co. It

Frank A. Picard, chairman of the Michigan Unemployment Compensation commission, warns that many Michigan employers are confused over the so-called federal and state social security acts. Mr. Picard said that there are probably several thousand Michigan employers who erroneously believe they are exempt from the provisions of the state act.

"All employers of eight or more persons during 1936 who are subject to the federal payroll tax must pay their Michigan contribution of nine-tenths of one per cent," said Mr. Picard.

A recent interpretation of the Michigan law makes farmers' produce companies employing labor not on owners' or tenants' farms pay the tax.

TO STAY UNTIL MAY Probate Register Charles A. Clinton is to remain in office until May 1. It was first announced that he would resign April 1. Sup. David C. Beatty of Wheatfield township will become register of probate May 1.

Books like friends, should be few, and well chosen.—Fuller.

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THE SOLID NORTH

These United States of ours, as a nation, since the Civil War at least, have been "taken for a ride" by the so-called solid south. With the republicans in power, the states below the old Mason-Dixon line have stood together when revenue measures were drafted and when appropriations were made, much to the advantage of the taxpayers of that region. When the democrats have been in power, the solid south has merely stepped in and laded out the gravy.

No observing person has ever traveled through the southern states without coming back north impressed with the skill and ability of southern congressmen in obtaining "pork" for their respective states. In the immortal words of one "Cactus Jack" Garner, the north has paid for its bacon with whole carcasses of pork—innards and all.

Take as an illustration of this the matter of mental hospitals for the state of Arkansas—Senator Robinson's state. There the federal government has constructed a wonderful state institution, fine modern structures, sufficient to house not only the present number of mentally afflicted in that state but sufficiently large to accommodate any possible increase in the number of mentally afflicted Arkansians for years to come. In Michigan we have an appalling shortage of room for our afflicted, and outside of a meager grant for an addition at Ypsilanti, just now getting underway after continued supplication since 1933, Michigan has received nothing. Arkansas received its fine, modern, complete mental hospital group for the asking, an outright gift to the people of Arkansas. Washington would not even lend Michigan the money to provide for its necessary requirements.

And so this leads to consideration of Michigan's latest fiscal problem, that of satisfying the demands of a bloc of representatives elected from the sparsely settled northern areas of the state.

If the stability of the nation is menaced by the "solid south" bloc, then Michigan can be said to stand in danger from raids on its treasury, engineered and supported by legislators elected from districts as over-represented as is the south. Remember now that the Carolinas, Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi and Arkansas have among them 12 senators with just as many votes in Washington as can be mustered by New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Michigan, and that when these southern states with others gang up with a few states like Arizona, New Mexico, Idaho and Nevada, there is no such thing as a balanced budget. The trouble is, the money is spent by and for the people of states where little of the revenue is raised. Accordingly it can be said that in Michigan much of the uncontrolled demands for public spending come from sections of the state where little tax money is ever collected.

Election results show that one-third of the 100 members of the house and a quarter of the 32 members of the senate are elected from that section of the state which contains less than five per cent of the total population and from a section that contributes in sales tax and other state revenues about the same proportion of the whole. Analysis of the various items of the state budget will prove beyond the shadow of a doubt the menace such a picture presents to an ordered and controlled spending of state funds.

The most recent effort on the part of these members representing impoverished sections where few people live, is proof conclusive that some defense must be set up by agricultural, substantial Michigan working in harmony with those sections referred to generally as metropolitan.

From Oscoda to Ontonagon the welfare picture is disconcerting to say the least. Some of the counties are better than 85 per cent on relief. In those sections the spending of relief money is a political racket of the worst sort. The demand of a group of legislators elected as a result of this political racket that welfare funds be increased and their threat to defeat every other appropriation measure unless they are increased, is significant. This gesture ought to challenge thought and consideration of some new plan of apportionment.

GREAT BIG STRONG MANS

How do these "great big strong mans" we read about get their muscles? Maybe they get them by wielding feather dusters.

How great a weight should a healthy, 14-year-old boy weighing 138 pounds, be permitted to lift? If a boy feels strong enough to play high school football and basketball and wrestle around with fellow players would it be safe for him to make a lift of more than 40 pounds? And if he is permitted to lift 40 pounds would it be safe for him to try a lift of 40 pounds and two ounces? If we have permitted a boy to lift 42 pounds and now find that the state department of labor and industry allows the boy to lift only 40 pounds just what will be done with us? If the boy is told to lift only 40 pounds and he disobeys orders and some morning when he is feeling extra strong picks up 52 pounds, what should be done?

These questions have been running through our mind for some weeks now; in fact, since we received a letter from the state department of labor and industry. Until then we thought little about it. We went on the assumption that he wouldn't shove the big presses around and that if left to his own volition he wouldn't try any feats of lifting beyond his strength.

The boy has been working at the shop now for four years. He is supposed to sweep, bale waste paper, carry up pigs of metal for the typesetting machine and run errands. The work has not interfered with his growth nor with his appetite. We can vouch for the appetite angle because we have to buy the groceries.

All right, we'll tell the boy not to lift more than 40 pounds. The pigs of metal weigh 35 pounds and he has been carrying them up from down cellar two at a time. From now on he will have to double the number of trips. We'll get along somehow and fondly hope that the habit of lifting not more than 40 pounds will not become so fixed that in another two or three years when he gets his strength that he will shy away from lifting some sweet young thing weighing around 110.

We do resent the theory, though, that a department of government must be set up to tell parents how much their children shall lift. A state employee whose heaviest manual labor is lifting a pen takes it upon himself to say that a strong and healthy boy shall not lift more than 40

pounds. At least, the state employee should have a look at the boy before reaching a decision. It might well be that the state official would permit some exceptionally strong boy to lift 45 or 50 pounds.

How about the farmers? How long will it be before a government agency tells a farmer just how much swill his boy shall carry to the hogs? If the child labor amendment passes, as President Roosevelt is urging, it may be only a question of months.

Certainly no man should tolerate the exploitation of children. The INGHAM COUNTY NEWS is opposed to setting children to tasks beyond their strength. Yet we maintain that more boys and more girls are harmed by idleness than they are by overwork. All work and no play may make Jack a dull boy. All play and no work is quite apt to make him a lazy loafer.

HOURLY WAGES

The fallacy of continually talking about hourly wage scales for workmen is clearly set forth by a man who formerly lived in a small town of central Michigan but who a number of years ago went into one of our larger industrial cities where he secured employment in a large manufacturing establishment. Last week this man appeared on the streets of another town, about the size of the one from which he originally moved, and sought employment. This man stated emphatically that he was through with big city life, that he wanted steady employment, was ready to work reasonably long hours if required, was not at all anxious about week-end holidays—but he was seeking steady employment at wages he could depend upon and support his family.

This man has been employed, it developed, in his present position for the past four years. He is rated at seventy-two cents per hour, rather good wages one would say. But as a matter of fact during the past year he has been employed considerably less than six months out of the twelve month period. His total wages for the year amounted to exactly \$501.20 he stated. "Hourly wages", he declared, "mean nothing. What I am seeking and what I must have is enough in a year to feed my family for a year."

He found a job at one-third less per hour than he was receiving in the city but he was elated because the job he found offered steady year-round employment and the prospect of more than \$1000 in a year.

LIVING SNOW FENCES

Up in Ionia county there is a county agricultural agent with a vision. Eight years ago he went to state highway authorities with the proposal that contracts be made with owners of lands adjacent to state trunk line highways under which the state would supply tree transplants to the landowner and he in turn would lease the land for the production of living snow fences. Of course the plan was intended to apply largely to cheap lands of the north except where the landowner in other sections of the state was interested in developing roadside beauty.

The highway department eight years ago turned thumbs down on the proposal but this county agent went ahead on 300 acres owned by him in Kalkaska county and this week his home newspaper carries pictures of the snow barrier. Eleven year old Norway and white pines now stand twelve to seventeen feet high. They have kept the snow from drifting over the highway far more efficiently than any snow fence and besides that the roadside, summer and winter, presents a most inspiring beauty and inviting charm.

Experiments in the upper peninsula have proved beyond any doubt the economy of planting trees along the stretches of open highway as compared with the annual cost of erecting and removing snow fencing. In some counties of that region the practice of purchasing one hundred foot strips of standing timber alongside the highway in sections where lumbering operations are being carried on has been tried. It has been found that timber companies are willing to sell these strips for the profit they otherwise would make from slashing it, and that the price asked, spread over a ten year period is much less than the cost of setting and removing fences each year. Besides that the plan preserves for the tourist all the delights of driving through uncut forests.

There are many sections of open country everywhere in the state, where intelligent application of this plan will prove its worth. The highway department should be forced to give consideration to these facts. Quite to the contrary in most sections, all the highwaymen can think of is to cut and slash the brush. In fact, as well pointed out in last week's News by Mr. Wolcott of Jackson, the general practice followed is quite in contrast to any sensible roadside development. In many cases a great deal of money has been expended in setting and caring for shade trees where native shrubbery would have been much more appropriate and at the same time would have served as snow barriers.

Engineers, taught only to run straight lines and level grades, should be fired from the job. Michigan has a great stake in its natural scenic beauty. It should not be permitted to be destroyed by ruthless construction crews.

Meanwhile, instead of employing the CCC men in slashing roads through virgin timber, why not employ them in gathering seeds from forest trees, producing seedlings in propagation beds, and planting them along the highways, first, where the expense will be least and, later, as the public senses the value and forms its opinion accordingly.

A BROAD BASE

A survey undertaken by the University of Michigan tends to show that best preparation for a medical education is a broad preparation in which non-medical subjects predominate. Medical students with A. B. degrees not earned in pre-medical courses have higher medical school records than students who tried to become technical too soon. The survey proves that medical education is not an isolated process, but is intimately related to all forms of education.

The same findings would probably be disclosed in surveys in other schools. The best educator might well be some one who had had experience in other lines. The best lawyer might be the man who had studied for the ministry. A broad base is needed for all kinds of professional training. That's why so-called cultural courses still possess great value.

Down By The Sycamore

A lot of new wells are going down this spring. Last week Charles Willet, who is working for the Sanford of Eaton Rapids, put down three wells around Mason. They were drilled for W. A. Hall, M. R. Beebe and Art Cole. Past work, Mr. Willet, and more water for the Sycamore. * * * Dr. Alexander G. Ruthven made a distinct hit at the North Aurelius church last week. And Mason and the North Aurelius community made a hit with Dr. Ruthven. He liked the food and liked the people.

Do girls like to see their pictures in the paper better than boys? The Ingham County News had to have a lot of extra pictures of the girl baseball players (see last week's issue) but the boys showed little interest. * * * Tom Dayton believes in higher education. He had an FFA boy pick out a flock of laying hens for him. The hens produce giant eggs and lots of them. Hens picked out by Tom didn't do so well as ended up in a kettle. Tom's grandson, Gordon Willett, of Charlotte, is only 12 years old but he helps out a lot at the farm. The boy spends week-ends and vacations at the Dayton homestead and intends to be a farmer. Tom always wanted to farm but cut half instead. A few years ago he sold his barber business and took up farming where he had left off 30 years ago. Now he barbers on Saturdays and farms the rest of the time.

Mrs. Dayton is a good farmer, too. Their farm is in Wheatfield township. Congratulations to Marjorie Green, Mason graduate and star State student. She has been chosen, as one of the 12 best Home Ec students, to complete her college work at the Merrill-Palmer school in Detroit. Merrill-Palmer is an endowed institution with students from nearly every state and several foreign countries. Students learn social problems at first hand.

If you like to travel you would like Bob Inghram's (former deputy sheriff) job. He was home over the week end after a four-week trip to St. Louis, Oklahoma City, Dallas, Fort Worth, Shreveport, Houston, Birmingham, New Orleans, Atlanta, Chattanooga, Nashville, Memphis, Cincinnati and other big cities. He drove 1600 miles to be home on Easter. He is sales manager for Brulin & Co. of Indianapolis. The company manufactures soaps, wax and other kinds of floor sales.

"Willow Creek must not be ignored with all this sudden furor about the Sycamore," said Will Cheney, Saturday. "If it wasn't for the Willow there wouldn't be any Sycamore. Most all the water in the Sycamore comes from the springs near the Couch farms at the head of Willow Creek." Mr. Cheney also related some snake and fish stories of early days on the Willow. He said that the snake record. He captured a six-foot water snake. Mr. Cheney volunteered the information that he and the late Charles Whitman were the two best skaters on the Willow.

George Clinton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Clinton, will graduate in medicine at the University of Michigan in June. He expects to take his internship at Lansing's St. Lawrence hospital. And isn't Mrs. George Clinton a charming person? * * * Another charming woman stopped at the office Saturday night. She was with her husband, Lawrence (Buck) Lane, their daughter and Mrs. Lane. Lawrence Lane certainly picked out a nice wife. The former Mason boy has a high position with the Bakelite plant in Chicago. Buck used to be a pretty fair poker player in his younger days. He's a steady family man now.

Mason's most ambitious young man is in the class of Lansing's St. Lawrence business college to prepare himself to be a captain of industry. And he should reach the top. He does big business besides going to school in Lansing. Before five o'clock he is abroad for business. At five o'clock he swabs down the marble floor in the Dart National bank. At 5:45 he meets the mail train and hauls the mail to the postoffice. He then eats breakfast and goes to Lansing to study. After school hours he returns to Mason and sweeps and cleans the Dart National bank offices and washes the windows, leaving the mopping until the following morning. He also does the cleaning at the Campbell & Uhlenbruch barber shop every night, and on Sunday cleans the office of the Ingham County News. Last year he planted many acres of cabbage for the Wilson Packing company. This year school will interfere but he intends to get some land and raise cucumbers or cabbage on his own. He is also in the market for more cleaning jobs. Tom will do anything and do it well. He likes to work and has never yet been out of a job. In fact, when his jobs get down to three or four he starts out to line up some more.

There's no chance, folks. Mason is too small to do the Walter Winchell act. I shall make no attempt to answer two anonymous letters received last week. One was a plea to report on the high school boy and girl most in love and another request was even more embarrassing. Note to writers of the two letters: Do your own window-peeping; or perhaps I should say, keep on with it a little longer and find out all you want to know.

Ancient History

Gleaned from News Files of Years Past

Ten Years Ago

Charles Davis, James Noxon, Philatus Peck, Donald Snyder, Kenneth White, Rex Beaumont, Freda Francisco, Doris Densmore, Leona Benard, Caroline White, Margaret Lasenby, Fern Smalley, Anne Couch, Helen Deane, Mary Laxton, Dorothy Harmon, Thelma Whipp, Beatrice Fanson, Frances Nellis, Elsie Morrison and Helen Gunn have parts in the senior play to be staged April 22 and 23. The Charm School is the title.

Virgo Kinsey is in Shanghai, China. He is a member of an orchestra playing at an American theater there and has witnessed much of the street fighting now going on between Japan and China in sections of Shanghai.

Twenty Years Ago

The Ingham County News and the Ingham County Democrat are to be combined. C. S. Clark and S. L. Marshall of St. Johns have purchased the two Mason plants. Mrs. W. S. Clark of Mason is also a stockholder in the company.

The Rev. A. G. Newberry, pastor of the Baptist church for the past five

years, expects to leave the pulpit April 1.

A big loss was sustained by C. A. Davis at Eden Monday night when lightning struck his elevator. More than 1500 bushels of beans and about the same amount of wheat was lost.

The Misses Daisy and Violet Call are home from Ypsilanti this week. Frank Hilleck and Cleo Valentine left Tuesday for Loraine, Ohio, to begin their summer seasons on the Great Lakes.

Fifty Years Ago
Miss Anna Tubbs who is attending the State Normal school is home for spring vacation.

S. P. Stroud has purchased a magnificent new house.

Capt. A. W. Mohan was appointed major at Jackson yesterday. His promotion was fittingly celebrated by Co. F last night.

The republicans of Vevay held their caucus at the cheese factory Saturday. Candidates are J. W. Chapin, supervisor; E. P. Rowe, clerk; H. I. Northrup, treasurer; Harvey C. Rowe, justice of the peace; Miss Emma J. Fuller, school inspector; R. R. Young, highway commissioner; and Homer Ellsworth, Solomon VanEtten, Oscar Priest and Nelson Gallup, constables.

A Union Labor ticket has been nominated in Mason. Candidates for the various city and ward offices are James A. Sherwood, George Story, Fred J. Lewis, Charles C. Curry, John Kelly, Miss Kittle Rice, S. H. McEwen, Obadiah Crane, Dr. J. B. Dodge, Ira J. Teall, Alvin Wheeler, Seneca R. Curry, Charles L. Boello and Nathan V. Mitchell.

SLAT'S DIARY

By OLIVER N. WARREN

Sunday: I am a bad victim of circumstances over which no boddie but Pa & Ma ain't got no control. Jake & Blisters went a fishin' & I to S. S. & church. I sum times wonder if they have got better Pas & Mas than I.

Monday: Pa & Ma had a little spat & Pa sed when I married you every boddie in town that I was crazy. Ma replied & sed no they dident, but I do now she sed. I xpect Pa had enuf as he then remained still. Tuesday: Jane sed to me she entertained Jake last evening & I sed I didnt see no lights when I went a past her house. She sed No, why lights? Recken she is aimen to get me jellus, & she has done it to.

Wednesday: The teacher ast Blisters what are a rabid dog & Blisters replied & sed I chase cottontales with I bleeve he gets dummer every day. I was wise the ancer is a dog that are hungry.

Thursday: Sum of the big kids in this skool are dum all so. They's a Jew kid, Abie Olsteen, & the teacher ast him what are a stoic & a cynic, did he no. & he sed sure, a stoic is a bird whil brings babies & a cynic is whair you washes dishes. I new Abie was rong. When the teacher laft out lowd, Friday: Elys got sum thing rong in her stummick & went to the doctor & sed it was hurting offly & cudden he do sum thing for it. The doctor sed, yes, diet. & Elys up & sed okay, what color? It looks to me like all our gang has been havin' a unushelly dum week. Unlest its me.

Saturday: Still more dummer, Jane

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AROUND THE STATE

GLADWIN—A 25-year-old Detroit nurse, formerly a resident here, is being held in connection with the discovery of the body of a newborn babe, found wrapped in a box in which flowers had been shipped and hidden in the woods near this place. The woman has confessed to the birth of the child but insists she has no knowledge as to whether or not the child was born alive. State police claim to have evidence that she kept the body in a suit case hidden in her room in Detroit until her mother and grandmother came to visit her and that she then took it to Gladwin when she returned with them, later taking it to the woods in the florist's box. It was the address on the box which led the officers to trace the identity of the child.

CASSOPOLIS—The Cassopolis board of education is in a quandary. At a recent school election, a proposal to bond the district for \$55,000 for a new school carried but at the same election the same voters defeated a proposal to raise the taxing limit to pay the bonds as they fell due. Now the board stands committed to a new school but finds itself unable to dis-

wore her red dress out in the country to visit her uncle & when a bull over the fence began to paw up dirt & ball she ast why are that & her uncle sed Probly that dress. Then Jane sed she now it are turbley out of stile but she diddent xpect a cow wood notis that.

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HATS

It is high time to discard that old heavy winter hat you have been wearing and come in to try on some of our new spring hats. They are attractive to the conservative dresser as well as to youth.

SUITS AND TOPCOATS

Spring suits are on display and we have sold many to satisfied customers. Brighten up this spring with a lighter suit. We have them in styles that will appeal to you.

The fine thing to have at this time of the year is a new topcoat. Buy one to wear with that new spring suit and you will be pleased with your purchase. Some very good models.

\$20 to \$32

\$18 to \$24

Shirts For Spring

One should not overlook such an important item as shirts for the spring and summer wardrobe. Shirts this season are as distinctively different as last year's automobile. Better stock up now.

HARRY E. NEELY

Fitchburg
By Mrs. I. S. Baldorff

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clare Tish (nee Artz) a son, March 26, at the Stow hospital in Stockbridge.

Miss Maxine Walker has been engaged to teach Fitchburg school next year.

Lloyd Gee has been ill for 10 days.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McCreery visited Mrs. Donnell of Munith, Sunday.

Twenty-three nieces and nephews gathered to wish her a happy birthday anniversary.

Irving Baldorff has torn down the old barn and will build a new barn on the same location.

Miss Alice Craig of Jackson, has been several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Lawrence.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Larnbee, a son, Wednesday, March 24. Mother and infant son returned from Stockbridge hospital, Sunday.

Edwin Hawley visited in Fitchburg Sunday. Friends were glad to welcome him after an absence of six months.

Mrs. I. S. Baldorff entertained the Merry-Go-Round club, Wednesday.

The L. A. S. will serve dinner at noon April 2, Friday.

John Garfield will have an auction Thursday.

People in the Fitchburg vicinity were without electricity Tuesday when the transformers were changed.

Funeral services for Vern Lawrence were held Thursday last week. Rev. VanHavel conducted the services.

Southeast Ingham
By Mrs. James Quinn

John Chase is seriously ill in the University hospital, Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Ewers from near Stockbridge, were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn.

Donald Murphy of Gregory, was a Sunday guest of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Jenkins entertained their children and family for Easter Sunday.

Joseph Ewers of Pleasant Lake, was a Sunday dinner guest of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Updyke and family of Fitchburg, were Sunday guests at the home of Kathryn Quinn.

Will Ramalla has returned to his home after spending the winter in Battle Creek, with his daughter, Mrs.

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Murray D. VanWagoner

Carleton Ramalla, and family of Whitmore Lake, have also moved to the farm and are now living with him.

Mrs. Will Quinn, who was operated on for gallie several weeks ago, is home from the Detroit hospital and seriously ill.

Junior Langham, Katherine Miller and friend spent the week end visiting relatives in Toledo, Ohio.

Gladys Quinn of Jackson, and Marie Swan of Dunaville, were Sunday dinner guests of James Quinn and family.

Mrs. Ernest Jenkins, who fell down cellar two weeks ago, seriously injuring her head, is some better, but unable to be out.

Mrs. Bernard Quinn is reported ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cavender and family of Jackson, were Sunday dinner guests of Timothy McCann and family.

There will be a dance Friday night at the Catholic school hall with Oleon's orchestra furnishing the music.

A family from Plainfield is moving onto Mrs. Will Quinn's farm.

Esther Artz is convalescing at the home of her parents from an appendix operation.

Junior Schlochter, Emmet Murphy and Evelyn Quinn, who attend the I. T. A. S. are having spring vacation.

Williamston
By Inez C. White

The M. E. church was decorated for Easter Sunday. Following Sunday school a baptismal service was held and a class taken on probation. A large number were taken into the church in full membership and several were received by letter. At five o'clock an addenda was given by a special choir, with Mrs. Kate Gorsline as the reader.

Marlin Graves returned from Florida last Friday night after spending the past three months there. He stayed only three or four days in a place.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barlow, who were with Mrs. Sate Beeman for a time, have gone to their own home where Miss May Hale is caring for them.

Mrs. Martha Hale returned from Detroit, Sunday, where she spent a week with her sons, Albert and Ray Hall.

Tuesday, March 30, being the 57th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Speers, their children, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Speers of Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde VanBuren of Toledo, Ohio, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Speers of Locke, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Bowerman and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gorsline from Lansing, and Mr. Owen S. Hendron and Mrs. Hendron and Miss Alta Speers at home came with a potluck dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Speers were the recipients of many congratulatory cards, potted plants and cut flowers and a gold sandwich plate to match the gold tea set, presented to them on their golden wedding anniversary. Tuesday noon their daughters, Mrs. Hendron and Miss Speers took them to Lansing for a wedding dinner. Later they received several callers at their home.

Wonderland
By Mrs. W. J. Clarke

The 4-H club members are planning to attend the achievement day program Saturday at Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Wallace entertained the following on Sunday: William Marie and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Marks of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Flory Hick and children, Mrs. Wyatt Francis and Buster Wyatt of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Wyatt and children. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett Simms called there in the afternoon.

Miss and Donna Southwick of Holt, are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Clara Trefry. They visited school Monday.

Citizens of Honduras pay no taxes. The expenses of the government are met by duties on exported metal, hides and fruit.

South Aurelius and North Onondaga
By Mrs. B. H. Field

Henry Schender was in Toledo the first of the week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Field spent Easter with a brother, Enoch Field, in Vevey.

Ernest Walline and family of Alton, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. John Hemans, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riddle and son of near St. Johns, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Wells Clickner and son.

Mrs. Maud Dollee and Betty visited Mrs. Fern Harkness and Mrs. Maggie Evelyn in Lansing, Saturday.

The Aurelius Central school P. T. A. will meet Friday night at the school. A program of a spelling bee and ciphering match will be held.

Teaspoon Corners
By Mrs. M. R. Snyder

Mary Caroline and Joan Crawford of Lansing, are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Long.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Hasbrouck of Detroit, spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Hasbrouck.

Mr. and Mrs. William Riley of Detroit, were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Steves of Eden, spent Sunday at Miles Snyder's.

Miss Ester Lu Hasbrouck is home from Central college for the Easter vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huffine entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday: William Huffine, and John Soures of Albion, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Brattian and Marion Down of Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Huffine and family of Fitchburg, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Hall and Marion, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Canton and family of Eden, and Charles Smalley of Detroit.

Ralph Edwards has been ill with the flu.

Northeast Alameda
By Mrs. Sadie Roback

Miss Emma Nichols of Hibbing, Minnesota, was a guest of the Robacks, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kruger and children of Williamston, were callers at the Jim Woodworth home, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Miller of this place and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Rae of Lansing, visited relatives in Hart over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Burt of Howell, Mrs. Margaret Roback of Lake Lansing, the Misses Vera and Thelma Everest of Lake Odessa, were callers at the Roback home, Sunday.

Mrs. Nan Evans spent Monday with her brother, the Rev. Floyd Sullivan, and family in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Vienne spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hasbrouck of Clark's Lake.

Robert Slocomb and family, who have lived on the Ames farm the past four years, have moved on a farm north of Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Pollok of Mason, and Lawrence and Pickert of Leslie, were week end guests of Harry Brenner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson have rented the Ames farm for the coming year.

Eden
By Mrs. Rolland Childs

Miss Alice Davis of Detroit, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rolfe of East Lansing, spent Sunday with Mrs. Flora Rolfe.

The Epworth League members will have a maple syrup party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Launstein, Friday night. All the girls are asked to bring biscuits to be baked at the party.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chapin of Marine City, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Chapin and Lawrence Elcheberger were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Childs.

Mr. and Mrs. Chellis Hall and daughter of Mason, spent Easter day with Mr. and Mrs. George Harmon.

Announcement was made Friday of the marriage of Ruth Densroth and Robert Brown of Mason. The marriage took place October 26, 1935. Mrs. Brown has taught the Eden school for the past two years.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Underwood and family spent the week end with relatives in Ohio.

Bunkerhill and Ingham Town Line
By Mrs. Henry Dunsmore

Mrs. Claud Clements of White Oak, spent last Wednesday with Mrs. P. H. Dunsmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blakely and children and Will Barr attended the funeral of George Brownlee at Leslie, Saturday.

Mrs. Lizzie Mitchell spent Monday with her brother, Herman Kelley, of Felt Plains.

Mrs. Roy E. West of Dansville, was a guest of her aunt, Mrs. Clifford Bates, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dunsmore and Roy Clinton Dunsmore and Gladys Fulton of Williamston, and Mrs. Albert Malcho and daughters of Stockbridge, were Easter guests at the Dunsmore home. Marian and Vivian Malcho remained for the week.

Will Barr and L. B. Barr were in Flint Sunday to see Tom Barr, who is ill at Hurley hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bates had as Easter guests, Mr. and Mrs. J. Cavender of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Charles West and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Waltersdorf.

Vinton Dunsmore is suffering with lumbago.

There was no school the first of the week as Harold Glynn, the teacher, was sick.

Charles Otis of Lansing, has been doing some papering and painting for Mrs. Frank Collar.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Collar and sons spent the week end with Mrs. Collar's sister and family in the northern part of the state.

Theo Tahan has been visiting her sister, Eva Collar. She returned to her school Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis and Bernard spent Sunday at Okemos with

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McFarren and little daughter, Phyllis Kay.

Russell Doyle and family have moved in the Hobart house now owned by A. J. Frost.

Frank Foler buzzed wood Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hendee and Pauline were at Lake Odessa, Sunday to bring Dot home for her vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl King entertained Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dayton and Gordon Willett.

Bernice Otis is spending a few days of her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Beatrice Ballard.

Mr. Dawling and family have moved in the Frost house. Arline and Betty are now attending our school.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Otis of Mason, were Tuesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Otis.

John Kruse and Ervin Freeman are helping Wallace Johnson with his house.

Frank Collar and Earl King have their John Deere tractors.

Miss Amy Lee is working for Mrs. Earl Nichols.

The Nichols Busy Fingers 4-H club met at the home of Mrs. F. Gelsenhauser, Saturday afternoon for their last meeting for this year.

Mrs. Floyd Warfle of Dansville, and Mrs. Clayton Snow and Virginia of Aurelius, spent Monday with Mrs. Flossie Gelsenhauser.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Preadmore and family from Lansing, called on Mr. and Mrs. F. Gelsenhauser, Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. John McCue from Detroit, called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gelsenhauser, Monday afternoon.

Felt Plains
By Mrs. Norris Hart

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hart entertained the following guests for Easter: Mr. and Mrs. Lew Hart, William Eby, Charles Wright, Mrs. Anna Wiles, and daughter Norma Jean, Miss Ruby Wright all from Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Barr and Jack and Miss Mary Barr.

The boys 4-H club met Tuesday night at the Felt Plains school.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Foot and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Foot and family, and John Relyea were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Relyea.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Simson and children spent Easter Sunday at Crystal Lake.

Mrs. Mildred Ford is visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. Dull in Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Clair Morehouse are staying at the home of Mrs. Edgar Morehouse.

Leta, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Snoke, was united in marriage at LaGrange, Indiana, Monday, to Clarence Osterle, son of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Osterle of Williamston.

Mrs. A. I. Butterfield is confined to her home with arthritis.

The Webberville high school had a fair Saturday assisted by the Herriek school, the Crooke school, Nelson school, Alchin school, Hackett school, and the fair was held in the school in the afternoon and the program at the community hall in the evening. Cash prizes amounted to \$56, the Crooke school winning the first prize of \$5.00 and the Nelson school the second prize of two dollars in the program test.

Mrs. Mercer and son Billy are away on a week's visit.

Mrs. Frank Lockwood died Friday morning at her home here. She recently underwent a major operation at a Lansing hospital and recovered so that she had been brought home. She was supposedly recovering nicely, but was taken worse in the night passing away in her sleep. She is survived by the husband, three sons, two daughters, four sisters and two brothers.

A son of Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Williams broke his arm while playing ball.

Milo Smith and family were at his mother's home over Sunday.

Miss Luella Dingman is assisting Mrs. Rutherford with her house work.

Al Cochran and daughter were home over Sunday.

Catherine Schmidt, a teacher in the Muskegon school, was home Sunday.

Several Rebekah ladies are planning to attend the district meeting at Fowlerville, Friday.

Stockbridge
By Mrs. Vesta Thompson

Mr. and Mrs. William Fink entertained their children for Easter.

Mrs. Minnie Mapes is quite ill in the Rowe hospital.

The Home Culture club meets with Mrs. Hugh Milner, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Thompson of Detroit, called at W. S. Thompson's last Wednesday.

Miss Doris DeWitt is assisting Mrs. Alice Lowe at the beautiforium.

The Masons are sponsoring the play, "Everybody's Here", at the high school this week Thursday and Friday nights.

Several Rebekah ladies are planning to attend the district meeting at Fowlerville, Friday.

The give and take of marriage—He gives her 50 cents and then takes it back to buy cigarettes of which she smokes half.

Dart District
By Mrs. Hattie Godley

The Ladies Aid of Vantown will meet April 1 for their regular monthly meeting for dinner.

Clyde Nichols visited his son, Rex, and family Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Wilcox spent Easter with their daughter, Edna Titus, and her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robison of Lansing was at the Ivan Wilcox home Sunday.

Margaret and Leont Mastie of Webberville are spending a few days with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Mastie, and Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson of Lansing visited at Ralph Hayner's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Mastie and children of Webberville spent Easter at the Bert Mastie home, Wilcox, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Malcho and children were with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patrick, near Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Clark Center
By Florence Clark

Mr. and Mrs. William Leseney and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Towns of Battle Creek.

Mary Johns of Eaton Rapids, and Bernadine Leseney of Dimondale, are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Leseney.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Gifford of Eaton Rapids, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clark.

Mrs. Ina Clark, Miss Fern Clark and George and Lloyd Clark spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Doris Cady of near Mason.

The Just-a-More club will meet with Mrs. Hattie Milner on Tuesday, April 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Toft of Dimondale.

The Just-a-More club will hold its April evening meeting in the form of a penny supper, at the school on Friday evening, April 16, for members and their friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spies of Traverse City, and Miss Margaret Young of Chicago, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Clark, Monday evening.

School is again in session at the Bullen school after a week of vacation. The community is glad to hear that Mrs. Clippert's family are much improved in health.

Chuck and Elizabeth Seeley of Mason, spent a few days this week with their sister, Mrs. Don Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Strickling, formerly of this community, now of Lansing, are the parents of a nine pound girl, Nancy Sue, born at 11 a. m., Monday, March 29.

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Aurelius
By Mrs. Mary Broscha

A large number enjoyed Easter services at the church Sunday morning. A choir of 18 voices rendered special music, also two duets and two solos were sung. All taking part in the program wore corsages. Many plants were used in decorating the platform, among them an Easter lily given by the Eaton Rapids florist.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thayer and family are moving into the house across from Carl Warner. Mr. Thayer will work for Mr. Warner the coming year.

Mrs. Mertha Kennedy of Mason will be the new operator.

Mr. and Mrs. Reeves and family spent Easter with the latter's parents in northern Michigan.

Clifford Smith of Detroit, spent the week end with his family here. Merle Cornwall of Holt, was also a week end visitor at the Smith home.

Mrs. Charles Wilson, who has spent the past seven weeks with Mr. and Mrs. George Green, returned to her home at Durand, Saturday.

The L. A. S. will serve dinner at the church Monday, election day. Division 1 will serve.

The following girls of the Clever Clover 4-H club are taking part in a dress review Saturday at achievement day. Audrey Green, Margaret Hemans, Eleanor Grelton and Arlene Smiley are the second year girls and Leah Helms is a first year girl.

Mrs. Martha Jennings is reported ill.

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Northeast Lansing Township

By Alice H. West

The Rural Missionary Gleasons met with Mrs. Marjorie Coudage and Mrs. Amy Herron last Thursday. A business meeting followed a Bohemian dinner. Roll call was "What Makes I Have Used to Make My Work Easier." Mrs. Mary Mole, delegate to the state federation of women's clubs meeting at Flint, gave her report on the Wednesday meeting. Mrs. A. L. Elchele, a guest, gave a report of the Thursday meeting. Mrs. Della Baumgras gave a report of the meeting she attended in regard to rural libraries. Plans were made for a party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Robert West, who were married last December.

Members of Capitol Grange attended a lecture of the Class Varsity Path Institute last Tuesday night thereby receiving a sum of money which will be put in their building fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kleinhenn of Holt were callers at the W. B. West farm Saturday afternoon.

There will be a meeting of the federation of women's republican clubs at the Lansing Women's club on Wednesday with a Bohemian lunch. Jus-

ice Pond of the supreme court will speak.

Miss Anna B. West of Wyoming Park, Grand Rapids, spent from Friday to Sunday at the home of her father, W. B. West.

Capitol Grange will meet at the home of C. A. Rinehart, East Lansing, Saturday night for a regular business meeting.

Island Corners

By Mrs. Mabel E. Root

Miss Alice Root will be hostess to the I. C. C. Wednesday, April 7. Roll call will be "Secret Ambitions" and there will also be a question box. The table committee is No. 4, Stella Nicholson, chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Miller and children of Mason, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Harig and family. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. E. Reynolds and baby were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Barringer are riding in a new Ford.

J. B. Root of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Root, Ralph and little Sherry of East Lansing, were guests of Mrs. Mabel E. Root, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Murphy and granddaughter from Lansing, were

Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Maggie Box and family.

Mrs. Edna Collins, Lee Hulett and Mahu H. Root attended a demonstration in Lansing, Tuesday.

Mrs. Calla Morton entertained Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. George Morton and children, Eva and Lyle, in honor of George, her son, whose birthday anniversary occurred that day.

Stockbridge Town Line

By Mrs. J. H. Hayner

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Paul entertained for dinner Easter Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Warner Pickett and family and Mrs. William Paul.

Floyd Howell of Howell, spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hayner.

W. D. Holmes, who has spent the past three months with his daughter, Mrs. Herman Dyer, was called to Jackson, Monday, by the death of her father-in-law, George Stoller, who was killed in an auto accident.

Mrs. William Ramsdell is reported ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cook have returned to the village and Mr. Cook will work for James Miller, this year.

Mrs. Herman Dyer was called to Jackson, Monday, by the death of her father-in-law, George Stoller, who was killed in an auto accident.

Fred Graf is ill with the mumps.

The Stockbridge 4-H Livestock club organized last Wednesday night at the Love school. The following officers: Maurice Price, vice president; Marie Frank, secretary and treasurer; John Graf, leader. It is composed of 17 members.

Derby Neighborhood

By Mrs. G. W. Springman

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Hartman spent Wednesday with relatives in Salom.

Ted Paye has been under the doctor's care for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Frinkle and children of Rives Junction, spent Easter with the Ed Frinkle family.

Mrs. Matilda Smith, who has been assisting in the care of her daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Arnold, of Dansville, spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Paye and Stanley.

Beryl Smith, Emil Sommers and George Springman attended the soil conservation meeting in Mason, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Newcomb had company from Detroit for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fink entertained their children and grandchildren, Sunday.

Wheatfield Center

By Mrs. George Pratt

The Home Guards will meet at the church Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

Mrs. Annie Shields of Lansing, spent the week end with Mrs. George Sadler.

Max Ellwanger spent from Thursday until Monday at Harbor Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frost and children spent Sunday at Plymouth with her brother, Frank Hines, and family.

Mrs. Lonnie Franklin and son and Miss Fox of Lansing, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gibson and Reva.

Marjorie Frost spent Tuesday night at Dansville, with the Miller twins and played at the orchestra at the Dansville church.

Mr. Howe of Leslie, was a Monday supper guest of Arthur Frost and Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Donal and Martha entertained Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Donal and Mr. and Mrs. George Winegar and family, Sunday in honor of James Donal's 81st birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bourns and family and Andrew Bourns of South Lyons, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Frost, and family.

Bertie and Roy Showerman attended the funeral of their cousin, George Brownlee, at Leslie, Saturday.

Carol Pollok, who has been spending the winter in Florida, returned to his home Friday.

Max Ellwanger started work Tuesday with the Monte Construction Co. of Detroit. Their first job will be near Lapeer.

Douglas Territory

By Mrs. Leo Glynn

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tyler and son of Lansing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Watkins and Forrest.

Wayne Foler has a new car.

Mr. and Mrs. George Weston of Okemos, and Mrs. Almira Wedell of Clare, spent Wednesday evening at the Glynn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Bartlett spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brunner. Dale and Buddy Thompson of Lansing, were callers.

George Vickers is reported ill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shrumm spent Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Marshall in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker, Robert and Forrest of Felt Plains, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn and family. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cortright and daughter of Homer, were Sunday afternoon callers.

Mr. and Mrs. George Shrumm were at the Sparrow hospital in Lansing, Tuesday to see their son, Burton Shrumm, who underwent an operation Saturday night.

South Leroy

By Mrs. W. L. Rice

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Depew and family spent the week end with relatives at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Lay of Lansing, spent Sunday with his father, John Lay. Isabelle Lay returned home with them for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Merton Rice and Reba and Inez DeWaters were Sunday guests of their brother, Harvey DeWaters, at Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Smith and family were Sunday guests of relatives in Ohio.

Leland Bennett, of Trenton, spent the first of the week with his grandmother, Mrs. Rose Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Dedic of Millville, has moved into the Clark Keith tenant house. He will work there this year.

Inez DeWaters of Eaton Rapids, spent first of the week with her sister, Mrs. Merton Rice and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Sly have moved to their new home at Danville.

Lawton Risch of Kalamazoo, visited his father recently.

At The Churches

First Presbyterian Church, Mason—Rev. John Adams, D., Minister. Sunday, April 4, Morning worship at 10 o'clock with the minister in charge. The subject of his sermon will be, "We, Being Many, Are One Body in Christ." (Romans 12:5). Church school at 11:30. Choir rehearsal will be announced by the choirmaster.

Monday, April 5, Annual meeting of the Presbytery of Lansing at First Presbyterian church, Albion, opening at 10:00 a. m. Thursday and Friday, April 8 and 9, Annual meeting of the Lansing Presbyterial society at First Presbyterian church, Lansing.

Morning sessions will open at 10:30 a. m. Lunch will be served at the church each day, but dinner on Thursday only, at 6:30. An evening service will be held at 7:30 Thursday.

The principal speaker will be Mrs. Joseph L. Dadds of the Punjab, India. Carl W. L. Choney to arrange transportation. The women of the church are urged to attend as many sessions as possible. Friday, April 2, The Ladies Aid society will hold their annual meeting at the church at 2:30. The annual congregational supper, Bohemian, will be held at 6:30 p. m. At 7:30 p. m. the annual congregational meeting will be held to transact such business as may properly come before the congregation. The responsible officers of the various organizations of the church and church school are expected to be prepared to report upon the year's work.

Mason Methodist Church—"Fore-sight in Religion" is the subject for the sermon to the adult congregation, and the short sermon to the junior congregation will be resumed next Sunday with the subject, "Clothes, Especially Coats." Derwood Carn and Brewster Ellis will sing a tenor and baritone duet entitled, "Calvary." Paul Rodney, The Epworth League will meet at six o'clock under the leadership of Agnes Beebe. The subject will be, "Adventures in World Friendship." The midweek service will be held at the parsonage Thursday evening at 7:30. The subject for meditation and discussion will be, "The Conflict Between the Old and the New," based on the parable, "The New and Old Wineskins." The Pamo-daso class will meet at the church for a potluck supper and evening of recreation and business Tuesday night, April 5. Supper to be served at 6:30.

Christian Science—Services are held over at the Jewelers store every Sunday morning, 10:30. Sunday school is held during the service. Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. "Unreality" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, April 4. Among the Bible citations is this passage (Ps. 37:7): "Rest in the Lord, and wait patiently for him: fret not thyself because of him who prospereth in his way, because of the man who bringeth wicked devices to pass." Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following (p. 454): "Love inspires, illumines, designates, and leads the way. Right motives give pinions to thought, and strength and freedom to speech and action."

Mason Baptist—D. L. Huntwork, pastor, Sunday, April 4, the morning service, the pastor's theme will be, "The Works of God." After the message, the Lord's Supper will be served, and the hand of Fellowship will be extended to the new members of our church. The Bible school meets at 11:30 a. m. The lesson this Sunday dealing with the Genesis account of Creation. At the BYPU hour, 6:30 p. m., the first of a new series on "What Constitutes a Good Church Member" will be presented. The evening evangelistic service is at 7:30. The message will be "Diagnosis—Paralysis." Prayers meeting Thursday at 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal Friday at 7:30.

Dansville M. E. Church—B. A. Cramton, pastor. 11:00 morning service; 12:00 Sunday school; 6:30 Epworth League; 7:30 Evening service. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening, 7:30 at the church.

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

Holt Presbyterian—Chas. P. Andrews, pastor. The pastor will discuss the question, "Are You Building for Eternity?" in Holt Presbyterian church next Sunday morning at 10:30. The junior story will be about "Joseph as Ruler of Egypt," and the choir will furnish special music. The Sunday school will meet at 12 o'clock with special classes for men and women as well as other age groups. The newly organized senior Christian Endeavor society will meet at 5:30, with Dorothy Murray and Evelyn Drumm in charge. All young people of high school age are invited to join this group. The Young People's older C. E. will meet at 7 o'clock, led by Dorothy Murray, with "The Good Church Member Worship," as the topic. The older group of young people will have a party at the Presbyterian manse on Thursday evening, April 1. All of the older young people are cordially invited. The annual congregational meeting of the Presbyterian church will be held Tuesday night, April 6, at 8 o'clock. All organizations connected with the church and Sunday school are expected to report their finances and activities for the past year.

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

Aurelius Center Baptist—Oral Duckworth, pastor. Sunday morning worship 10. Pastor's theme, "Our Covenant With God." This will be a series of two sermons, the second to be preached April 11. Sunday school will be at 11:15. The Sunnyside Sunday school will be at 2:00 p. m. Sunday, Boy Scouts, 7:00, Monday evening, Ladies Aid, Tuesday. The ladies will cook for the election. Prayer meeting and Bible study Thursday night.

Stockbridge First Baptist Church—Sunday, April 4, Morning worship at 10:30 a. m. The Rev. Ralph Compton will supply the pulpit at the morning service. At the close of the service a business meeting will be held for the purpose of voting on a new pastor. Several candidates will be baptized during the morning service. Bible school at 11:45 a. m. B. Y. P. U. meetings at 6:30 p. m. Mrs. Esther Smith will be the adult advisor. Evening evangelistic service 7:30 p. m. The Rev. Paul Truss, former Compton, will be the special speaker. He will tell of his experiences in Russia and of his conversion to Christ. He will also tell of some of the experiences which Christians in Russia must endure today.

HOLT

By Mrs. James P. Kling

School work begins again Monday, April 5, after a vacation from March 26.

Arthur Wemple has been on a trip to Iowa to purchase stock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Austin and son Paul of Jonesville, were visitors in Holt, Wednesday and that night could not return because of the bad snowstorm. Mr. Austin came to attend the Spaulding auction.

The Ladies Aid society of the First M. E. church will hold a meeting and serve public supper Thursday, April 8, in the church parlors.

The Garden club will hold a regular meeting in the town hall Tuesday, April 6, at two o'clock. Roll call will name unusual animals. There will be an exchange of perennials. Mrs. Maurice Baker of East Lansing, expects to be present and describe the plans for a garden at East Lansing in which each garden club is to participate. There will also be some papers. Everybody is welcome who is interested in gardens.

Cursing evening at eight o'clock occurs the regular meeting of Holt Rebekah lodge No. 446 in the I. O. O. F. hall.

An auction was held Saturday afternoon in the home of the late Mrs. Ann Gunn, when her household goods were sold.

At the U-Go-I-Go "500" supper and party Thursday night at the Tyler home, the winners were Mrs. Byron Wigman and Ben Arend and the losers Mr. Albert Fry and Jesse Palen. Another meeting is to be held with Mr. and Mrs. Owen Smith, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Thompson visited her mother in Grand Haven for the week end and Easter day.

Little Martha Moore and Virginia Mason are ill with scarlet fever.

Don Cornwell was taken to the Veterans hospital at Camp Custer near Battle Creek, recently for treatment. Division No. 3 of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will meet with Mrs. Frank C. Lett on the third Friday, April 16, for their usual dinner and business meeting.

The Golden Circle club meets this week Thursday with Mrs. Earle Jessop, 533 Baker street, Lansing, with Mrs. George Allen as assistant hostess.

Saturday noon at the Presbyterian an exchange occurred the wedding of John Beth of Bath, and Mrs. Anna Wedge of Lansing. Rev. C. P. Andrews officiated and the couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. William Reth.

Miss Gwendolyn Hatt, who was in a Lansing hospital several days following appendicitis operation, was returned to her home last Thursday.

Shirley Ann Parker of Mason, is spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Parker.

Wallace Waltman of Holt and Muriel Maroon of Milwaukee have applied for a license to wed.

Saturday night, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Rummus occurred the

marriage of their daughter, Eleanor, to Garth G. Barrett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Barrett. The bride, daughter of the First M. E. church, officiated and their attendants were Miss Wilma Wright, of Leslie, and Robert Tainstra of Lansing. The bride was gown in blue. She is now teaching in Leslie, but they plan to make their home for a time with his parents, west of Holt.

Mrs. Otto Greenman is still confined to the house with a severe attack of laryngitis.

Tuesday night, April 6, the Holt Rebekah lodge and families will enjoy a banquet in the I. O. O. F. hall in celebration of the anniversary of the founding of the order. A program and social time will follow. The Ladies Aid of the First M. E. church is to serve the banquet.

Mrs. Ernest Cone, who had an operation recently at Sparrow hospital in Lansing, was brought to her home on Elm street last Saturday.

Supt. Harley W. Holmes with Mrs. Holmes and family of Marshall, spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas.

Bobby Johnson had whooping cough but is nearly over the attack and Betty Johnson has bronchitis at present. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson.

Jackie Harris, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Harris, has been ill at his home for several weeks.

The last meeting of the year of the extension group in nutrition, was held at the home of Mrs. Ward Newman, Thursday, March 25. The lesson was on building foods and new methods of meat and fish cooking, presented by Mrs. Carl Johnston, leader, and Mrs. Charles Cooley, who substituted for Mrs. Otto Greenman, who is ill at her home. Plans were made for attending achievement day which comes soon. Officers elected were Mrs. Ralph Sheathelm, chairman, Mrs. Vernon Sheldon, secretary-treasurer, and Mrs. T. T. Wilt and Mrs. Ward Newman, leaders. Mrs. Carl Johnston, publicity director.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Abbey with a granddaughter, Miss Margaret Abbott, and Duane Burch, all of Flint, were Easter guests of Mr. Abbey's daughter, Mrs. Leigh Roth, and family. Miss Marjorie Roth accompanied them to Flint for the spring vacation.

Services at the First M. E. church Sunday, 10 a. m., April 4, sermon by the pastor, E. A. Runkel on "The Dynamic of Fatherly Love." 11:10 a. m. Sunday school, Arthur Wemple, Supt. 7:30 p. m. Epworth League, Floyd Wallace, president.

Bruce Jones entertained a company of friends Wednesday evening at his home.

The Holt Rebekah lodge members are asked to meet at the hall on Friday, April 2, at 10:30 a. m. to attend the district meeting at Fowlerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shaw of Leslie were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Sly.

Miss Mary Isabel Granger and friend of Detroit, were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Granger.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sly and Mrs. Edith Grimes have moved to their new home at Dansville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Schadt of Van-dala, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elza Turnbull.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Sly were in Owosso on business, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Williams and sons were Sunday visitors at Mrs. Alfred Morgan's, at Howell.

The extension meeting was held at the home of Mrs. A. F. Richard, Wednesday. Officers at follows: Leaders, Mrs. Francis Nemer and Miss Juanita Mead; secretary, Mrs. Juanita Stowe; chairman, Mrs. Irene Gauss. They will continue with nutrition another year.

In Medieval times, when poisoning was a favorite indoor sport, it was believed that a cup made of rhinoceros horn would instantly betray the presence of knock-out drops by showing fine beads of sweat on the outside. Chemists have debunked this idea.

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Doings In Congress

By Rep. Andrew J. Trainor, Sixth District, Michigan

More Appropriations

In the short session week that preceded Easter congress continued general consideration of appropriations while house and senate committees resumed hearings that will influence future legislation. A drive to force action on anti-lynching laws was attracting additional supporters and another congressional group was considering government ownership of the 12 federal reserve banks when congress adjourned for the week on Thursday afternoon.

The house of representatives approved an appropriation of \$123,000,000 for the departments of state, justice, labor and commerce. The appropriation was \$850,000 more than the recommendation of the appropriations committee. The largest item in the increase was \$500,000 for annual work on the Rio Grande river. The committee had eliminated this project pending further proof of its necessity. The total appropriation is almost \$4,500,000 more than the current budget. While the state and justice departments look budget cuts the departments of labor and commerce were given more money for the ensuing year.

Chief Justice Objects

The senate judiciary committee hearing on the plan of President Roosevelt held first place in public interest among committee hearings. During the week Senator Wheeler of Montana, first of the plan opponents to testify before the committee, read a letter from Chief Justice Hughes by the Chief Justice indicated that he did not favor the president's plan that would increase the court membership.

Success Near

Approximately 200 Representatives have signed a petition to force a vote on anti-lynching legislation. The petition, which needs 218 names to be effective, would discharge the judiciary committee from further consideration of the Gavan bill, one of 59 anti-lynching bills introduced in this session of congress. The judiciary committee has hearings this week on the anti-lynching bills, most of which are identical. An anti-lynching bill introduced in the house in April, 1921 was approved by a vote of 236 to 110 in January, 1922, but died in the senate in November 1922 after two days debate without a final vote.

FHA Express

Lacking committee approval of any of the extension bills introduced in congress the Federal Housing Act that enabled the government to insure bank loans for house repairs and home renovation, expires on April 1. A slum clearance bill is scheduled for a hearing in the senate committee on education and labor this week. The bill proposes \$1,000,000,000 for government loans to local subdivisions over a four-year period with the government repaying back about 45 per cent of its investment. The bill provides a U. S. housing authority to supervise six existing agencies.

Frozen Cherry Blossoms

To protect the famed cherry blossoms from freezing hundreds of smudge pots were used in Potomac Park last week. Encouraged by the calendar arrival of spring the cherry blossoms began to bloom. When the temperature dropped below freezing Washington had to use smudge pots for the first time to save its outstanding seasonal and natural attraction. The smudge pots are 50 gallon drums open at the top and with holes punched in the bottom for a draft.

Wolverine Insurance Co.

Wolverine Insurance Co. Lansing Michigan

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HERSCHEL JEWETT, Agt. Office Neely Clothing Store

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FIRE INSURANCE

What Ingham County News Readers Think About Liquor Advertising

On March 18 in "Down by the Sycamore" readers were asked to voice their reactions to the Ingham County News policy of banning liquor and tobacco advertising. The publishers have not inserted such advertising because they believe it to be inimical to the best interests of girls and boys. A man may attempt to justify his own drinking and his own smoking but few can be found who would want to fasten such habits on others. Certainly the publishers of the Ingham County News have no intention of abetting such a scheme.

Newspapers and magazines, many of them published almost exclusively for home and family, carry page after page of liquor and tobacco advertising. Daily and weekly newspapers in adjacent cities carry such advertising. The publishers of the Ingham County News were interested in learning if in these days of tolerance of most any condition, anyone cared about liquor and tobacco advertising. And the publishers found out. Hundreds of people expressed their opinion. For those expressions the Ingham County News is grateful—and hopeful that the reaction will influence others to join hands against the forces of evil.

On this page are a few of the communications received. There is not space nor time enough to publish all the letters and communications received regarding the issue.

We are sure the parents of every family that reads the Ingham County News are thankful that you do not allow liquor or beer advertisements in your paper. It is a clean family paper one we are glad for our children to read. I am glad you have the stamina and good sense to run your paper on temperance lines. We do not see how anyone who is bringing up a family can think otherwise.

Mrs. A. Springstead and Family.
Dansville, Mich.

I am a subscriber of Ingham County News and have just read what you have written about advertising cigarettes and liquor. I for one am glad to read a paper that doesn't advertise them. Here is one woman who cares and I want you and the whole world to know it.

Mrs. A. B. Wilson.
Lansing, Mich.

In regard to your mention of liquor and tobacco advertising in your column "Down by the Sycamore", I would like to express my appreciation of any individual who will stand by his convictions in this modern day. Perhaps it might not make so much difference in the use of liquor or tobacco among your readers for lack of advertisements in your paper, as we may see them right and left everywhere we go, but who can tell the value of the good influence on a community by a person who knows what is right and sticks to it regardless of a few extra dollars for his pocket? My best wishes for your success.

Mrs. Ellsworth Brown.
Mason, Mich.

I did not know until reading your last edition of the paper that you took such a definite stand on the advertising of tobacco and liquor. More power and glory to you for this. I am glad there are still some men who can overlook money and do as they think right. You certainly have won my respect in this matter, so keep on printing a good clean paper and you won't lose subscribers by it.

Mrs. Earl A. Howe.
Lansing, Mich.

Onondaga By Mrs. Ella Groom

Mrs. Mary Harwood is confined to her home with illness. James Thomas of Detroit, is spending his school vacation with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boucher. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Isham have returned home from Florida where they spent the winter. The Townsend club of Eaton Rapids, held a dance at the town hall Saturday night. Mrs. Elsa Swift and Mrs. Mary Harington spent Monday with Mrs. D. C. Ketchum at Mason. Recent callers at the N. M. Childs home were Newton Roberts and Alice Roberts of Coleman, Bonnie Little of

St. Louis, and Jennie Ferris and Edith Struckman of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCullom of Jackson, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. O. Rosenbrook. Mrs. F. C. Roberts and Mrs. Nora Colby of Detroit, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Terry. The L. A. S. will serve dinner next Monday, April 5, at the church. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Howe and son Larry and Miss Loretta Clay of Mason, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Clay. Mr. and Mrs. Olive Rosenbrook and son Dennis of East Lansing, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rosenbrook. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dostader and son of Lansing, spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Dostader.

I wish to congratulate you as publisher of a paper that does not advertise cigarettes or liquor. We are compiling a list of publications which do not carry liquor or cigarette ads and will post them in every church in Lansing and Ingham county.

Mrs. E. L. Grover, East Lansing.
Sixth district director of citizenship of W. C. T. U. and state director of legislation, council of church women.

We wish to express our appreciation of the Ingham County News policy of refusal to accept liquor advertisements. We do not have any magazines or newspaper in our home which does and we feel sure that as soon as people are aroused to take this method of expressing their stand for right, much will be accomplished.

Mr. and Mrs. Loris Curtis.
Mason, Mich.

I wish to subscribe to the paper that does not carry tobacco and liquor advertising. Will you please put my name on your subscription list, and send me a statement of amount due? Thank you.

Fred R. Plowman.
Lansing, Mich.

Copy of a resolution which was passed unanimously by Ingham County Pomona Grange on March 20, 1937: We, the members of Ingham County Pomona Grange, wish to commend the Ingham County News for its stand against liquor advertising, as well as any other papers or magazines that take this stand, and recommend them for their attitude on this important question.

C. A. Rinehart, Charles F. Hart, Mrs. Grace Barnes, Mrs. Pearl Terrill, Owen Karn, Committee.

You should be thanked by the citizens of this community in a near unanimous voice for your stand on tobacco and liquor advertising. This thanks would not fill your coffers with silver, but there comes a satisfaction for having done right that is not to be compared with goods and chattels.

You may be fighting a losing battle and ultimately be driven from the field of non-liquor advertising publishers. Neither can such loss be compared with values of character you may have helped to instill in some mothers' sons and daughters.

Such success, if it may be called success, as the liquor interests have had in its small measure due to unlimited advertising. Deprived of that it would not be the menace to the American public it has become.

May I join you in an endeavor to delay, at least, the shackling clutch on the young men and women of this community.

Glen Coon, Mason.

The Methodist Discipline as revised by the Columbus Quadrennial of 1936 rescinded the old time temperance committee which had been abolished by the conference of 1928. The First Methodist church of Redondo Beach, California, is one of the few churches which is now maintaining a high temperature temperance bulletin board. In that board I find Page 2 of your issue of March 15. On this page you deplore the fact that so many newspapers and magazines are more influential for evil through their advertising columns than they are for good.

Northwest Ingham By Mrs. Ami Terrill

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborne entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and family from near Onondaga, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adlof of Mason, Easter. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson entertained Robert and Orson Swan, Ami Terrill and family and Laverne Soule for Easter dinner. Miss Iva Davidson of Holland, is spending her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson. Miss Eileen Terrill of Otisville, spent from Thursday until Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ami Terrill. Miss Ethelyn Rae of Manacela, is spending her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rae. Mr. and Mrs. Alger Soule of Fowlerville, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Risch of Van-town, and Mr. and Mrs. George Soule and son were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Soule. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Soule spent Monday at Howell and Fowlerville. Mrs. Ami Terrill attended P. N. G. club at the home of Mrs. Ralph Hawkins of Alaledon, Thursday. Eleanor and Ina Terrill were lunch guests at home of Mrs. Berthe Bonciet, Saturday and went to Lansing in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Ami Terrill and Eileen spent Friday at Lansing and East Lansing, where they called on Mrs. B. F. Henrys and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Ellis.

Columbia Road By Mrs. W. C. Norris

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Smith entertained Monday the following: Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shopbell of Dansville, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith and Lloyd Smith. Sam Orr, who has spent the winter at his farm in Iowa, returned here one day last week and visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Norris, Monday. He reports lots of snow in Iowa and zero weather. Mrs. Fannie Wilson is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Ward Bullen and Mrs. Florence Webb. Mr. Wilson is working in Alabama and will come to Michigan as soon as his work is done there. Charlie Smith will work for Will Norris again. Lewis McConnell has a new Hudson car.

Millville By Mrs. Maggie Burden

Maurice Felton and Miss Allie Marie Lantis were united in marriage by the Rev. A. B. Fockler, Wednesday night, March 24, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lantis. They were attended by Miss Helen Walker and Lloyd Curtis. They left immediately for Detroit, returning Sunday. There will be a miscellaneous shower in the Millville hall for the young couple Friday night, April 2.

Of the five distinct kinds of rhinoceroses, the Indian and the Javan varieties have only one horn, while the African types have two, three, or even four horns. One freak specimen has been reported with five horns.

In their editorial spaces. We glory in the stand you are taking. You may be interested to know that this land of "sin and sunshine" has at least one paper that agrees with you, the Star and Anna Register.

Now there are thousands of good people all over the country who agree with your stand on pernicious advertising but they are not organized, and can do little or nothing separately.

The Methodist church has a half-dozen issues of the Christian Advocate published from as many different cities. Now it is safe to say that the Methodist bishops would not allow the brewers to insert their ads in any one of these Advocates; and yet they will sit by and allow the wineries to control papers and magazines whose circulation among Methodist families is 10 times greater than that of all of the Advocates put together.

Let the Methodist bishops lead the district superintendents in a movement among the pastors for a general housecleaning, and in a short time we will have magazines and newspapers as clean as those of our grandfather's day.

Sincerely,
Elmer F. Bliss.
Redondo Beach, California

North Holt By Mrs. Wm. Bickett

The following guests were entertained for Easter dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bickett: Mrs. Myrtle Hilliard, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bickell and Mr. and Mrs. George Kiepe and children, all of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stroble and Mr. and Mrs. Clem Jarvis of Dimondale.

Mrs. Alpha Welch returned home from Detroit Friday where she had been spending a few weeks with her son, Roland Welch, and family.

It is reported that there is not an empty house in Holt and quite a number of families have been spending the winter in the Dr. Ahrens grove in cottages and trailers.

Mrs. Charles Williams and Mrs. W. H. Bickett entertained Mr. and Mrs. Glennison Franklin and children Friday at dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin expect to move to his father's farm which is located just over the line in Ohio, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kirker and daughter, Mrs. Harold Throop spent Thursday in Woodland with Mrs. Kirker's brother, Hal Hendee, and family.

Four Town Corners By Mrs. Edd Mullen

Earl Howe of Lansing, was a Wednesday caller at the Wemple home.

Several in the neighborhood attended the Good Eats club Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough of Dansville.

Clare Smith and daughter were in Howell, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ickes were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wemple of Lansing, were Saturday callers at the Wemple home.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown and baby and Frank Stevens and friend of Lansing, were Sunday guests of Clare Smith and family.

Mrs. Helen Sawyer Briggs was taken to the Sparrow hospital, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Asher Brown entertained their children of Lansing, for Easter dinner.

Lester Parks spent Saturday with his brother and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wemple were Sunday guests of their daughter and family in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gaylord entertained their children from Lansing and Rochester for Easter dinner.

Culver Corners By Mrs. H. M. Owen

Miss Virginia Hunter of Mason spent Monday night with Betty and Evelyn Owen.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carby and family of Williamston were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. John Burns.

Mrs. James Bailey, formerly Clara Morrison, was surprised Thursday night at a miscellaneous shower held in her honor at the home of Mrs. Floyd David. Games and cards formed the evening's entertainment, followed by a buffet lunch. Many gifts were received by the guest of honor.

Mrs. Russell Kuglar of Garrett, Indiana, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Holmes and family.

Mary Munsel of Lansing, is spending a few days with Amy Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Taylor and family and Mrs. William Lee of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. James Nodine and family of Coldwater, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lee.

John Weaver of Detroit, and a group of young people from Lansing, called on Elmer, James and Amy Lee, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Oberlin and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson of Holt, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Pierson.

Royal David had his thumb badly cut on an electric saw Monday morning.

Lewis Gardner spent Sunday in Charlotte with his sister.

"Gone With The Wind"

Unless your Wind Insurance is adequate to replace losses. We specialize in

WINDSTORM INSURANCE

McCowan at Abstract Office

SPECIAL!

Save 10c A Bag

IONA FLOUR

If you do a good deal of baking, here's a flour special you can't afford to miss.

24½ POUND BAG **83¢**

REGULAR PRICE 93¢

Special! A&P

FLOUR SALE!

Gold Medal or Pillsbury 24½-lb. bag **\$1.09**

Henkel's Family 24½-lb. bag **99¢**

Henkel's Velvet Cake and Pastry Flour 5-lb. bag **31¢**

Sunnyfield Family 24½-lb. bag **89¢**

Scratch Feed	100 lbs.	\$2.49
Egg Mash	100 lbs.	\$2.59
Growing Mash	100 lbs.	\$2.69
Chick Starter	100 lbs.	\$2.79
Chick Feed	100 lbs.	\$2.85
Dairy Feed	20% 100 lbs. 16% 100 lbs.	\$2.10 \$1.75

Margarine

KEYKO

2 lb. pkgs. **29¢**

BEEF ROAST

lb. **17¢**

Best Chuck Cuts

Delivered Daily

FRESH SMELT	½-lb. pkg.	15¢
SLICED BACON	2 lbs.	25¢
SHORT RIBS of Beef	lb.	17¢
VEAL ROAST Chuck Cuts	lb.	19¢
VEAL CHOPS Rib Cuts	lb.	10¢
VEAL BREAST with Pocket		

Golden Ripe

Bananas 4 lbs. **19¢**

Bulk	3 tall cans	19¢
LARD	6 boxes	23¢
2 lbs.	lb. tin	25¢
27¢	lb. tin	27¢
Broadcast	lb. tin	27¢
Corned Beef	lb. tin	27¢
HASH	lb. tin	37¢
2 16-oz. cans	2 lb. bags	39¢
29¢	lb. pkg.	21¢
A-Penn	lb.	19¢
OIL	2 lbs.	15¢
2000-Mile Guarantee	4 rolls	19¢
2-gal. can	2-lb. jar	25¢
99¢		
Includes Federal Tax		

ANN PAGE DOUGHNUTS doz 10c

Popular Brands

CIGARETTES carton of 10 **\$1.15**

NOTICE

Effective immediately, our stores will close promptly at 9:00 p. m. Saturdays, we will appreciate your co-operation in aiding our Managers to accomplish this. Thank you.

A&P FOOD STORES

NEW "SUPER-DUTY" FRIGIDAIRE

WITH THE METER-MISER

Gives PROOF of Safe Temperature

WITH THIS **FOOD-SAFETY INDICATOR** RIGHT ON THE DOOR always in sight

NOW you don't even have to open the door to see that Frigidaire is always on guard for you—with SAFETY-ZONE TEMPERATURE that keeps food safe, fresher, longer. You see this proved by the Food-Safety Indicator with dial right on the door of every Deluxe and Master model. Even in the hottest weather, when some refrigerators fail to keep safe temperatures, you know at a glance that Frigidaire with the Meter-Miser gives Greater PROTECT-Ability at miserly current cost. Come in and SEE THE PROOF!

Come in. See the Proof

ONLY \$3.00 DOWN

3 YEARS TO PAY

OF ALL 5 BASIC SERVICES FOR COMPLETE HOME REFRIGERATION

1. GREATER ICE-ABILITY
2. GREATER STORAGE-ABILITY
3. GREATER PROTECT-ABILITY
4. GREATER DEFEND-ABILITY
5. GREATER SAVE-ABILITY

ONLY FRIGIDAIRE HAS THE Meter-Miser

Cuts Current Cost to the Bone! See an electric meter prove it, before you buy! Meter-Miser does SUPER-DUTY at amazing savings, because it's the simplest refrigerating mechanism ever built!

CONSUMERS POWER COMPANY

Classified Advertising

RATES—Advertisements in this department, 25 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words, one cent a word for each insertion. Advertising may be mailed or telephoned, Call Mason 55.

Livestock—Tools

BLACK GELDING, for sale, 9 years old, weight about 1400. Clinton Burt, Leslie, R. 3, Bunkerhill Center. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, blood tested. Walter Kranz, 1½ miles west of golf course. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Good pair geldings, black and chestnut, well broke and gentle, weight about 3000. Michigan Farms, 3½ miles south of East Lansing on Harrison Road, A. E. Hartig, Mgr., Lansing phone 717-F13. 13w1

PAIR OF HORSES, 3 and 4 years old, weight about 3000. Michigan Farms, 3½ miles south of East Lansing on Harrison Road, A. E. Hartig, Mgr., Lansing phone 717-F13. 13w1

GUERNSEY BULL for sale. Chesley Horvick, 2½ miles east of state game farm, 2 miles south and ¼ mile east. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Side rake, corn planter and best cultivator. Wanted to buy dump rake, disc harrow and sulky plow. Fred J. Dolbe, Mason, R. 1, two miles north and half mile west of Aurelius Center. 13w1

FOR SALE—Bay colt, year old, black mare, 9 years old, gray mare, 12 years old in foal, single disc harrow, Oliver walking plow and two sets double harness. Ludell Cheney, 2 miles west and a mile south of Mason. 13w1

FOR SALE—Guernsey and Holstein cow to freshen soon. Glenn Lepley, 1½ miles east of Mason on Howell road, first house north on right side of road. 13w1

FOR SALE—30 White Face feeding steers, quality breeding. Also two bushels clover seed. Brood sow, due April 1. A. G. Wemple, 1½ miles east of Holt. 13w1p

FOR SALE—23 fine and coarse wool ewes, ready to lamb. A good buy. Henry Barton, ½ mile east of Bunkerhill Center. 13w1p

HORSE for sale, bay gelding, 16 years old, weight about 1200. George O. Higdon, four miles south, ½ mile west of state game farm. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Team of horses, well mated, mare 8, horse 7, P. M. Wacker, 3½ miles east and 2½ miles south of Dansville. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Two sound work horses, one set double harness, lumber wagon, some farm tools. Sow due soon. B. B. Losey, one mile west of Pleasant Lake. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Bay gelding, weight 1500. William Fountain, phone 262-F11, Mason, 2½ miles west of Mason on Columbia road. 13w1

FOR SALE—Cultivator; electric motor; Fordson tractor; oilpumper; grain bags; seed potatoes. Porter Schrummer, 2½ miles north of Eden. 13w1p

FRESH GUERNSEY COW with calf by side, for sale. Albert Yerke, 3 miles southeast of Dansville. 13w1p

TWO BROOD SOWS for sale, due May 1, second litter. Choice of 2 cows, black Jersey and Guernsey, due April and May; side rake, John Deere hay loader, other farm tools. D. H. Miller, 4 miles east of Mason on Columbia road and 1½ miles north. 13w1p

FOR SALE—A good work horse, cheap, a VanBrunt 13-7 disc grain drill, also a Gale riding lawnmower, 1½ miles east of Mason on the Dansville road. G. E. Osterle. 13w1p

HOLSTEIN BULL, 1½ years old, eligible to register. See Ira Hall, five miles south of Mason on US 127. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Several tons of mixed hay, also some straw, all in barn. Also household goods. W. V. Waltman, 1½ miles north of Mason on Waterworks road. 13w1p

HORSES for sale, 6 good ones, must be as represented; also four young brood sows, some with large litters. Robert Medley, west of stop light in Leslie to first school, second house south on the old Bert Wing farm. 13w1p

FOR SALE—One mare, or trade for good cow, sheep or young cattle. Also alfalfa hay. 1½ miles east and ½ mile north of Dansville. Clarence Phillips, Dansville. 13w1p

GARDEN SEEDERS, nearly new, gang of 3 for garden tractor. Will sell for 80% of original cost. C. I. Richner, 1½ miles south and ½ mile west of Dansville or write Mason Route 2. 12-1f

O. I. C. BRED GILTS, April and May farrow; one serviceable boar. H. W. Mann farm, ½ mile west, 1½ miles north of Dansville. 11w3

BAY MARE, seven years old, weight 1700. Arthur F. Deyo, four miles east of Mason on Brickyard road, phone 18-F21. 13w1p

FOR SALE—A very good aged grey mare, weight about 1400 pounds. Norman Dart, Mason. 10-1f

THRIFTY CHICKS & Turkey Poults. Hatched from our carefully bred B. W. D. tested flocks. A farm-operated hatchery built on experience. Visit us or write for prices before ordering chicks elsewhere. Dependable on brooder stoves and poultry supplies. Dean Taylor Hatchery, 5 miles southwest of Onondaga on M-60. Springfield P. O. 6-1f

FOR SALE—Pair of good horses, weighing 1600 pounds each. D. O. Huntley, 2 miles out Waterworks road. 6-1f

BABY CHICKS—Ready now. Certified Banded Leghorns and Barred Rocks. A Michigan R. O. P. breed. Order early. Write or visit Lewiston Farms postoffice, Rives Junction, Michigan. Location—Pleasant Lake. Phone Jackson 815-F23. 3-1f

HORSES—15 good work horses, 1300 to 1800 pounds. Every one guaranteed. W. Carl Warner, four miles south, 2½ miles west of Mason. 7w1p-1f

GRAY GELDING—12 years old, wt. about 1600, priced for quick sale. Rte. Lantz, 4 miles south of state game farm. 13w1p

HORSES. Roan mare, 9 years old, weight 1450; black mare, 8 years old, weight 1450. Will take in some young cattle on these. 30 acres to let on shares or cash. C. H. Wade, phone 5P21, on the game farm road. 13w1p

50 BREEDING EWES, 2 and 3 year olds. A. M. Osterle, one mile south of Williamston. 13w1p

FOR SALE. Team good work mares; also three brood sows. Or will trade for milk cows. J. W. Hulet, one mile east, 2 miles south of East Lansing, Lansing phone 709-F23. 1p

2 GUERNSEY BULLS to exchange, one coming three, one 9 months. E. J. Rider, one mile west, one mile south of Mason golf course. 13w1

GILTS, due to farrow in early April, for sale. Also Collier pups. Adams, 6 miles south, ½ mile west of Williamston. 13w1p

FOR SALE—Gelding, 3 years old, well broke, sound. Also mare in foal. She has raised five colts in the last five years. A prompt good worker, sound except blind. Ralph Edwards, 5½ miles south of Mason. 13w2

FOR SALE—Pair snappy farm mares (about 2600 pounds); 8 tons first quality hay; nearly new wagon and a miscellaneous bunch of farm tools. A. G. Wilson, Mason, phone 262-F13, 5 miles west and ½ mile north of Mason, or ½ mile north of North Aurelius church. 13w1

BABY CHICKS for sale, or trade for pigs or calves. Elizabeth Stone, Waterworks road to first four corners, 1st house west. 13w1

1931 FORD TRUCK, long wheelbase, factory rebuilt motor. J. B. Dean, Mason. 13w1

FORDSON TRACTOR with plows, for sale; also 1933 Ford V-8 truck, long wheelbase, with platform. Reasonably priced. Inquire Orle M. Main at blacksmith shop or 426 E. Center street. 13w1

HAY—GRAIN—SEEDS

FOR SALE—175 bushels heavy Worthy oats, 1936 crop. E. A. Dwight, Eden. 13w1p

FOR SALE—About 20 bushels early Polaris seed potatoes at \$1.00 per bushel. C. H. Ellison & Son, first farm west of state game farm. 13-1f

FARMERS, Notice. Michigan grown alfalfa, clover, timothy, prices right. Come and see. Mason Elevator Co. 13w1

SPARTAN SEED BARLEY for sale, \$2.00 hundred. Hardy Junior power sprayer, all complete. Also Bush and Lane upright plan, mahogany case. Floyd Cady, phone 506, Aurelius, one mile east of Aurelius Center, third house north. 13w1

FOR SALE—Stack of bean pods, Holstein bull. Large enough for service. Empire grain drill. J. B. Dalton, 2 miles north of Dansville. 13w1p

ALFALFA HAY—4 or 5 tons for sale. Hugh W. Silsby, Mason. 13w1

FOR SALE—Wolverine seed oats, 55c a bushel. Edward F. Kranz, 4 miles north of Mason on Waterworks road on Darling farm. 13w1p

FOR SALE—2 acres of peppermint roots, 2 years old. C. H. Krey, 4 miles west and 2 miles south of Mason. 13w1p

ONION SEEDS—Home grown Southport Yellow Globe, raised from selected bulbs. C. I. Richner, 1½ miles south and ½ mile west of Dansville, or write Mason RFD 2, for prices. 11w4p

FOR SALE—First and second cutting alfalfa hay, in barn. C. C. Griffin & Son, Mason. Telephone 177. 12-2

EARLY OHIO seed potatoes for sale. Inquire at Ingham jail or of Eugene Edgar, Mason. 12w2

FOR SALE—Quantity of alfalfa seed, originated from certified Hardigan seed. William Kurtz, 1st house west of Island school, Delhi St. 12w2p

FARMERS, NOTICE, Michigan grown alfalfa, clover, timothy, prices right. Come and see. Mason Elevator Co. 13w1

FOR SALE—10 tons timothy hay. Almon M. Chapin, Adm'r., Eden, phone Mason 9118-F3. 10-1f

CERTIFIED KATAHDIN POTATO seed. Extra fine lot certified Katahdins. This variety especially adapted to muck soils—high yielders. \$2 per bushel f. o. b. subject confirmation. Send in your order now. F. E. Todd & Sons, Inc., Eaton Rapids, Mich., phone 222-F3. 11w1

Farms—Real Estate

FOR SALE—7 room house and barn in Webberville on M-16 pavement. Terms. Also 160-acre farm. Frank Jensen, Williamston, phone 7-F24. 13w1p

FOR SALE OR RENT—60 acres on north boundary of Bunkerhill township, good buildings and close to school. Mrs. Jennie Ford, Munith, Michigan. 12w2p

FARMS FOR SALE. Farm buyers will do well to consult the Whitney Farm Agency if thinking about buying a farm. We offer Southern Michigan farms at reasonable prices and easy terms. Call or write R. E. Whitney, Onondaga. 12w2

FOR SALE—House and garage in Leslie. Water, gas and electricity. Artie Wood, Leslie. 12w2p

FOR SALE—New modern five-room house in Mason full basement, hardwood floors, inlaid linoleum in kitchen and bathroom, built-in linen closet and kitchen cabinets, garage on 66-foot lot. Open by appointment. Little Hawk, phone 194. 5-1f

FOR SALE—One-half acre lots on pavement. A fine business corner and acreage on gravel road. The Charles Merryloes place, South Jefferson. Inquire Jessie B. Dean, 1237 W. Allegan St., Lansing. Phone 2-3903. 5-1f

FOR SALE—87 acres, 2½ miles west of Mason, seven-room house, basement, heavy soil, reasonable terms. Inquire E. J. Scarlett, ½ mile south of Holt on pavement. Telephone Holt 39F12. 8w-1f

Household Goods

FOR SALE—3-piece Simmons bed, also mattress for the same. Gasoline lamp and lantern. Aladdin lamp. Mrs. George B. Frost, 4 miles south 2 miles west of Williamston. wip

Miscellaneous

FORD BLUE FORDOR 1936, trunk model, heater, a good running car well equipped. J. B. Dean, Mason. 13w1

FOR SALE. Two 390-egg Super Hatchery incubators, price \$10 each. These incubators are in good condition. B. W. Adams, R. 3, Lansing, telephone 56219. 13w2

OLDSMOBILE COACH, 1934, black, for sale. Has heater, runs nicely and is very presentable. J. B. Dean, Mason. 13w1

FOR SALE—Four wheel trailer, has flat rack, can be used for a wagon, \$15.00. One mile east of game farm ½ mile south. Thompson. wip

FOR SALE—Model A Ford, with full plates, cheap; cattle trailers, home made tractor, several used cars, new and used auto parts. Mason Auto Salvage, phone 297, Okemos street. 13w1

SILOS—Smith's cement silos. Consider quality as well as price. Artie Wood, Leslie. 12w2p

1936 GRAY FORD, standard tudor for sale. J. B. Dean, Mason. 13w1

FENCE. See the Electric Herdman before buying a fence. Prices \$20 up. Sold by Raymond Clark, R. 1, Mason. 12w3p

DELUXE TUDOR 1934 black Ford. Has factory rebuilt motor. J. B. Dean, Mason. 13w1

APPLIANCE BARGAINS—Guaranteed Electric Range; Jewel Gas Range; Easy Washer; Rebuilt Sweepers, \$10 and up. New Thor Washers and Ironers; Stoves; Coal Stokers. Adams Electric Shop. 12-2

1935 FORD PICKUP in very good condition. J. B. Dean, Mason. w1

For Rent

FOR RENT—10 or 15 acres good sugar beet ground, 3 miles east and one mile south of Mason. See Fred Harvey, at Harvey's Restaurant, Mason. 13w1p

FARM for rent near Mason. H. C. Rietmiller, R. 2, Stockbridge, one mile north of Stockbridge. wip

TO LET—10 acres of clover soil, for beans and wheat. W. M. Rolfe, ¼ mile west of Laxton's corners. wip

TWO FARMS to rent. Will rent in fields or in any way to suit the party. Also pasture to rent. D. G. Barr, Mason. 12-1f

FOR RENT. Steamer for removing wip paper, with or without operator. E. D. Whipple, phone 136. wip

FARM FOR RENT to small family, large farm near Leslie. Inquire at News office, Box 6. wip

FOR RENT—Four room furnished apartment. Stoker controlled heat. C. W. Browne. 13w1

Wanted

WANTED—Housekeeper, girl or woman to care for house and baby. Clinton Burt, Leslie, R. 3, Bunkerhill Center. 13w1p

WANTED—Care of elderly or convalescent people at my modern home, located on bus line. Inquire at the News office. 13w2p

TRADE—Two yearling heifers for 2-year-old coming in; also 12-year-old mare for sale, \$85.00. Carl Squires, 1st house south of store on Meridian road. 13w1p

WANTED—Middle-aged housekeeper, two in family. Owen Kar, Williamston, ½ mile east of Wheatfield Center church. wip

WANTED—Black walnuts. 525 William street, Lansing. wip

WANTED—Married man to work on farm by month or year. David Strong, 2½ miles west of Aurelius Center, Aurelius phone. 13w1

WANTED—To hire a man on farm by month. 1½ miles east of Mason on Dansville road. G. E. Osterle. 1p

WANTED—Girl or woman to help with housework and care of children, good home with privileges as one of family, one who will stay nights. 310 East Sycamore, Mason. 13w1p

HEMSTITCHING, plain sewing, embroidery. Mrs. Clara Merindorf, 117 East Maple street, Mason. wip

WANTED—Single man to work on farm by month. John VanDuser, ¾ mile south of game farm, phone 270-F21. wip

WANTED. To buy beef cattle and veal calves; also shelled corn or oats. Phone or write C. Halmer, Dansville. 13w2p

WANTED. Married or single man to work on farm by month. H. C. Rietmiller, one mile north of Stockbridge, phone 3F13, Stockbridge. 1p

WANTED—All classes of fat cattle. Also stock cattle for pasture. E. D. Franklin Market, Mason. w1

WANTED—Single man to work on farm by month. C. O. Reynolds, Mason. Phone 1230-F13. 13w1

Millville

By Mrs. Maggie Durden

Sunday school Sunday, April 4, at 10 a. m. Preaching at 8 p. m. Monday, The A. 3, will meet. Monday, April 5, instead of April 6, the regular day.

A program was presented by the Millville Sunday school Sunday night. Everett Horwood and Maggie Burdett were called to Howell last Monday by the death of their sister's husband, Alfred Morgan, who passed away at his home Sunday morning after a few weeks of illness. Funeral services were held at the Methodist church Tuesday afternoon with burial at Pinckney beside his first wife.

Mrs. Vera Stevens is still ill, also Mrs. Fockler. Clyde Cooper and family of Athens, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Reams of Jackson, visited Mrs. Ida Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelley, Sunday. Gerald Kinch and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson visited Mrs. Ida Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kelley, Saturday in Lansing. Everett Horwood went to Howell the first of the week to visit his sister, Mrs. Emma Morgan.

Morris Felton and Miss Marie Lantis were married at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lantis, Wednesday night, March 24, by Rev. Fockler, with a few invited guests. They will live on the Vera Stevens farm.

WANTED—Livestock. If you have anything to sell, call Floyd Otis, phone 68, 143 Okemos street. 13w1

WANTED—Day-old to three-day-old calves and dairy cows. A. I. Feighner, Mason. Phone 313-F4. 23-1f

WANTED—Alfalfa hay. We pay highest market prices for all grades. Write or phone collect. Asa Strait & Son, Alfalfa Milling Co., Williamston, phone 131-F2. 10w8p

Business Locals

PAPER HANGING and painting. All work guaranteed. Paper hanging, 25c a double roll. Wayne Curtis, Mason street. 13w1p

FOR SERVICE—Job; registered Thoroughbred stallion. Standing for season at Michigan Farms, 2½ miles south of M. S. C. on Harrison Road. Job is owned by U. S. government. A special low fee of \$10 is charged. Michigan Farms, Inc., Lansing, R. F. D. 2. 12w8

CREAM—Highest cash prices paid for cream. Open evenings until 8:00. Leslie Creamery. 11w4p

YOU CAN SAVE the price of a year's subscription every week by reading the ads in this paper and patronizing the advertisers who bid for your business.

PICKLE CONTRACTS can now be secured by calling at the office of the Wilson Pickling Co., phone 51, Lee Darling, Mgr. 7-1f

IF YOU HAVE PROPERTY for sale, trade or lease drop me a card, give me a ring or call. John B. Wert, phone 56055, Lansing. 223 South Hosmer St. 6w-1f

NOTICE—Money loaned on personal property. N. N. Rouse, 440 South Jefferson. 14-1f

ATTENTION, FARMERS—We are now paying for dead and disabled stock—horses \$5.00; cattle \$4.00; hogs, sheep and calves accordingly. No strings to this offer! Prompt service. Fast loading trucks—phone collect to Millbach Brothers Company, Dewitt 80. 3w14p

WELL DRILLING—Men with over 20 years' experience and fully insured against accidents while working on your premises at no extra charge. Two all-steel drilling machines. A. T. Sanford, phone 343, Eaton Rapids. 51w20p-1f

REWARD—Dead or alive. Farm animals collected promptly. Sunday service. Highest prices paid always. Horses, \$5; cows, \$4. Phone collect to Linn Sinclair Station, Agent, Mason 167 or Jackson 2-7037. Central Dead Stock Co. 3-1f

LIVESTOCK TRUCKING to Detroit. Faster service, less sh-n-k. I appreciate your business enough to look after your interests. Every load insured. Rate 30c per cwt. Phone 19F23, Dansville. F. C. Anderson. 2-1f

Miscellaneous

PLEASE—Anyone who has towels or clothes belonging to the Masonic hall is asked to return them. Masonic Temple Committee. 13w1

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all my friends who sent me letters, cards, fruit and flowers and the many acts of kindness during my recent illness, also the Who Do class and the M. E. Sunday school. Mrs. Mina Mann. 13w1p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank the West Alameda Ladies Aid, the Methodist Ladies Aid, the Mizpah Sunday school class and the many other friends who so kindly remembered me with plants, flowers, cards, letters and calls during my recent illness. Frank J. Severance. wip

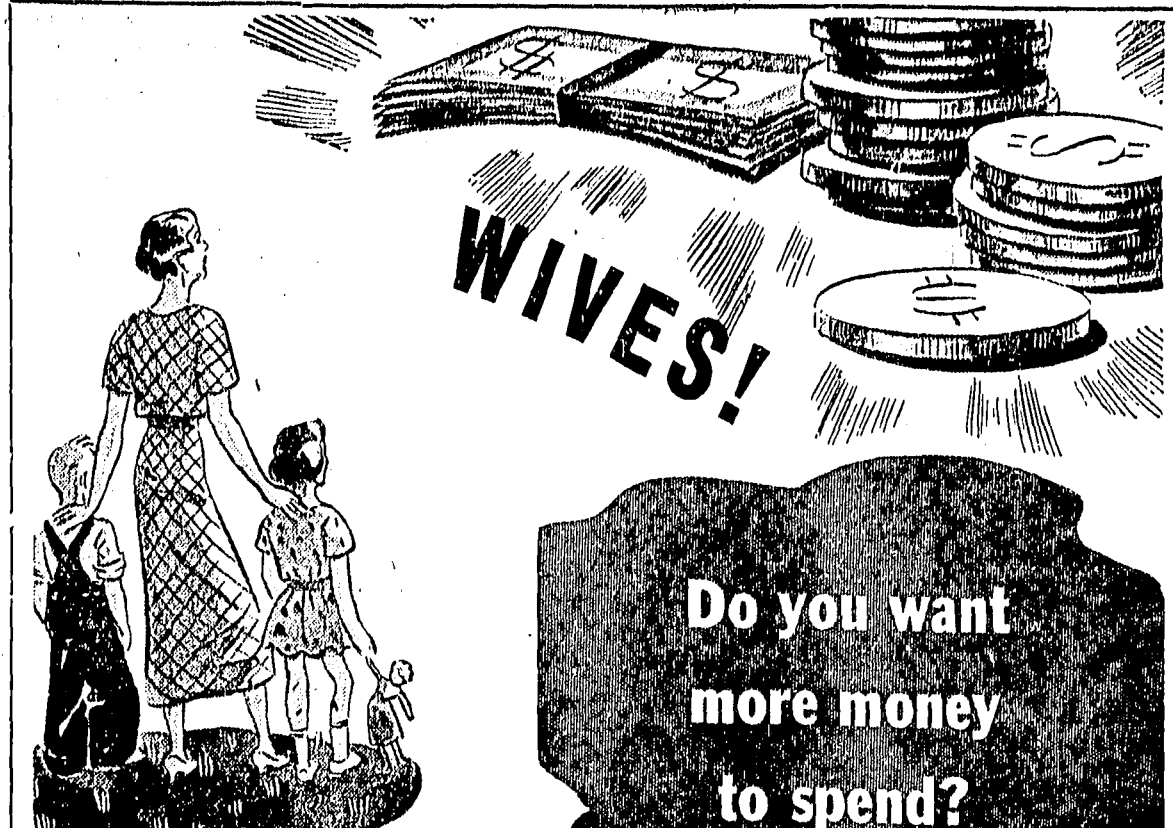
CARD OF THANKS—In grateful appreciation to Dr. Ponton, the nurses, and friends who took care of me and remembered me during my confinement to the city hospital. Merle Swan. 13w1p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank the Semper Fidelis class, the employees of the Ingham county road commission and all my friends for the flowers and kindnesses shown me during my stay at the hospital. Harry T. Baker. wip

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank our neighbors and our many friends for their sincere kindness shown us during our recent bereavement and for the beautiful floral tributes. Mrs. George Brownlee, Merle, Golden and Moore. wip

MASON MARKETS

Wheat	\$1.36	\$1.35
Beans, cwt.	7.00	7.00
Red kidney beans, dark	7.50	8.00
Red kidney beans, light	6.50	7.00
Oats	.50	.50
Rye	1.11	1.05
Feed barley	1.75	1.75
Malt barley	2.50	1.75
Corn	.37c	.37c
Edge	13c lb.	13c
Rocks	17c	17c
Leghorns	13c	13c



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There are two ways of having more money to spend. One is to increase income. The other, to exercise judicious care in the handling of the family's present income. It is with respect to the second that this bank suggests the value of its checking account service. Through opening a checking account the custodians of the purse strings of many families have found their income miraculously goes farther. Not because they have more to spend, but because they have better control of what they spend, and a convenient record of every transaction.



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Sanatorium Patients Learn To Appreciate Vacations At Home

By Frank Noble

Going home. What a lot of meaning there is packed in those two words. Anyone who is or has been away from home can easily understand and know the thrill of going home. Vacation time from school, Thanksgiving and Christmas, the family reunion, all of these hold somewhat the same thrill a patient has when he goes home. I am referring only to the short visits home a patient makes from time to time while on the cure and not to the discharge the time when the doctor tells the patient his disease is arrested and he can go home to stay. That, to me, would seem to be the supreme thrill to any patient who has been in the sanatorium very long.

A small number of patients are able to go home every few weeks while on the cure. It is months and months between visits. One patient was in the sanatorium three years before leaving on a visit. Last month a patient went out for the afternoon, the first time in two years. These are the extremes, the average being about once every month or two. Each sanatorium has its own rule as regards leaves. In one sanatorium I know of, if the patient is not a strict bed-patient he is allowed one leave every three months and when he goes he has to stay a week. Others do not permit the patient to leave at all.

The routine at home is not always followed as closely as that at the sanatorium. It is broken to a greater or lesser degree depending on the patient, his attitude, condition, and arrangements. But going home does not mean dances and parties for the patient. It should and most generally does mean a continued program of rest. When a patient has been in bed from twenty to twenty-four hours a day for several months he doesn't need very much urging to rest or at least take things easy. It is different, of course, with patients who are on exercise. They are likely to be more at home than they really should be. The extra exercise isn't so apt to hurt them as much as it would a patient who is not used to being on his feet.

The average length of an L. O. A., which means "leave of absence," is usually a week and during the winter season. In the summer months a few leave for longer periods. The patient decides or has it decided for him just when he wants to go. He then asks for an L. O. A. and gets the doctor's permission. And then comes the period of waiting until the day and hour arrives. If the patient hasn't been out for a while he gets a little nervous and nervous. One said he always felt something like a child with a new toy. The day finally arrives and about an hour

Society

Runyon-Wilson
Pretty, in its simplicity was the wedding ceremony performed at the residence of the Rev. Karl Krauss of the Lutheran church in Lansing Easter morning, when Mrs. Frances Wilson became the bride of Clair Runyon of Lansing. The ring service was read at nine o'clock. Miss Betty Brower of Mason attended the bride and Carl Krosby of Lansing attended the groom. Following the ceremony, the couple left for Detroit, from where they took a plane to Washington, D. C., to spend a week. They will reside in Lansing for a few weeks awaiting the completion of their new home in the grove in Holt. Mrs. Runyon is a graduate of Mason high school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Carvon. She has been an employee in the county treasurer's office for the past year and a half. Mr. Runyon is connected with the Capitol Savings & Loan company in Lansing.

Mrs. L. A. Conover entertained the members of the East Side-West Side bridge club at her home Monday night. After playing, refreshments were served.

Brown-Disenroth
Announcement was made last week of the marriage of Miss Ruth Disenroth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Disenroth, to Robert Brown, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brown of Lansing, which took place in Angola, Indiana, in October, 1935. Mrs. Brown is a graduate of Leslie high school with the class of 1933 and is now in the class of 1937 at the University of Michigan. Mr. Brown is employed at the Olds factory in Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Brown expect to make their home at Eden, O. B. Disenroth, Mrs. Wayne Campbell of Detroit, Miss Lucille Disenroth of Ypsilanti, were hostesses at a dinner given in honor of Mrs. Brown Monday night at the Disenroth home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams were hosts at a party honoring Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hazard Friday night. Five tables of bridge were in play, prizes being awarded to Mr. and Mrs. Hazard, Victor Long of Jackson, and Mrs. Irene Long of Bellevue.

Flowers and congratulatory cards were received by Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Clark, March 24, on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary.

Miss Alice Wapner entertained at a birthday surprise party honoring her mother Sunday. There were 20 present for the occasion. They were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stid and family, Mrs. Mary Hanna and son, Mrs. Eva Wellman, Mr. and Mrs. Will Knapp and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Knapp and family.

Mrs. S. A. Laxton was hostess to a bridge club Saturday night. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Harry Spenny and Mrs. Allen Frederick.

Mrs. Walter Miller was surprised by 30 friends and relatives Sunday night in honor of her birthday anniversary.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Murdock spent the week end with relatives in Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Ross Hillard and family spent Sunday in Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Charlotte Hart is ill with scarlet fever.

Mrs. Frank Seely is seriously ill at her home.

E. A. Densmore was in Ft. Wayne, Indiana, Monday on legal business.

Mary Bennett is spending spring vacation with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Bennett, at Okemos.

Herbert Abernethy and family of East Lansing, spent Sunday with Mrs. Fay Bennett and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Adams and family spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Maude Hall in Easton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Caltride of Aurelius, visited at the G. L. Bailey home Sunday night.

Miss Lucille Warner and Mrs. Earl Elbert are training as operators at the telephone office.

Billy Dart, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Dart, is spending the week at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Dart.

Dr. S. H. Williams and Mrs. Williams of Owosso, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Browne Easter.

Betty Ann Merindorf, who has been ill with pneumonia, is now reported gaining.

Mrs. Alice Culver has returned to her home in Mason after spending the winter in Miami, Florida.

Mrs. Will Weston and daughter, Mrs. Bert Wapner, spent Thursday in St. Louis.

Mrs. Leon Carpenter of Hillsdale, spent Monday evening with Mrs. Harley B. Ankney, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe and Larry spent Sunday in Onondaga with Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Clay.

Mrs. Loretta White and family and Miss Nellie Kean spent Sunday in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hogan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hopkins and children of Lansing, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawyer.

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A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Leonard, Sunday morning. Earl Williams is ill with scarlet fever at his home in Lansing. Frank Ives visited friends in Mason this week.

M. H. Lerner was operated on at the city hospital Thursday morning. Miss Sylvia Smith is spending spring vacation on a southern tour.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Zimmer spent Thursday in Detroit. Mrs. Fred Carrier, who was ill part of last week, is able to be out again.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Carrier of Akron, Ohio, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carrier Monday noon.

Freda Freeman is spending the week in Detroit with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gorman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Moody of Detroit were guests of Dr. G. C. Moody and Mrs. Moody.

Mrs. Irene Haney of Grand Rapids called on Dr. G. C. Moody and Mrs. Moody Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Speer of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Keesler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gralchen of Athens were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Harrison.

Miss Jessie Anderson is spending spring vacation at her home in Edmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jewett of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jewett.

Mrs. Trent Sawyer visited her sister, Mrs. Minnie Mapes, who is in a Stockbridge hospital, Sunday.

Irene Shultis is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Silsby, in Webberville during spring vacation.

Mrs. L. B. Blank of Pleasant Lake was a guest Friday of Mrs. G. L. Murphy.

Maurice Peck of Flint spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Peck.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Church of Bay City are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rhodes.

Mrs. Harold Shattuck had her tonsils removed at the city hospital Monday.

Joyce Every has been spending the spring vacation with Mrs. Lena Dresser.

Miss Helen Zimmer of Goodrich was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Zimmer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barron left Mason Saturday to return to Rochester. Mr. Barron is employed by the Ferry-Morse Seed company.

Mrs. Edgar Adams and children of Flint, spent Sunday with friends and relatives in Mason.

Wayne Bullen has returned to Mason, after enjoying a trip to California.

Miss Lucille Ketchum of Paw Paw, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ketchum.

Miss Clarabel Hayes of Detroit, is spending part of her spring vacation at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Tietz.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. McLaughlin and son, Roderick, spent the week end at Pentwater with Mr. and Mrs. John A. McLaughlin.

Miss Josephine Crisp of Traverse City, was a guest Sunday and Monday at the home of the Rev. James Bowker and Mrs. Bowker.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Barr and family visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stafford in Webberville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Chisholm attended the supper and dance of the Thistle club in Lansing, Saturday night.

Miss Ruby Shoppell of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shoppell, of Aurelius.

Mrs. Oscar Wilson, who lives in Atlanta, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ward Bullen and other relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Forche and daughter of Sunfield are spending the spring vacation with Mr. and Mrs. L. R. White.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. Dean Crandall, Jr. and son, Richard Dean, of Jackson, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Salisbury have returned to Mason after spending the winter in Biloxi, Mississippi, and other southern points.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stid entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Diehl of Danville, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Tompkins of Chicago, Illinois, and Mrs. Louisa Stid, Easter.

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WINS SCIENCE AWARD

Dr. Wendell M. Stanley, thirty-two-year-old chemist of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research of Princeton, N. J., who recently received the \$1,000 prize of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. He was awarded the prize for his discovery of the nature of the disease-producing viruses that cause influenza, infantile paralysis, common colds, and many other diseases.

Word has been received that Mrs. John Post, former Mason resident and mother of Richard Post of Mason, is seriously ill in a hospital in Louisiana.

Mrs. V. J. Brown and Mrs. F. J. Kellogg went to Detroit Thursday with a group of Lansing women as guests of the Detroit News plant.

Miss Maxine Rouse left for Kalamazoo Thursday to compete in an oratorical contest as a representative of Michigan State college.

Mrs. Joe Cappel left Mason Sunday to join her husband in Minneapolis, where he and his band will open an engagement Thursday night.

Mrs. George Gillespie returned to Mason Tuesday night after spending the past month with Mr. and Mrs. David Powell on a trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Wilson and Miss Emily Wilson of Grosse Ile were guests Friday and Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Zimmer.

Captain H. B. Inglis of Fenton visited his mother, Mrs. David Inglis, at the home of Mrs. Madge Young, Sunday.

Mrs. Glen Cole, the Misses Eloyda and Mardeen Cole of Lansing and Mrs. Bonnie Simpson of Detroit called at the Fred A. Carrier home Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Katherine Ludwick, Miss Gertrude Ludwick and Mrs. Harold Haun and two children of Lansing were guests Wednesday of Mrs. Madge Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith of Mansfield, Ohio, Mrs. Harriet Fry of Detroit, James Cookson of Jackson and Richard Peck were guests Easter of Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Lashby.

Mrs. and Mrs. Otto Marshall and the daughters of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall spent Easter at the O. H. Nichols home at North Aurelius.

Mrs. E. A. Dunsmore, Mrs. Isaac Powell, Mrs. Lura Conlin, Mrs. C. E. Elbert, Mrs. Herbert Carn and C. H. Ellison attended the funeral of Mrs. Frank Lockwood in Webberville, Monday.

R. Glenn Dunn spoke at a republican women's meeting in Detroit Tuesday. Wednesday night he delivered an address at Mt. Clemens. He expects to talk in Cheboygan Thursday and Bay City Friday.

Mrs. S. S. Bowerman and Harold Bowerman and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Courtneyman, daughter, Florence, and son, Dewey, Jr., of Canandaigua, New York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Doane this week.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Graham of Flint were week end guests of Mrs. Mattie Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard. Mr. Graham left Monday for Indianapolis, Indiana, where he has a new position as city manager.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Ellsworth and Miss Nancy Brugh were Sunday afternoon callers of Mrs. Elizabeth Collier Potter of Alabaster. Mrs. Everett Collier and boys, Burton and Elwyn, of Ypsilanti were week end visitors.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aseltine, who have been spending the spring vacation in Mason and Danville, have returned to their home in Cleveland. Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Brotherton and Robert Reese accompanied them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Pratt of Aurelius, spent Sunday with Miss Martha Thayer and mother, Mrs. Dora Thayer. Mrs. Jessie Criss of Utica, is spending a few days at the Thayer home.

Orrin Kinnison is now employed in the offices of the Mickelson-Baker Lumber company. He resigned as assistant auto license clerk in the office of Drain Commissioner Leon E. Webb to accept the position with the lumber company.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whyte entertained Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. John Joy and Myron Joy of Haslet, and Mr. and Mrs. John Mier of near Holt, Easter.

Mrs. Pearl Hardenburg entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank Moulton of Elsie, Mrs. Eva Krom of Bannister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Squires of Lansing and F. A. Hunter and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hunter and Dick at her home Easter.

Jerry Surateaux is spending spring vacation with his cousin, Bernard Bellows, in Eaton Rapids. Yvonne Surateaux is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. A. Laxton, south of Mason and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Surateaux in Holt this week.

Among Michigan State college students who are spending the spring vacation at their homes in Mason are Miss Marjorie Green, Kenneth Cline, Staley Haugh, Miss Martha Pearl White, Miss Maxine Rouse, Joe Jewett, Fred Kellogg, Lyle Aseltine, Miss Winifred Eurt, William Walline, Miss Jean Collier and William Collier. Miss June Zickgraf of Kalamazoo is also spending the spring vacation in Mason.

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Calendar of Events For Coming Week



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Thursday, April 1, Ingham Chapter No. 51, R. A. M.

Friday, April 2, W. F. M. S. of M. E. church at two o'clock with Mrs. David Medcoff.

Friday, April 2, Kipp community club with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lovette for potluck dinner.

Friday, April 2, Family night at Pink school.

Saturday, April 3, Odd Fellow and Rebekah dance postponed from Friday night.

Monday, April 5, Regular convention Mason Lodge No. 70, K. of P., at hall with dinner at 6:30.

Tuesday, April 6, Regular meeting Mason Chapter No. 150, O. E. S., at 7:30.

Wednesday, April 7, Regular communication Mason Lodge No. 70, F. & A. M., at hall.

Thursday, April 8, Public dinner served by Division C of North Aurelius L. A. S.

Friday, April 9, Eden P. T. A. at school.

Extension Groups

The Delhi-Aurelius Extension group will meet with Mrs. H. C. Darling Tuesday, April 6, for an all-day lesson. The topic is to be "Meat Cooking."

Lodges

There will be a regular communication of Mason Lodge No. 70, F. & A. M. Wednesday, April 7, at the hall.

Ingham Chapter No. 51, R. A. M., will confer the Royal Arch degree Thursday night, April 1.

A regular convention of Mason Lodge No. 70, K. of P., will be held Monday night, April 5, at the hall, with dinner at 6:30. The rank of knight will be conferred.

A regular meeting of Mason Chapter No. 150, O. E. S., will be held Tuesday night, April 6, at 7:30, at which time the traveling gavel will be presented to Leslie chapter. Leslie officers will exemplify the degrees. The officers of the county association and all chapters of the county will be guests. Refreshments will be served after chapter. Every member is urged to attend this meeting.

Organizations

The dance for Odd Fellows, Rebekahs and their friends which was scheduled for Friday night, has been postponed to Saturday night. Those attending are to bring lunch and dishes as usual. The committee will furnish coffee.

Sights, Smells And Customs Change Along With People On Trip To Bahrein

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Brown are at their new home on Bahrein Island, Persian Gulf. They expect to remain there for five years. Mr. Brown is assistant superintendent of an oil refinery on Bahrein. He, along with other oil men, were sent to Bahrein from the United States. Before joining the staff of the Bahrein Petroleum Co., Ltd., Mr. Brown was with the Standard Oil company of Texas at the El Paso plant. The Standard Oil of Texas and the Bahrein Petroleum company are subsidiaries of the Standard Oil company of California. Mr. Brown is a graduate of Mason high school with the class of 1922. At one time he served as advertising solicitor for the Ingham County News. He was advertising manager of a Big Rapids daily before going west 10 years ago. In last week's series of letters Mr. Brown told of their journey from Paris to somewhere in Turkey. This week the trip is continued on to Baghdad, Basra and Bahrein. Next week the editors hope to have an article telling of Bahrein. It takes a month for mail to reach Mason from Bahrein by regular channels. Air mail takes two weeks.

The trip across the United States, the Atlantic, France, Switzerland, Italy, Yugoslavia, Bulgaria and Turkey and on to Bahrein is one of constant change. Clothing, food, accommodations, language and customs differ widely. Taking a German boat we lived in Germany for a week while traveling from New York to France. Then in rapid succession we traveled through European and Asian countries toward Bahrein in the Persian Gulf.

One of the most striking changes of the trip was our descent from the Taurus Mountains of Turkey. We had been traveling through mountainous country 5000 feet above sea level. Our way had led through tunnels, along canyon rims, across big bridges. Then all at once we started down. In 10 miles we made a sheer drop to Adana, only 500 feet above sea level.

It was a beautiful contrast, from the cold, rocky crags of the mountain passes to the floor of a fertile Eden where flowers were in bloom, where trees were heavy with oranges, with dates and with figs. At Adana we also saw our first working camels.

Leaving Adana we traveled along the valley floor for about 40 miles before again starting to climb and twist up through, under and around another range of mountains. Adana was for years the end of steel. In 1928 the railroad east of Adana was opened.

At sundown we reached Ishtahye on the Turkish-Syrian border and again

we had to account for all our money, show our passports and go through the regular routine. We went through a "no man's land" of 20 miles before we struck the first Syrian outpost at Tehoban Bey where we had to go through all the passport motions again.

In Syria the French flag flies above the Syrian mandate the country is under mandate to France.

Instead of continuing east at the railroad junction of Mouslimic we swung south and west to Aleppo, the gateway to the Holy Land and the rail route to North Africa. Why we went into Aleppo was never learned. We were glad we went, though. The station was a sea of color. Arab tribesmen were stacked in among Turks, Syrians, French soldiers and veiled women. At Aleppo I bargained with a boy for a package of bootlegged Lucky Strikes. The deal was finally closed at 50 dinars which is about 47c in U. S. money. I had hunted for four days for American tobacco, caring little for the Turkish variety. Water cost 40c for a 12-ounce bottle, just a good swallow.

After leaving Aleppo we headed back north and east and again left Syria and re-entered Turkey at Akterine. It is said that in order to secure Turkish permission for building the railroad it was necessary that the builders agree to build nearly all of it in Turkey. That was why we made the sudden sneak into Syria and then back into Turkey to travel along the border.

During the night we had a serious accident. Our dining car developed a hotbox and had to be cut out. So we had no breakfast and were famished when we reached Tel Kotehek at the end of the railroad line. At Tel Kotehek our baggage was loaded into 1936 V-8 Fords and we rushed to get something to eat. All we could get was weak tea, Turkish bread and cheese but we were so hungry that it will go down in history as one of the most satisfying breakfasts of the trip.

After our breakfast the party was packed into Rolls Royce limousines,

we were passed through the Iraq customs and were on our way. We followed a trail for about two miles and then hit a road. It was regarded as one of the best highways of the Orient. Any of the old township roads would have been better. The road was rough, there were no bridges and speed was impossible. Our driver was an Arab and could speak a few words of English, enough to add to the interest of the trip.

Arabs, camels, goats, burros, women, children, dogs and other life was thick along the trail. We hit one goat but that failed to worry the driver. He said that 10 years ago our party would have had to have had two battalions of soldiers to have dared take the trip.

Rain had fallen the day before and we saw Arab women getting drinking water out of mud holes. We saw other women pounding clothes on rocks in order to clean them (the clothes). Everywhere was color—and dirty men, women and children—some riding camels, some on burros, a few on horses and hundreds just trudging along driving their flocks of sheep. Families follow the sheep to good grazing land and pitch tents.

Mosul was reached about three o'clock in the afternoon. Mosul streets are narrow. The outlying houses are made of mud. Down town buildings are of stone. The houses, streets, houseposts and the whole town is a seething, teeming mass of colorful and odorous people. Odors fairly turn one's stomach. Some of the people themselves have almost the same effect on an American stomach, yet I wouldn't have missed Mosul and these other cities for anything. They will never be forgotten.

Horse-drawn hacks with tops down, with drivers clanging bells unceasingly and the driver of our car holding his hand on the horn button and crowding through the swarms.

Our lunch awaited us at Mosul. It was three o'clock and we were famished. None of us knew what we were eating but it tasted good. We put up at the Mosul rest house for the night. The rest house is a very old building, like the rest of the town. It has heavy, thick walls of stone. In fact, stone is used throughout the building. Doors and fittings are heavy. The key to our room was seven inches long. It was made of wrought iron and weighed almost five pounds.

After finishing our lunch (six courses from soup, fish, stew, dessert, figs, fruit and coffee) we hired two hacks and toured the town. I never realized so many strange people could crowd into a small space. I took my camera but only snapped it twice. It would take a movie of six senses—sight, sound, odor, touch and everything else to catch the tempo as a whole.

Men and women carrying on backs and shoulders everything imaginable.

Plodding, barefooted, slippered, sun-dated people garbed in every kind of dress. Turks with red fezzes, Arabs with colored turbans, other tribes with long flowing head-dresses. Women, both veiled and unveiled. Babies running everywhere. Camels, goats and burros pulling and pushing heavy carts loaded with barrels, straw, stone and everything else taking all of the street except the small cubby-hole stalls of the merchants, curbstones, cooks and restaurants. Streets so narrow that two automobiles can not pass. Shake it up and throw it down with dogs, cats, coffee shops on every hand, Arabs sleeping in doorways and just hundreds and hundreds of shouting, arguing, laughing people mixed with Iraqi soldiers of every color and you have the town of Mosul. I may get another thrill as big but Paris, New York, Venice and other cities seen so far have failed to touch Mosul.

Tomorrow morning we leave by car for Kirkuk where we again take a train for Baghdad. Time and money were both changed here. The money used is dinar and fils, equivalent to English pounds and shillings. Iraq was under British rule until 1932. There are still some English air bases. Before the World War what is now Iraq was a part of Turkey and of

WORLD IS SMALL

S. D. Menovskis, federal resettlement supervisor for Ingham county, is interested in Mr. Brown's account of his travels. Mr. Menovskis was born in Macedonia and spent the first 15 years of his life there. He has also returned for several visits. Macedonia is now divided between Greece, Bulgaria and Yugoslavia. The Macedonian history goes far back to Bible times. Cleopatra and Alexander the Great were Macedonians. The Turks took Macedonia in the 14th century and it remained under Turkish rule until the Balkan war of 1913. Mr. Menovskis brought in a pair of Macedonian shoes similar to those described by Mr. Brown. The shoes are of the sandal type with toes turning up high. Mr. Menovskis wore shoes like that for years. He claims they are comfortable and easy on the feet. Such shoes are made and worn today just as they were 4000 years ago.

course fought against England and the Allies. Syria was also against the Allies and so came under the French as spoils of war. The present Iraq government is a monarchy and a stable one, I am told. Truly the road and dinner is not served until eight o'clock at night. It is tough on the kids. They get sleepy before dinner is served.

We expect to arrive in Kirkuk at four o'clock tomorrow night. We are in English country now. We know it without being told. When one is called in the morning he is handed a cup of tea. We are served afternoon tea and dinner is served until eight o'clock at night. It is tough on the kids. They get sleepy before dinner is served.

The Trip to Baghdad from Mosul was made by Rolls Royce. After we passed the Tigris River just out of Mosul the rocky, barren country changed abruptly to a land of agriculture. Oxen are used exclusively in the fields. They haul wooden plows which just scratch the surface. There are thousands of acres of wheat under cultivation. There are no fences nor farm houses. Small groups of mud huts are villages where the farmers live.

We crossed the Little Zab River and then the Big Zab River. Once more we took to the mountains over 10 miles of the worst road I have ever seen. We could see snow-covered mountains in the distance. In the mountains we saw nothing but sheep, camels, Arab herders and Arab tent villages. Men were building a new road. Hand labor means hand labor. Fills were being made by men carrying baskets of dirt on their heads and dumping it where another Arab stood spreading it out. Slow work and it seems a pity because they will not have a road when they get through with the job.

Along about noon we had quite an experience. We were thirsty and, of course, there was no water. We asked the Arab driver to stop at a small town and try to get three bottles of beer. So he stopped and left the car standing in the street. He went to search for the beer. No sooner had he left the car than a crowd gathered to stare at us. We later learned that white people are curiosity there because no stops are made by the buses.

So many gathered, pointing, talking, laughing, staring, shoving each other to get closer, getting on the running board and leaning inside that we finally had to close the windows. Even then we were not comfortable with all those staring people. They were dirty and ragged. One woman had her nose eaten away. Many of the people were covered with big sores and the smell was nauseating. One of the passengers wanted me to sound the horn to attract the driver. I refused to do it because I thought it would attract

more people. Although it was only 20 minutes, it seemed hours before the driver returned. On his approach to the car the crowd broke up and ran. The driver carried a couple of kids and climbed into the car. We all gave sighs of relief.

Kirkuk was reached at three o'clock. Here we struck the railroad again. Our coaches were on the track in readiness for us. The train didn't pull out until nine o'clock, though. After rearranging our tickets we had ten in a restaurant car at the siding. At seven dinner was served.

Our berth was merely some blankets placed on a long seat. No one minded much as they were the best accommodations to be had. It was a long train but mostly third class coaches. The Arabs were packed in like cattle. On wooden benches were children, household goods, chickens and about everything else. I'll bet the cars and the occupants were in a fine mess about five o'clock in the morning. Our bedding was brought and made up by a filthy, turbaned Arab. The engineer and conductor and the rest of the train crew were Arabs.

There is no need for worry about railroad collisions. There are only two trains a week on the line. We knew we couldn't run into much except camels if the train kept on the track. We arrived in Baghdad at 6:30 in the morning. I thought cold water in my face and climbed off. We went to the hotel but soon gave up the breakfast idea. We took our first bath since the previous week. The dirt and grime of nine countries through which we passed was washed off and did it feel good to just lie there and soak.

Baghdad is the shopping center of this part of the world. We did quite a lot of shopping for ourselves. Philco, Montgomery Ward and Italian and German radio sets were displayed in windows. Ford, Dodge, Chrysler and Buick Trucks have sales agencies here. In fact, we rode between the station and hotel in a Chrysler 1936 Airflow. The English have an air base at Baghdad and every store at which we called had English speaking clerks. The hotel has an English staff.

I imagine you can hear Baghdad from Mason. It sounds like a New Years Eve celebration. Auto horns toot all the time, hack drivers ring bells and everyone shouts. Streets are narrow. Sidewalks are only wide enough for two adults to walk abreast. So it is necessary to walk in the streets. Auto drivers keep their horns sounding all the time just on general principles but it is up to the pedestrians to do the jumping.

Joanna and I were walking in the street next to the curb when a man backed his car, under full throttle, into us. It was a narrow escape for us. However, the driver was blowing his horn so I suppose he believed he was observing all necessary precautions.

Babylon is near here and we plan to see it. Yesterday we were supposed to have looked into Jonah's tomb; at least, that's what the monument said.

At the hotel we met an English family returning home after three years at Bahrein. They told us that Bahrein is a good place to live and that food there is good. We are anxious to see our new home.

We are far from being spic and span. Our luggage is now tied up with ropes. Holes have been punched through some of the bags. Our clothes are wrinkled and dirty. But the trip has been worth the discomfort. We are resting up here for the last big push.

It made us feel awfully slow when two Los Angeles, California, welders

stopped at the hotel tonight. They were enroute to Bahrein. Just two days ago they left Paris by plane. They will leave Baghdad at six o'clock in the morning. They will be at Bahrein for lunch. We will not arrive by train and boat until a week from tomorrow. However, the two air travelers have missed a lot. They have learned nothing of the countries, the people or the customs. I even wish we could have had more stop-overs. I would have liked to have seen more of Venice, Milan, Belgrade, Istanbul, Ankara and Aleppo.

On Board SS Banura, Persian Gulf.

We are now on the last leg of our trip.

Baghdad was extremely interesting and we spent enough time there to really get a complete picture of the city. Baghdad has a population of 300,000. Most of them are Moslems, but there are many English and other nationalities. We saw a number of fine houses, attractive gardens and nice lawns.

In the older part of the city, in the narrow, streets, among the bazaars which stretch down narrow, crooked streets for miles, people live, work and beg as they have for centuries. One section will be made up of all silversmiths, another all copper workers, and another all tailors and so forth. Beautiful rugs, silver and other goods are offered. It would be fun to shop there if one had the money and a place to carry his purchases.

Iraq trains are queer but we found them all right. Passenger cars somewhat resemble box cars. Roofs have overhangs like houses. Downspouts are at each corner. Cars are not connected for passengers to walk from one coach to another. In some of the coaches passengers can not even get from one compartment to another. When dinner time comes passengers have to wait until the train stops at a village and then dash for the diner. We missed it once and so had to wait until nine o'clock at night for dinner. Then when we had finished our dinner we had to sit a long time waiting for the train to stop so we could get back to our compartment.

Basra is one of the oldest cities in the world and near Basra legend has it that the Garden of Eden was located. Basra is the chief port for Iraq. Our ship was at the dock when the train from Baghdad arrived and we were immediately transferred aboard the SS Banura. She is approximately 400 feet long and 40 feet wide. The officers are English with a native crew, Mohammedans below deck and Hindus above, all from India. Our cabins are comfortable although a bit smelly because this boat carries what are termed deck passengers. They are Arabs and Indians and other races—men, women and children with their chickens and other stock. The deck passengers do their own cooking on deck and live there for the duration of their journey. At night they seem to sing in their sleep. They make a weird,

unworldly noise. There are about 125 of the deck passengers and they cluster around the hatches.

On the after deck are sheep, cows, chickens, etc., for the crew will eat nothing but fresh killed meat because of religious beliefs so every day is butchering day.

The weather is perfect. The temperature is about 80 at midday and then cool at night.

On leaving Basra we dropped down the river for three hours and then anchored for 16 hours waiting for a tide to lift us over the sandbar at the mouth of the river. There is a dredged channel but it costs the boat a fee of \$2000 to use it. So when the tide is right the captains usually attempt to skip over the bar.

Both sides of the river are lined with date palms as far as the eye can see. It is a beautiful sight. Native craft of every description are all about us. Here live the Marsh Arabs. They have not changed their style of boats for 6000 years. Pictures and models of boats found in tombs dated 4000 B. C. show the same boats as are in use today. Neither have the Marsh Arabs changed their style of clothing or mode of living in all those years.

Last night we stopped at a port in Persia, unloaded cargo and then moved on. The captain told us we would have to anchor for the night but he found there was enough water under us to proceed. So we will land on Bahrein at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon (March 8).

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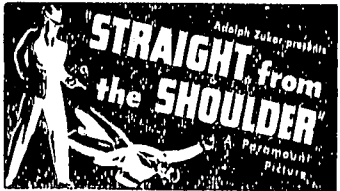
FILM NEWS

MASON THEATRE

Two good feature attractions are promised at the Mason Theatre Friday and Saturday. Buck Jones in "Ride 'Em Cowboy" is seen as a cowpuncher whose longing for adventure usually lands him in trouble. He agrees to take the place of a famous racing driver, although the speed car is the first automobile he has ever driven, and when he gets behind the wheel and starts off, things begin to happen! Dashing across country, hurdlings rail fences, he leaps from one narrow escape to another, right down to the stirring climax of jumps and thrills! "Straight From the Shoulder", also on this program, is taken from one of Lucien Cary's Saturday Evening post stories. Ralph Bellamy is shown as a newspaper artist whose hasty street sketches identify a mob of killers who threaten his life. Little David Holt is seen as his son, who goes to live with an old gunsmith on a remote New England farm. Andy Clyde is seen as

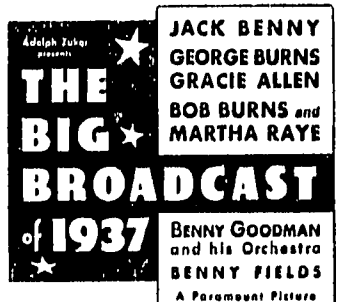
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DANSVILLE NEWS

Sponsor Euchre Party

The O. E. S. will sponsor another euchre party Saturday night, April 3, in the Masonic hall. After the usual number of card games, light refreshments will be served. Mrs. Vera Dayton will act as chairman of the committee.

To Serve Dinner

The Baptist Ladies Aid society will serve dinner and supper at the town hall election day. Miss Frances Keene and Mrs. Abbie Fortman are in charge of the meals for the occasion. A business meeting will be held in the afternoon.

Spring Election

The annual spring election will be held next Monday, April 5, in the town hall. Besides the election of several candidates for state offices and the election of township officers the local voters will have the opportunity of voting on the town hall proposition, which authorizes the township board to borrow not to exceed \$1500 and to use not to exceed \$4,000 for the remodeling of the building. The town board met Tuesday for the annual session, with the township treasurer, Arthur Dowling, township treasurer, reported 70% of the total taxes for 1936 collected.

Have Amateur Program

The fourth, fifth and sixth grades presented an amateur program in the gymnasium Friday afternoon. Kenneth Fellows, acting as Major Bowes, presented the program. A song was acted out by Marjorie Haynes, Mary Spoor, Josephine Hovey, Alice Raymond and Juanita Brown, a tap dancing act was given by Marjorie Haynes, followed by

the famous old craftsman who teaches the boy many of the tricks of his trade, so that when some of the desperados appear at the farm to carry off the boy, he literally spikes their guns and brings them to justice.

A two reel comedy and Pathe News complete the program.

Scintillating, gay, tuneful and hilariously funny is "The Big Broadcast of 1937", promised for Sunday and Monday. It's a real star-spangled cast, too, with Jack Benny, Burns and Allen, Bob Burns and Martha Raye, Benny Goodman and his orchestra, Shirley Ross, Ray Milland, Leopold Stokowski and his Symphony orchestra, and many other outstanding singers, dancers and entertainers. The story deals with the tangled romance of two radio entertainers whose happiness is nearly wrecked by the jealous rivalry between two studios—but that is only the thread on which is strung a whole evening of tuneful, laughing entertainment. Wait till you see Grace Allen conducting a radio program, and Martha Raye singing the big song hit of the evening! The duo of "Swing" and "Sweet" fought between Benny Goodman and Leopold Stokowski and their orchestras, Bob Burns and his bazooka—these are only moments from the big evening's entertainment offered by "The Big Broadcast."

A color cartoon, "Christmas Comes But Once a Year", and the Universal News are added attractions.

A whirlwind of crazy comedy is the best description of "Sing Baby Sing", with Alice Faye, Adolphe Menjou, Ted Healy, Patsy Kelly, The Ritz Brothers and a score more of clever comedians, which comes next Tuesday and Wednesday. Rhythm, zip and zest are the outstanding elements of this clever concoction of entertaining nonsense. Imagine if you can the Ritz Brothers playing Jekyll and Hyde, with Frankenstein thrown in for good measure, and Adolphe Menjou as a crack-brained Shakespearean actor—and that's just a hint at the hilarious scenes which crowd "Sing Baby Sing!"

A comedy and "Custer's Last Stand" serial are also on the midweek program. "Three Men on a Horse", the farce comedy which stood Broadway on its head last season, is promised for next week Thursday and Friday.

District No. 7, White Oak

By Mrs. F. C. Kendrick

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt and Robert spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kendrick. Mrs. Hunt and Robert remained for the week with her parents.

Miss Anna Voss of Lansing spent Easter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Voss.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wilkinson and Juanita of Cedar Springs spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Benjamin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sherman spent Easter with their parents at Lansingburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woods spent Easter with his sister near Stockbridge.

Mrs. Charles Howell and brother, Will Snively, called on their mother, John Snively, of Webberville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Howell spent Easter with her parents in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Barlett and family spent Easter with his mother at Stockbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Benjamin entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Turner and friends of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilkinson for dinner Saturday night and later attended a show in honor of Mrs. Turner's birthday anniversary.

F. C. Kendrick has been very poorly the past week.

South Wheatfield

By Mrs. Claude Hayhoe

Mrs. Lillie Allen is in the Mason city hospital, where she underwent an operation. Mrs. Lillie Hanna is staying at the home during her absence.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Leonard of Detroit spent last week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hayhoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Judd Hill visited in Jackson and Clarke Lake over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ballard, Donald and Raymond of Lansing spent Saturday night at Claude Hayhoe's.

Mrs. Leah Grosshans and Miss Marguerite Hayhoe entertained 12 guests Friday evening at the home of the former, honoring Mrs. Howard Leonard of Detroit. Buco was played with Miss Jeanette Campbell winning the prize. Refreshments were served by the hostesses. The guest of honor received many gifts.

is song by Josephine Hovey, a recitation by Ralph Leavitt, vocal duet, Sarah Jane Cline and Madlyn Anderson, instrumental solo, Rex DuBois, vocal solo by Dorothy Post, a pantomime by Winfred Ives and a negro reading by Jimmie Young. The Misses Margaret Payne, Mabel Powers and Marguerite Shenfield acted as judges awarding a tie to Madlyn Anderson and Sarah Jane Cline for their vocal duet and to Jimmie Young for his sketch.

To Hold Final Meeting

The final meeting of the Brotherhood will be held Wednesday night, April 7, at the school, at which time the wives of the members will be guests of honor. A Bohemian style supper will be served at 7:30, following which a musical entertainment will be presented. The entertainers will come on a special bus from Dearborn. Some of their features will be a German band, an accordion band, tap dancing and tumbling acts. F. C. Anderson is chairman of the program committee. The dinner will be given to the Brotherhood and their wives, but the organization extends an invitation to the general public to see the entertainment.

Good Eats Club Meets

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough entertained the Good Eats club at their home Saturday night. A potluck supper was served to 25 members of the club after which Pedro was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton received high prize and Mrs. Ray Kinney were awarded low. Mr. and Mrs. Dalton will entertain the club April 10.

Organize 4-H Club

The boys 4-H club held an organization meeting at the school last Thursday. All boys carrying animal projects are eligible to belong to this club. Officers elected are as follows: President, Guerdon Frost; secretary, Russell Hayhoe; and treasurer, George Smith.

Special Meetings Conducted

Special meetings at the M. E. church were conducted Sunday night and the evangelist, Miss Ruth Larson, and Miss Thelma Case, returned Monday to their homes in Bradford, Pennsylvania. Miss Larson and Miss Case have been here for the past two weeks. About 20 members of the Epworth League attended sunrise service at 6:30 Sunday morning and later enjoyed an Easter breakfast at the parsonage.

Child Study Club To Meet

The Child Study club will meet next Monday, April 5, for the final radio broadcast by Mrs. Lydia Lynde. A discussion led by Mrs. Irene Braman will follow the radio lecture.

O. E. S. Has Meeting

Thursday night, April 8, is the regular meeting of the O. E. S. After the business meeting keno will be played. Mrs. Iva Corwin, Mrs. Zaldie Allen and Mrs. Grace Kline are the committee in charge. At the conclusion of the evening, sandwiches, fried cakes and coffee will be served.

Mail Carriers Entertained

About 26 mail carriers and their families were entertained Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corwin. A bohemian style supper was served at seven o'clock, following which two readings were given by Mrs. Charles Hemans and Mr. Hemans gave a talk on "Government." The remainder of the evening was spent in playing keno and euchre. Mr. and Mrs. Hanna were guests for the occasion. Mail carriers were present from Howell, Webberville, Williamston and Mason.

Prayer Circle Meets

There will be a meeting of the prayer circle of the W. M. S. of the Free Methodist church Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Lillian Somers. Meeting will be called at two o'clock and will be led by Mrs. Alma Ives.

Hunt Club Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Laughlin entertained the Ingham County Hunt club Saturday night at their home, the occasion being a surprise party for Mrs. Laughlin, her birthday anniversary being Friday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brown and Clare, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Haynes, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fuhrman and Lester, Mr. and Mrs. George White, Mr. and Mrs. John McCabe and Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Post and Woodrow. A bohemian style dinner was enjoyed and the evening spent in playing cards.

Attend District Rally

The district rally of the Free Methodist church Young People's Missionary society of the St. Johns district was held Friday night at the Conway Free Methodist church, of which Clifford Howe is pastor. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Vernon Anderson. The church was filled with young people from various places in the district including Hamburg, Lansing, North Lansing, Perry, Williamston, Dansville and Conway. The program consisted of talks on the various departments of the Y. P. M. S. There were also several special songs, followed by preaching by Merlin Osborne who will be graduated this year from Spring Arbor.

Miss Margaret Curtis is enjoying spring vacation in New York City. She is accompanied by her sisters, Marion of Detroit and Myrnetta of Muskegon.

The Misses Joan and Donna Walters and Mrs. H. A. Darling of Lansing spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Floyd Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson and daughters, Margie and Ruth, of Lansing, Gertrude Thompson of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Densmore of Mason were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Anderson. The Misses Josephine and Alice Townsend of Lansing are spending the week at the home of their mother, Mrs. Nellie Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Mead and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nelson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nelson of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne DeCamp and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burleigh and Vernice and Grace Lee of Lansing were Easter dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lee.

Mrs. Lottie Kent and Mrs. Ellen Crossman of Mason, Irma and Jason Pollok of Pollok's Corners, and Mr. and Mrs. William Storms and Mr. and

Mrs. Stanley Voss and family of Williamston were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobart.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Prary and daughter, Helen, of Jackson, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Utter.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Gee, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gee, Mr. and Mrs. Forgas Gee, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Perry, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Groh, Mr. and Mrs. William Groh and Will Gee of Lansing and Max Sayre of Hillsdale were Easter dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Parks.

Mrs. George Foster and Mrs. Melvin Utter and family were Monday visitors of Mrs. Russell Whipple of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Whitney of Lansing and Frank Blair of Rochester were Friday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Braman.

Miss Mary Fitzsimmons of Ann Arbor is recovering from an illness at the home of her sister, Mrs. Clara Braman.

Fred Carrier of Pleasant Lake was a week end guest of Wayne Walker.

Mrs. Matilda Smith spent Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fay of Stockbridge.

Will Hanna of Mason spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corwin and Mrs. Mary Corwin.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Richards were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker.

Rev. F. D. Hague and Mrs. Hague of Onsted were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corwin and Mrs. Mary Corwin.

Dr. Robert F. Hall is driving a new Ford.

David Diehl and Don Anderson of M. S. C. are spending spring vacation at their homes here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Scherzer spent Easter with the former's parents in Saginaw.

Warren Anderson, who has been ill the past two weeks, is now improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Lantis and Fern were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Foster of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Anderson of Detroit were Sunday visitors of the former's mother, Mrs. Rosa Anderson.

Mrs. Mary Thompson returned Saturday from Armada, where she spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. Minnie Schirmer.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt and Junior and Mrs. Anna Bell were Easter guests of Mrs. Joseph Miller of Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sly have moved into their new home recently purchased from the Bravender estate.

Mrs. Clydia Poole of Pontiac spent the week end at the home of Dr. Robert F. Hall and Mrs. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Tompkins of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Diehl and sons and Mrs. Louisa Sid were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stid of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bisel spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Moses of Lansing.

Mrs. Clayton Balmer and daughter, Phyllis, and Miss Marjorie Shutte were guests of Mrs. Austin Balmer of Lyndon Center. Phyllis remained for the week.

Miss Grace Anway of Muskegon spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Braman.

Phyllis Williams, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is now gradually improving.

Mrs. Lilly Allen, who underwent an operation at the Mason city hospital last Tuesday, is reported slowly gaining. She expects to be confined to the hospital until the middle of next week.

Mrs. Helen Briggs was taken to the Sparrow hospital in Lansing Saturday night with pneumonia. She has been

caring for her father, George Sawyer, for the past three weeks.

Mrs. Anna Bell of Howell spent Easter with her sister, Mrs. Clara Vogt.

Word was received Sunday of the birth of a baby girl to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hutt of Dimondale. Mrs. Hutt was formerly Marion Hanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrland Grimes and family of Lansing were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reynolds and family spent Easter with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Freed of Coldwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brady of Detroit spent the latter part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton.

Ralph Greenough and Harold Kelly are spending the week with relatives in Detroit and Highland Park.

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

There will be a clothesline social at the Community hall in Webberville Wednesday night, April 7.

Donald Simons is driving a Chevrolet sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wolcott of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Veron Wolcott, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Bowers and Mrs. Alice Raymond of Williamston were Sunday guests of Mrs. Addie Smith.

Miss Irene Cramton of Grand Blanc spent the latter part of the week with her parents, Rev. B. A. Cramton and Mrs. Cramton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Laycock and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Allen of Lansing were Easter guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roomer Buleen.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks and Mrs. John Chase, the latter of Bunkerhill, visited John Chase, who is seriously ill in the University hospital in Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hague of Onsted were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mark of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. William Garner and son, Jack, of Stockbridge, were Sunday dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Standish of Stockbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Thompson of Lansing were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Sarah Howlett.

Mrs. Alice Raymond of Williamston was a Sunday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simons.

Mrs. Grace Read and daughter, Eleanor, of Detroit were week end guests of Mrs. Addie Smith.

Gretchen VanWagoner of Eaton Rapids spent the first of the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Roy Updyke.

Verlan and Joan Dewey of Lansing are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ladd.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Otis of Mason were Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Otis.

Mrs. John Symons and Mrs. Lila Perrine of Coldwater were Thursday guests of Mrs. Rose Freer.

Mrs. Merna Arnold, who has been ill for the past eight weeks, is slowly gaining. Mrs. Russell Dowling is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sharland were Sunday dinner guests of Miss Anna Patrick of Lansing and called on Mr. and Mrs. James Radford in the afternoon.

Mrs. Winfred Craig returned to her home in Champaign, Illinois, after caring for her mother, Dr. Nora Walker, the past week. Mrs. Walker is now gaining.

The Misses Anna and Rose Backus of Lansing are enjoying spring vaca-

tion with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Backus.

James Dennis of Detroit spent Monday with his mother, Mrs. Margaret Dennis.

Mrs. Orrie Keene, who has been confined to her bed by illness the past week, is now slowly gaining.

Harold Aseltine and son, Howard, of Flint spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Baker.

Arthur Wemple, who has been quite ill the past two weeks, is now able to be out again.

Miss Vivian Bravender of Detroit spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bravender.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin and son of Lansing spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. Lucy Aseltine.

Mrs. Effie West spent Tuesday with her aunt, Mrs. Clifford Bates, of Leslie.

Mrs. Lavonda Foster and daughter spent the first of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raymond.

Mrs. Ernie Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Frederick enjoyed Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Collar of Wheatfield and Mrs. Ona Almond were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Otis. Mrs. Almond returned

on Sunday morning from Florida, where she has been for the past two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howlett and Juanita were Sunday visitors of the former's mother, Mrs. Ellen Howlett, of Stockbridge.

Mrs. Irving Holmes of Mason was a Sunday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Roy West.

Beverly Beattie of Lansing is spending her spring vacation with her grandmother, Mrs. Rosa Anderson.

Miss Leone Harkness of Bay City was a Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. Ada Harkness, and her aunt, Mrs. Minn Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shoppell were Friday visitors of the former's mother, Mrs. Caroline Shoppell, of Woodland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Corbin, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin May and family and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Corbin and family of Lansing, Harold Aseltine and son, Howard, of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ludlow of Jackson and Harry Aseltine of Cleveland were week end guests of their mother, Mrs. Lucy Aseltine.

Mrs. Martha Hanford of Lansing is visiting relatives here this week.

Mrs. Gerald Powers and daughters of Detroit are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayhoe.



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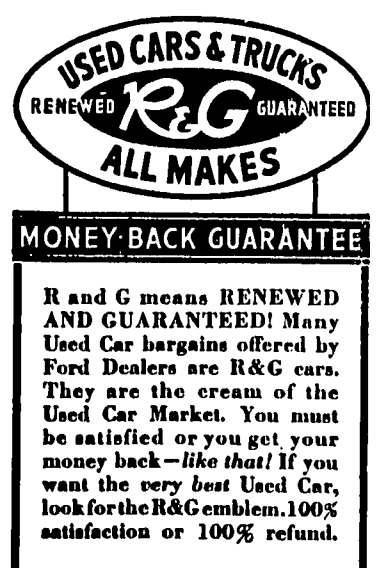
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Sandhill

By Betty Elfert

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and son Charles of Mason, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and daughter Helen.

Mr. and Mrs. Stille and son Roger and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bateman of Jackson, called on Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Cooper and family, Saturday.

Trella Wieland and Jackie Eaton visited the Sandhill school Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Schmitt and daughter, Lora Mae, of Ovid, called on Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wieland and family, Sunday night.

Miss Orma Fair spent the week end with Joel Bennett and daughter.

Miss Emma Dietz of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rood and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rood of Dimondale, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Moses, Jr. and Mrs. C. Moses, Sr. and daughters, Helen and Dorothy, of Jackson, spent Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Cooper, Sr., and family.

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A. B. Howard

Notify Smith's Market

the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur B. Cooper, Sr., and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Pierce and Agnes of Lansing, called on Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cunningham and daughters, Betty and Jean, Sunday.

Miss Phyllis Dietz of Lansing, is spending her spring vacation with Miss Regina Harris.

The Misses Viola and Mildred Lietz and Edward Judson were afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lietzke of Dewitt, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Sutherland of Pontiac, visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Sheehy of Detroit, called also.

The following pupils were on the A and B honor roll at the Sandhill school for the month: Sue Ann Eaton, Joan Hillard, Wanda Eaton, Donald Elfert, Orma Fair, Arthur Cooper and Betty Elfert. The following pupils were neither absent nor tardy at the Sandhill school during the last month: Sue Ann Eaton, Mary Wieland, Wanda Eaton, Donald Elfert, Wilbur Reynolds, Wesley Eaton, Betty Wieland, Mary Paden, Kenneth Cooper, Robert Wieland, Arthur Cooper, Mary Cooper, Maxine Hillard, Regina Harris, Betty Elfert and Robert Cole.

Miss Doris Cole is out of school because of illness.

Miss Marjorie Elfert is spending her spring vacation at the home of her parents.

Little Ella Maude Eaton, two-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Eaton, is recovering from pneumonia.

DuBois Neighborhood

Mrs. Herbert Brown

Harriet Lay and Charlotte, Dorothy and Lawrence Burgess are enjoying their spring vacation from Mason and Dansville schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baldwin and family and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Haynes of Mason, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Curtis, Sunday.

Mrs. Don Crandall and son of Jackson and Mrs. A. D. Snyder of Mason, visited Mrs. Fred Burgess, Sr., Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Burgess and family of Okemos, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lay and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sawyer in Jackson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wout Every, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Oils, and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Oils, who have been visiting in California, are expected to arrive home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas and son of Holt, visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burgess, Sr., and their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burgess and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Stansill, who moved from the Arthur Williams farm to Rives Junction last fall, are going to move in the Rohnour house. They had the misfortune to lose part of their household goods and house by fire a few weeks ago.

Davis Clothiers Crack In Lansing Tournament

OLIVET STAR FAILS TO CAGE SINGLE POINT.

Mason's Davis Clothiers dropped themselves out of the state Class A open tournament in Lansing Friday night. The Mason team collapsed and lost to W. B. Hutton's 28 to 10. Mason played its worst game of the year. Shooting and passing was erratic. Ed Novak, Olivet star, played center for Mason and failed to collect a single point.

Harold Haase and Gordon Dawson were the leading scorers for Mason. In the first half Mason missed six easy shots and five free throws. In the last half the scoring opportunities were few and far between. However, Mason did stage a rally in the fourth quarter which momentarily closed the game.

Look E. Ferguson having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of April, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

JOHN MCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. C. A. CLINTON, Register of Probate. 13w4

Richard Helwig left for a trip by auto to Washington, D. C.

Alia Swartz is visiting her sisters in Jackson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Voss of Meridian, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Keeler of Okemos, were Sunday callers of Robert's.

Mrs. Nettie Topf left Friday for the south to visit relatives there, making the trip with the Webster family of Eaton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Eckhart went Monday to Ohio on business.

Charles Robertson is helping his uncle, C. O. Kirby, in Vantown with his spring work.

Several families from Toles district have been having chickenpox.

Mr. and Mrs. Huff, who live on the Dell Tooker place, have a daughter, born last week.

Mrs. Anne Riley of Lansing, and Mrs. Almira Gritzmaker of Town Line Road, spent Sunday afternoon with Lizzie Moon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Roberts and Mrs. Roberts' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Reed of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Dowell of Lansing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Rens.

Eight members of Troop 42, Boy Scouts and Scout Master Leon North enjoyed a swimming party as guests of the Y. M. C. A. in Lansing last Tuesday night.

Harley Starnes has been quite ill. Mr. and Mrs. Howard North were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wilson in Mason, Tuesday.

Alaiedon Center By Donna Sheathelm

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bickel and daughters, Mary, Helen and Eileen and Mr. and Mrs. Monagan and son Richard of Jackson, spent Easter with Phil Hildebrandt and family. Mrs. Bickel is a sister of Mr. Hildebrandt.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith entertained their daughter and son-in-law from the Straits over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Palen and James Gardner spent Sunday evening at Harvey Palen's in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Sheathelm of Detroit, spent the week end at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sheathelm.

Mr. Johnson visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fichter, Sunday.

Donna Sheathelm was out of school several days last week on account of illness.

Nile water contains a greater variety of fish than that of any other river in the world.

Legal Notice

FINAL ACCOUNT. ROBINSON—APRIL 21 State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1937.

Present, HON. JOHN MCLELLAN, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of MARCUS D. ROBINSON, Deceased.

Eber R. Robinson having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof, and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of April, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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

JOHN MCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. C. A. CLINTON, Register of Probate. 12w4

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made (and such default having continued for more than ninety days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Leo H. Pohl and Mary T. Pohl, husband and wife, and Laura E. Pohl, of the City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, to Home Owners' Loan Corporation, a Corporation organized under the laws of the United States of America, dated January 2, 1934, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Ingham County, on January 19, 1934, in Liber 356 of Mortgages, on Page 301, and said mortgage having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare a foreclosure and to sell the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, and any sum or sums which may be paid by the mortgagor or mortgagors before said sale for taxes and insurance on said premises, and all other sums paid by the mortgagor, with interest thereon, pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

That certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Lansing, County of Ingham, Michigan, more particularly described as:

Lot Number Four (4) of James M. Turner's Subdivision of the East one-half (1/2) of Block fifty-six (56) of the original plat of the City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan.

Dated March 18, 1937.

HOMES OWNERS' LOAN CORPORATION, SHIELDS, BALLARD, JENNINGS & TABER, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address: 1400 Old Tower, Lansing, Michigan. 11w13

Legal Notice

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 28th day of March, A. D. 1937.

Present, HON. JOHN MCLELLAN, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of ALFRED WALKER, Deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said court.

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 28th day of July, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

JOHN MCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. C. A. CLINTON, Register of Probate. 13w4

House District

By Mrs. Frank Leonard

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wyman of Ilion, report the birth of a son, who answers to the name of John Wesley.

Mr. Wyman is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Wyman.

Mrs. Alfred Wyman left Thursday of last week to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wyman.

William Galloway, who is ill at the home of his son, Spencer, is not well.

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WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

April started in with gentle showers. Clara Raymond, operator at the sewage disposal plant and chief lieutenant to the weather observer, went to Lansing Thursday to attend a course in disposal plant management. The weather records were locked up by Mr. Raymond before he left for Lansing. Therefore the observer's public will be forced to wait until next week before they learn how much rain fell during March. It wasn't much, anyway.

There was some debate as to whether March came in like a lamb or a lion. At any rate, it went out like a lamb although the last two weeks of the month had as much steady cold weather as any period of the winter.

Snow melted fast Friday and Saturday and only a few traces were left on the north and east sides of buildings for Easter morning. The ice went out of the Sycamore Friday but a thin coat was frozen over the creek again Monday night. There are still a few piles of snow around town Thursday morning.

Bluebirds, cardinals, robins and other birds are back although there have been only one or two warm days. Now that April 1 has arrived warm weather is close at hand.

The sap run is just so-so. It has been a long season but not much syrup has been made.

A good rain is needed to take the frost out of the ground. Farmers are anxious to swing into spring work.

Phillips District By Mrs. Geo. Gruhn

Mrs. Belle Young of Lansing, visited at the Tyler home over the week end.

The annual hot supper of the U-Go-I-Go 500 club was held at the Tyler home Thursday with 32 present. Six tables were played. Ben Arend and Cora Weigman having high score, H. Osborne and Fern Fry, low.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fry and daughter Lillian spent Sunday in Dewitt, visiting Mrs. Fry's brother, Harry Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gruhn and son Richard of Lansing, spent Sunday evening at the Gruhn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Green, Marjorie Green and Orrin Kinnison were in Detroit, Sunday. Marjorie entered Merrill Palmer school for the spring term.

Mrs. E. D. Krantz entered Noller hospital Monday afternoon, where she underwent an operation Tuesday.

SISTER DIES

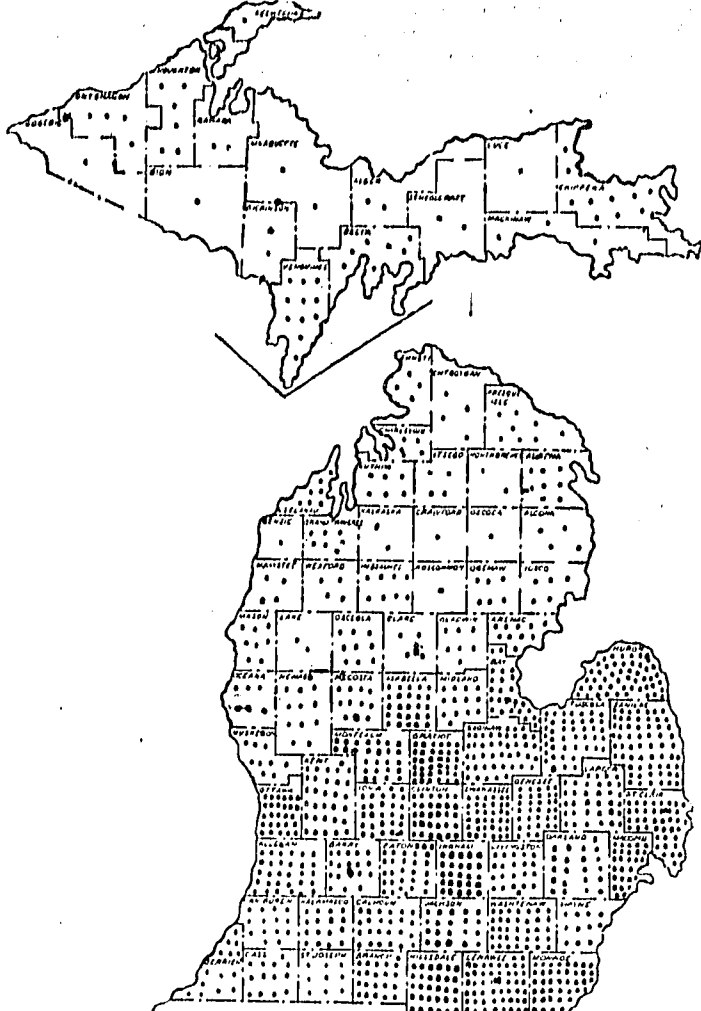
Mrs. Thomas Smith, sister of Mrs. David Irwin, died in a Jackson hospital Saturday night. Mrs. Smith had been confined to the hospital since her return from Long Beach, California, March 13. She is survived by the husband, Thomas Smith, and the sister, Mrs. Irwin. Funeral services were held in Jackson Tuesday afternoon and the body was taken to Iowa for burial. Mrs. Irwin and Mr. Smith accompanied the body.

Seeds

Our seeds conform with U. S. Soils Conservation Program requirements. Michigan grown seeds are becoming scarce. Better order your seed soon.

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Oat Acreages Dot Every County



Every county in the state can claim some part in Michigan's culture of more than a million acres of oats but Michigan State college finds many farmers not using proper practices and varieties. Each dot represents 1,000 acres or fraction thereof.

Since pioneer days oats have been one of Michigan's chief cereal crops and at present rank second only to corn in acreage. Importance of their culture has led authorities at Michigan State college to prepare two new extension bulletins. No. 177 is "Oat Culture in Michigan" and No. 176 is "Oat Smut Control."

There is no plan at the college to stimulate production of oats, as they are not regarded rating high as a cash crop nor as a home grown feed source for livestock. But with more than a million acres devoted each year to oats it is being recommended to farmers that they be more scientific in oat culture by following better practices, using better disease control

methods and by planting the best varieties.

Oats in the state have retained their dominance of large acreages for four reasons. They provide a source of homegrown stock feed, they provide coarse roughage for feed and bedding, they serve as a nurse crop for grass and legume seedlings, and they fit into the recommended crop rotations.

Yields in the state for 50 years have varied in annual averages from 18.5 to 40 bushels to the acre. The production of 80 bushels to the acre is not uncommon. George Aldrich & Sons at Falmouth in 1930 set a record in harvesting 125 bushels per acre.

Legislature Grinding Away On Small Grist

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exploited by real estate speculators and the state thereby penalized.

Figures obtained from the records of the state board of auditors show that the rentals for buildings occupied by the state outside the state capitol and the state office building already come close to \$100,000 a year. The bill contemplates no immediate building operations, merely providing for protection of sites for new buildings of the future and providing for an orderly expansion instead of a hodge-podge such as is evidenced by the location of the state office structure and by some of the proposals offered in the matter of an executive mansion.

Teachers retirement annuities will be a subject much under discussion soon. The bill introduced in the house is already out of the committee on education and in the hands of the ways and means committee. It originally carried an appropriation from the state of around \$300,000 annually with likelihood of increases. The measure will probably be changed to provide that the three per cent salary contribution by teachers will be matched by contributions in some lesser amount by the respective school districts which employ them. The measure also provides more generous retirement an-

nualities than the present law provides for teachers who have completed 30 years in the class rooms.

Another measure which is having hard sledding, along with the civil service bill is the teacher tenure bill. This measure is backed by organized labor and is intended to unionize the teaching profession, make discharge of teachers except after hearing and trial just about impossible, and intended of course eventually to increase wages and shorten hours of teaching.

Junketing hereafter will be largely done away with if a resolution offered by Representative Arthur U. Odell of Allegan, is adopted. Some of the playboys of the house have been running around without much restraint. Under the Odell resolution hereafter they will pay their own expenses unless first they obtain consent of the house before the trip is made.

A recent junket saw one of the junketeers break away from the others to make a trip to New Orleans where he visited a brother instead of whatever it was the committee was to inspect.

Strike Inaction
After a full week of arbitration (?) the Chrysler strike situation stands about where it did a week ago. Mr. Lewis first was called away to conduct another strike among the coal miners of the southeast and Mr. Chrysler soon thereafter broke away from the underlings which Mr. Lewis left behind. A few hours in the office Wednesday saw the governor lighting out for his Detroit hangout, there, it is said, to participate in the spring campaign. Meanwhile Senator Palmer's bills to outlaw the sitdown strike, to force arbitration before strikes are called, and to provide for responsibility on the part of labor leaders, to punish labor agitators and otherwise to bring some order out of the present labor chaos, are attracting nationwide attention. Senator Palmer is a Flint democrat and is majority floor leader. Thus his bills take on the significance of party measures although as yet the governor continues to disclaim authorship.

Democrats and republicans alike are becoming "itchy" over next Monday's results. It is likely that Thursday will see the last work of the week completed, leaders agreeing to quit and go home to engage in the political conflict on Friday and over Sunday. Tuesday is scheduled for a visit to Detroit as the guests of the Detroit Industrial Exposition. Thus will another week be cut into so far as working time is concerned. However, it is planned to have the special train back in Lansing in plenty of time for an evening session.

BUYS ALAIEDON FARM
Alanson H. Reed of Lansing has purchased the W. V. Waltman farm in Alaiedon township. The Rev. W. V. Waltman intends to reside with his sister at Cable, Wisconsin, in the heart of the Wisconsin hunting and fishing area. Mr. Waltman has owned the Alaiedon farm for 10 years. He has been with his sister in Wisconsin for several months. For a number of years Rev. Waltman was an executive of the Michigan Anti-Saloon League.

Columbia Road By Mrs. W. C. Norris

Jackie Sears Leonard was born at the home of Mrs. Spinner, Mrs. Leonard's mother, in Mason, Sunday, March 28.

Dan Sears celebrated his 76th birthday anniversary with his daughter, Mrs. A. I. Leonard, Tuesday, March 30.

Mrs. Della Hilton and son Bob and family moved to her home here Tuesday.

LESLIE By Mrs. Ernest Sherman

Past Presidents Honored
President's day of the E. O. T. C. club was featured Tuesday by a six o'clock banquet and with Mrs. Florence Heberling of Jackson, southeast district president of the state federa-

tion, as speaker of the evening. The past presidents' table was made conspicuous with a candle ceremony consisting of a candle placed at each of the places, graduating in size from a tiny one at the place of the first past president present, Mrs. Addie Compton, to a large one at the place of the present president, Mrs. Blanche Ingalls. As each candle was lighted, each in their turn responded with an outstanding event of the time during which they served. Other than Mrs. Compton, past presidents in attendance were Mrs. Kitty Bailey, Mrs. Annie Taylor, Mrs. Helen Lacey, Mrs. Emma Brown, Mrs. Grace Wolfe, Mrs. Alice Hammond, Mrs. Emma Johnson, Mrs. Eva Wilcox, Mrs. Mae Taylor, Mrs. Sybil Edwards, Mrs. Estella Ranney, Mrs. Pauline Robinson, Mrs. Ellice Reardon and Mrs. Bernice Whitney. Mrs. Heberling was also seated at the table of honor and at the close of the banquet was presented a bouquet of spring flowers. Mrs. Emma Tucker acted as leader of the program. Mrs. Heberling spoke on clubs and women. Mrs. Grace Lawrence sang and Mrs. Yolande Mitchell entertained with piano selections. Hostesses were Mrs. Luella Woodworth, Mrs. Nellie Styles and Mrs. Anna Layton. Next Tuesday will be administration evening.

Injuries Prove Fatal
Edgar Morehouse who was injured March 24 near Chelsen when his car left the road died in a Jackson hospital Friday afternoon. Funeral services were held at the Morehouse home Monday afternoon with burial in Woodlawn cemetery. The Rev. E. J. Cross officiated. Mrs. Morehouse and Miss Irma Morehouse were also injured in the crash. Mrs. Morehouse is still confined to the hospital. The daughter has returned home. With the Morehouse family in the accident were Mrs. C. C. Hall and Miss Marion Hall of Leslie. They were not seriously hurt.

Resigns Pulpit
The Rev. Samuel Ruster has resigned as pastor of the Leslie Baptist church. The resignation became effective Easter Sunday.

Aged Man Died
Alfred J. Smith, 81, died suddenly Monday of a heart attack at the home of his son, June, in Leslie. Funeral services were held Thursday from the Behren funeral home, with the Rev. R. M. Lawrence officiating. Burial was in the Field cemetery in Rives township near where Mr. Smith had lived almost his whole life. He was born in Wayland, New York. On account of poor health he came to Leslie in De-

cember to reside with his son. Surviving near relatives are the wife, Ponniah, two sons, June and Don of Leslie, three daughters, Mrs. Mabel Horton of Harton, Mrs. Belle Madge and Mrs. Loda Wilkinson, both of Vandercook Lake, also a granddaughter, Mrs. Ralph Walters, who had always lived with her grandparents and six other grandchildren, and one brother, Harley Smith, of Jackson.

A surprise party was held at the M. C. Ward home Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. Ward's birthday anniversary. Following a bountiful dinner, he was presented with many lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hampton and family and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Auer Zimmerman, have purchased the Fred Holte home on Mill street and will take up their residence there soon. Leslie Community Grange will hold a regular meeting at the G. A. R. hall Saturday night. The box social scheduled for that time has been indefinitely postponed.

Fred Gale of Eaton Rapids, has sued in Justice Frank Fogge's court in Leslie the township of Meridian for compensation for labor and material for repairs on the Meridian engine house located at Haslett.

Members of the Kappa Kappa club held a hard time costume party at the home of Mrs. Lucile Brown, Wednesday evening. A polka dance was served and the evening was spent in playing keno and bunco.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Edwards were in Flint on business, Tuesday.

Miss Matilda Ingalls and Mrs. Thelma Wood of Rives entertained the Kappa club at the home of the former last Thursday evening. Prizes for bunco were awarded to Mrs. Spencer Leek, Miss Margaret Brownlee and Mrs. Phyllis Ingalls. Refreshments were served. Gifts were presented two members, Mrs. Roland Tubner and Mrs. Van Aldrich. Mrs. Lloyd Humes and Mrs. Louise Brownlee will be hostesses at the next meeting, the evening of April 15.

A regular meeting of the Leslie Citizens club will be held Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. O. Edwards and mother, Mrs. Flavius Taylor were guests Thursday of Mrs. Vernon Westervelt of Lyons, at a Women's club meeting. Mrs. Taylor read a paper before the club.

Mrs. Louise Greene is confined to her bed by illness.

The Girl Scouts enjoyed a party at the home of Mrs. Alice Loucks, Monday evening. A short business meeting was held after which Miss Esther Barnum was in charge of games, for which prizes were awarded to Jane Robinson and Virginia Larson. Re-

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PARKHURST'S

freshments were served by the hostess. Adjournment was made to meet April 5 for a regular meeting.

The Rev. E. L. Sutherland, pastor of the Congregational church, announces Sunday at 100 a. m. communion. Sermon theme, "In God We Live." Church school with Albert Norton, Supt., prece-des morning worship by one hour.

It is expected that M. L. Campbell, who was taken to the hospital several days ago as a preventative to pneumonia will be able to come home the last of this week.

Miss Jule Fogg has been secured to teach the Morse school next fall.

Mrs. John Fitzpatrick and daughter Veronica of Lansing, were called here Wednesday by the illness of the former's mother, Mrs. Louise Greene.

Supt. D. E. Clay and Mrs. Clay returned home from Chicago, Thursday.



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