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CANDIDATES SELECTED AT PARTY CONVENTIONS

REPUBLICANS MEETING AT FLINT THURSDAY.

VanWagoner Forces Controlled Democratic Convention Held in Flint Saturday.

Democrats held their state convention at Flint Saturday and Republicans are meeting in Flint Thursday to pick candidates for the April election.

From Flint Thursday morning came a report that Judge Howard West of Ingham and Judge Henry M. Butzel of Detroit were assured of reelection to the supreme court positions. Ben Christofer of Petoskey, Walter Gries of Ishpeming, Mrs. Matilda Wilson of Rochester and Gilbert Deane of Grand Rapids are candidates for the two nominations as members of the state board of agriculture. Candidates for the two positions as regent of the University of Michigan include Harry Kipke, former Michigan coach; Mason P. Dunne of Detroit, Joseph Herbert of Manistiquette, Henry Ehrhardt of Detroit and Spencer Bishop of Flint.

Dr. Eugene B. Elliott and E. E. Gallup, both of Ingham county, are the leading candidates for the republican nomination.

HAIRY-MOON CONVENTION

A report from the republican convention in Flint Thursday noon was that the gathering was the biggest and most enthusiastic in years and that harmony prevailed. The state of nominees that was likely to be named, perhaps without opposition, included Howard West of Ingham and Henry M. Butzel of Detroit for justices of the supreme court; Joseph L. Herbert of Manistiquette and Harry Kipke, former Lansing high school athlete and former coach at Michigan State college and the University of Michigan, for regents of the university; Forrest Akers of Detroit and Mel McPherson of Lower MI as members of the state board of agriculture; Miss Mary Farnsworth, principal of Cooley high school, Detroit, as member of the state board of education; and Dr. Eugene B. Elliott, Lansing, as superintendent of public instruction. In an address before the convention Governor Frank D. Fitzgerald recommended the abandonment of the political civil service law and the inauguration of a "common sense" civil service administration based on merit and competitive examinations.

nomination as superintendent of public instruction. Mrs. Daisy Howard of Flint and Charles F. Hix of the leaders in the race for the nomination as member of the state board of education.

James F. Thomson of Jackson has a clear field for re-election as chairman of the republican state committee.

VanWagoner In Control

Frank Murphy, defeated for re-election as governor and now the United States attorney general, saw his democratic leadership in Michigan grabbed by Murray D. VanWagoner, state highway commissioner and the only democrat now occupying an elective state administrative office. VanWagoner's candidate, Charles F. Porritt of Detroit, was named state chairman. Mrs. Elizabeth Lehman Elen of Lansing was chosen vice chairman.

The democratic convention tendered an olive branch to William A. Comstock, former governor who left the party in last fall's election for the Constitutional Convention.

Thomas J. Murphy of Detroit and Clarence L. Dwyer of Crystal Falls were nominated by the democrats to oppose Justices West and Butzel for the supreme court positions.

Dr. Dean W. Meyers of Ann Arbor and Charles L. Lockwood of Detroit, were nominated for the vacancies on the board of regents. T. Thomas Thatcher of Romeo, former representative and former clerk of the house, was nominated as superintendent of public instruction. Benjamin H. Halsted of Petoskey and Albert L. Lalonde of Genesee county were nominated to run for membership on the state board of agriculture. Mrs. Edna C. Wilson of Saginaw was renominated as member of the state board of education.

Temporary Bus Stop Approved By Council

CONSUMERS MAY BE GIVEN NEW CITY CONTRACT.

Approved by the city council Monday night was a temporary permit to the Short Way and Eastern Michigan bus lines to use the Peters drug store, the former Harrison store, for a bus station. The bus station has been maintained at the former Longyear store at the corner of Maple and Jefferson.

Walter C. Peters told the aldermen that a centrally-located bus station is an asset to the city and good advertising for a community. He and representatives of the bus companies explained to the council that loading and unloading passengers in the alley, as suggested by the aldermen, would be hazardous to the traveling public and would block the alley. It was finally agreed that a two-weeks trial would be given the present arrangement which calls for banning two parking places in front of the Peters store and two across the street from the store.

Aldermen discussed cancelling the present five-year street lighting contract of the Consumers Power company and entering into a new three-year contract. Under the present contract new street lights can not be placed during the final year of the contract which expires in December of this year. Glen Coon, Mason Consumers manager, stated that the company is willing to erect more lights. The contract issue will be decided at the council meeting March 6.

Building of Rayner Opera House Was Talk of The State In 1880

ROAD SHOWS PLAYED TO FULL HOUSES.

Editor's note—Roy Adams who recently sold the Mason theatre has written a complete history of the Rayner Opera House, the building which the present Fox theatre occupies. Here is the first installment.

The year was 1880. Lansing was a growing town of 8319 persons, pointing with pride to its newly erected state capitol building, and boasting of the well settled and fertile farming country surrounding it, although to modern eyes the Ingham county of that day, with miles of unbroken woodland covered with magnificent hardwoods, and traversed at wide intervals by primitive corduroy roads, would have seemed almost a primeval forest. Mason, the Ingham county seat, was a typical country town of the period, with streets that were ankle-deep in mud in summer, and knee-deep in mud in spring and fall, lined with scattered stretches of plank sidewalk, and lighted on moonless nights by dim little oil lamps spaced at wide intervals, that only served to make the darkness visible; with neat picket fences around the more prosperous homes, and a village pond where the cattle, horses, pigs and other livestock that roamed the streets were taken when their trespassing grew troublesome. It was a busy little village too, with two flouring mills, two saw mills, two planing mills, two slave and barrel factories, a foundry, two pump factories, a carriage factory, a machine shop, a carriage factory, a cheese factory and two brick yards.

But in spite of all these indications of industry and progress, in spite of the fact that nearly a third of the buildings in its business section were substantial two or three-story brick structures, despite its new three-story brick schoolhouse and commodious brick court house, with the fountain in the square where the hay was mown every summer in time for the Fourth of July celebration, Mason was not yet satisfied. Let Editor David P. Whitmore, whose trenchant pen weekly entertained the readers of his newly-founded Ingham County Democrat, tell the story.

In the Democrat for May 13, 1880, we read the following announcement:

"For several years Mason has keenly felt the lack of necessary accommodations for public amusements and gatherings. The court house and churches have been used, but many have been dissatisfied. With pleasure we announce that this inconvenience will be dispensed with hereafter. * * * Four of the Rayner heirs, A. J. Rayner, Charles J. Rayner, Barney C. Rayner and Mrs. Harpner, have for some time entertained the idea of erecting a good substantial opera house, with all modern improvements, and this week the matter was settled by the parties signing articles of agreement for the same. S. A. Padlock, the architect, is now drawing plans and making specifications. * * * We asked one of the parties if the matter was settled fact, and the reply was, 'Yes sir, we will certainly build a first class opera house this season. Where will it be? On Maple street, west of the Near block, and we will commence hauling stone for the foundation next week. No mistake, it will be completed this summer if the four of us' (Continued on Page 9, Col. 3)

Nurse Is Dead After Forty Years Service

FUNERAL RITES THURSDAY FOR MISS MAE LAMB.

Miss Mae A. Lamb, 66, nurse for more than 40 years, died at the home of Mrs. Bertha Shafer in Mason Monday night. She had been in poor health for several years and since last August had been confined to her bed. While caring for a child ill with scarlet fever several years ago Miss Lamb contracted the disease. It left her with a dangerous heart condition. Last August Miss Lamb fell at the Baptist church and broke her hip. She was taken to the University hospital in Ann Arbor and remained there until she was returned to Mrs. Shafer's home in Mason.

For more than 40 years Miss Lamb was actively engaged in nursing. It is stated that she probably officiated at more births in this community than anyone else during her long service. Miss Lamb was born in Aledo, Illinois, the daughter of Lambert and Hettie Lamb, pioneer residents of the county. She is survived by a brother, William K. Lamb, who resides in the old homestead; a nephew, Charles Rhodes of South Haven; two nieces, Dr. Kate Lamb of Mt. Pleasant and Mrs. Una Dicks of Saline. Miss Lamb resided at the farm home much of the time. She was a member of the Mason Baptist church and also served as a member of the board of deaconesses.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the Ball funeral home with burial in the Leek cemetery in Aledo. The Rev. Daniel Huntwork of the Mason Baptist church officiated.

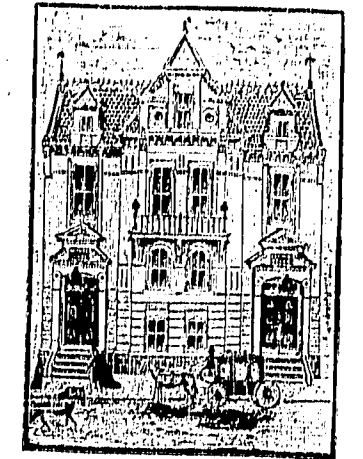
MEN ESCAPE DEATH

Charles Rhodes, 23, and Lester Houghton, 23, both of Lansing, escaped death when the car they were driving north of Mason on the Okemos road Saturday night struck a concrete bridge abutment. The car was a complete wreck. Rhodes received a fractured jaw and cheek bone and Houghton was injured about the head and shoulders. The men were treated at Mason and then were taken to a Lansing hospital. They said they were blinded by the lights of an approaching car and in the mist and rain did not see the bridge abutment.

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Woodcut Of Theatre



RAYNER OPERA HOUSE

Back before the days of photo-engraving, engravers actually engraved. Will Beebe, a former Mason boy, then a Grand Rapids artist, returned to make the engraving of the Rayner opera house. He took a piece of box wood and sharp tools and carved away on the block until there remained on the surface of the block almost a photographic likeness of the opera house. Mr. Adams found the old woodcut which was engraved by Mr. Beebe about 1881. The old cut is used above.

HOME FOLKS RALLY FOR DANVILLE CANDIDATE

CAMPAIGN IS LAUNCHED FOR MISS CURTIS.

Democratic Candidate For School Commissioner Honored At Meeting In Town Hall.

Miss Margaret Curtis, democratic candidate for county school commissioner, opened the campaign at the town hall in Danville Monday night when the home folks filled the hall for a rally. Nearly 300 were in attendance. Fred E. Searl of Mason is the republican candidate.

The opening of the campaign marked the political debut of Miss Curtis after 11 years of successful teaching in Ingham county schools. Miss Curtis is completing her ninth year as a member of the Ingham Township Agricultural school faculty and before that taught two years in rural schools.

Miss Curtis was introduced by Sup. Charles Woods of Ingham township, who placed her in nomination at the democratic county convention. Sup. Woods was chairman of the Danville meeting. Leaders in public life who lauded Miss Curtis at the meeting included Howard Elliott, formerly chief of the Ingham State college and a former candidate for state senator; Thomas J. Bailey, former prosecuting attorney; Ross B. Thompson, Lansing attorney and former circuit court commissioner; and Sup. Clyde Allen of the Danville school. The Danville school band played several selections during the meeting.

Mr. Elliott emphasized the many changes which have taken place in the field of rural education in 20 years and urged support for Miss Curtis, whom he said would be a progressive school commissioner. Mr. Bailey lauded Miss Curtis and declared that her election would bring Ingham county schools abreast with school progress. He said, "The intimate contact of Miss Curtis with classroom work for 11 years stamps her as eminently qualified for the position of commissioner."

Sup. Allen of Danville said, "Every job that has been assigned to Miss Curtis has been done well. She told of her success in teaching vocal music and debating."

Miss Curtis responded with an outline of her platform. She said, "I am vitally interested in music as a part of the rural school program. Ingham rural schools for three years have had the benefit of the music program sponsored by Michigan State college. Much good was derived from the program and the cultural benefits cannot be estimated in dollars and cents. Suddenly, almost mysteriously, this program was abandoned in Ingham county. Two years have passed and it has not been revived. What is the reason? If I am elected to the office of commissioner I promise to recommend the return of the rural school music program."

Three Tax Deadlines Arrive Next Tuesday

DOG TAXES, PROPERTY TAXES, CAR LICENSES DUE.

February 28, 1939, is a popular day for tax and license deadlines. Tuesday, February 28, is the last day on which dog licenses may be paid without a 100 per cent penalty. It is the last day on which automobiles may be legally driven without 1939 or half-year license plates. It is also the last day for payment of 1938 property taxes to local treasurers.

If dog licenses are paid on or before Tuesday the fee is \$1.00 for male and unsexed dogs and \$2.00 for female dogs. On and after March 1 the fee will be \$2.00 for male and unsexed dogs and \$4.00 for females. At the February meeting of the board of supervisors it was decided that no extension would be granted for payment of licenses this year.

After February 28 unpaid 1938 property taxes are returned delinquent to the county treasurer and penalty charges and interest are added.

Under state law Harry F. Kelly, secretary of state, can not extend the time of procuring licenses beyond March 1. On and after March 1 automobile owners must have their cars equipped with full 1939 plates or with the blue and white half-year plates.

Get Professor Quin blanks at Ware's drug store. w1

Plan Discussion For Agricultural Program

CONSERVATION COMMITTEEMEN SPONSOR BANQUET.

A farmer-businessman banquet is to be held at the I. O. O. F. hall in Mason Thursday night, March 2, for a thorough discussion on the soil conservation program. The banquet and discussion is being sponsored by the Ingham county agriculture conservation committeemen. The banquet is to begin at 6:30.

Roy Edlin of Ionia, field man for the state commission, and other members of the state committee will take part in the discussion. Business men are also being urged to attend the banquet to learn the details of the soils program.

WATER SERVICE PERILED BY SYCAMORE ICE JAMS

STANDPIPE DRAINED BY BREAK IN BIG MAIN.

City Without Water Pressure Several Hours Sunday After Ice Jam Tears Out Main.

Had fire broken out in Mason Sunday afternoon water would have had to have been pumped from Sycamore creek or the ponds which were formed at low water by the inch and one-half downpour. Two ice floes hurtling down the Sycamore broke the big main at the State street bridge. Before repairs were made the standpipe was drained of its entire load of 138,500 gallons. The flooding Sycamore was sent on its way below town without Mason's blessings and 138,500 gallons of extra water.

When the Sycamore was cleaned under WPA the bed of the stream was lowered about two feet. At the State street bridge the water main had been just beneath the bed of the creek. After the level was lowered two feet the water main was at or above the normal water level. The water department intended to wait for low water to lower the main below the Sycamore. Because the main was exposed and in danger of being frozen, the water valve through it was increased to speed the flow and to lessen the freezing danger.

About one o'clock Sunday afternoon the main was broken. It was two o'clock before emptying standpipe lowered the water pressure. It was three o'clock before the lack of water pressure was brought to the attention of city officials and it became five o'clock before the word reached Glen Stevens, superintendent of the water department.

Mr. Stevens drove to the State street bridge to see the last of the city's water supply bubbling into the Sycamore. He saw that a chunk of ice weighing 1½ tons was lodged on one stretch of the main with a ton-chuck lodged on the other end. Valves were shut off to isolate the section and the pumps were driven full speed to fill the standpipe.

Without water service the residents were left to make the balance of Sunday and on Monday and Tuesday. A new length of pipe was placed Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Stevens said that temporary service will have to be maintained until after the spring floods when the State street main will be buried in the bed of the stream. The city water department superintendent said the other mains uncovered by lowering of the Sycamore also have to be buried to eliminate dangers of freezing and damage from floating objects.

Co-Op Shippers To Meet Here Saturday

ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD IN COURT HOUSE.

Members of the Mason Co-Operative Shipping association will hold their annual meeting in the circuit court room of the Mason court house Saturday afternoon, February 25, at two o'clock. A secretary-manager and three directors are to be elected and the annual report of the secretary-manager will be submitted.

Claude D. Edgar is secretary-manager. The three directors whose terms expire are Thomas H. Hanna of Ingham, Claude M. Purish of Aurelius and Emery Jewett of Vevay.

For several years more livestock has been shipped out of Mason to the Detroit terminal market than has been shipped by railroad from any other point in Michigan.

Community Joins In Father-Son Banquet

JACKSON PASTOR TO HEAD LINE MASON PROGRAM.

The Rev. Carl S. Winters, pastor of the First Baptist church, Jackson, has been secured to give the main address at the father and son banquet to be held in Mason on Wednesday night, March 1. The banquet, open to all men and boys in the community, regardless of church membership, is to be held in the Methodist church. Mr. Winters delivered the address at the dedication of the Hall Memorial library last fall.

Glen Coon is to serve as toastmaster at the banquet. The program is as follows: Invocation, by the Rev. Homer F. Roberts of the Presbyterian church; group singing, led by Derwood Carr and Miss Hattie Lucas; violin solo, Raymond McLean, toast to sons, Ira Rose; toast to fathers, Dick Brown; singing, male quartet; address, by the Rev. Carl S. Winters. Men without sons and boys whose fathers are unable to attend are invited. Arrangements will be made to provide men with sons for the evening. Serving of the banquet is to begin promptly at 6:30; it is announced.

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MARCH JURORS CHOSEN FOR DUTY IN LANSING

NEXT COURT TERM OPENS ON MARCH 13.

Thirty Jurors Picked For Service At The March Term Of Ingham Circuit Court.

On Tuesday afternoon at Mason the names of 30 men and women were drawn by lot to serve at the March term of the circuit court to be opened in Lansing on Monday, March 13. The jurors are to report the following Monday, March 20. Jurors were chosen by William S. Seelye and William B. Hartzog, Mason justices of the peace, Undersecretary Frank Cline, Ross Hilliard, county clerk, and Miss Gertrude Ludwick, deputy county clerk. An unusual result of the drawing was that among the 30 names drawn were two Bushes, two Millers and two Keosleys.

The names drawn were E. H. Lerner, Alalodon; George Baumer, Aurelius; Alzina Lawrence, Bunker Hill; Ernest Wrook, Delhi; Ernest Seelye, Ingham; Jay Miller, Lansing township; William Schneider, Leroy; Albert Brown, Leslie; Glen Bolsford and Arthur Piper, Locke; Mrs. Edna Bush and Fort Keosley, Meridian; Mrs. Rhoda Monroe and Fred Disenroth, Onondaga.

Louise Springman, Stockbridge; Eldon Reithmiller, Vevay; Frank Glaser, Wheatfield; Rula Miller, White Oak; Ben Graham, Williamston; Vivian Whitmore, Mason, first ward; Mrs. Sylvia Keosley, East Lansing; J. H. Ponnington, East Lansing; Harry Treber, first ward; Lina Roberts, second ward; William Biddy Burns, third ward; Inez H. Webb, fourth ward; Mrs. Clara G. Bush, fifth ward; Earl Winters, sixth ward; John Garrison, seventh ward; and Frances Haight, eighth ward, all of the city of Lansing.

FARM SALES CONTINUE, ANOTHER FAIR AUCTION

COUNTY FAIR SALE TO BE HELD MARCH 4.

Many Ingham Farm Auctions Listed For Selling During February And March.

One of the busiest spring auction seasons in the history of the county is underway. There are four and five sales a week in the county and the schedule of sales runs through March. Ingham county's community sale at the fairgrounds in Mason last Thursday was successful despite the zero weather. Chassis of tobacco auctioneers could not have been heard against the cold wind yet six farm auctioneers stayed with their tasks until the selling was completed. The frigid weather or cut the prices slightly. Many prospective buyers sought shelter in the buildings and the bidding was not as spirited as it would have been had the weather been milder.

Last Thursday's county fair auction was so successful that another sale will be held at the fairgrounds Saturday, March 4. Horses, dairy cows, sheep, hogs and farm implements from all parts of the county are being listed. As in last Thursday's sale the sellers will receive the actual prices of their goods bring, less commissions which will be retained by the county fair association.

As a result of the experience gained from the sale last week some new rules and regulations have been drawn up for the March 4 selling. All horses, dry cows, sheep, brood sows and tools must be delivered at the fairgrounds the day before the sale. The consignors must also provide their stock with feed. The fair board has arranged for a man to remain at the barn all night before the sale.

Last week in the Ingham County News were sales to be held this week end. They are as follows:

Friday, February 24, Marienus Klont, six miles north of Mason on Okemos road and one mile east.

Saturday, February 25, G. M. Rockhold, five miles west of Leslie and three-fourths of a mile south.

In the advertising columns this week are the following sales:

Tuesday, February 28, L. A. Gardner, three and one-half miles east of Mason on Columbia road.

Wednesday, March 1, John C. Barnes, one mile south and one mile west of Onondaga.

Friday, March 3, LaVerne Clements, one mile north of Holt on Lone Pine road.

Saturday, March 4, county fair sale at fairgrounds in Mason. Advertisements to appear soon in the Ingham County News will include:

Tuesday, March 7, Floyd Turrell and Mrs. Eva Bensch, three-quarters of a mile north of Mason on Waterworks road.

Tuesday, March 7, estate of William E. Taylor, 2 miles north of East Lansing on Lake Lansing road, and third house east on Abbott road.

Wednesday, March 8, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Sheldon, five and one-half miles south of Webberville.

Friday, March 10, Ernest Rowe, one mile west of Mason on Sits road.

Wednesday, March 15, John C. Warner, six miles north of Mason and five miles east on Linn road.

Tuesday, March 21, J. L. Nichols, nine miles north of Mason on Phillips road and one mile east.

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OFFERS SUGGESTIONS

JUDGE JOHN MCLELLAN



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Judge McClellan, judge of the probate and juvenile courts, has suggested to the building committee that the county does not need an orphanage. He pointed out that what is needed is a fireproof modern building to replace the present juvenile detention home in Mason.

ATTACK IS LAUNCHED ON STATE INSPECTION

COUNCIL MAY RECONSIDER ACTION ON INSPECTION.

Contractor Asks For Plumbing And Electrical Inspection Canceled And Without Value.

Adoption of a resolution returning Mason to state plumbing inspection several weeks ago did not settle the issue. At the council meeting Monday night Earl D. Whipple attacked the action of the council in placing Mason under both the electrical and plumbing inspection codes.

Mr. Whipple charged that state inspection is often a farce. He declared that in many cases people have paid for inspection and that inspection has not been made. The contractor also asserted that waiting for state inspectors to appear is costly because other work on the job is delayed, sometimes for several days, awaiting a visit from the inspector. Mr. Whipple stated that there are competent electrical and plumbing inspectors now working for the city and that it is not necessary to send to Lansing to have Mason jobs inspected. He suggested that the city provide its own inspection service, stating that it would be more efficient and less costly.

Mayor Arthur W. Jewett and Ald. Gibbins Howlett defended the action of the council in asking for state inspection. They said the inspection was for the safety and benefit of the public and that the public wanted the inspection. Mr. Whipple wanted the inspection. Mr. Whipple was asked by certain plumbers and was hurried through the council. Ald. Earl A. Dunsmore stated that the inspection issue was too hurriedly adopted by the council.

The mayor and Ald. Howlett told Mr. Whipple to ask Mason people to sign petitions asking for rescinding the resolution providing for state inspection.

State inspection is not mandatory for cities the size of Mason. The city had state plumbing inspection several years ago. The council quickly rescinded it when action against a local plumber was taken under the state law. A few weeks ago the council again voted to have state plumbing inspection. State electrical inspection was voted by the council upwards of a year ago. The state electrical inspector, C. J. Burlingame, resides in Mason and serves the Lansing district.

School Has Resumed With More Absences

LOWER GRADES ABSENCES HAVE INCREASED.

Mason's school vacation called Friday because of the prevalence of colds ended Wednesday. There were more pupils absent Wednesday than there were last Friday. When classes were dismissed Friday there were 101 pupils in the kindergarten and first six grades absent out of 390 enrolled. On Wednesday of this week the list of absent pupils reached 164, an increase of 63. A decrease was shown in the upper six grades, however. Last Friday 115 out of 381 were absent. On Wednesday there were only 64 of the 381 absent. Last Friday six teachers were absent. On Wednesday only two teachers were on the sick list.

The first grade room is the hardest hit with only 15 present Wednesday out of a total enrollment of 40. The sixth grade had 14 absent out of 40.

Supt. Edwin M. Boyne stated that health authorities recommend that classes be continued so that health conditions can be checked more closely.

The county orchestra festival scheduled to be held in Williamston Thursday night of this week will be held despite rumors that it would be postponed.

BURNED BY STEAM LaMoure Barnaby of Eden was severely burned by steam while working at the S. M. A. plant last week.

PUBLISHER TO PREACH E. O. Gildart, publisher of the Utica Sentinel who is spending the winter in Mason, will preach at the Mason Methodist church at the morning service Sunday. His subject will be "Christianity and Democracy."

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COMMITTEE ORGANIZED FOR DETENTION HOME

NEW SITE MAY BE CHOSEN FOR JUVENILE HOME.

Floyd E. Shaw, Lansing Supervisor, Elected Chairman Of Building Committee.

At a meeting held in Mason last Thursday afternoon Sup. Floyd E. Shaw of Lansing was elected chairman of the juvenile detention home building committee. Sup. Shaw was appointed along with Sup. Ward Vickers of Bunker Hill and Sup. Jacob Schepers of East Lansing to serve with members of the board of control of the detention home and Judge John McClellan of the probate and juvenile courts as a committee. Members of the detention home board of control are Ernest H. Ward of Lansing, Guy S. Thorburn of Mason and Walter H. Carven of Vevay.

The supervisors at the February meeting debated the building of a new detention home to replace the present building which is not fireproof and which is held to be inadequate to care for wards of the juvenile court. The committee is to study the need for a new home and is to recommend plans if a decision is reached that a new home is needed. A building fund of \$20,000 was built up over a four-year period prior to 1938.

May Obtain New Site Judge McClellan is opposed to the county establishing an orphanage. Said the judge, "There is no need for an orphanage in this county. What is needed is a fire-proof building in which boys and girls can be given care until free homes or boarding homes are available for them or until they are adopted. Children should not be kept in this or any other detention home any longer than is absolutely necessary. That was my belief when I became judge of probate and my experience since then has confirmed that belief."

"This talk about building an institution so that dependent and neglected children may be segregated is apt to be a misgiving. Of course, there are occasionally old boys and girls who must be looked up but that does not often happen. Nearly all so-called delinquent children are also dependent and neglected children and often the dependent and neglected children could as well have been listed as delinquent. There is no exact border line. Sometimes those taken to the detention home are delinquent and not delinquent at all. What the boys and girls need are good homes and a detention home should be used only until good homes are found for the county's wards."

The judge is of the opinion that the committee should look at other sites further removed from the Mason residential section. He said, "Perhaps the present building, which was used as a residence before it was converted into a detention home, could be sold at a profit and a new site could be chosen where more land is available."

Of course, there is no reason to buy land for farming purposes because boys and girls at the home are not there for long enough periods and most of them are far too young to work. I do believe, though, that a few acres should be available for the children to roam and play. A woodlot could be set out and the children could be interested in caring for it."

Before the committee is ready to decide on a detention home building the members will probably visit several other county detention homes in Michigan.

Matthews Dairy Chain Secures Mason Store

LESLIE MAN TO OPERATE STORE HERE.

Matthews Dairy Store of St. Johns has secured a lease of the former Longyear drug store in the Arthur building and plans to open for business about March 10. Harold Morea of Leslie will operate the Mason store. The Matthews Dairy Store is a St. Johns enterprise. Besides the St. Johns store there are four stores in Lansing and two in Jackson. Matthews cream and candy are sold and lunches are served.

Mr. Morea has operated Matthews stores in other cities. The store here is being remodeled and new equipment will be installed.

Lansing Township To Have Primary Voting

CANDIDATES FILE FOR PLACES ON BALLOTS.

Lansing township will hold primary elections March 6 to choose candidates to run in the April election. Lansing is the only township in the county which holds primary elections. Other townships choose their candidates by the caucus method.

On the republican ticket Sup. Roy B. Moore is opposed by George Leavens, Robert N. Watkins, democratic candidate for supervisor. Roy B. McKim, incumbent clerk and a democrat, has no opposition from his own party. Herbert W. Church and Raymond A. Wilcox are the republican aspirants for clerk.

Hubert A. Sellers, republican treasurer, is opposed by Harry J. Elliott.

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WOMAN'S INHUMANITY TO WOMEN

We have heard about man's inhumanity to man but until American Business recently revealed the result of the survey conducted by Dr. Donald A. Laird we did not know that man's inhumanity to man was far exceeded by woman's inhumanity to women. Dr. Laird's survey disclosed that 99.81 per cent of 521 women who had worked under both men and women bosses at different times preferred a man boss. Just one of the 521 women interviewed said it made no difference—all the rest emphatically wanted a man boss.

Women employees called women bosses petty, officious, bickering, fault-finding, superior, jealous, mean, impatient and unfair. A typical comment from a secretary, age 29, was "Men are big enough not to have to scream and continually try to impress others with their importance. The man boss expects prompt results, but does not get excited if he has to wait a minute or two. He does not spend his time bothering with details, but allows his assistants or secretaries to have full responsibility."

It should be understood that this survey was taken by Dr. Laird and not by the Ingham County News. We are giving the results of the survey here to hearten all of those men who work for women at home and who have women working for us at the office. Perhaps if the women like their men bosses at the office the women left at home might like their men a little better. Try it and let us know.

A HARD DOCTRINE

A hard doctrine, but one worth serious thought, is covered by an article appearing in The Imperial Magazine, a trade magazine published by the Imperial Type Metal Company. It is entitled "Survival of the Fit." Part of it follows:

"To justify itself, must an economic system, eliminate the possibility of individual failure? To what extent is society responsible for individual failure? Where does this responsibility begin and where does it end?"

"We are compelled to ask ourselves these questions in these days of discontent, and we find ourselves perplexed, but T. N. Carver, professor of political economy at Harvard, offers enlightenment."

"No social policy," he says, "can prevent individual failure, of which unemployment is one phase. Failure is the price of progress. The whole theory of evolution, in the Darwinian sense, is based on the failure of some and the success of others. Variation and selection, survival and extinction, the success of the adapted and the failure of the unadapted, are the conditions of progress. The best possible economic system is the one which establishes the best standard of fitness for success or survival and makes it most certain that those who fail are least fit from the social rather than the biological standpoint. They are most fit, from the social standpoint, who contribute most to the life of the group. They are least fit who contribute least."

"A society which is so organized as to make it possible for the socially useful to succeed, and to make it certain that the socially useless shall fail, is a good society. The socially superfluous are socially useless. In other words, the fact that there are many failures in life is not, in itself, an indictment of society. The real question is, what kinds of people fail? A society which persecutes its saints and preserves its sinners, is a bad society. A society which preserves those who are useless, and extinguishes those who would contribute to its life is not only bad, but because of its badness, is a weak and a perishing society."

"Insofar as our economic system permits those to succeed who make no contribution to our national life it is, of course, in need of reform. Insofar as it permits those to fail who are fitted to make positive contributions to our life, it is equally in need of reform. Meanwhile, there is no reason why we should assume other nations' burden of unemployment by permitting them to send their unemployed to us. Beyond these limits we need not let our reforming fury carry us. Certainly, the fact that there are failures in our economic system is no reason for discarding it entirely."

Congratulations are in order for A. J. Wilkowski, former state senator still serving time in Jackson prison for his part in the 1934 election frauds. On Saturday Wilkowski (shall we say the Hon.) was elected to the democratic state central committee.

SAFETY FOR PEDESTRIANS

A few dollars of the thousands available for road construction should be used to build and maintain sidewalks along the main highways. There should be a sidewalk or footpath all the way from Holt to Lansing. Along other main highways near Lansing there should be sidewalks. Lack of sidewalks has caused a heavy death toll in the area. A 12-year-old Holt boy was added to the list of victims last week.

In the winter time the sidewalks should be kept free from snow and ice so that pedestrians will not have to take to the pavements. Township boards and the county plat board should refuse to accept new plats until sidewalks are built along the main highways upon which the plats front. Not always would the need be for a five-foot or six-foot standard walk. Often a three-foot walk would serve as well.

A generation ago nearly every main road was paralleled with a bicycle path. The need for paths for cyclists and pedestrians is much greater today than it was in 1900 yet paths and walks are few and far between. We suggest that Ingham county lead in a movement to make the highways safe for pedestrians and cyclists by building and maintaining sidewalks or cinder or gravel paths and by insisting that owners of all new plats build sidewalks.

THE ENGLISH SWEET TOOTH

English-speaking countries lead in the consumption of sugar. Whether the consumption is based on a natural liking for sweets or whether only the English-speaking countries can afford so much sugar is something that economists will have to figure out.

Australia leads the world in sugar consumption with 112 pounds per capita yearly. The United Kingdom is next with 105 pounds and the United States with 101 pounds. From there the per capita consumption drops sharply with 85 pounds for the Irish Free State, 70

pounds for Norway, 66 pounds for the Netherlands, 51 pounds for Czechoslovakia, 61 pounds for Germany, 58 pounds for France, 34 pounds for Japan, 18 pounds for Italy and three pounds for China. The average world consumption per capita is 30 pounds annually.

The editor of the Sugar Journal, from which the figures were taken, claims that the development of the health, wealth and prosperity of the leading nations of the world during the last century has been due in some part to the increased per capita consumption of sugar. He believes the increased use of sugar has reduced mortality, improved the health and added to the energy and aggressiveness of men.

Right there a question must be interposed? What about Germany, Japan and Italy? Their per capita consumption is low yet they do not lack aggressiveness. Can it be that they have just enough sugar to give them aggressiveness and not enough to make them satisfied? Are they fighting for more sugar and when they get it will they be willing to sit back and enjoy it?

More likely the price is the governing factor in consumption. The average retail price of sugar in the United Kingdom in 1937 was 5.1c per pound. The United States price was 5.6c and in Canada it was 5.9c and 6.6c in Australia while in Norway sugar was 7.2c, in France 8.5c, in Germany 13.7c and in Italy 14.6c.

The annual secession talk of Wayne county is again being broadcast. Why not call Detroit's bluff and tell 'em to go ahead and form their own state? Michigan then would have a lot fewer headaches and a lot of rooms for rent in prisons and asylums.

OUR CHILDREN'S WORLD

There was a lot of meat in the talk of Rep. Dora H. Stockman before a high school assembly in Mason last week. One statement made by Mrs. Stockman was so irrefutable that no trimmings were necessary. It was to the effect that no man who has achieved greatness in science has ever been a slave to the liquor habit. Another statement was that the older generation has no need to apologize for the condition of the world.

Mrs. Stockman pointed out that the world today offers more conveniences, more opportunities, more chances for advancement than at any other time in its history. In the last 50 years electricity, automobiles, radio, motion and talking pictures, airplanes and many other inventions have been developed. In the last 50 years more advancement has been made in surgery and medicine than has been brought forth in any other half-century. These great accomplishments have been contributed to the coming generation for further development. As Mrs. Stockman pointed out, everything can't be wrong with a generation that has accomplished so much. A generation that has produced Henry Ford, Marconi, Edison, Firestones, Pasteurs, Wrights and other scientists and industrialists has something to recommend it.

Following Mrs. Stockman's line of reasoning, if one generation has produced so much, the next generation certainly should be able to go on to further develop those inventions and to work out ways and means of better control and distribution.

Because of the many inventions of the last 50 years our children have a new world. They have tools of progress which were unknown a few short years ago. Mrs. Stockman did not deny that the older generation made mistakes nor did she claim that the new generation is not entitled to a few of its own. She did forcefully point out that opportunities of the world today are much greater than they were a generation ago and that no apologies are needed by the older generation who pass on the torch to the youngsters of today.

Experts predicted that Mussolini would never gain control of Ethiopia and that France couldn't win in Spain. That makes it tough for China because experts are now saying that Japan can never conquer China.

A FOREIGN POLICY SHOWDOWN

It may have been Woodrow Wilson who demanded "open covenants openly arrived at." At any rate it is the policy that Americans today demand of their federal government.

Senators should dig deep to learn if there is any truth in the reports that France and England and Soviet Russia and other countries have been given assurances that the United States is with them, that our frontiers are on the Rhine or in France.

Americans should have no quarrel with the British, French, Italians, Germans, Russians, Mexicans or other peoples. We have our own problems to work out and have plenty to do to set our own house in order. We can not afford to go marching off to another European war. It would probably be the end of the American republic.

American frontiers are the western shore of the Atlantic, the eastern shore of the Pacific, the Mexican and the Canadian borders. They do not lie in France, in Germany, in Italy, in Ethiopia or in Asia.

Parents should teach their children to work. The schools will teach them how to play.

LIQUOR AND THE MOVIES

In 1932 Carl Laemmle, president of the Universal Pictures Corporation, made a straight-from-the-shoulder talk to the motion picture industry.

He warned them that a large part of the money which would go to the re-established saloons for beer and beer taxation would come out of the movie business.

He declared that the return of the saloon would be a "pestilence," that it would not create one single new dollar of money but would mean that the dollar which, under prohibition, was spent on motion pictures, semi-luxuries and necessities would in part be spent elsewhere, to the loss of the motion picture industry.

He called upon the motion picture industry to arouse the women of the country against the dangers which would attend the reopening of the saloons and to tell the politicians in plain language that if the saloons came back they would be out of office.

The motion picture business did not heed Mr. Laemmle's warning and today it is dividing its dollars with the beer taverns and other places of debauchery.—Michigan Christian Advocate.

Down by the SYCAMORE

William F. Richards, P. Walter Gies, Walter H. Brush or whoever it is who picked the office staff at the S. M. A. chose decorative young women to match the handsome new office. No sir, beauty in no bar to employment at the S. M. A. as the management does not believe the old adage about beauty and brains not being found together. Miss Marjorie Snyder, Miss Ellen Field, Miss Martha Mary Hamilton and Miss Joyce Every are now members of the staff and they add to the charm and personality so long established there by Miss Leda Laverly. Under Mr. Gies the office staff is brisk and businesslike yet restful on the eyes.

The latch on the Ingham County News door finally wore out after 60 years and a new modern and streamlined latch replaced it last week. How many million times did that latch open and close the door in that half-century? The five-inch keys used on the old lock are museum pieces. Joe Brower carried his for the full 50 years but doesn't think he will carry his new and smaller key for more than 40 years.

Announcement that four Michigan State coeds have been assigned to Mason for a six-weeks study of the community is intriguing. The young women are expected to take part in as many community affairs as possible. The announcement has caused the Mason and Eden Bachelors club to individually pick up their ears. It is believed that at a special executive committee meeting of the club to be held Thursday afternoon the club will offer the coeds its complete guide and escort service. Nick and his Cornhuskers have arranged a special coed square dance number at the weekly ball next Wednesday night so that Miss Jeanne Alderson, Miss Joyce Conklin, Miss Dorothy Davey and Miss Ruth Mias can learn the inner workings of Mason's night life.

The athletic department of Michigan State college owes Loris Curtis \$10.00 and has owed it to him since 1926. Loris called at the office to voice his interest in changing the name of Mason high school athletic teams to something besides Maroons. He said he hoped I had better luck in picking names than he did. After the name was changed from Michigan Agricultural college to Michigan State college athletic department sponsored a campaign to change the name of the teams from Aggies to something else. A prize of \$10 was offered to the person who suggested an acceptable name. Loris cogitated and there was born the name of Spartans, derived from that ancient and heroic Greek people.

Yet Spartans was not chosen in the contest. A good looking coed submitted Spartans and received the \$10. Statutes passed three days and then sport scribes reached down into the waste basket full of discarded names and logically picked the Curtis gem. To Loris Curtis, Alameda farmer, goes the credit for Spartans. He named the husky infant. Someone else got the \$10.

Three members of the Mason Legion post have Purple Heart awards. The men who have received them are Dr. Kendall Merlau, William J. Barber and James Jennings of Holt. Dr. Joe C. Panton has a cork de guerre. "I ran across some good advice last week. It was, 'If you're naturally quarrelsome, don't open a joint checking account with your wife.' It's queer that germs lurk only in schools and churches and that there is no fear of germs in dance halls and theaters."

An Olds and a Plymouth have been added to the Mason faculty rolling stock within the past month. Norm Reckling had intended buying a LaSalle but the surgeon's knife made a change in plans necessary. There are a lot of nice looking boys and girls in this year's kindergarten class. One of the sweetest-faced boys I know is Douglas Tom Barr. I asked his name and he told me all of it, proudly explaining that the Tom part is from his grandfather.

An associated press dispatch from Jackson reads, "Twenty-three dark green sweaters bearing a white block letter 'L' (for Lions) adorned the torsos of 23 stalwart inmates of Jackson prison Wednesday, as a reward for playing football on the prison's very soggy last season." For once, words have failed me.

Ray Matull, 30, the man who fell to his death from the Williamston water tower, was not a suicide, according to his father who came up from Chicago after the tragedy. "Ray was an A-1 steel worker until repeal came along," the father said. "Then he gave up working on steel construction for a career of drinking. Liquor and steel work don't go together. A steel worker must have steady nerves for his own protection and for the safety of those who work with him."

"Ray began to hit the booze and lost his job. To cadge nickels and dimes for liquor he often climbed towers to put on a show. That's what he intended at Williamston. He intended to come down and pass the hat for food, lodging and something to drink. But he lost his footing. He was a good youngster until he took up drink."

I am sorry I could not attend the National Council of Parent Education which held forth in Detroit last week. Prof. Ernest W. Burgess of the University of Chicago, Dr. Louis A. Schwartz, Detroit psychiatrist, Prof. Max Rheinstein of the University of Chicago, Dr. W. Carson Ryan of the Carnegie Foundation, Dr. O. E. Baker of (of of) agricultural economics, and Mrs. Sidonie Matamor Grunberg of the Child Study association of America were the speakers. Odds are 2 to 1 that the speakers didn't average one offspring each. I always envy Bill Richards, Eddie Boyne and Hugh Slusby when the father and son banquet season opens. They each have four sons.

Sound travels through the water at a speed of 4,700 feet per second. Through the air the rate is 1087 feet per second.

The quantity of salt in the ocean varies from four to six per cent. The Great Salt Lake of Utah contains approximately 20 per cent salt.

Ancient History

Gleaned from News Files of Years Past

Ten Years Ago

Eighty Mason men are in the east of the "Womanless Wedding" to be given February 27 and 28 at the Pastime theatre by the Methodist church.

There was a fine attendance at the annual father and son banquet staged by the Men's class of the Presbyterian church Wednesday night. The Rev. C. B. Gehagen of Chicago delivered a stirring message. Others on the program were Gordon Kennedy who spoke for the sons, Nelson Brown who spoke for the fathers, Donald A. Murray and the Rev. George Ferriell. William F. Richards presided as toastmaster. Lloyd Doane led community singing. A quartet, composed of L. L. Ketchum, George Kellogg, Paul Nussendorfer and N. J. Fry, sang.

Max Glover has opened a wrestling studio in the Dart building on Jefferson. Instruction is being given in the science of wrestling.

Mason Scouts ran away with first honors at the district rally held in Eaton Rapids Saturday. Doyle Spring, Celand Lamphere and Howard Coon won points for Mason.

Twenty Years Ago

Arthur and George Nichols, sons of Ed Nichols, returned to their home from the A. E. F. Saturday.

Edgar A. Guest of the Detroit Free Press was the main attraction at the Rayner opera house Tuesday night. His appearance here was sponsored by the Junior Baracas of the Baptist Sunday school.

Roy W. and Ralph S. Adams have purchased the Pastime theatre from C. W. Browne who has operated it for 10 years.

Miss Ethel Baldwin and Miss Bernice Parker were named valedictorian and salutatorian of the 1919 class. Miss Parker was tied with Miss Marian Curtis of Dansville for salutatorian.

The high school Union has elected officers for the current semester as follows: President, Marian Curtis; vice president, Burr DuBois; secretary, Harold Bickert; treasurer, Parris Green; yell leader, Dorr Hathaway.

Fifty Years Ago

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Chas. Shafer tomorrow afternoon.

J. D. Phelps has sold his interest in the Sagers & Phelps hardware to his partner and will locate in the Upper Peninsula.

Young people who will take part in the Baptist Young People's Society "Longfellow" social at the church tomorrow night are Henry and Bert Longyear, Will Grow, Miss Namie Oak, Miss Jennie Clowes, Miss Bertha L. Moody, Miss Hannah M. Balkins, Miss Blanche Every, Roy Robb and Miss Alice E. Moody.

A lot of timber has been cut in White Oak this winter. Logs are piled high at the three mills operated by J. Jessop, B. Ellsworth and W. Gilman.

At the post meeting Thursday night Nathan S. Davis, commander, last year, was presented with a past commander's medal. The presentation

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Clifford Hurry Commander
Leo Waro Vice Commander

Women's Auxiliary

Mrs. Charlotte Burton President
Mrs. Irene Rouse Secretary



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was made by Past Commander L. A. Willden.

Ray Potter, service officer, submitted a report of his activities during 1938.

Legionnaires have been invited to attend the Americanism meeting to be held by the Auxiliary February 28.

At the next meeting, March 2, the Ingham County Legion Council will meet with the Mason post.

The members of the post and auxiliary are to serve the Mason Milk Producers banquet on March 7.

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Culver Corners

By Mrs. H. M. Owen

A son, Jack Richard, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Phillips at the Ponton hospital February 15.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burns and daughters spent Sunday with Mrs. Maud Shook of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dougherty spent Sunday in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clark. A grandson, Robert, returned home with them to spend a week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Carlson of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. John Burns Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Muscott of Lansing visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gardner Saturday night.

Ruth Gardner spent the week and in Lansing with Miss Virginia Brehman.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Penton of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Pete Steffens Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gardner spent Saturday night in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. William Ommen.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Owen accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Thorburn of Holt on a fishing trip to Bruin Lake Saturday.

Island Corners

By Mrs. Mary Root

Lee Hulett and Jean and June Root spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Senter of near Owosso.

Miss Alice Marshall and Miss Dorothy Drake of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Marshall of Eaton Rapids,

spent Sunday at the Martha Allen residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lou spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Arend of Alhambra Center.

The neighborhood party was held Saturday night at the school. There were enough present for nine tables. Prizes went to Mrs. Ted Baermon, Charles Kurtz, Mrs. Parker and Joe Spenger of Lansing. Refreshments were served.

Miss Elizabeth Greenfield and Sylvester Higbee of Waco, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Morlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foote spent the week end in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Foote and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hazen and family of Lansing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Root and family.

HOME EXTENSION

The second meeting of the speech project will be held in the Areola Center church at 2:00 o'clock on Friday, March 3, according to Mrs. Berline Benedict, county home extension agent. A third meeting will be held on March 24. The meetings are sponsored by the Ingham county home economics extension groups and are open meetings. Actual practice in speech making is given. Cecil Nichols of the Michigan State college speech department is conducting the series of meetings.

SPOKE ON CONSTITUTION

Dr. William B. Hartzog gave an interesting discourse on the constitution of the United States at the annual convention and the adoption of the address delivered before members of the Mason Kiwanis club Tuesday night.

LESLIE

By Mrs. Ernest Sherman

Mrs. Lucy Mitchell Dies

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Mitchell, 78, widow of the late George S. Mitchell, were held from the Behren funeral home Saturday afternoon in charge of the Rev. Edward J. Cross and the Rev. Roy E. Clearwater. Burial was in Woodlawn. She is survived by three sons, John and George of Detroit, and Dr. D. L. Mitchell of Young of Danvers, Mrs. Helen Young of Danvers, one sister, Mrs. Sarah B. Brown of Burlington, Michigan; one brother, John A. Mark of Jackson; and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Ada Mitchell of Jackson; 11 grandchildren and nieces. Born in Whitby, Ontario, in 1861, Mrs. Mitchell came to Leslie in 1886, residing here the past 53 years. She was a member of the Baptist society and a member of the Royal Neighbors. Mrs. Mitchell was one of Leslie's best known and respected citizens and was outstanding for her kindness and generosity to those less fortunate than herself. Her husband conducted the Mitchell general store here from 1886 until his death in 1931, since which time the business has been carried on by the sons, John and George. The late Alex Mitchell of Jackson, was a son of Mrs. Mitchell.

Wilson Services Held

Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Wilson, 68, wife of Bertram Wilson of Los Angeles, California, were held Tuesday at the Behren funeral home in Leslie. The Rev. William Winger officiated and burial was in Woodlawn here. Immediate relatives who survive her beside the husband are one son, Emmons, of Leslie, one brother, Lloyd Watson, of Detroit, and four grandchildren, one niece and two nephews. Mrs. Wilson was born near Greenville August 6, 1870, and came to Leslie with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Watson, when 13 years of age. Following a residence here of 39 years she had resided in Los Angeles the past 16 years. Mrs. Wilson was a member of the Leslie Congregational church, Royal Order of the Eastern Star, and the North Leslie Aid, also a member of the Memento White Shrine of Los Angeles.

Caucus Held

At a Citizens' village caucus held Tuesday afternoon in the G. A. R. hall the following candidates were nominated: President, Branch Fisher; clerk, Albert Norton; treasurer, Mrs. Ovilla Felch; assessor, S. M. Buckingham; trustees, William Herzog, William Cowles and Lloyd Pickley; village committee, Frank Fogg, Carol Hall and S. M. Buckingham.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Davis and daughter, Donna Jean, and Mrs. C. M. Casler of Mason were Sunday callers at the E. F. Sherman home.

Mr. and Mrs. Milford Ridley announce the birth of a son, Thomas Ross, at Foote hospital, February 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Lloyd of Bay City, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lillywhite of Gregory, were guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Shaw and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor and family, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Taylor and family and Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Edwards and daughters, Eleanor Ann and Doris, were guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Belwinger of Pleasant Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Hennon of Detroit, visited friends in Leslie over the week end.

The Consumers Power Co. has extended lines south of Eden to the residence of Russell Crowl.

Arnold, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Behrens, was taken to

Footo hospital in Jackson, Sunday, suffering with an ear infection and throat trouble.

Clifford Chittenden has sold his farm and expects to move soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ommen, who have been spending the past week with their daughter, Mrs. Vera Blad, in Porterville, have returned home.

Dewey Potter and family of Port Huron, spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Muggie Potter.

Mrs. Ida French of Lansing, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Davis.

Mrs. Grace Barnes of Onondaga, and daughter Bernice of Grand Blanc, were Saturday callers at the Boyle home.

Dansville defeated the Blackhaws in a game of basketball here Friday night with a score of 33 to 20. Friday night the Blackhaws will play their last home game with Holt.

Miss Dorothy Davey of Jackson, was an overnight guest Friday of Miss Maxine Blackmore.

The Misses Uella Freedman and Besie Webber entertained a group of young women at the former's home Tuesday night in honor of Miss Marjorie Cover.

Residents of the Felt Plains community gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Relyea for a farewell party Friday night.

A potluck supper was served and Mr. and Mrs. Relyea, who will soon move from their present home on the Branch Fisher farm to a farm near Aurelius, were presented a gift.

Several members of the Order of the Eastern Star were guests this week of the chapter of the Arbutus chapter in Lansing and also of the Mason chapter.

Members of the Order of the Eastern Star are sponsoring a public bingo and card party in the chapter rooms March 13, at 8:30. Mrs. Lillian True and Mrs. Mabel Albright are general chairmen assisted by Mrs. Christine Herzog and Mrs. Jennie McDaniels, refreshment committee. Other committees are advertising, Mrs. Marguerite Foster; bingo, Mrs. Leah Taylor and Mrs. Justine Carver; and tickets, Mrs. Ambra Ward.

The Outlook club met with Mrs. Kitty Bailey, Tuesday, with Sweden as the subject. Roll call was answered by naming a city in Sweden.

Papers in cooperation in Sweden were read by Mrs. Sadie Burns and "Jenny Lind" by Mrs. Frankie Austin. Next Tuesday's meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Nellie Styles.

Radio night was observed by members of the E. O. T. C. club Tuesday night. Mrs. Eva Lantz acted as leader.

Mrs. Ray Brown with a group of six from Eden presented "A Vacation From Husbands" a playlet by Margaret Johnson and a trio from Charlotte played a musical number and Professor Quiz contest with Betty Jean Baggerly and the housewives winning prizes. Miss Gertrude Hemstreet gave a report from the state legislative chairman.

Mrs. Ward Vicary was hostess at a surprise birthday dinner at noon Tuesday in honor of Mr. Vicary with the following present: Mr. and Mrs. Branch Vicary, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Vicary and Mrs. Pauline Tennison and daughter of Bunker Hill; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howlett of Dansville; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crowl and family of Eden; Mrs. Ada Harkness of Munith; Mrs. Mina Mann of Dansville. Following dinner games were enjoyed. Mr. Vicary received many gifts.

The Number Four Community club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Abbey, Friday night at the Prentice Fisher home.

The Number Nine Aid which was to have been held Tuesday of this week at the home of Mrs. Constance True has been postponed indefinitely because of illness in the True family.

Miss Laura Hemminger from the English department of Michigan State college will give a book review Tuesday night at the regular E. O. T. C. club meeting. Miss Hemminger was a former teacher in the schools here.

Mrs. Rebecca Dennis, Mrs. Adelle Compton, Mrs. Estella Ramsey, Mrs. Ethelyn Clay, Miss Anna Layton, Mrs. Edith Johnston, Mrs. Greta Chevre and Mrs. Anne Enger, members of the E. O. T. C. club, were guests Friday of the Fortnight club in Lansing.

Mrs. Lena Miner, who underwent a major operation in the St. Lawrence hospital 11 days ago, returned to her home Monday and is convalescing.

Members of the Outlook club attended in a body funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Sarah Wilson, who was an honorary member, Tuesday.

At a high school assembly held Wednesday a representative from the state police was the speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. True, daughter, Kay, and Mrs. Claude Fay were in Hillsdale Sunday to visit Jerry True and help him to celebrate his birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Ellice Rearick sustained a fractured wrist in a recent fall on ice near her home.

Mrs. Gertrude Noustifter and Mrs. Isabelle Gibbs spent Wednesday in Grand Rapids at the home of the former's sister.

Leo F. Cligh of Kalamazoo was guest speaker of Leslie Townsend club No. 1 at a meeting held Friday night with 75 present. On Thursday night of this week Mr. Cligh will be in Onondaga to reorganize the Townsend club there. The next regular meeting of Leslie's No. 1 club will be March 3.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Chamberlain of Detroit will celebrate her birthday anniversary Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Fred Rappleye.

Frank Jenne, student at Albion college, spent the week end with his parents, the Rev. Theron Jenne and Mrs. Jenne.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt King, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Harmon and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Cady of Rives were guests of Mrs. Mabel Blackmore Monday night.

The United Missionary society will meet March 3 at the Methodist parsonage. A regular Founder's Day program will be presented. A Standard Bearers group is being organized sponsored by Mrs. Alice Loucks. A play on India will be presented by a group of girls.

The men of the Felt Plains church and community will serve their annual supper at the church Friday night.

On Friday afternoon at the Baptist church the annual Day of Prayer will be observed. This is sponsored by the Missionary societies and the pastors of the Baptist, Methodist and Congregational churches will preside. All are welcome to attend. On February 28 a morning and afternoon Temperance institute will be held at the Baptist church. The meeting has been arranged by Mrs. Claude Post, Ingham county chairman of the W. C. T. U. The institute will be conducted

PUBLIC FORUM

Two communications were received from the same family on the same mail Wednesday. One was from Captain Marshall D. Barr of the 118th Field Artillery now attending the officers' school at Fort Sill, Oklahoma. The other was from his father, D. G. Barr, who is wintering in Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

At Fort Sill

The trip was very interesting and in many places the country looked like Northern Michigan. We cut across the corner of Kansas and in that part of the country it looked anything but prosperous. One town looked like pictures of deserted western villages—many empty stores.

The school that I am attending is just a part of Fort Sill proper although the entire thing, I am told, is planned around the school. However it is a fact that the army of the United States must have stations, so this is one. I had no conception of the size till I arrived here. It is big.

The day that we arrived (Feb. 8th) was cold as there was a strong north wind. The weather is very changeable here. Temperatures were around 65 in the afternoon and by eight at night it had dropped to 15 above. That was the night we stayed in Oklahoma City. A couple of days later the "snakes" were out raking and seeding their yards. Friday we had what they call a "blizzard" here. A drop in temperature of about 30 degrees and just enough sugar snow to cover the ground, which is not frozen at all and has not been so far. Their only method of heat here is by gas for which they pay about \$1.25 a thousand by coal. A few big buildings are heated by coal. All the ground is the same tint, red like clay and stickier, if possible. We also had a dust storm. Houses are well sealed to keep it out but it comes in just the same.

If I get time I will write more of the details about what they have and do here but this will have to be all for the present except that it takes till about 11 every night and nearly all day Sunday to get our studying done.

MARSHALL D. BARR.

Saw Navy Burial

We received the Ingham County News every Monday morning and enjoyed reading it, and read it more thoroughly than when we are at home. I have intended to write you in re-

gard to the most impressive burial I ever saw. It was the service for Capt. Nohndorstrom. We stood on the shore of New River at eight o'clock and saw a coast guard boat come up the river, by the way, they claim the Indians heard a terrible noise in the night and in the morning what had been heard before was a very deep river with a very fast current leading out to the bay and ocean) to join a fleet of 30 boats, all with flags at half-mast and formed in a procession about one boat-length apart. They proceeded slowly out into the bay and into the blue waters of the Gulf Stream and formed in their navy formation. The airplanes circled overhead, lowered and gave their military salute as the Rev. Frank A. Keene, pastor of the Baptist church, read burial services. The services all through were conducted in an impressive and dignified manner as they scattered the ashes of the captain on the deep blue ocean that he had loved so dearly and which was his home. It was a sight we will never forget.

In regard to fish, they caught a sun-fish that weighed better than ten hundred pounds one day last week, also a shark that weighed better than seven hundred pounds. It really is a sight to see the fishing boats come in with the mammoth fish of all varieties. Hundreds of people stand around watching.

The weather has been very warm

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here and there is about the usual number of people here at this time as in previous years. We do not intend to stay much longer here and we think we will move farther north in Florida on account of it being cooler, as we have to get a little cooler weather before we get North or we will freeze. It has been between 75 and 80 degrees for the past two or three weeks.

D. G. BARR.

PRAYER SERVICE FRIDAY

The World Day of Prayer is to be observed by Mason women at a special union service at the Presbyterian church Friday afternoon, February 24, at 2:30. Mrs. Martha V. Reason of Lansing, is to be the speaker.

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VILLAGE OF DANSVILLE

Village Games Held

Eighty-two voters attended the Clifton's caucus Monday and the following men were nominated for village officers: President, Geo. Vogt; clerk, Wilford; treasurer, C. M. Young; trustees for two years, E. C. Osborne, A. C. Dowling and George Mitchell; assessor, B. C. Raymond. Election will be held March 13.

The Baptist Ladies Aid society will serve a public dinner Wednesday, March 1. The committee for the occasion is: MacBelle Howlett, Tillie Taylor, Vera Dayton, May Shoppell, Mina Mann and Julia Walker. A business meeting will be held in the afternoon.

Next Wednesday, March 1, will be the regular meeting of the Brotherhood. The meeting will be held at the town hall with supper at 7:30. Members of the Williamston Brotherhood will be guests for the occasion. J. W. Wilford of Lansing, is making arrangements for the program. Last Wednesday night, 19 members of the local organization were entertained by the Williamston Brotherhood.

There will be another keno party Saturday night, February 25, at the town hall. Mrs. Doris Osborne is acting as chairman.

Friday, February 24, the World Day of Prayer will be observed at the M. E. church uniting with the F. M. church. Services will begin at 2:30.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Free Methodist church met last Friday at the home of Mrs. Edna Hoyt. The business meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. May Slay, and the reading from the missionary book given by Mrs. Hoyt.

Mr. and Mrs. Almond Wing and daughters entertained about 30 friends and neighbors at a miscellaneous shower for Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wing Saturday night. Cards and Chinese checkers were played and music by Carl Grosshans orchestra was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. Wing received many gifts.

Honored On Anniversary

Mrs. Mina Mann entertained several friends at her home Saturday night in honor of the 14th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howlett. Chinese checkers were played, after which light refreshments were served. The honored guests were presented a gift. Out-of-town guests included Mrs. Ada Harkness, Mr. and Mrs. E. Harkness of Munith, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold of Gregory, and Mrs. Matilda Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Fay of Stockbridge.

The Dansville Townsend club No. 1 will hold a picnic Tuesday night, February 28, at the town hall for the benefit of the club. All members are urged to come and bring pies. A. C.

Gillette of St. Johns, will be the speaker for the occasion.

Mr. Barnes, a representative of the Acme Business School of Lansing spoke to the high school assembly Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Barnes' talk was in honor of George Washington.

The Future Farmer boys entertained the members of the Future Homemakers Wednesday night at the school. The party was in the nature of a box social. Games were played in the early part of the evening. Mr. Allen and Miss Rae, leaders of the two groups, were present.

Grade Operetta Planned

The grade children are preparing the operetta, "The Early Bird Catches the Worm," by Paynter, to be presented Friday night, March 17, in the gym. Miss Curtis will direct the music; Miss Bergman, the dramatist; Miss Korn in stage director; Miss Von Eberstein, publicity; and Miss Payne has charge of costumes. More than 100 children will take part. Miss Shenville is preparing the kindergarten band to play between scenes.

In honor of the birthday anniversary of Miss Marjorie Hawkins, open house was held last Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mina Mann. Miss Hawkins is pastor of the M. E. church and is now making her home with Mrs. Mann. A birthday cake, tea and wafers were served by the hostess and the honor guest received many cards, gifts and a silver offering. About 20 friends attended.

At a non-league game at Leslie last Friday night the Aggies defeated Leslie 33-20. The Aggies are tied for first place in the league with Williamston, the only team which has defeated the Aggies this year. The tournament will be played at Williamston next week, March 2, 3 and 4.

Searl Briggs, Eugene Manning, Margaret Curtis and Nella Murphy attended a meeting of the Ingham county interscholastic association at East Lansing Wednesday night. Dinner was enjoyed at the Union building previous to the separate meetings of the group.

Miss Rogers of the state health department examined the teeth of the pupils in the second grade Wednesday afternoon and also gave a talk to the children and their mothers on the care of the teeth. Mrs. Clinton assisted Miss Rogers. On Tuesday, February 8, the pupils in the third grade will be given a health examination by the county health department. Dr. Hoffman will examine the pupils. Parents of the children are requested to accompany their children at specified times and invitations will be sent to the parents. All records will be kept by the county health department.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Witt and Sheila

of Lansing, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Aethon Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Potteys attended funeral services Friday for the former's four-year-old cousin, Edward Albright of Springtown.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Olin and Mrs. Eleanor Sawyer enjoyed dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Olin of Okemos.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hollister and sons of Bath, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hollister.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Sweet and family of Bath, were entertained Sunday night at a six o'clock dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Brum in honor of Mrs. Sweet's birthday anniversary.

The Misses Rose and Anna Backus have been absent from their schools in Lansing on account of illness. Anne expected to return to her school Tuesday but Rose was absent all week.

Miss Marjorie Thompson of Lansing was a Friday night guest of her sister, Mrs. F. C. Anderson.

A daughter, Sharon Lavonne, was home Friday, February 17, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Abels, George Hunter and Mrs. George Abels of Lansing, were Sunday guests at the home of Dr. H. L. Calhoun and Mrs. Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brady of Huntington Woods, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Seeley were Thursday visitors of the latter's brother, John Davis, at the Sparrow hospital in Lansing. Mr. Davis, who has been in the hospital for several weeks, was taken to his home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howlett and daughter were entertained Sunday at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker.

Owen Bachman has accepted a position at the state hospital at Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pearsall and Jennie Marie Gilmore of Pontiac, spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. E. Potteys and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Doreen Ferguson and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Olin at Leslie.

Word was received here of the birth of a daughter, Sharon Elizabeth, to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dewey of Ashley on January 30. Mr. and Mrs. Dewey are former residents here.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Blough of Ann Arbor, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alie Braman.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Grant of Bath, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hollister.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Thompson of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Potter of Detroit, spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Thompson.

Mrs. Justine Cline and daughter of Chicago, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cline.

Mrs. MaeBelle Howlett, Ona Almond and C. M. Young attended the funeral services for Mrs. George Mitchell, Sr., of Leslie, Saturday afternoon.

Orson Hayhoe of Lansing, visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayhoe, Monday.

Miss Joyce Graves of Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams and Eldon were Sunday guests of Henry James and family of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dunsmore were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herlick Dunsmore of Mason.

Joan Raymond of Bellevue and Gerald Lane of Lansing, were week end guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raymond.

Mrs. Merna Arnold and Janet attended a farewell party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ashmore of Stockbridge, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ackley of White Oak, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Lantis.

Mrs. Harry Hoyt and Mrs. Roy Wilcox spent Monday and Tuesday with relatives in Davison and Lapeer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wing and family of Grass Lake, were Friday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Almond Wing.

Miss Myrnetta Curtis of Muskegon, spent the week end at the home of her father, Charles Curtis.

Joe Davis and Ed Davis of New Hudson, were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fowelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Doreen Ferguson and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson of Leslie.

Miss Vera Hoyt of Ypsilanti, spent the week end with her parents, the Rev. Harry Hoyt and Mrs. Hoyt.

Mrs. Mabel Speers of Lansing, spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Hanna.

Mrs. Stuart Holt spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hague of Ann Arbor.

Lyle Grindling of Los Angeles, California, spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ickes.

Walter Gibson and son of Lansing, were week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Utter.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glover were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Silsby of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Kelley and son of Farmington, were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Clem Himes of Holt, were Saturday visitors of the latter's sister, Mrs. Sarah Howlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McDonald of Detroit, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Searl Briggs.

Paul and Donald Cramton of Ann Arbor, spent Saturday with their mother, Mrs. Sara Cramton.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Raymond and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Squires of Ypsilanti, were Saturday guests of their mother, Mrs. Etta Squires.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne DeCamp spent the week end with the latter's sister, Miss Vernice Lee of Saginaw.

Mrs. Matilda Smith of Stockbridge, is spending the week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Merna Arnold.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burlingame and Beverly of Lansing, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Rosa Anderson.

Robert Walker, Dorothy Owen and Don Diehl were the speakers on the negative side in the debate held before the high school assembly Thursday morning with the Everett high school team. Mr. Amsden of Michigan State college, who acted as judge, gave the decision to the Dansville team. Don Diehl, Marjorie Frost and Harvey Owen are the seniors who have been active in debating this year.

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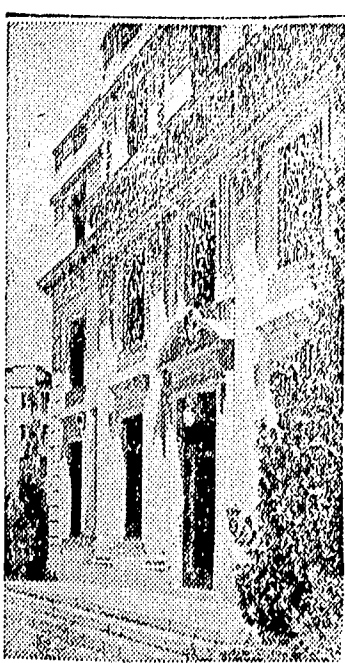
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Since the Institute was opened in 1927, over 700 patients with pernicious anemia, as well as many other patients with other types of the disease, have been examined and treated by the staff. The knowledge which has been accumulated by various investigators has been made available to the medical profession through 120 publications in various medical journals in the last nine years. Further, members of the staff of the Institute have col-



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

Floyd Cady started Tuesday to visit various places and friends in the West. Mrs. Cady is staying with her sister, Mrs. Hettie Cady, of Lansing, while Mr. Cady is away.

Mr. and Mrs. Wells Chickner of Williamston, were Saturday callers at the B. H. Field and Will Warner homes.

Mrs. Fred Jennings and son Eddie and Mrs. Clara Casler visited Mrs. Minnie Hemans of Lansing, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Gorris and baby, Miss Betty Green of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Dolbee and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Maggie Evelyn and daughter, Fern.

Charlie Sawyer of Jackson, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Snow, Saturday.

Felt Plains By Mrs. Norris Hart

Mr. and Mrs. Oral Rice of St. Johns, spent last Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Williams. Mrs. Rice and Mrs. Williams are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ruthig and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ruthig and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Volly Ruthig in North Holt, Sunday.

The Ladies Aid society was well attended last Thursday. Mrs. Post, who had charge of the program, presented Mrs. Grant Hudson from the Women's Christian Temperance Union in an interesting address.

A large group of neighbors and friends gathered last Friday evening for a surprise farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Relyea and son Harold who are moving from this community soon. The party was held at the Relyea home. The evening was spent

playing Chinese checkers, and podro. Potluck supper was served late in the evening. The honor guests were presented a floor-lamp and a pin-up lamp from the people of the community.

All are invited to the men's egg supper in the dining room of the Felt Plains church this Friday evening. A program in charge of Glenn Hurdorf will be presented after the supper.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Betzer spent a part of last week visiting friends at Pomper.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hollis and little son and Mr. and Mrs. Ogle Budd and little son spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Budd.

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Northwest Stockbridge By Mrs. W. L. Shuchard

Mrs. Lottie Oakley of Stockbridge, spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Usher.

Phillip Fugue of Ann Arbor, called on his father, O. N. Hague, Saturday. Harold Merrill of California, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Barth of Jackson, spent Sunday with Mrs. F. E. Briggs.

Pollok Corners By Erma Pollok

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Barriger and children of Pontiac spent the week end at the George Shrum home.

The Community Aid will meet with Mr. and Mrs. John Gaylord Thursday, March 2, for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Pauls and family spent Sunday at Frank Everett's. Maynard Fuler underwent an operation at the Pontiac hospital in Mason Monday morning.

Mrs. Alice Cole and girls spent Sunday at Elmer Frost's.

Mrs. Winn entertained the 4-H girls at a Valentine party last Wednesday night. Ice cream, cake and sandwiches were served.

Northeast Alniedon By Mrs. Clyde Wade

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Ruth Angell of Lansing, and Lewis Minor of Highland Park, the ceremony taking place February

Henry Behrendt Dead After Long Sickness

WAS CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF OF INGHAM

Funeral services were held at the Ellis home in Lansing Wednesday for Henry Behrendt, 60, who died at his home in Detroit Sunday after a long illness. Mr. Behrendt was appointed chief of the Lansing police department in 1906 and served until 1914 when he was appointed United States marshal for the eastern district of Michigan. Following eight years as marshal Mr. Behrendt was an unsuccessful candidate for Ingham sheriff. He ran as a democrat. A few years later he went to Detroit and in 1931 was nominated by the republicans and elected as sheriff of Wayne county. He was nominated and elected again in 1935.

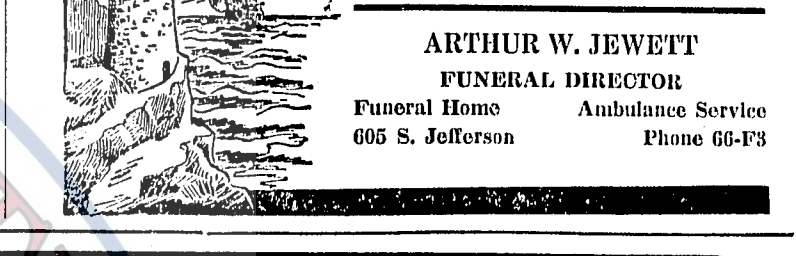
During the Spanish-American War Mr. Behrendt served with the 31st Michigan Infantry, the regiment in which many Ingham county men served.

11, at the Resurrection church with the Rev. Fr. John Gabriels officiating. Mrs. Minor has taught the Button school for nearly two years, and will continue her duties in this district. Mr. Minor is attending M. S. C. The couple will reside in Lansing.

Miss Marjorie Woodworth and Richard Gill of Detroit, were callers at the Wade home Saturday night.

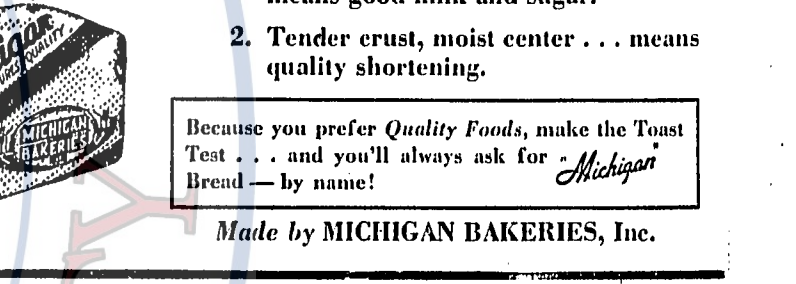
Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lamb entertained relatives from Lansing, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Ames spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents at Benton Harbor.



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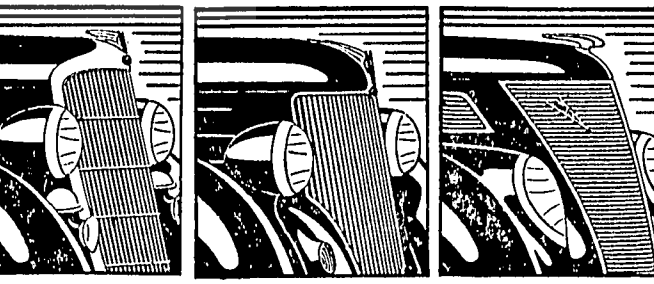
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1934 FORD TRUCK	\$295
Long wheelbase, stake rack, dual wheels	

J. B. DEAN

Southwest Vevay
Mrs. Morris Swan

Mrs. Homer Wilbur and son, J. B. Wright, attended funeral services for Alton Strub of Jackson last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Panson and son, Richard, of Aurelius were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller and Helen.

Walter Bush spent the week end with his father, Fred Bush, of Onondaga.

Edna Swan fell while playing and cut her head quite severely last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Swan and family spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward of near Leslie.

Hawley
By Mrs. Leon Crowl

The February meeting of the Hawley P. T. A. will be held at the school Friday night, February 24. Refreshments will be potluck. Those attending are to bring sandwiches and one dish of food. The program is in charge of Lucella Otis and Lelah Harrison.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crowl, Mr. and Mrs. Elmyr Jewett and Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Bement and families were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crowl Saturday night.

Mrs. June Harkness is confined to her home by illness.

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By Mrs. Mary Broscha

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Division 2 will serve dinner in the church parlor Thursday, March 2, promptly at noon. A chicken dinner is being planned.

About 50 attended the pancake supper last Friday night.

Southwest Ingham
By Mrs. James Quinn

Marie Herrick spent the week end in Mason with her grandparents.

Joseph and Ernest Ewers of Pleasant Lake were Sunday guests of their father, Ervin Ewers.

Leo Spencer of Detroit and Ike Shufelt of Jackson were Saturday guests of James Quinn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harker and daughter of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lienhart of Grand Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Marianne and daughter, Ellison, of Port Wayne, Indiana, were week end guests of Anthony Lienhart and daughter, Agnes.

Paul Stanfield of Jackson was a Friday night visitor of the Quinn family.

Dart District
By Mrs. Hattie Godley

Mrs. Milton Henderson is quite ill and has a nurse caring for her.

Mrs. Lizzie Vaughn, a sister of Carrie Joslin, died Sunday. She had a heart attack and only lived a few hours.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilcox visited her mother, Mrs. VanSickle, in Lansing last Thursday. Mrs. VanSickle recently fell and broke some ribs.

Murryne Bohner was home from her work at the Ingham County Normal last week recovering from the flu.

Mrs. Hayner, who was operated on last week at the St. Lawrence hospital in Lansing, is reported gaining nicely.

Mrs. Hayner is the mother of Mrs. Bert Mastie.

Joyce Malcho has been ill with the flu, but is reported gaining.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Warie entertained Wayne Baker and friend Sunday.

Four Town Corners
By Mrs. Edd Mullen

Lyle Grindling of California was a Saturday caller in the neighborhood.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith spent Saturday night in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. Dell Mande.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Humphrey of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mullen.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gaylord will entertain the Community Aid for dinner Thursday, March 2.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Potter Monday, February 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Collar of White Oak were Sunday evening callers at Donald Park's.

Mrs. Harold Mills and children of Lansing spent Sunday at the Gaylord home.

Mrs. Edd Mullen spent Thursday afternoon at the Severance home near Mason.

Mrs. Brady of near Mason is helping with the work at the Potter home.

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Sugarbush areas in Michigan are about to see the annual flow of sap, some of which will go into the production of these famous products. The sap, which is collected in the trunk of the tree, is used to make maple syrup and maple sugar.

Which leads P. W. Robbins, forester at Michigan State college, to advise those seeking perpetuation of their maple woodlots to disregard the old notion that trees should be tapped on the south side for greatest sap yield.

Tests conducted in the sugarbush at East Lansing reveal little difference in yield from tapping any specific side of a tree, says Robbins. In fact the injuries made by the splies are less severe if they are driven into the trunk in a different location each year, where large trees are tapped with more than one spile, the sides will be alternated from one year to the next, permitting recovery from the wounds.

Dense stands and ground cover aid in slowing up the spring thaws. Results of this include getting better flow of sap.

Trees under 10 inches should not be tapped, and only those trees 16 inches or more in diameter should have two tap holes.

Another pointer offered by Robbins deals with quality of finished syrup. Sap should be strained into the storage tank and again strained as syrup before canning. The final straining should be through a good quality cloth strainer, one costing \$2.50 will last more than a season if given good care. Use of an accurate thermometer and hydrometer also is advised.

East Alameda
By Mrs. John Speer

Norris Smith of near Williamston visited Hugh Speer Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. John Kaimon and family and Mrs. Charles McClung and family gave a surprise dinner for their father at his home Sunday in honor of his 75th birthday anniversary. Mr. Speer received several gifts.

Mrs. Herman Miller and Vern Cooper were in Ann Arbor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bibbins and family visited relatives in Jackson Sunday.

Charles Kaimon was out of school the first of the week on account of illness.

Ralph McClung spent the first of the week with his grandparents.

Mr. Slusser of Mason is digging out some walnut trees in John Speer's woods. He expects to truck them to Indiana, where they will be used in veneering.

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By Gene Alliman
Michigan Press Association

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Six weeks of consistent economy efforts by the governor have achieved some headway, but the goal is still a long ways off.

Senator McCallum of Ann Arbor, who solemnly warned voters last fall that the state deficit was the neighborhood of \$60,000,000, took his legislative colleagues to task the other day by reviewing appropriation demands, already \$55,000,000 a year in excess of anticipated revenue, and calling attention to the mounting cost of state institutions. It was a most gloomy talk.

Hospital Additions

The state hospital building program, conceded by everyone to be imperative, will cost \$2,000,000 more from the treasury before it is completed. The institutions will then cost close to \$500,000 more each year in salaries and maintenance.

"Where is this money coming from?" Senator McCallum asked. "This is a question I want to have answered. We have a big deficit on our hands. If we appropriate large sums of money early in the session, we may have to deprive others later on of needed money."

The comment was voiced during consideration of a \$150,000 annual appropriation to advertise Michigan as a tourist state. This amount, voted in 1937, gives \$25,000 a year to each of the four tourist associations and \$50,000 a year to the state administrative board. According to facts brought out by Senator Bishop of Alpena and Senator Vorhees back in a form of sales taxes paid by outside tourists 10 times this appropriation every year.

\$837,000 More Wages

An actual comparison of the state payroll in January, 1937, and in January, 1938, shows an increase of \$837,000 on the Fitzgerald ledger instead of a decrease. The governor's office payroll, for example, was \$3,225 in January, 1938, as compared with \$2,465 in January, 1937.

Of course, these facts paint a

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Society

Dance Successful

Another successful party was held at the Legion Memorial building Saturday night with Jerry Strong and his orchestra furnishing the music for dancing. The attendance was cut slightly by the epidemic of colds. The next dance to be held at the hall will be Wednesday night, March 1, with Nick and His Cornhuskers. On Saturday night, March 4, another semi-formal party is to be held with Billie Ballus and Her Seven Girls furnishing the music. The all-girl orchestra, made up of Michigan State college coeds, comes highly recommended.

Mrs. Harry Spenny was hostess to several guests at a bridge party last Thursday night. Mrs. Schuyler Smith and Mrs. Marshall Barr received prizes. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Ellsworth entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mrs. Joe Cappel of Bloomington, Illinois, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Morrison, in Mason.

Mrs. Nelson Brown entertained a group of children Saturday in honor of the sixth birthday anniversary of her daughter, Caroline. Games were played under the direction of Miss Mildred Eaton, kindergarten teacher. Refreshments were served.

Mrs. S. A. Murdock and Mrs. J. C. Corsaut entertained at a bridal shower honoring Miss Helen Baldwin at the home of Mrs. Corsaut Wednesday night. Hearts were played, prizes being won by Miss Doris Michelsch and Miss Agnes Beebe. Miss Baldwin received many gifts. Her marriage to Clairmont Everett is to be an event of the near future. Refreshments were served by the hostesses at the close of the evening.

Personals

Marjorie Fell is in the St. Lawrence hospital with lobar pneumonia.

Mrs. Minnie Rice was ill last week with an attack of blindness in one eye.

Maynard Foler underwent an operation Monday at the Corsaut hospital.

Mrs. Carl Greve and Bruce spent the week end in Detroit.

Malcolm Petty and Don Fulford of Ypsilanti, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Petty.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barron of Rochester are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harris Bullen and family this week.

William Shook of Toledo, Ohio, visited Mr. and Mrs. George Deuel, Wednesday.

Vern Sear of Flint, is spending a few days with Mrs. Minnie Hemans and Mrs. William Sear.

Paul Young, student at Alma college, visited his mother, Mrs. Madge Young, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bishop of Mt. Pleasant, and A. H. Moody of Detroit, visited Mrs. G. C. Moody, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Warner of the Rolfe neighborhood were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Otis.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Jewett visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Barhyte in Flint, Sunday. Gordon Barhyte recently received a broken nose in a football accident.

DANCE

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ELITA BALLAS AND HER
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20 games 35c
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Tues., Feb. 28

Welcome to Treasure Island



San Francisco's International exposition opened its doors to the world Saturday on the 400-acre man-made Treasure Island. Amidst the rush of last-minute preparations Miss Peggy Hayden, hospitably hostess dressed in cap and gown, is shown coaching San Francisco hotel employees on how to say, "Welcome to Treasure Island" in foreign tongues. Her students are Chef Marcel Behr and Miss Zenida London, a maid at a San Francisco hotel.

Mardi Gras Reaches Climax



New Orleans' colorful Mardi Gras festival, annual pre-Lenten fun season, closed Tuesday with the parade of Rex, king of the carnival.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Alston of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Powell of Alameda, visited Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bailey and family, Sunday.

Miss Hattie Lucas, Mrs. Gordon Dawson, Miss Polly Sweet and Mrs. George McArthur were in Detroit Sunday night to hear Lily Pons and the Ford Sunday evening hour.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hude of Chelsea, visited Mrs. Catherine Mull, Saturday. Donald Mull visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Marguardt, Sr., at Holt, over the week end.

Sergeant Ivan W. Swift, Mrs. Swift and children, Jon and Jean, of Detroit, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Swift and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Swift over the week end.

The postponed meeting of the Past Matrons club is to be held Tuesday, February 28, at the home of Mrs. Harry Gillespie, with Mrs. Forest Smith as assistant hostess.

Mrs. Earl Dunsmore, Mrs. Lulu Whipple, Mrs. Ann Terrill, Mrs. C. R. Beebe, Mrs. Laura Wilcox and Mrs. Herbert Carr attended Rebekah lodge in Williamston, Tuesday night.

Mrs. Arlean Jones of Grand Rapids, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Burlingham, Saturday. Jean Burlingham returned to Grand Rapids with her for a visit.

Mrs. Wayne Campbell has returned to her home in Detroit. She was here for a week helping to care for O. D. Campbell, who is confined to the Corsaut hospital with a broken arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Grindling of Williamston, and Mr. and Mrs. George Nowling of Lansing, were guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sawyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kenzie and Miss Frances Peck visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Snyder and family and Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Peck in Flint, Sunday.

Mrs. George McArthur, Mrs. Ray Bullen, Mrs. C. A. Haugh, Miss Hattie Lucas, Mrs. Richard Mills, and Miss Mary Elizabeth Parkhurst attended the La Merl concert at the Prudden auditorium in Lansing, Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rakowsky, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Dart, Miss Mildred Eaton and Harold Copp were among the Mason people who attended the Knight Templar dress ball in Lansing Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Warner and daughters, Sharon and Donna, spent Sunday in Mt. Pleasant. Mrs. William Fritz returned to her home with them after spending two weeks with her sister, Mrs. Warner.

Mrs. Albert Humphrey and Mrs. Ethel Phillips attended the biennial meeting of the Republican women's federation of Michigan, which was held in the Hotel Durant ballroom in Flint Wednesday preceding the state republican convention.

Among those who have been ill with the flu this week are Faith Dakin, Donald Cross, Mrs. D. C. Dart and Rollin, Mrs. Forest Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe, Mrs. Arthur Nichols, Miss Martha Thayer, Mrs. Robert Howery, Miss Bessie Ball, Mrs. A. G. Ball, Miss Florence Darrow, G. S. Thorburn, Donna Jean Howlett, Harold Hanes, Kathryn Simmons, Mrs. Francis Minar, Clyde Burt, Austin Otis, and Keitha Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Royston returned Wednesday night of last week after a trip to Florida.

Leo Stone and Donald Elfert returned to their homes from the Corsaut hospital Tuesday. Both recently underwent operations.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Snyder and family of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Snyder spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Snyder in Jackson.

Major Ray Cotton and Mrs. Cotton and Colonel W. A. Bergin and Mrs. Bergin attended a military ball in Ypsilanti, Saturday night.

Mrs. H. D. Henderson was a guest of Mrs. Lawrence Stoddard in Lansing Wednesday and attended the style show.

Miss Ella Smith of Traverse City, is visiting at the home of her brother, Fred L. Smith, on Ash street for the balance of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Clippert were entertained at dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dawson, Friday night.

Claude Upton of Standish, called on Mr. and Mrs. Wout Every, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johns of Battle Creek, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Otis.

Dr. F. H. Williams and Mrs. Williams of Owosso, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Browne.

Mrs. Wayne Spenny and children visited Mrs. Richard Starkweather in Lansing, Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Torrance has been at the University hospital at Ann Arbor for treatment this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hopkins and children of Lansing, called on Mr. and Mrs. Trent Sawyer, Sunday.

Charles Frederick Arnold of Lansing, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Schultz this week.

Miss Lucille Ketchum of Paw Paw, was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ketchum.

Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell Fay of Jackson, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Reynolds.

Mrs. Nella Jarvis attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Ambra Ward in Leslie, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee and son Bobby of Flint, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dawson.

George Culver, who has been ill and confined to the city hospital, has been taken to his home.

Miss Nellie Brown has returned to her work at the Mason postoffice after enjoying a trip to Florida.

Miss Jean Mahoney of Jackson, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Camp, Tuesday.

The Misses Grace and Nellie Allen of Lansing, were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bell called on Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Kitchen in Williamston, Wednesday night.

C. L. Bickert has returned to his work at the Dart National bank after being absent because of sinus trouble.

Returns



William Hale (Big Bill) Thompson, one-time mayor of Chicago who gained notoriety by denouncing King George V of England, will try a political comeback Tuesday in his effort to win the Chicago republican mayoral nomination over Dwight H. Green who successfully prosecuted Al Capone several years ago.

Lodges

Mythic Hive No. 146, L. O. T. M., will entertain the county association at the Odd Fellow hall Tuesday, February 28, for an all-day meeting beginning at 10:30. Dinner will be served by the Rebekah Coler. The forenoon meeting will be closed but the afternoon session will be open to the public. Great Commander Judge J. E. Jeffries of Detroit, is expected to be present.

Grand Ruths night was held by Mason Chapter No. 150, O. E. S., Tuesday night, with past Ruths from the different chapters of the county attending. Grand Ruth Ima Bell Staeb of Ypsilanti gave a Ruths lecture. Other grand officers present were Grand Ada Viola Priest, Grand Martha Jean Hicks, Grand Esther Iva Foster of East Lansing and Grand Worthy Patron Harry Lot of East Lansing. Other guests were officers of the county association and of the Webberville chapter, who exemplified the work. Guests were present from Carson City, Owosso, Jackson and several other points of the county. Dinner was served at 6:30.

Odd Fellows, Rebekahs, their families and friends will have another dance at the hall Saturday night.

A regular convention of Mason Lodge No. 70, K. of P., will be held Monday night, February 27, at the hall. The rank of Page will be conferred.

A regular meeting of Mason Rebekah Lodge No. 324 will be held at the L. O. O. F. hall Wednesday night, March 1, for initiation.

The Rebekah degree staff will meet at the home of Mrs. Clyde Burt Monday night, February 27, for drill.

A regular meeting of the L. O. T. M. will be held Monday night, February 27. All officers and members are expected to be present to confer obligation on a class of candidates.

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Organizations

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The Mason Woman's club will meet in the Hall Memorial library Tuesday afternoon, February 28. A book review will be given by Mrs. H. D. Henderson. Hostesses are Mrs. Nell Hinkley, Mrs. Ray Bullen and Mrs. Mattie Webb.

Members of the Mizpah class of the Methodist church with their husbands and friends to the number of 28 gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Harrison Monday night for the annual oyster supper. The oysters are sent each year as a treat to the class by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Root, who this year are spending the winter in California. The evening was spent with a guessing contest and stunts. A poem composed by Emerson Gildart was signed by all and is to be sent to the Roots.

The Community Aid society will meet with Mr. and Mrs. John Gaylord for dinner Thursday noon, March 2.

The Pink Community club will meet Thursday, March 2, at the home of Mrs. Chellis Hall with Mrs. Paul Cheney, Mrs. Nettie Tanswell and Mrs. Lizzie Ahrends as assistant hostesses.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Ingham county will hold an institute at the Baptist church in Leslie Tuesday, February 28. Thirteen local unions of Ingham county are to be present. Mary E. Hudson, president of District Six of Michigan, will have charge of the institute, which will open at 10 o'clock. Co-operative lunch will be served at noon, the afternoon to be spent in checking up on achievements, discussing the year's plans and conducting quizzes and answering questions pertaining to the work that is being carried on by the departments. The public is invited. Institute closes at four o'clock.

The Webb School Improvement club will meet with Mrs. Will Norris Thursday, March 2.

The Eden P. T. A. met at the school Friday with Mrs. Morris presiding. Mrs. Oosterle had charge of the program. Mr. Fiddlefingers and his band of negro minstrels gave several songs, solos, recitations, a dance and arithmetic puzzles. Those taking part were Mrs. E. Childs, Mrs. A. Crowl, Nellie Baileman, Allice McCree, Ardace McCree, Elwin McCree, Barbara and Harry Snell, Walter Bush, Keith Galloway, Bonnie Jean Hodges and Ella Jane Crowl. Popcorn and candy were served. The P. T. A. will meet again at the school Friday night, March 3, at eight o'clock. Mrs. C. Smalley, Mrs. Caton and Mrs. Kramer have charge of the program. Those attending are to bring wafers.

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The committee will furnish coffee. At their first social meeting held Tuesday, County Seat Grange enjoyed a debate by teams from Michigan State college on the subject, "Resolved, that the United States should cease to use public funds, including credit, for the purpose of stimulating business." Cards and games were enjoyed.

The Service Committee for Leroy township met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. S. Turner on Dietz road. The committee will function in conjunction with the Ingham

Circle No. 2 of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid society will enjoy a potluck supper at the home of Mrs. Madge Young, who is entertaining for Mrs. Jennie Ingalls, Tuesday night, January 28, at 6:30.

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Macaroni or Spaghetti 2 2-lb. pkgs. . . 29c

Symon's Red Salmon, 2 No. 1 cans . . 45c

Corn Kix, 2 pkgs. . 23c

Large Rinso . . . 21c

Small Rinso . . . 9c

Leaf Lettuce . . 10c lb.

Hot House Tomatoes, pound . . 15c

Bananas . . . 2 lbs. 14c

Cabbage . . . 4c lb.

Celery . . . 10c bunch

Florida Oranges, 2 dozen . . 39c

Pink Grapefruit, 4 for . . 25c

Texas Grapefruit, 6 for . . 25c

4 lbs. Spy Apples . 25c

Head Lettuce . 10c ea.

White Bermuda Onions . . 5c lb.

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SPECIALS FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 24 TO MAR. 3

Rinso, for washing or dishpan, lg. pkg 21c

Carolene, whips like Cream . 4 cans 23c

Pink Salmon, MSC, tall can . 2 for 23c

Roman Cleanser, whitens clothes safely, bottle . . 8c

Quickpop Popcorn, 10 oz. pkg. . . 5c

Tomatoes, Michigan pack, No. 2 can, 2 for . . 17c

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Pork Roast . . 21c lb

Ground Beef . . 17c lb

Smoked Bacon . 27c lb

Smoked Ham . . 35c lb

Beef Ribs . . . 14c lb

Oleo Margarine, "Nuspred" . . 10c lb

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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

JERSEY BULL, Bangs tested, 15 months old, for sale. Also 9-month-old Jersey bull. H. L. Anderson, 5 miles west of Mason on Columbia road, 1 1/2 miles west of Elbert road. 8w1p

17 WRANGLER PIGS, six weeks old, for sale. Also potatoes and turnips. M. A. Patterson, Hynes road, Stockbridge. 8w1

SORREL GELDING, six years old, weight 1600 pounds; also bay mare, 10 years old, weight 1600 pounds for sale. Jas. Cox, first house west on Sandhill road off Phillips road. 1p

HOLSTEIN COW, seven years old, fresh about seven weeks, for sale. Fred Tommrell, six miles west of Mason on Columbia road, two miles north, third place west, on Harper road. w1p

GRADE BULL, 18 months old, for sale. H. Marquardt, five miles west of Mason on Columbia road, two miles north and first house west, on Harper road. w1p

TWO HOLSTEIN purebred bull calves. These calves have excellent testing records behind them and are both very good individuals. If you want to raise a good herd sire don't miss buying one of these calves. Norman Dart, phone 225-F11. 8w1

EWES—Eight good breeding ewes, due to lamb first of April, for sale. Alvin K. Gable, 2 1/2 miles west and 1/2 mile north of Leslie. w1p

PUREBRED Duroc-Jersey sow, to farrow first week of March, for sale. Also young Jersey cow, fresh, with heifer calf by side. J. L. Bennigan, Onondaga, 5 1/2 miles west of Leslie on Bellevue road and 1/2 mile north. 8w1p

CHOICE of one or more cows from herd of 15 Guernseys and Holsteins, T. B. and Bangs tested, six due in March, three fresh in January, for sale. Harvey Gleason, 3 1/2 miles north of Leslie on U. S. 127. w1p

YOUNG GUERNSEY cows for sale, 3 fresh and 2 heavy springers. C. V. Keller, call at Alvin Launstein's on Rolfe road. 8w1

BROWN MARE, sound and well broke for sale. R. C. Ackley, Webberville, three miles north of Vantown and 1/2 mile east. 8w1

TRACTORS—F-12 Farmall, perfect shape; F-12 Farmall, priced right; two 10-20 McCormick-Deeringers, rebuilt, perfect shape; Irish Fordson, good running order; F-20 Farmall on rubber, two years old, for sale. Also several good work horses. C. G. Lantis & Sons, Stockbridge. 8w1

JERSEY BULL CALF, about nine months old, for sale. D. O. Huntley, 1091 Phillips road. w1p

MULE for sale or trade for horse, cow or hogs. Lewie Barker, four miles east of Dansville. 8w1

3 PAIRS MULES and 10 head horses for sale. L. T. Barks, phone De-will. 8w1

PIGS—13 pigs, 10 weeks old, 400 fence posts, for sale. Paul Carl, Every road, first place south of Dubois school. 8w1p

HOLSTEIN BULL, 2 years old in May, Guernsey bull, 1 year old, can be registered. Ervin Neal, telephone 80-F2, on Harper road, three-fourths of a mile east of Harper school on US 127 north of Mason. 8w1

MARE, three years old last fall, well broke, worked all last summer, due to foal March 13, sound, for sale. Ludell Cheney, two miles west of Mason on Columbia road, one mile south on College road. 8w1

PAIR BLACK GELDINGS for sale, \$125, weight 2800 pounds. Clarence Hill, two miles east of Leslie on Kinneyville road, first house north. 8w1

JERSEY COW, six years old, fresh, for sale. Donald Brown, 1/2 mile east of Bunker Hill school. 8w1

2 BROODER STOVES, New Town Plant, 1000-capacity, \$5 each. Burton Adams, Route 3, Lansing, Telephone 56219. 7-tf

BRED GILTS—OIC, due to farrow first of May, for sale. Also one work mare, 1800 pounds, coming 5 years old. D. B. Ferguson, 6 miles east of Mason on Columbia road, 1/2 mile north on Hanna road. 6w3p

PUREBRED Jersey heifer, two years old, due April 1, for sale. A. B. Higley, R. 4, Box 77, Mason. 5-tf

G. P. JOHN DEERE tractor, wide tread, A-1 condition, also International F-12 on rubber; tractor cultivator and corn planter with fertilizer and bean attachment. Will accept livestock as part payment. Terms. Paul B. Cheney, 1 1/2 miles west of Mason on Columbia road. 5-tf

FOR SALE—HI-quality blood-tested baby chicks. Also sexed chicks. Hatches each Monday and Thursday. Squire Hatchery, 218 South Mich. Ave., Howell, Michigan. Telephone 305-W. 4-tf

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HORSES—10 good work horses, from three to 12 years old, weight 1200 to 1600 pounds, for sale. Every one guaranteed. W. Carl Warner, four miles south and 2 1/2 miles west of Mason. 4-tf

Farms—Real Estate

LOT in Pleasant Grove subdivision near Lansing for sale; also 1934 Chevrolet sedan, 37,000 miles, perfect condition. \$75 down on each, your own terms. Or will trade for what you have. Adolph Lemko, West Bellevue street, Leslie. w1p

BUILDING LOT on corner of West Elm street and Metcalfe, good building lot 4 rods by 10 rods. Very reasonable. Eugene Hotchkiss. 1p

4-ROOM HOUSE, with garage, lights, city water. Must be sold by first of March, \$140 down, balance \$300. Also circulating heater and oven for sale. H. C. Dubois, 215 North Rogers, Mason. w1p

FOUR-ROOM house, 66 ft. sq. lot, for sale by William Bravender, 5 miles east of Mason on Columbia road. 7w2p

60 ACRES, good house, basement barn, 20x60 chicken house, two brooder houses, 10 acres woods, \$3000, with \$350 down, for sale; 72 acres, good house, barn, all stock and tools, plenty of wood and small fruit, price \$3500. I have a farm for every kind of a buyer at price and terms to suit. Also farm management. R. E. Whitney, Leslie. 7w2

76 ACRES one mile east and one-half mile south of Vantown, good house, good barn, electric lights, for sale. Inquire Ralph Glynn, Webberville, one mile west of Vantown on Howell road. 7-tf

40 ACRES—1 1/2 miles southwest of Leslie for sale and 80 acres, two miles southwest of Mason for rent or sale. Gladys McIntyre, 1/2 mile south on US 127, one mile west on Klipp road and 1/2 mile south on Tuttle road. 4-tf

FOR SALE—Fine modern home on paved street. Fred C. Parker, Mason. 37-tf

80 ACRES, two miles north of Mason, good buildings, good soil, electricity, for sale. Write owner, L. Longenecker, Aurora, Iowa. 37-tf

Household Goods

PIANO for sale. Inquire Mrs. Gilbert Glover, 238 W. Elm street, Telephone 273-X. w1p

SERVEL ELECTROLUX refrigerator to trade for electric refrigerator, because gas is not available. New 5-foot box used less than year. Sell. Ora Langham at sheriff's office. 8w1

VOSS ELECTRIC WASHER, runs fine, for sale, \$10; also two Maytags, reconditioned, guaranteed, each \$30. Silsby Implement Co., Telephone 40. 8w1

FOR SALE—Large circulating heater in perfect condition; used oil burner and fuel oil tank; motors, Thor washers, sweepers, Stokol stokers and air conditioners, Timken oil burners. Adams Electric Shop, Mason. 8w2

FOR SALE—Slightly used table top oil range, less than year old. Will sell or trade. Inquire Mason Plumbing & Heating Co. Phone 309. 8w1

RANGE—One good used AB electric range for sale. Consumers Power Co., telephone 205. 8w1p

2 KITCHEN CABINETS, one with white porcelain top, square dining table. All like new. Also sulky plow. Mrs. Emma Darrow, R. 1, telephone 138-F22, four miles south and one-half mile west of Mason on Barnes road. 8w1

Miscellaneous

CHICKEN COOP, 9x12, for sale. Or will trade for two-wheeled trailer. Oscar VanSteele, 104 Lansing street. 8w1p

500-CHICK BROODER, hard coal; feeders; water fountains, for sale at \$10. Inquire Gladys Helcer, 3923 East Delhi, east of Holt. w1p

ALFALFA HAY—12 tons. Claude M. Parish, Mason R. 1, 4 1/2 miles southwest of Mason on Lyons road, one-half mile east of Edgar road. 1p

AUCTION—Tuesday, February 28, 4 miles north of Stockbridge, 1/4 mile north of Lowe school on M-82, consisting of farm machinery, livestock and household goods. Emma Swanson. w1p

FOR SALE—New Michele seed beans and pair heavy horses. Eugene Lyon, one mile west of golf course, phone 394-F21. 8w2p

100 SHOCKS CORN for sale. Raymond W. Clark, seven miles west of Mason on Columbia road, first house south on Gale road. 8w1

SHEPHERD DOG, female, a good one, for sale. Fred Gailley, Dansville R. 1, 2 1/2 miles east and 1 mile south of Dansville. 8w1

SPRING SUITS—Perfectly tailored from high quality materials. Nash suits are made to your individual measure and are guaranteed to fit. Come in and let us show you our 300 samples. Bill Beckwith, 126 W. Maple. 8w1

WANTED—To exchange girl's bicycle for a small boy's bicycle. Call at Davis clothing store. 8w1

FOR SALE—Or trade 18 acres bean pods in stack. Also sheep-shearing rig and hard coal brooder stove. Will trade for livestock or chickens. Harold Huffine, 5 1/2 miles south of Mason on US 127. w1p

MIXED HAY for sale. Also stack of pods from 155 bushels beans, \$10. D. Bray, Chapin farm at Eden. 1p

HOT WATER INCUBATOR, 450-egg in excellent shape, for sale. Also 1000-chick coal burning brooder. R. D. Davis, 3 1/2 miles west of Mason on Columbia road. w1p

BRONZE TURKEY gobbler for sale. Mrs. George B. Frost, four miles south and two miles west of Williamston. 8w1

HAY, clover and timothy for sale. Telephone 395-F2, Mason. 8w1

IF YOU WANT to buy or sell, rent or trade, a classified ad in the Ingham County News is a good investment.

ALFALFA, 50 tons second and third cutting, for sale. Mrs. Lulu Jewell, Mason, phone 58. 8w1

FOR SALE—Dark-colored June clover seed. Must be sold at once. L. M. Barlow, three miles east of Mason on Brickyard road, 1/2 mile north. 8w1p

MAPLE SYRUP, first quality. Forest Smith, 2 1/2 miles west of Mason on Columbia road, telephone 21-F3. 8w3

SAP PAILS—900 12-qt. used pails, good as new, for sale cheap. Also four large stock tanks with covers, suitable for sap supply tanks, slightly used. Inquire Mason Plumbing & Heating Co. 8-tf

JUNE CLOVER SEED, Spartan barley, Michigan pea beans, reconditioned, for sale. Claude M. Parish, route 1, Mason, 4 1/2 miles southwest of Mason on Lyons road, or 1/2 mile east of Edgar road. 7w3p

KING EVAPORATOR, made of pure copper and used only two seasons. Will sell at big discount. One sap gathering tank in good condition, complete with slides. Also quantity sap spouts. Inquire Mason Plumbing & Heating Co. 8w1

FENCE POSTS. Cedar fence posts, 4 in. 7 ft., 5 in. 7 ft., 4 in. 8 ft., also 9 ft. anchor posts, posts for electric fence and telephone poles. Francis Schlosser, 100 N. Jefferson, Mason. 214-tf

For Rent

FOR RENT—Furnished five-room apartment at 324 West Elm street, telephone 288. 8w1

FARM—120 acres, six miles south of Webberville. Inquire Mrs. Lena Brookland, 4 miles south of Webberville on House road. 7w2p

TO RENT—60 acres on Meridian road 4 miles east 1 mile south of Leslie. Man to furnish team and tools. Mrs. Amy Webster, R. 2, Leslie. 7w2p

FOR RENT—5-room, modern, steam heated apartment, unfurnished, \$30 a month to reliable applicant. V. J. Brown, News office. 43-tf

Wanted

WANTED—To let 20 purebred Shropshire sheep on shares. Otto Fancher, phone 351-F3. w1p

WANTED—To rent a farm of 80 to 100 acres between Mason and Lansing, money rent preferred. Bruno White, seven miles southwest of Lansing on M-9 on farm known as Henry Rinkel farm, Route 1, Dimondale. 8w2p

WANTED—60 to 80 acres in the vicinity of Williamston or Mason. Must have electricity, fair buildings. Prefer to deal with owner. Robt. C. King, Route 1, Dewitt, Mich. w1p

RELIABLE MAN WANTED to call on farmers in South Ingham county. Steady work—good pay. No experience or capital required. Make up to \$12 a day. Write Mr. Van Doran, Box 273, Ann Arbor, Michigan. w1p

WANTED—Diamonds of good quality in various sizes. Bring in your diamonds for examination and you may have what we want. Ford Aseltine, jeweler. w1p

WANTED—Girl to do housework. Mrs. Frank Hoover, 410 1/2 south Jefferson. Call Thursday nights between six and eight o'clock or Saturday nights. 8w1

In the Ingham County News will do the trick. The cost is only 25c for 25 words and 1c a word beyond 25.

WANTED—Woman to work afternoons. Mrs. William Porter, telephone 70. 8w1

WANTED—Small vacant lot, cheap for cash. Clyde Pilon, R. 4, Mason. 8w1p

WANTED—To rent house in Mason. Must have good heating system and at least three bedrooms. Write giving full details. Do not call. W. J. Hoegly, John Wyeth & Bro. Inc., Mason. w1p

WANTED—Experienced farmer, 50-50 plan, 100 acres. Modern buildings, electricity. References exchanged. Frank Sanders Farm, six miles east of Eaton Rapids, or three miles north of Onondaga. w1p

WANTED—1000 bushels ear corn. C. A. Diehl, Dansville. 8w2

WANTED—10 head good horses, 30 head cows, 75 brood ewes, 15 brood ewes, fat steers, hogs, a full line of farm machinery. List this stock with S. A. Laxton or any director of the county fair board for sale at the county fair auction, Saturday, March 4. 8w1

WANTED—Man who has had some experience as tailoring salesman to sell Nash clothing. Experience in fitting made-to-measure clothing necessary. Married man preferred. Bill Beckwith, 126 W. Maple, Mason. 8w1

WANTED—Used crop row tractor and cultivator. Also wanted, chickens, good grade. F. J. Dolbee, two miles north and one-half mile west of Aurelius Center. 7-tf-w1p

WANTED—Single man to work on farm by month or year, near Williamston. Inquire A. H. Prine on M-47 one mile east of Williamston. 7w2p

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

WANTED—Custom butchering. Hogs on Tuesday, any other day if requested. Beef any time. Phone Leslie 106-F14, second corner east of Teaspoon Corners, second house north. Frank Leonard. 52-tf

WANTED—Alfalfa hay, all grades. Asa Strait & Son Milling company, Williamston, Mich. 40-tf

Business Locals

PAINTING, papering and decorating. If it's workmanship you are seeking, I would be pleased to serve you at a reasonable price. Walls repaired. Ask those I have worked for. B. C. Raymond, Dansville. 8w4p

NOW IS THE TIME to have your plastering done, rough carpenter work, partitions moved, alterations of all kinds. E. L. Crandall, Star Route, Dansville road. 8w2p

CUSTOM BUTCHERING of hogs, every Thursday. Leon Cowdry, 3 miles north of Mason on Okemos road, first house east, telephone 210-F5 or 323. 6w1p-tf

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. Sanford, phone 343, Eaton Rapids. 46w1p

AUCTIONEERING—Col. Joe Decker, 812 North Walnut, Lansing, telephone 22060. Sixteen years experience in conducting farm sales. Call me and reverse charges. 4w4p-tf

Lost and Found

LOST—Between Dexter Trail and Onondaga by way of Catholic church. Bunker Hill and Leslie. Ivory baby bathnette containing clothing, baby necessities. Notify Roy Ried, R. 1, Dansville. w1p

FARMING IT... BY WILLARD BOLTE



Upper sketch shows furrow terraces that were constructed on a 5-acre Missouri hillside pasture with a tractor and two 14-inch plows—at a total cost of 25c for gas and oil. The furrows were 10 inches deep, with the earth thrown down hill. There is an earth dam across each furrow every 50 feet. Distance between the furrows depends upon contour and slope—the average being 12 feet.

Five years ago the Michigan Experiment Station worked out a new and better way to prune apple trees—and today thousands of apple growers are profiting by it. The whole trick is to remove all thin, slender wood from the center of the tree. This plan does away with the wood that produces undersized and poorly-colored apples—and makes spraying easier—increases the amount and the quality of good apples—and increases cash returns about 20 per cent.

Lower left sketch shows a temporary silo made of cribbing or wire fence. The upper ring of fencing sets inside of the lower ring—and the entire silo is lined with a special tough, waterproof paper with wide overlaps to exclude the air.

Lower right illustration shows irrigating water being pumped from a 150-foot well by means of a tractor and a 500-gallon rotary pump. Four irrigations of the cornfield behind the tractor—costing \$1.00 per acre for fuel—produced 40 bushels of corn to the acre last year when corn on adjoining land was a complete failure, a pretty good argument for cheap irrigation.



A Priceless Signature

The signature of the man designated as the Father of Our Country is a symbol of integrity, courage and strength. It stands for these things because the man, Washington, lived these things. Just as every signature is the insignia of a personality, the signature of this bank carries with it the prestige, the reliability, the character of an institution that has risen through service to those who are its customers.

THE FARMERS BANK

Miscellaneous

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank all our neighbors and friends for the surprise farewell party and lovely gifts given us. We especially want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ruthig and Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Relyea and Harold. w1p

CARD OF THANKS—I want to thank the Presbyterian church, the Ladies Aid and Circle No. 4; the Rev. H. P. Roberts and Mrs. Roberts; those who sang Christmas carols for me; Mason Chapter No. 150, O. E. S.; the Past Matrons; Mason Rebekah Lodge No. 324; the P. N. G. and the Rebekah Coleridge; the American Legion Auxiliary and my many friends and neighbors for the beautiful flowers, cards, letters, fruits and many other acts of kindness during my long illness. Mrs. Jennie Strope. w1p

IN MEMORIAM—Mull, Clifford B. Tribute to the memory of our dear husband and father, who passed away February 22, 1935. Time speeds on, four years have passed. Since death its gloom, its shadows cast Within our home, where all seemed bright. And too from us a shining light. We miss that light and ever will. His vacant place there is none to fill. Down here we mourn, but not in vain. For up in heaven we will meet again. Catherine Mull and children. 1p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank the people of Dansville for the fruit, cards and other acts of thoughtfulness shown me during my recent illness. Mrs. Clarence Freer. 8w1

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the acts of kindness, messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from many friends in our sad bereavement in the loss of our beloved wife and mother. We especially thank the Rev. F. E. Ogle and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Parker and son for music. C. V. Keller and family. w1

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to thank the dear friends for putting out the blaze in our basement. But for their quick work there would have been a very disastrous fire. We thank you again. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Opdyke. w1p

CARD OF THANKS—We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends, neighbors, the Dansville F. & A. M. and O. E. S. No. 90, also Mason Lodge No. 70, K. of P., and O. E. S. No. 150, Mrs. Howlett and Mrs. Kelly for their beautiful songs and the Rev. Ernest Martin for his comforting words. Mrs. Lena Reason, Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Reason, Mrs. Mildred Ritchie and Mrs. Esther Goggins. w1p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish to thank the Dansville community, especially my neighbors for the flowers and many other kindnesses during the illness and death of my mother. Mrs. Edmund Young. w1p

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Wife—The new maid has burned the bacon and eggs, darling. Would you be satisfied with a couple of kisses for breakfast? Husband—Sure. Bring her in.—Exchange.

This urge of fighting to save the world for democracy seems to break out about every twenty years.

Where to Pay Taxes

VEVAY—I will be at the Farmers bank every Saturday until February 25 to collect taxes for Vevay township treasurer. Gayle H. Hill, Vevay township treasurer. 4-tf

AURELIUS—I will be at the Farmers bank for the purpose of tax collection for Aurelius township Saturday. Denton Eckhart, Aurelius Township Treasurer. 8w1

WHITE OAK—I will be at the White Oak town hall December 15, and at home every Friday for the collection of taxes. Chas. C. Gauss, White Oak township treasurer. 49-tf

MASON MARKETS

Wheat		\$.63	\$.63
Beans, cwt.		1.65	1.65
Red kidney beans, dark...		2.50	2.50
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Oats		.28	.29
Rye		.36	.38
Feeding barley		.75	.90
Matting barley		.75	.90
Cream			26c
Eggs			16c
Rock			14c and 16c
Leghorns			14c

ORGANIZED WINTER SPORTS

are held during the season at:

ALPENA	ISHPEMING
CADILLAC	JACKSON
CALUMET	MANISTEE
CHARLEVOIX	MARQUETTE
CHEBOYGAN	MUSKEGON
ESCANABA	NEWBERRY
GLADSTONE	NORTHVILLE
GRAYLING	ORION
HARRISON	PETOSKEY
HOUGHTON	ROCHESTER
IRON MOUNTAIN	S. S. MARIE
IRONWOOD	TRAVERSE CITY

WINTER'S STILL HERE—

In Michigan!



Do you know that Michigan offers fine facilities for winter sports... that probably no State excels our own as a winter playground? And do you realize the advantages of making this fact more widely recognized? It will stimulate a growing Michigan industry. It will bring additional money into the State. It will create more jobs for Michigan men and women. Progress has already been made in this work. Every one should help—you can help by telling your friends about Michigan's Winter Carnivals and centers of winter sport. The Michigan Bell Telephone Company is publishing this advertisement, one of a series, in 250 Michigan newspapers to help gain wider acceptance of Michigan as a great State for the sport that winter brings.

MICHIGAN BELL



TELEPHONE COMPANY

Onondaga
By Don Hampton

The L. A. S. will sponsor a play at the Community church Wednesday. Several members of the F. & A. M. attended a school of instruction at Mason, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clive Rosenbrook and Donny of Lansing, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ardell Rosenbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Cox of Jackson were guests of Mrs. Mae Cox, Wednesday.

The O. E. S. held their regular meeting Wednesday night.

Frank Baldwin is still confined to his home with illness.

William Atchison will celebrate his 82nd birthday anniversary Friday, February 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dostader of Lansing, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Dostader.

District No. 3, Wheatfield
By Mrs. Elmer Otis

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McFarren and Phyllis Kay and Bernice Otis of Okemos, were Sunday dinner guests at the Otis home.

George DenHurdur has the whooping cough.

Irvin Foreman is doing chores for Earl King, while Mr. and Mrs. King are enjoying a trip in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ingram are staying at the Hill farm while Judd Hill is in the south.

Walter Kruse is now employed at the Jurey-Rowe store in Lansing.

Wirt Douglass is now at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Clay Foreman.

Miss Grace Kruse of Mason, spent the week end at the home of her parents.

The teacher and pupils of the Polk school entertained the mothers at a valentine party at the school with

FREE AIR

MEN WHO COURT TROUBLE NEED JUST SPEED DOWN MAIN STREET

A. J. TORRANCE
Phone 381

STREAM POLLUTION
IS BEING RELIEVED

MANY CITIES CONSTRUCTING DISPOSAL PLANTS.

Greater gains in the control of municipal stream pollution in Michigan were scored during the last two years than during any previous similar period, the biennial report of Milton P. Adams, executive secretary of the stream control commission, shows.

Ninety-two disposal plants are now actually operating in the state compared to 57 at the start of 1935 and 73 at the start of 1937. Counting plants that are either operating or are now under construction, 83 per cent of the population in areas in which pollution problems exist are provided for.

In addition to the work accomplished in the eight years since the stream control commission was created to devise means of controlling pollution dangers to public health and wildlife, especially fish life, the commission has been negotiating with sugar beet industries for a considerable item. A meeting is scheduled for this month at which the sugar beet companies are under order, issued in 1937, to present plans for methods of control.

The plants now operating serve more than 95 communities with a combined population of more than 1,500,000. This figure will be more than doubled with completion, scheduled for this year, of the Detroit and Wayne county plants which are now under construction. These are rated by Secretary Adams as the outstanding advancement of the last two years. They will serve all of Wayne county. They will provide for the population which will be provided for will total close to a million and three-quarters.

In addition to the plants under construction or already operating, 11 more are assured and 58 are in various stages of active planning or are awaiting federal action on applications already submitted. In only 49 problems facing the commission was "no progress" reported for the biennium.

Most of the progress made within the last four years has resulted in construction through PWA assistance. Some smaller projects were financed with WPA.

games, a program and a potluck dinner.

E. C. Otis and family are driving a new Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McFarren and daughter of Okemos, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis were Sunday guests and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ballard and

John: "What about that ten bucks you owe me?"

Jim: "It's your birthday tomorrow, I'll give it to you then with my congratulations."

John: "Listen brother! Just give me the ten and I'll congratulate myself."

The U. S. S. Lexington is over 100 feet longer than the famed Westworth building in New York city is tall.

Stockbridge
New Street Lights Installed

Workmen of the Commonwealth Power company are installing boulevard lights around the village square, placing the street-lighting facilities now serving Stockbridge business district. According to power company officials, the new lights will be ready for use the latter part of next week. Direction of the steel poles look place only this week. The nine new boulevard lights replace five wooden light poles. The new lights will step up the wattage from 145 to 300. Street corner lights in the residential districts will be 200 watt lights replacing those of 145 wattage. Hereafter, many street lights have lost effectiveness because of tree branches. Lights will be changed to conform with the trim level of the trees this spring.

Milk Producers Elect Officers

The Stockbridge local of the Michigan Milk Producers' association at its annual meeting held in the town hall Wednesday elected Norman Topping, president of local milk producers. Other officers elected are: John Gram, vice president; and Arthur Cobb, secretary-treasurer. Lloyd Harr, John Graf and Arthur Cobb were elected delegates representing Stockbridge organization to the two annual meetings of the state association held in Lansing and Detroit. The program included talks given by C. L. Bollinger of Detroit, representative of the Michigan Milk Producers' central office, and James Hayes of the extension division of the Michigan State college. Musical features of the evening were presented by the Stockbridge high school band.

Sponsor Dance

The annual Washington's birthday dance and card party sponsored by the King's Daughters will be held in the town hall Friday night, February 24. Dancing begins at nine o'clock with music furnished by Verle Hollis and his Rhythm Ramblers. Cards and checkers will be played. A floor show will be held during the dancing program. Mrs. Clyde Buchanan is general chairman. Her committee consists of Mrs. Thomas Howard, Mrs. Gertrude Mayer, Mrs. Lillie Cook and Mrs. H. A. Fisher. Advertising is in charge of Gertrude Mayer, Mrs. E. A. Fisher and Mrs. Leora Riggs; decorations, Mrs. Clyde Buchanan; balcony, Mrs. Gladys Meyers; ticket window, Arthur Wilde; prizes committee, Mrs. Harold Lantis and Mrs. John Willmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Smith have moved on the H. K. Smith farm.

Orville Jones, 75, fell and broke his hip while walking on his premises Tuesday night. He was taken to the Rowe Memorial hospital.

Mrs. J. H. Dancer entertained members of a bridge club and their husbands at dinner at her home Friday night. Guests included Dr. Guy D. Culver and Mrs. Culver, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dancer, Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Dancer, Mr. and Mrs. Sumner Hall, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Stray, W. J. Dancer, Paul Dancer, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Topping, Mrs. Ray Satteria, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wasson, Mrs. Vera Holt and Gertrude Asquith. Prizes were won by Mrs. Robert Wasson and Sumner Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess were returning from a trip to various points in the West. The Frank Burgess' marriage was recently announced.

The Millville Missionary society held their annual family night gathering Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Line of Howell, gave illustrated lecture on their recent trip taken to Japan and Korea.

Alaiedon Center
By Donna Sheathelm

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lau of Island Corners spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Arend.

The next meeting of the 4-H Needlecraft club will meet with Miss Donna Sheathelm March 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Felton and family of Danville visited Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Backus and family Sunday.

Mrs. Clarence Sheathelm entertained 15 women from Lansing at a one o'clock luncheon last Thursday. High scores at euchre went to Mrs. Don Halloway and Mrs. Rhoda Groat.

The pupils of Alaiedon Center school held a birthday surprise party for their teacher, Miss Marian Bravender, Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served.

The next meeting of the U-Go I-Go 500 club will be held with Mr. and

Chertemberger Herd
Leads Testing List

HOLSTEINS HOLD LEAD IN LANSING-INGHAM.

According to Wallace Bodell, tester for the Lansing-Ingham Dairy Herd Improvement association, 13 herds made averages of 30 pounds or more of butterfat per cow during January. Again leading the list is the herd owned by Will and John Graftenberger near Okemos. Their 18 Holsteins averaged 45.1 pounds of fat from 1269 pounds of milk.

The remaining 12 herds are as follows: J. H. Lavis, 11 purebred and grade Guernseys, 41.1 pounds fat; Max Belfort, 11 purebred Brown Swins, 40.2 pounds fat; C. J. Zook & Sons, 14 purebred and grade Holsteins, 38.8 pounds fat; Burhans & Groh, eight purebred Jerseys, 37.7 pounds fat; John Walling, 10 purebred Jerseys, 37.3 pounds fat; E. W. Hammond, 15 purebred and grade Holsteins, 37.2 pounds fat; Henry Newfeld, 12 grade Guernseys, 33.1 pounds fat; Richard Seldin, 12 purebred and grade Brown Swins, 32.6 pounds fat; Burhans & Walters, 11 purebred Jerseys, 32.8 pounds fat; Glenn Williams, 11 purebred Brown Swins, 31.7 pounds fat; A. E. Rowland, eight purebred Holsteins, 30.8 pounds fat; Doll Wolf, 15 purebred and grade Holsteins, 20.4 pounds fat.

Many good individual records were made during the period. Thirty-two of the 332 cows tested produced 50 pounds or more of fat. Gretzenberger's also had the high cow, a mature Holstein which made 78 pounds of butterfat from 2052 pounds of half milk. Zeubs & Sons had a four-year-old Holstein that was a class second in respect to fat and ahead in milk yield. She gave 2090 pounds of milk testing 3.7 per cent or 77.4 pounds of fat.

Fitchburg
By Mrs. I. S. Badorff

Erwin Ewers has purchased a house in Fitchburg back of the station.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Badorff have purchased the O'Brien farm from the Robert O'Brien estate.

The men's banquet will be held in the hall Saturday night. Serving will begin about 6:30. A program will be presented.

Mrs. C. W. Ranck entertained the 4-H sewing club Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Bertine Benedict was present.

A long letter from Miss Mabel Lawrence of Lucknow, India, was read in Sunday school Sunday morning.

HEALTH AND HYGIENE

Disseminated through The Ingham County News by the State Joint Committee on Public Health Education, comprising the Michigan Medical Society, the University of Michigan, Michigan Department of Health, Wayne University College of Medicine, Michigan Dental Society, Michigan Tuberculosis Association, Michigan State Nurses Association, Michigan State Board of Health, Michigan State Board of Social Work, Wayne County Medical Society Committee on Education, State Department of Public Instruction, Michigan Division of the American Red Cross, Michigan State College, and the Michigan State Hospital Association.

All questions relating to health and preventive medicine may be addressed to Health and Hygiene, Ingham County News, Mason, Mich.

Repeated Colds

Mrs. J. D. M. writes that her 7-year-old girl was ill last winter with pneumonia and this spring had the whooping cough. An x-ray shows enlarged lymph nodes of the chest. This summer she is improving, but has a fresh cold every few weeks, with cough and fever.

Mrs. M. wishes to know what can be done to build up the child's resistance. Would an immune serum or vaccine be of value? She wishes to establish some immunity so that the child will not become seriously ill during the coming winter.

In this climate there are large numbers of these small children whose resistance to upper respiratory infection is so greatly diminished that every mild cold becomes a major illness. A child of this type should play quietly in the sunshine two to four hours daily, resting both in the morning and afternoon, as well as sleeping 10 to 12 hours at night. In some instances, the child is kept in bed throughout the day and night until the weight has increased and fever and cough have disappeared.

The removal of areas of local infection, such as diseased tonsils and adenoids, which carry infection from one cold to the next will diminish the susceptibility to colds. It is assumed that the urine examination is negative and that the teeth are not diseased. Should there be a susceptibility to asthma or hay fever in the family, this should be taken into consideration when the child is examined by the physician.

Another point is food. The child should have an abundance of calcium, iodine and iron. This can be obtained from menus containing milk, eggs, vegetables, fruits, calves liver two or three times weekly or the iron and iodine may be given by the family pediatrician as medication.

An alternative in managing these children is to remove them to a southern climate for one or two winters. There are no serums or vaccines which can supplant rest, good food and the elimination of local infections in the throat. The child should not be permitted to play until she is physically exhausted. The radical measure of putting the child to bed, while a severe form of treatment, gives excellent results in the shortest possible time and does not preclude fresh air and sunshine.

Mrs. Oakley Huntley, Saturday night, February 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sheathelm entertained the Old Home Roundup club Saturday night at five tables of cards, honors going to Mrs. Harold Laycock, Mrs. Hammond, Mrs. Ross Keeler and Ralph Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Elliot and family of Lansing, visited Mr. and Mrs. Adam Biebesheimer Sunday night.

Miss Mildred Smith was absent from school Monday.

DEFIES TREE SENTIMENT

Cut down that old tree if it is half dead and a carrier of disease, suggests E. J. Rasmussen, horticulturist at Michigan State college. Sentiment is poor defense in trying to care for the tree that grandfather planted. A smaller well handled orchard could supply high quality fruit with less labor. If there is a sentiment associated with any special tree it is better, in Rasmussen's opinion, to make the table out of it. Rubbish, piles of old lumber and fallen fruit should go out of the orchard with the discarded trees.

FILM NEWS

Wallace Boery and Mickey Rooney co-star in the picture, "Stablemates," which will be shown Friday and Saturday at the Fox theatre. The story is quite different from most race track pictures although there are several fine scenes taken at the race track of the famous "Ladybird" race horse. The picture is said to be one of the finest screen attractions since Wallace Boery starred in "The Champ" which was produced in 1931. Metro Goldwyn Mayer promises that the picture will receive more praise than "The Champ." If you like real, fine down-to-earth entertainment, don't miss this one.

Clark Gable and Myrna Loy are together again. Fresh from their tremendous success in the "Test Pilot," now they are the leading stars in "Too Hot to Handle" which will be the screen offering for Sunday and Monday at the Fox theatre. The story is of a fast moving type with plenty of thrills. Clark Gable is a daredevil newsreel cameraman who faces death many times to film scenes of the Japanese-Chinese war. The picture also has plenty of comedy. When news thrills are scarce, Clark produces them himself. Myrna Loy is a world-famous aviatrix who has many narrow escapes. The story is one of the fastest-moving thrill dramas ever to hit the screen.

The Hardys are back to give you some more adventures of the Hardy family. This is in "Out West With the Hardys," considered the best of the Judge Hardy family pictures. It is a fine family story that will win your heart. Mickey Rooney, Lewis Stone, Cecelia Parker, Fay Holden, Virginia Weidler and Sara Haden are in the cast. The picture has been held over for extended runs at nearly every theatre where it has been shown. The picture will be shown two days only, Wednesday and Thursday at the Fox theatre here.

A special bill-billy musical picture is the main attraction for Tuesday (family night) at the Fox theatre. It has plenty of comedy and bill-billy tunes, surrounded by action and thrills. A swell picture for the entire family. Ralph Byrd, June Storey and the Weaver Bros. have the leads. The title of the picture is "Down in Arkansas."

SLAT'S DIARY
By OLIVER N. WARREN

Sunday: All I had to do this a. m. were to attend S. S. They wasent no church. Becos the preacher had to go to a nabering city to conduct a funeral. I wish there would be more funerals. On Sunday a. m. I mean, of course. Monday: Had to rite a essay & taken Why is Girls Like Noose-papers for my subject. I writ as follows—You dont believe no thing they say and they tell all they know and then some and they is some back numbers and most of them should ot be looked over or mebbey overlooked. Pa reports on a paper and sed okay dake when I showed him what I writ.

Tuesday: A new smarty kid come to school today and sed to Jane to give him her telephone No. and he would call her up. She sed it are in the telephone drectry. He sed then what are your name and she replide it are in the drectry all so. Witch

with her. Witch I hope so.

Wednesday: Blintorn wasent in school yesterday & on her way home after school the teacher seen him and ant him why wasent he. He appeared supprised and replido and sed he knowed there was some thing he for-got. I reckon he diddent get away with it. Imney how she lickid him this a. m.

Thursday: I seen a story in the paper that a pig up in Toway brings the cows in at night buttern a dog. As Ma wouldnt never let me have no dog in the house and sed they arrent no good I wonder if she will stand for a pig. I will try it on her the 1st chanct I get. I have my douts tho.

Friday: Ant Immy made me stand clean across the room from are radio this evening after school and when I ast her how come she sed it sounds like the anousher have got a very bad cold and I might ketch it if I got too close. I dont believe there were no danger but in these days of mirakols I thot best not to take a unnecessary chanct.

Saturday: Well, the pig business isent no go. I took the matter up with Ma and sed to her a pig beats a dog at driving up the cows but she wasent impress. She sed Well we havent got no cows to bring in nowh & besides which I around the house wood be soshelly unethelke. So I reckon I have loso 1 more struggle for soshel eckonomicks. And all so not getting no play mate and companyon. Tuff luck onet more.

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Chad (to Robert): "Where are all your photo going? Every one has missed the target."

Recruit (nervously): "I don't know sir. They left here all right."

Tallor (measuring for new suit): "And how would you like the pockets sir?"

Sally McTavish: "Well—just a wee bit hard to get at."

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SPORTS

AGGIES AND HORNETS SHARE LEAGUE HONORS

DRAWING THURSDAY FOR DISTRICT TOURNAMENT.

By Nick Korbaw

Loose ends on Ingham county high school basketball will be tied Friday night, around a brace of league games to end the season. Both games, presenting teams of secondary importance as far as this year's race is concerned, envelop plenty of inter-school rivalry. Over teams of the league, having closed their season's schedule Tuesday, are marking time pending the opening assignments of the state district tournament billed for the Williamston gymnasium next week.

For the second consecutive year, Williamston shares the county title. Last year it was with Stockbridge; this year with Danville. The Aggies, impressive in their 33 to 20 victory over Leslie last Friday, chalked up their seventh victory of the season as against one defeat, matching the league record of the Williamston Hornets. A big first half proved too much for the Hawks to overcome. Sparked by Lowell Somers' 12 points and Keith Evans' 11, Danville ran amuck, tallied 21 points the first half while the Hawks were held to 12 points. David Latter, maintained his scoring pace with 13 points, but even all the points he could muster were of little avail as the Aggies threw themselves into a first-place tie in the league race.

Any visions of second place in the league race held by Webberville received a setback with the 27 to 12 victory won by Fowlerville last Friday. The loss of the game does not necessarily mean that Coach William Meyer's squad loses out on the second ladder rung, for a victory over Stockbridge Friday night, will make for them the pace set by Fowlerville.

After holding much their own in the first half of play against Jackson Tech last week, Stockbridge faltered much in the fashion made famous by them and dropped a 40 to 16 game.

Okemos and Holt played a rough and tumble affair with the Ramblers

outlasting the Chiefs by a 34 to 28 score. The game provoked 30 fouls called on the two teams, with Holt committing 17 of them and Okemos the remaining 13. But Galka and Ed Bennett shared scoring honors for the winners, each getting 12 points while Cooper and Paton, scoring eight and seven points respectively, stood out for Barnhill's squad. The defensive play on the part of the latter two stood out during the game. On Friday, scrappy Holt was gunning to avenge a 30 to 27 defeat handed them by Leslie, last year.

County coaches and school representatives on Thursday afternoon are meeting in Williamston to draw opening assignments for the district tournament to be run off at Williamston on March 2, 3 and 4. The drawings are provided by Clyde Overhol, principal of the Williamston school, who is acting as tournament manager for the class C division.

The Standings			
	W	L	Pct.
Williamston	7	1	.875
Danville	7	1	.875
Fowlerville	5	3	.625
Webberville	3	5	.375
Okemos	2	5	.285
Hastlet	2	5	.285
Stockbridge	2	5	.285
Holt	2	5	.285
Leslie	1	3	.250

Recent Scores
Fowlerville 27, Webberville 12.
Holt 34, Okemos 28.
Danville 33, Leslie 20.
Jackson Tech 40, Stockbridge 16.
Williamston 34, New Hudson 17.

Friday's Games
Holt at Leslie.
Stockbridge at Webberville.

SPARTAN YEARLINGS TAKE MASON CAGERS

REGULAR SEASON ENDS AT GRAND LEDGE FRIDAY.

Benefits of a college education were brought home to Mason high school basketball players Monday afternoon when they returned from East Lansing on the short end of a 61 to 19 count after engaging the Michigan State yearlings. Mason held a lead part way in the first quarter and was behind only 13 to 10 when the second period opened. Then the college lads, after measuring the Spartans, swung far out in front. At the half the count stood 33 to 15. Mason was helpless the third quarter which saw the score mount to 49 to 15. Bill Bergin put down a pair of shots the last quarter while the Spartans yearlings added 12.

Bergin led Mason with 10 points. Coach Gordon Dawson used all 10 of his men against the Spartans but the

Leslie Actor Pleases Bradenton Visitors



Harold Rozier of Leslie won the praise of more than 1400 trailblazers during the A. T. A. convention at Bradenton trailer park recently when he staged "The Country Boy" with a cast selected from among the visitors of the big park where more than 600 trailers representing every state in the country gathered for the jamboree of rubber-tired home residents. An estimated 1500 witnessed the play, the cast of which included Juanita Rozier and Harold Rozier, both of Leslie. They appear in the above scene, first and second from left. Other members of the cast included visitors from Balsam Lake, Wisconsin; Ft. Wayne, Indiana; Canton, Ohio; and (extreme right) Simon Oppenhuizen of Grand Rapids, Michigan.

high school lads couldn't stand the pace against the college players on the big court. After the first quarter Mason was played out.

Last Game Friday
The last game on the regular season schedule is with Grand Ledge on the Comets' court Friday night. After that comes the district tournament in Lansing in which Mason is entered in Class C along with St. Mary's, Everett, Holt, Resurrection and Vocational and perhaps one or two other schools. Coach Dawson will attend the drawing Thursday afternoon.

Friday night's game with Grand Ledge will be the final scheduled game for seven of Mason's first stringers. Seven of the players are seniors. The three who will remain for another season are Bill Bergin, a forward, and Dick Brown and Harry Mitchell, guards. Paul Deffen and Jim Ingram, forwards; Wallace Bailey, guard; and Bernard Fancher and Raymond Heinzelman, combination guards and forwards, will graduate this year. So will Fred Sissy, a guard who has been on the bench with an infection since the holidays.

Building Of Rayner Opera House In 1880

(Continued from Page 1)

are good for it"—which, humorous under statement of the new enterprise's financial backing drew many hearty chuckles from the Democrat's readers.

On June 3 the plans for the new building were nearly complete, and by June 24 W. A. Steele had opened the first kiln of brick at the Mason brick yard. The brick, of extra quality, were to supply the opera house and the Sackler and MacRobertson companies. All summer the brick work was being pushed as rapidly as possible. On September 2 we learn that Phil Taylor, the master mason, fell 12 feet from a broken scaffold and lit on his head, fortunately without suffering permanent injury. Week by week Editor Whitmore reports the opera house nearing completion, until the eventful evening of Friday, January 14, 1881, when it was formally opened by the G. A. Hough Dramatic company in "Uncle Tom's Cabin," followed on Saturday evening by "Forsaken, or The Old Homestead." For weeks the papers ring with praise of the magnificent new building, with its striking renaissance front, the auditorium floor, which raises four feet at the rear for dramatic performances, or drops level for dancing, the new opera chairs, the stage, one of the finest in the state, complete in all appointments, with a magnificent drop curtain and 12 sliding scenes, the gas plants, with all lights controlled from the stage, and of which seems commonplace to the present sophisticated age, but which represented almost incredible luxury to the little country town of the early eighties. The only sour note in this sustained paean of praise was the dramatic criticism of the opening performance, to the general effect that the bloodhounds were good, but they had very poor support. After the opening the house was busy the first winter; a farewell party for Otis Fuller, who was leaving newspaper work in Mason to take charge of the St. Johns Republican; a grand Valentine masquerade ball; and the citizens lecture course program, which included Archibald Forbes, noted war correspondent, whose address was "Royal People I Have Met" was very coldly received by the Democrat's dramatic critic. Mary A. Livermore, famous lecturer and worker for the causes of temperance and woman suffrage, after one postponement due to a blizzard and snow blockade, gave her famous talk on "The Boy of Today," but we will never know how the audience reacted to her address, because in the midst of it some of the restless gallery gods tore one of the balcony benches loose from the floor, and the protesting screech of lumber and nails sent most of the audience dashing out into the snow-piled streets outside, with the idea that the building was collapsing. A few weeks later the Livermore lecture Editor Whitmore is moved by persistent reports that the building is unsafe, to make a personal survey of the gallery of the opera house. He discovers the loose seat with the noisy floor boards underneath, and confirms Architect Paddock's earlier finding, that the building is entirely safe. The same week many persons from neighboring towns are reported as visiting the Rayner Opera House, and are surprised to find it so elegant and complete in all its appointments. Graduating exercises of the Mason high school and the annual meeting of the Ingham County Pioneer Society are of course held in the new opera house. In September comes Charles Postelle in "Mrs. Partington" under the management of F. C. Whitney, winning high compliments from the Democrat; also a public memorial service for President Garfield, the recent victim of an assassin's bullet. And in October is announced the first of a long and colorful series of wrestling matches between George Searle, Mason's athletic marvel, and Clark Strank, the Eaton county giant. Closely following this comes the Boston Ideal Uncle Tom's Cabin show. (In fact Uncle Tom is destined to visit Mason nearly every year for the next half-century and sometimes several times a season). In December comes

Northeast Leslie and Vevay By Mrs. Orpha Willott

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Swan and family spent Sunday evening at John Willott's.

Mrs. White Wing is able to sit up again, after five weeks of illness.

Lawrence McIntosh's two little children are ill with the flu.

John Willott and family spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward.

Stockbridge

The condition of Orville Jones, 75, who slipped on the ice and broke his hip recently, is reported improved. He is confined to the Rowe Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Meyers and children, Jack and Lanora, spent the week end in Alger, Ohio.

Ola Golzer of North Muskegon, Meredith Hirsch of East Lansing, John Baker of Cassopolis, and Loren Reor of Marquette City, were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Korbaw. The group attended the Chi Omega sorority winter formal dinner-dance held at the Woman's club, Lansing, Saturday.

Jane Hall of East Lansing, and Clifford McKibbin of Lansing, were week end guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Summer Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spadafore and daughter, Josephine, on Sunday attended the Emil Maseroni-Marian DeRose wedding at Eaton Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Koepfer and daughters, Willie May and Betty, were recent visitors at Jackson.

The Rev. C. E. Blanchard of Marshall, spent the week end at the home

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Rev. Blanchard is serving as supply minister in the local Presbyterian church.

Patty Jean Sibbey, a student at Michigan State college, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sibbey.

William Collins, W. N. Korbaw, Curtis White and George Roberts attended the meeting of the Ingham county interscholastic association held at East Lansing, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Duncor and daughter, Marie, W. J. Duncor, Mr.

and Mrs. Joseph Mason and Delores Farmer left Tuesday for a motor trip to Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur White plan to move into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Milliken on South Clinton street. The house belongs to Hugh Milner. They plan to move about March 10.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sibbey plan to move into the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. James Barton and belonging to Dicky Asquith. They will move about March 1.



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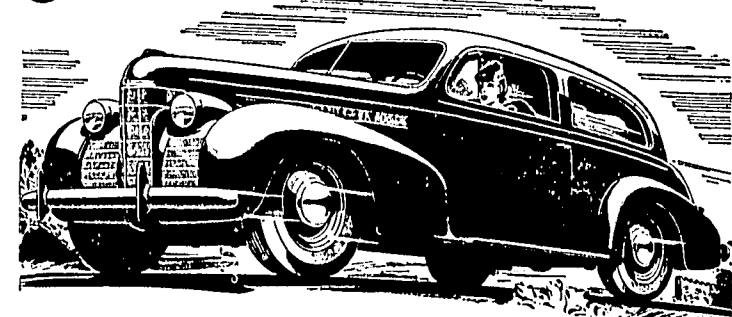
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Northwest Ingham By Mrs. Ami Terrill

About 30 friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Preston met at their home Friday evening for a show-er. Cards and dancing furnished the entertainment. Mrs. Howard Gillett, in behalf of those present, presented them with a purse of money. Refreshments were served, and a pleasant evening reported by all attending.

Mrs. Rena Platt of Williamston, visited Mrs. Howard Gillette a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dunsmore were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ami Terrill.

John Thomas has his buildings now wired for electric service.

Wheatfield Center By Mrs. George Pratt

Mrs. George Sadler, who was taken suddenly ill about 10 days ago, remains in a very critically condition.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Frost spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Frost of Ingham.

Mrs. Cella Butler and Ina of East Lansing, were calling on relatives in this locality last Saturday.

Walter Gibson and son of Lansing spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gibson. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Donal entertained several relatives and neighbors at their home last Saturday night. Games and visiting and a potluck lunch were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Karn were host and hostess for the Wheatfield L. A. S., held at the Grange hall last Friday night. About 50 were present. The Community Aid society will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. John Gaylord at their home in Wheatfield on Thursday, March 2. Dinner will be served at noon.

Guerdon Frost, who had a bone broken in his ankle while playing basketball about two weeks ago, has had the ankle placed in a cast. He expects to resume his school work, this week.

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The U. S. S. Lexington is over 100 feet longer than the famed Woolworth building in New York city is tall.

Williamston

By Inez C. White

William E. Brown, who had been ill for the past three years, died at the home on North Putnam street Friday, Feb. 23, 1939. He was born in Williamston August 20, 1869, and had lived here all of his life. Mr. Brown had a dray, also a truck home for several years. He was the express agent for 52 years. At the time of the golden anniversary of his work for the express company, a banquet was given in his honor and he was presented with a gold medal. Since his failing health, the son Harry has had charge of the work, which has kept it in the family for 55 years. Mr. Brown also carried the mail for several years. He was twice married the first wife being Miss Alta Benjamin of Belle Oak. Some time after her death he was married to the present Mrs. Brown, whose girlhood home was in Lansingburg. Surviving are the widow, one son, Harry Brown; one daughter, Miss Inez Brown, who is the Williamston postmistress, Harry being the assistant; one granddaughter; a sister, Mrs. Beckwith of Howell; and one brother, Harry Brown, who is a dentist in Saginaw. Funeral services were held at the Gorsline Bros. chapel Sunday and were conducted by the Rev. J. S. Bottrell, pastor of the M. E. church. The pallbearers were B. A. Liverance, Clarence Clark, L. J. Brackett, Floyd A. Gorsline, John Eaton and Milo Speers. Burial was made in Summit cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cheney and son and Miss Ullah Croop left here last Tuesday for Florida, where they expect to stay the remainder of the winter.

Mrs. Lizzie Vaughn died suddenly at her home, corner South and Cedar streets, last Sunday forenoon, after being ill only four hours with heart trouble. She was born October 28, 1880, in Livingston county, Michigan, and had lived in Williamston township and village about 30 years. She had been in her usual health and had called on two of her close neighbors Saturday afternoon. Surviving are the husband, Frank; two sons, Percy of Detroit, and L. B. of Williamston Center; one daughter, Mrs. Bessie Duncle of Lansing; 11 grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Carrie Joslin of Leroy township, Mrs. Nellie Andrews of Anna, and Mrs. Lavinia Glasscock of Lansing; also several cousins. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday and were conducted by the Rev. T. S. Bottrell. Burial was made at Dansville.

John Frasier has leased the John Linn business block on Grand River street, and has had a new front put in the building and will make other improvements. When they are completed, Mr. Frasier will move his hardware stock from across the road to the new location.

Webberville

By Fred Holland

John Peters has been quite ill with a cold.

Mrs. Ira Hasbick was taken to a Lansing hospital for an operation last Thursday.

Archie Silsby is able to be out after his recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Monroe of South Leroy, visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dietz, last Saturday.

The high school basketball team went to Fowlerville last Friday night and was defeated.

There are to be two tickets in the village spring election, the Citizens and the Union. The following candidates were chosen: Citizens, president, A. H. Catlin; clerk, Roland Graham; treasurer, Mrs. Laura Douglas; assessor, D. F. Hummel; trustees for two years, Rayner Hasbick, Martin Rice, Henry Matheson. Union ticket, president, A. H. Catlin; clerk, Lloyd Silsby; treasurer, Charles Hugenott; assessor, James Fraser; trustees for two years, N. F. Chubb, W. O. Horton, Jack Hughes.

Miss Mildred Loder, who has con-

ducted a beauty parlor here the past two years, will soon leave for Jackson, where she will be employed in a shop at that place. Mrs. Arthur Vorce will continue to operate the shop here.

Elton Lockwood has a new Ford car.

Frank Coward of Plymouth, was in Webberville, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Conlin of Mason, visited friends here Saturday night.

Mrs. Henry Hamburger was able to be down town Friday after her recent illness.

Mrs. Fred Wolcott of Flint, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. W. F. Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan and Mrs. Augusta Patrick visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mead in South Leroy Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. William DeFors fell and broke her wrist last week.

Mrs. Barry Hopkins is in the Sparrow hospital for an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dodge and daughter of Lansing visited here Monday afternoon.

Mr. Fuller is visiting friends at Hart.

Bert Gable and family entertained guests from near Belle Oak, Sunday.



Propping his snowshoes and gun against a tree, a state trapper pauses to prepare luncheon on the trap line. Michigan has seven state trapper-instructors, three working in the upper peninsula and four in the lower. It is their duty to trap predatory animals causing farm damage, or to instruct others in the technique of trapping. The furs lying to the right of the trapper's gun are two coyote pelts.

At The Churches

Christian Science—Services are held over the Mills store every Sunday morning at 10:30. Sunday school is held during the service. Wednesday evening testimony meeting is held at 8:00 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

"Christ Jesus" will be the subject of the lesson sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, February 26. The golden text (Colossians 3:16, 17) is: "Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly in all wisdom. . . And whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him." Among the Bible citations is the passage (Jeremiah 23:5, 6): "Behold, the days come, saith the Lord, that I will raise unto David a righteous Branch, and a King shall reign and prosper, and shall execute judgment and justice in the earth. In his days Judah shall be saved, and Israel shall dwell safely; and this is his name whereby he shall be called: 'The Lord Our Righteousness.'"

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. 333): "Throughout all generations both before and after the Christian era, the Christ, as the spiritual ideal—the reflection of God—has come with some measure of power and grace to all prepared to receive Christ, Truth."

Mason Baptist—Rev. D. L. Hunt, pastor. "A Call to Consecration" is the theme for next Sunday morning's message. The morning service begins at 10 o'clock. The adult choir will sing "Now to the King Eternal," by Wilson. The Bible school will meet at 11:30. Drivers will call for country children, unless the sick problem remains acute. Country calls were cancelled last week because of widespread sickness. The BYPU societies will meet at 6:00. The evening preaching service is at 7:00. "The Grace of Christ" is the subject of the sermon. The prayer meeting is Thursday at 7:00 p. m.

Mason Presbyterian Morning worship 10 a. m. This will be the fourth in a series of meetings in a church-going campaign sponsored by the Ladies Aid. Sunday is set aside as Circle Day. Rev. H. F. Roberts will begin a series of Lenten sermons, the subject for Sunday being "He Took It Upon Himself." Other subjects are: Sunday, March 5, "The Closed Door," Sunday, March 12, "Christ Comforts The Troubled," Sunday, March 19, "A Light to the Gentiles," (Ingathering Sunday), or Every Member Cares Sunday, Sunday, March 26, "Christ or Barabbas," Sunday, April 2, "The King of Life," Sunday, April 9, "The Life Everlasting," Organ numbers by Mrs. N. S. Davis for Sunday are "Andante from Sonata O. P. 79," by Beethoven, "Thou Art My God" by Roberts; and "March of the Noble Knights," Church school 11:30 a. m. Young Peoples meetings 8:30 p. m. Jerry Suranaka, leader of Young Peoples club, topic: "Christianity in Politics." Intermediates, Dewey Doane, leader. There will be a joint meeting of the session and trustees Monday night, February 27, 7:30, at the church. Choir rehearsal, Juniors 7 p. m., seniors 7:45 p. m., at the church on Wednesday.

Mason Methodist—Morning service Sunday, February 26, at 10 o'clock. E. O. Gildart, publisher of the Utica Sentinel, will preach on "Christianity and Democracy." Sunday school at 11:30.

North Aurelius Union—Rev. E. W. Martin, pastor. Church services 10 o'clock. Sunday school 11 o'clock. Hubert Bullen and Mrs. Robert Welch, superintendents. Young Peoples meeting 7:30, Jack Anway, leader. Prayer meeting Tuesday night at eight o'clock at home of George Smith. Young Peoples Bible Study class Wednesday night at eight o'clock at Webb school, Mrs. Robert Welch, teacher. All young people are invited to attend the Sunday evening meetings. A special program is being planned for each meeting.

Dansville Free Methodist—Harry Hoyt, pastor. 10:30 Sunday school. 11:30 Morning service. 7:30 Evening service. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7 o'clock Juniors, 7:30 adults.

Dansville M. E.—Rev. Marjorie M. Hawkins, Minister. Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Subject: "Temptation And Its Uses." Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Mid-week devotional service Wednesday 7:30 p. m. World Wide Day of Prayer service under the auspices of the Missionary society Friday at the M. E. church at 2:30 p. m. Both churches of the village uniting.

Hosel United Brethren—Rev. I. H. Osgood, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Subject: "Climbing the Mount of Beattitudes," 11. Junior and senior C. E., 7:00 p. m. Worship service and question box, 8:00 p. m.

Cottage prayer meeting Wednesday, 8:00 p. m. Missionary Aid supper at Spencer Galloway home, Friday night, March 3, for "Chinese Relief Fund." Revival meetings begin March 5. You are cordially invited.

S. S. Cornelius and Cyprian, Bunker Hill—The Rev. John Duffy, pastor. Masses—winter schedule, 8:30 a. m. and 10:30 a. m.

Aurelius Center Baptist—Rev. D. L. Hunt, pastor. The Bible school meets at 10:15. Morning worship at 11:30. Attention is called to special evangelistic meetings to be held during the week of March 12-17. Full announcement of these services will be made at a later date. Prayer meeting is Wednesday night, March 1.

Leslie Congregational—Sunday school 10:00 a. m. Charles Whitney, superintendent. Morning worship 11 a. m. Subject: "The Cross—A Message of Our Faith." Pilgrim Fellowship Sunday 5:00 p. m., Joseph Chevrolet, Jr., leader.

Leslie Methodist—Rev. Theron Jenne, pastor. Sunday school 10:30. Morning worship 11:30. Epworth League 6:15 Thursday. Junior League 4:30 p. m. Prayer meeting 7:00. Choir practice 8:00.

Eden—Morning worship 10:30. Sunday school 11:15.

Felt Plains—Morning worship 9:45. Sunday school 10:15. Wednesday prayer meeting 8:00 p. m.

Whitfield M. E.—Rev. Marjorie M. Hawkins, Minister. Morning worship 9:30 a. m. Subject: "Temptation And Its Uses." Sunday school 10:30 a. m. Epworth League 7:00 p. m. Mid-week devotional service Thursday 7:30 p. m. The Missionary society will meet with Mrs. Fred Fisher Friday at 11:00 a. m., observing the World Wide Day of Prayer.

Grovenburg By Mrs. Howard North

Fred Strobel left Tuesday on a trip to Thomasville, Georgia, where he will visit his brother, Dr. Frank Strobel, and family. He went with his brother, George Strobel, and Mrs. Strobel who will also spend some time in Florida. They expect to return in about two weeks.

Howard North was honored at a birthday dinner Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leone North. All the North children and their families were present.

Mrs. Gertrude Buskirk is now able to be up and is reported much improved.

Mrs. Fred Logan of Detroit, was at the home of her son, Lester Rice, last week.

Harvey Wilson has been ill with grippe and Leone North was at home last week several days with the same ailment.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard North and Lizzie Moon were guests with a group of friends at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Lamberton in Lansing at dinner, Saturday.

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Dennis Neighborhood News

By Louise Horton

Mrs. Margaret Huntington of Lansing, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baker.

Miss Orpha Beach was married valentine's day to Burton Hammond. They were married in their own home. After the wedding a two-course dinner was served to about 40 guests. They are living in the first house west of the Methodist school in Wheatfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clara Smith visited friends in Dansville Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Putman attended the Michigan livestock exchange banquet held last Thursday night at the Hotel Olds, Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Darling and family moved to Lansing, Wednesday.

Mrs. Lizzie Winegar came Monday to spend a few weeks with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Winegar.

Derby Neighborhood

By Mrs. G. W. Springfield

Miss Thelma Smith spent the week end with Miss Virginia Barton of Stockbridge.

Little Fatsy Brower has scarlet fever.

The children and teacher of the Derby school had a valentine party Tuesday afternoon. After the valentines were distributed games were played. Candy and popcorn were served.

Mrs. Maude Heene and Harold, Mr. and Mrs. James Brady, Mr. and

Mrs. Harb Akeley and Mr. and Mrs. George Applebaum attended the milk producers dinner and program at the town hall in Stockbridge, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gulliver of Mason spent Tuesday at their farm while Janice visited school.

The Humpty-Dumpty circus at the high school gym sponsored by the school band, was well attended.

About 50 relatives and neighbors had a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Ashmore Friday night. After an evening of various games, refreshments were served. The guests of honor were presented with a lace table cover by the neighbors. Mr. and Mrs. Ashmore expect to move to Stockbridge soon.

Mrs. Roscoe Arnold and Janet of Dansville, spent Friday night at the Ted Fay home.

Mrs. Ted Fay and Stanley visited Maxine and Howard Fay of near Mason two days last week.

Louis Shier, who is employed in Lansing, spent the week end with his family.

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West Aukland

By Mrs. Cora Robertson

Mrs. Spaulding, who is living at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. Klink, fell recently, losing her confined to her bed and requiring constant care. The Klink family have all had flu. The three children have returned to high school.

Edd Simpson suffered a stroke Thursday and another Friday. He is in a critical condition.

The teacher, Lorna Rasch, and pupils of the Toles entertained the mothers at a valentine party last week. Games were played and cakes and jelly served.

Leland Stickney has been ill with flu at the home of Roy Buckingham for several days where he has been cared for by his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Swartz and Ralph spent the week end with their son, Orville and family in Lansing.

Charles Robertson of Meridian, was home, Sunday.

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HOLT

By Mrs. Mary H. Kling

Floyd Wallace of Mt. Pleasant spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Blanche Wallace.

The next meeting of the Holt Woman's club will be with Mrs. Edwin Clever on Tuesday, February 28. Roll call will be "Women in the Headlines of Today." A report of the county federation meeting will be given by Mrs. Harold Thurney, a paper on the Star Commonwealth by Mrs. Will Douglas and a paper on Dr. Mary B. Harris, superintendent of federal industrial institutions, by Mrs. Sarah Butler. Seven members of the club attended the anniversary meeting of the Fortnightly Literary club at the Lansing Woman's club house Friday afternoon.

Newton Collier of Detroit, who lived in Holt for some time, called on Mr. and Mrs. Brice Spencer Saturday.

The West Alameda Ladies Aid society is holding a box social Friday night, February 24, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chamberlain, south of Holt. Women are to pack a box for two. Games and a social time will be enjoyed. Coffee will be furnished.

Mrs. E. L. Mathias entertained a small company on Saturday night as a surprise party celebrating her husband's birthday anniversary. Music, Chinese checkers and refreshments were enjoyed.

A regular meeting of W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. P. E. Ogle at 2:30 Friday afternoon, February 24.

The meeting of the general Ladies Aid society of the Presbyterian church will be held Thursday, March 2, in the church parlors with dinner at 11:30, followed by a business meeting and election of officers.

On Friday night at eight o'clock occurs the meeting of the church officers of the Presbyterian church in the parlors.

Mrs. Mary Kling spent the week end at the home of her brother, A. R. Austin, in Jansville, celebrating her birthday anniversary on Sunday. She accompanied her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myers, Raymond and Joan, Mrs. Myers remaining with her father and brother, Paul, for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Griffin and son, Billy, visited in Flint Sunday.

Mrs. J. Arthur Allen, piano, Mrs. Zora Marshall, cello, and Miss Frances Ayres will furnish the music for Miss Betty McDan's party at the Country Club Saturday.

Mrs. Niles Brooks and infant son were brought home from the hospital at Mason Saturday.

A regular meeting of Child Study club was held Tuesday night instead of on the regular meeting night Wednesday. The meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Carl Sheldorf.

Homer Gilbert was taken to a Lansing hospital last week for an operation.

Mrs. John Ammon is confined to her home by illness.

Mrs. Blanche Wallace is ill at her home on North Cedar street.

Phil Wilkins is now able to spend some time at the garage, and is improving rapidly from the infection in his arm.

The D'Erlanger quintette, consisting of Mrs. J. Arthur Allen of Holt, piano, Mrs. Zora Marshall, cello, Miss Frances Ayres, violin, Mrs. J. McFarland and Mrs. Bruce Stone will play from the Kate Marvin Kodzie music with original markings by her, at the Matinee Musical in Lansing March 1.

Mrs. Harley W. Holmes of Marshall visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Douglas, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rundell are moving from Mason to the Floyd Burgess house on North Cedar.

Gower Chapman is on a two weeks business trip to the south for the Motor Wheel company. He arrived in New Orleans for the opening day of the Mardi Gras. Only recently Mississippi, Louisiana and part of Tennessee have been added to his territory,

which stretches from Michigan to the Gulf.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Chamberlain were in Williamston on business Wednesday. While they were gone one of their most valuable registered cows died.

Mrs. Lena Aldrich of Lansing has been brought to the Chapman convalescent home.

The Misses Ruthalea Mossacur and Fern Livingstone of Albion were recent guests of Lois Ellorby.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Henderson and family have moved to Lansing.

Mrs. Mary McDowell has gone to Hastings for a visit of several days.

Stockbridge Village

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church met at the home of Mrs. Hugh Milner, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. William Collins entertained several mothers and their sons and daughters Monday afternoon in honor of her son, David, on his first birthday anniversary. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostess and many gifts were given David.

The Home Culture club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Dora Hall Friday afternoon. Mrs. Marietta Brown was leader of the day. Mrs. Lily Cook gave a paper about Jefferson Davis. "The White Butterfly" was played by Joan Dancor. Refreshments were served by the hostess to the 16 present. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Harold Lantis.

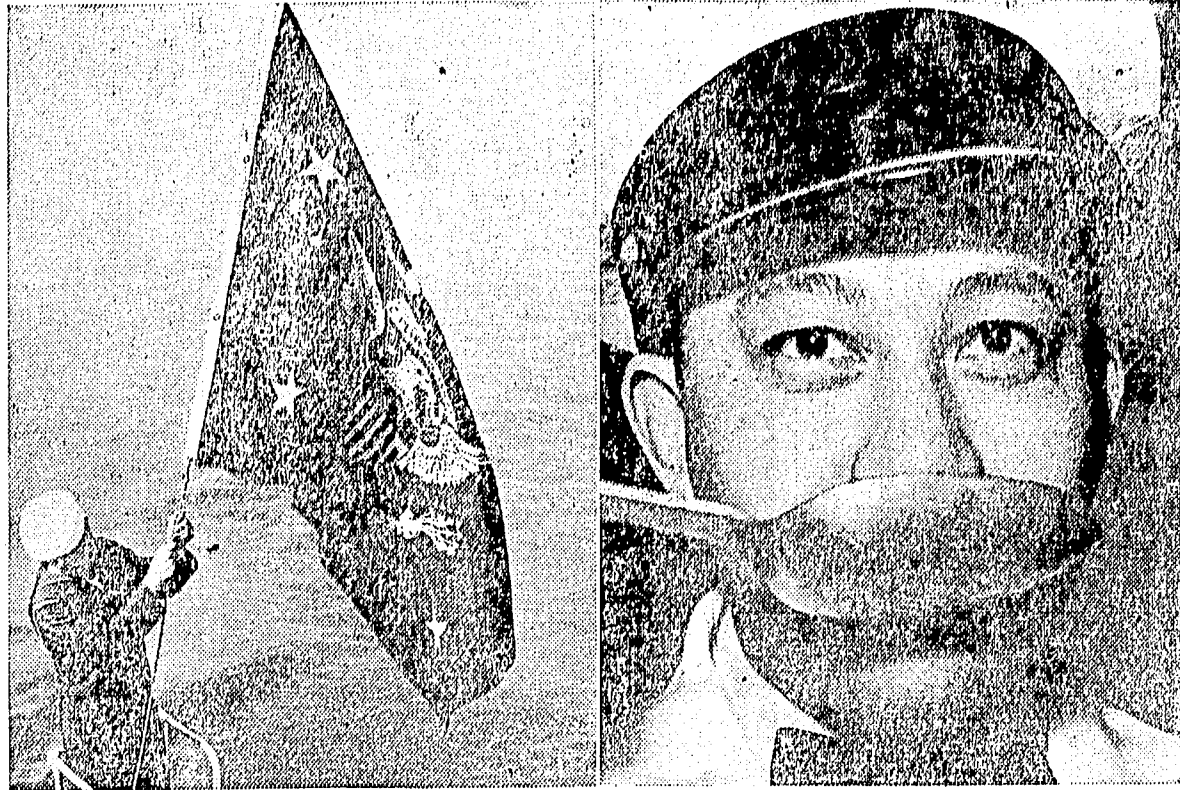
Orville Jones fell on the ice one day last week. He is at the Rowe Memorial hospital.

Mason Carter is confined to his bed with illness.

Elmer Seabable, Glenn Brown, Dan Lantis, Fred Moffat, Herb Collins and Howard Williams returned from a Houghton Lake fishing trip Tuesday night.

Woman's life is full of worry. When her husband reaches the age of settling down, she has to begin worrying about her sons.—Atchison Globe.

Hoist the Flag, Stir the Soup—and Ahoy!



President Roosevelt left Sunday aboard the U. S. S. Houston on a double-duty cruise to relax and witness part of the combined fleet maneuvers between Cuba and the South American coast. Elaborate preparations are made to accommodate the chief executive each time he travels by sea, which is usually aboard the Houston. Left photo shows sailor with the presidential flag, flown from the ship. Right: Irineo Esperancilla, Filipino chef, who usually prepares the chief executives meals on ocean journeys.

Hank's Ready!



Hank Greenberg, 1938 home run king, arrives in Florida early for the Detroit Tigers' spring training session which opens Tuesday at Lakeland. Greenberg is showing his home run spirit at Miami Beach.

It's 'Prof.' Dean



Famed as a radio orator, vaudeville entertainer and baseball pitcher, the great Dizzy Dean now becomes a professor. Dizzy is in Jackson, Miss., on the faculty of Promoter Ray Doan's baseball school. He is teaching youngsters how to become great hurlers—like Dean.

Legal Notice

HEARING CLAIMS. CHRISTOPHER—JUNE 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 18th day of February, A. D. 1939. Present, HON. JOHN MCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of PHILINDA (PHYLLIDA) CHRISTOPHER, 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 21st day of June, A. D. 1939, 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. (A true copy.) DAVID C. BEATTY, Register of Probate. 863

WHO PAYS?

Italy is apparently preparing to capitulate on Spain. Since Gen. Franco is unable to meet the bill for \$400,000,000 with which he was presented by Mussolini, the Italian counts on getting France and Britain to pay, either in cash or credits or in territory, perhaps in all three.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

New York minister says that the way to make the world peaceful is to help the have-nots. That is what the New Deal has been doing for six years but they seem to need more help than ever.

Time flies. We haven't got our Christmas debts paid yet and the baseball teams have gone South for spring training.

Runs in Santa Anita Handicap



Porter's Mite, who won the forty-ninth Belmont Futurity last October 1, was one of the favorites in the annual \$50,000 added Santa Anita derby at Los Angeles, Wednesday. A total of 107 three-year-olds were nominated for the one and one-eighth mile race. Porter's Mite finished fourth with Cicilia winning first.

It Otter Be—



Emil Liers of Homer, Minn., thinks his otter ought to make a good retriever. Liers arrived in New York Friday for the National Sportsmen's Show February 18 to 26, exhibiting the only pack of otters ever bred, raised and trained in captivity. Above photograph shows one of his pets sitting up as pertly as a prize dachshund as Liers offers it a tempting frog.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

Regardless of two zero readings the past week, the sun is getting higher and Spring is just around the corner. H. J. Baldwin of Aurelius is positive that Spring is almost here. He has already received 100 White Leghorn chicks. He is having trouble keeping the ground broken in their scratching pen.

There has been all kinds of weather this last week. Friday and Saturday were beautiful days after a frigid Thursday. A rain set in Saturday night and continued until Monday morning. One and one-half inches of water fell and the Sycamore shook loose from its coating of ice. The creek overflowed in all low places and in some of the high ones. Monday was cold and windy. Snow came again Monday night and there were snow flurries Tuesday and Wednesday. On Wednesday morning the mercury dipped to zero and on Thursday morning the zero mark was nearly reached.

DON'T FORGET THE BIRDS



When snow and ice cover natural food, the birds may need human help to survive the winter. Above is a simple and practical type of feeding station. A wire basket is formed out of hardware cloth and fastened to the side of a tree on the ground. It may be filled with scratch feed, wheat, barley or shelled corn. One advantage of this kind of feeding station is that such animals as the squirrel cannot carry off any amount of the grain because it is almost completely enclosed, while the birds can feed through the wire mesh.



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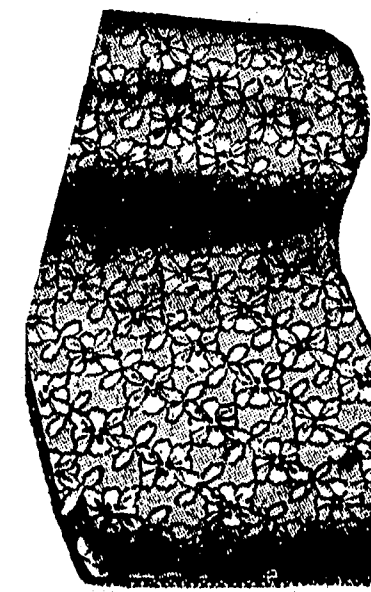
7 Ladies' Felt and Velvet Hats. 25c COATS. Several exceptional buys left for quick sale. Get yours early!

Parkhurst's

Church Notices

Holt Methodist—Rev. S. W. Large, pastor. Morning worship 10. Sermon topic, "The Man Without." Junior church, Mrs. George Beck and Mrs. Emil Williams in charge. Sunday school, 11:25, Floyd Lott, Supt. Intermediate Epworth League, 6:00 p. m. Senior Epworth League, 7:00 p. m.

Holt Presbyterian—Rev. F. E. Ogle, pastor. Morning worship, 10:30, special music. Sermon topic, "What Does God Do?" Junior church, Sunday school, 12:00. Stanley Parker, Supt. Intermediate Christian Endeavor, 6:00 p. m. Topic, "What causes Crime?" Young People's C. E., 7:00 p. m. Topic, "Where Are Our Modern Frontiers?" Leader, Thelma Kleinhen. Choir practice 8:00 p. m., Wednesday evening.



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SPRY or CRISCO 3-lb. can **50c**

Grapefruit 70 Size — Seedless 5 for **19c**

Oranges Seedless Valencia 2 doz. **39c**

BANANAS 4 lbs. **25c**

New Cabbage Solid Heads 1-b. **3c**

NORTHERN TISSUE 1c roll with 4-roll purchase at 21c

SODA CRACKERS 2-lb. box **13c**

FIG BARS 3-lb. pkg. **25c**

GREEN GIANT PEAS 2 cans **29c**

DEL MAIZ NIBLETS 2 cans **25c**

CLAPP'S BABY FOOD 3 cans **25c**

CLAPP'S CHOPPED FOODS 2 cans **25c**

ANGEL FOOD BAR Large size **15c**

SLAB BACON 1-b. **19c**
Mild Sugar Cured — Any Size Piece

Pure Lard 2 lbs. **19c**

Haddock Fillets 1-b. **14c**

Boiling Beef 2 lbs. **25c**

Oysters SOLID PACK pt. **21c**

Pollock Fillets 2 lbs. **19c**

Holland Herring keg **79c**

Fresh Smelt 2 lbs. **25c**

Side Pork FRESH LEAN 1-b. **15c**

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