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# INGHAM COUNTY NEWS

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## TEACHERS HERE FRIDAY FOR ANNUAL INSTITUTE

PROMINENT SPEAKERS ON INSTITUTE PROGRAM.

Vacation For Pupils Friday An Rural And City Teachers Gather In Mason.

All teachers in the county, except those in the Lansing school system, are expected to attend the Ingham teachers institute to be held in Mason Friday. Among the speakers who will address the teachers are Dr. Mandel Sherman of the University of Chicago, Joseph Alexander, Lansing merchant who has lived and traveled in the Orient, the Rev. Carl S. Winters of Jackson and Mrs. Raymond Boniac of Lansing.

Mrs. Lou Hincheliff, principal of the Horsebrook school in Lansing township, will preside at the morning session. Harold Glynn, teacher at the Pollok school in Wheatfield and president of the Rural Assembly, will preside at the afternoon session.

The institute will be opened at 9:30 with music by the Mason school band, directed by Joseph Wymann. The Rev. D. L. Huntworth of the Mason Baptist church will give an invocation. The Rev. Carl S. Winters of the First Baptist church of Jackson is scheduled to deliver a 50-minute address starting at 10:05. Mr. Winters spoke in Mason last week on the occasion of the father and son banquet. He was also the principal speaker at the dedication of the Hall Memorial library last fall.

Dr. Sherman and Mrs. Boniac are also on the forenoon program. Dr. Sherman's subject has not been disclosed. Mrs. Boniac will tell of Michigan wildflowers.

At noon members of the Mason jury class will serve lunch at tables set up in the school gymnasium.

The afternoon program will be opened at 1:15 with a banquet. Lynn G. Adams of East Lansing, president of the Ingham Teachers' Federation, Dr. Sherman is listed for another speech in the afternoon. At 2:20 Mr. Alexander will deliver an address on Americanism.

## MORE AUCTION SALES SCHEDULED FOR MARCH

FIVE AUCTION SALES ARE LISTED THIS WEEK.

County Fair Sale Held Saturday Was Successful, Fair Sponsoring E. M. Moore Sale.

Although spring is just a few weeks away farm auction sales are still popular. There are five sales advertised in this issue of the Ingham County News. Last Saturday the second county fair auction was held at the fairgrounds in Mason. Livestock and tools offered brought fair prices.

On Thursday of this week the county fair board is sponsoring the E. M. Moore sale near Okemos.

Ernest Rowe, one mile west of Mason on the Slits road, is having a sale Friday, March 10. The sale was advertised in the Ingham County News last week.

Five sales listed in the advertising columns this week are as follows:

Tuesday, March 14, Edw. Wagner, a half-mile east and a half-mile north of Stockbridge.

Tuesday, March 14, C. A. Davis, administrator of the Abigail Stone estate, four miles south and one-half mile east of Aurelius Center.

Wednesday, March 15, John C. Warner, one mile south and two and one-half miles west of Williamson.

Friday, March 17, Floyd R. Richmond, two miles northeast of Holt on Willowby road.

Saturday, March 18, Ferris Reason, administrator of the Fred Reason estate, six miles east of Mason on the Brickyard road and one-half mile north.

A sale which will be listed in next week's paper is that of J. L. Nichols, nine miles north of Mason on Phillips road, to be held Tuesday, March 21.

## Farm Bureau Members To Entertain Guests

GUEST DAY TO BE HELD IN MASON MARCH 16.

Continuing its program of local activities the Ingham County Farm Bureau is holding a "Guest Day" at the Mason I. O. O. F. hall next Thursday, March 16. Members and their wives are inviting guests to participate in a potluck dinner and program.

Discussions will feature the after-dinner session. R. V. Gunn of Michigan State college has been secured to lead a discussion on the pros and cons of reciprocal trade agreements, a subject of keen interest to all farmers at the present time. J. F. Yeager will represent the Michigan Farm Bureau at the gathering.

## Ingham Young People Finish Short Courses

GET DIPLOMAS AT MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE.

Seventeen Ingham county residents are among those who have completed short courses at Michigan State college recently. The committee presented by the short course graduates are as follows: Mason, Ivan C. Helmeclman and Leo K. Rathbone, agricultural engineering; Leslie, Alfred C. Hutchinson, agricultural engineering, and Max F. Smith, forestry and wildlife conservation; Okemos, Robert T. Hoag, six-week general agriculture, and Kay R. Moore, agricultural engineering; Williamston, Morris E. Binding, poultry, and Martha L. Fisher, home economics; V. F. W. home, Sherman Bever and Francis Joe Paszkourle, dairy manufacturing and production; Holt, Lawrence E. Ellessor, practical floriculture; Lansing, Frank C. Crispin, forestry and wild life conservation, and Hubert C. Davis and Lawrence J. Naab, dairy manufacturing; East Lansing, Bill H. Winder, two-year general agriculture, and Arthur J. Wolf, poultry.

## SOILS COMMITTEEMEN EXPLAIN FARM PLANS

BUSINESS MEN ARE GUESTS OF COMMITTEEMEN.

State And County Leaders Outline Need For Program And Ask For United Support.

Township committeemen of the Ingham county soils conservation organization entertained business men at a banquet held in the I. O. O. F. hall in Mason last Thursday night. The farm program was discussed by state, county and township leaders. The banquet was served by the Rebekahs. An orchestral quartet from the Mason school played during the dinner.

Ralph Glynn, chairman of the county committee, introduced H. H. Barnum, county extension agent, who presided as toastmaster. Charles Bonine of Cass county, member of the state soils conservation committee, told of the background for the farm program and of the need for cooperation to cure the evils of overproduction and the loss of foreign markets. Mr. Barnum explained the present program and told of the development of it following the supreme court decision outlawing the first AAA.

George Meador, statistician for the state soils conservation committee, told of the setup of the present program and explained how allotments made. He discussed parity payments and marketing quotas. Mr. Meador declared that the present program is not a cure-all but is a step toward solving the farm problem. He explained the payments made to farmers as including them to practice good farming methods so that soil fertility may be conserved for future generations.

Roy Edlin, field man for the district, also discussed the farm program. He discussed crop insurance, too.

Township committeemen and business men, who were present from all parts of the county, discussed various phases of the farm program. State and county officers of the farmers' organization answer questions put by farmers and business men.

Reports by township committeemen revealed that between 85 and 90 per cent of farmers in Ingham county are expected to sign up for compliance with the 1939 program.

## Rural School Pupils In Music Festivals

THREE FESTIVALS TO BE HELD IN MAY.

Work in music which has been mandated in all rural schools in the county this year will culminate in three music festivals, Fred E. Sear, county school commissioner, has announced. The first festival will be held at the Williamson school May 3, the second at Leslie May 4 and the third at Mason, May 5. Rural schools will participate in the festival nearest them.

It is not compulsory that schools participate in the festivals, Mr. Sear said. However, because of the interest taken in rural music this year there will be at least 1000 pupils who will appear in the festivals, the commissioner stated.

"Parents and the general public are urged to attend the festivals," Mr. Sear said. "They may judge of the quality of music work in Ingham rural schools. Rural school music has been under the direction of Mrs. Orpha Cosgray, a graduate of the Thomas normal training school of Detroit. Following her graduation she was director of music and art for four years in an Ohio school. For 12 years she has been director of music and art in the Eaton Rapids public schools. She had music work been supervised by Miss Myrna Haynes, Miss Adah Fuhrman, Miss Frances Smith, Wessels Bohnet, Miss Maxine Walker, Miss Ida Benjamin, Harold Glynn and Mrs. Mary Fowler."

## TAX RECORD SET

Although returns of township treasurers to County Treasurer Clarence W. Lock have not been completed, it is quite likely that Charles Gauss, treasurer of White Oak township, has established a modern record with a collection of 92.2 per cent. It surpasses the record, also established by White Oak taxpayers, of 94 per cent in 1936. White Oak township is strictly rural without any subdivisions or without any consolidated school districts.

## HAS PAINFUL INJURY

Mrs. Herbert Carn was seriously cut when she sat down on open shears. She was weakened by loss of blood.

Big frosted malteds for 10c at Ware's.

Thorburn's Wool House, wool and hides, telephone 911.

## PLUMBING INSPECTION DEBATED BY COUNCIL

COMMITTEES APPOINTED TO STUDY INSPECTION.

Petitions Bearing 400 Names Ask That City Substitute Local Inspection Service.

Two hours were consumed at the city council session Monday night in discussing state plumbing and electrical inspection. It was finally decided that two committees would be given the task of studying the need for state inspection or for establishment of city inspection service and that reports of the committees would be made March 20, if possible.

Several years ago Mason voted to have state plumbing inspection. Cities under 5000 do not have state plumbing inspection unless the council so decides. An arrest of a Mason plumber was made on complaint of a state plumbing inspector. Thereupon the city council rescinded the resolution providing for state inspection. After two years the council voted to again come under state inspection. At the session of the council held February 20 Earl D. Whipple protested the council's action in asking for state plumbing inspection. He was told to obtain signatures on the inspection issue. On Monday night he presented petitions signed by 400 Mason men and women. The petitioners requested that the state inspection be discontinued and that Mason return to the former practice of no inspection or employ a city plumbing inspector of its own.

The matter of electrical inspection was also brought up. Electrical inspection brought out more complaints than did the question of state plumbing inspection.

R. F. Rowand, a state plumbing inspector, was at the meeting. He explained that he was present to learn whether or not Mason meant business in asking for state inspection. He alluded to the former action of the council in cutting the props beneath state inspection as soon as an inspector made a complaint against a local plumber. He declared that unless the council did intend to back up state inspection that he would not be interested in providing inspection service.

Mr. Rowand entered the inspection controversy. He cited the plumbing law and inspection code. He declared that 75 per cent of homes have faulty plumbing endangering health.

Mr. Whipple told of delays to construction work resulting from state inspection of plumbing installations. He declared that there are Mason men competent to inspect plumbing and asked that Mason adopt a building code providing for local inspection of all building operations.

The state inspector told the aldermen that they should not be afraid of the action they took in asking for state inspection and urged them to stick to their guns. The inspector and William F. Hart, that those who signed the petitions presented to Mr. Whipple did not fully understand the issue.

## Electrical Inspection Debate of Wider Interest

George H. McArthur and G. L. Bailey joined with Mr. Whipple in protesting the high price paid for state inspection as a careless inspection. Mr. McArthur stated that he had paid \$3.50 for an electrical inspection for a store building and that the inspector did not make the inspection and could not have made it because the building was locked at the time when the inspection was requested. Mr. Bailey also cited instances of where inspections had been paid for but had not been made. They said that local inspection would be more efficient and far less costly.

Ald. Earl Dunsmore wanted to leave inspection services up to the voters at an election. He stated that the aldermen were elected to decide issues and not pass them back on the public.

Finally on motion of Ald. Gibbins Howlett, supported by Ald. C. A. Clinton, the petition of Mr. Whipple was received and placed on file and the mayor appointed one committee to study plumbing inspection and another to study electrical inspection. On the plumbing inspection committee are Aldermen Dunsmore, Howlett and E. D. Sanford. On the electrical inspection committee are Aldermen Clinton, E. J. Fletcher and G. S. Thorburn.

## Influenza Fatal To Delhi Farm Woman

SERVICES TO BE HELD WEDNESDAY FOR MRS. RICHMOND.

Mrs. Dora Richmond, wife of Floyd R. Richmond, died at the farm home in Delhi township Sunday morning from an attack of influenza. She had been in poor health for several years and was unable to withstand the influenza attack. Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday afternoon with burial in Maple Hill cemetery. The Rev. F. E. Ogle of the Holt Presbyterian church, of which Mrs. Richmond had long been a member, officiated.

Had Mrs. Richmond lived until March 14 she and Mr. Richmond would have been married 51 years. She was born near Bath, the daughter of Leander and Julliana Towne. She was married to Mr. Richmond March 14, 1888. For many years the Richmonds lived on what was known as the A. C. Burgess farm two miles north of Mason. For 17 years they lived near Holt. Mrs. Richmond is survived by the husband, a son, Earl S. Richmond of Holt; three grandchildren; a sister, Miss Isabel Towne of Lansing; and a brother, George Towne of Daytona Beach, Florida.

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Herschel Jewett Insurance office over Jefferson Food Market. Phone 444.

## Highway Department Restricts Truckers

HALF-LOADS ORDERED BY STATE AND COUNTY.

For at least two weeks truckers will have their maximum loads reduced by half. The state highway department and the Ingham county road commission ordered (the restrictions Sunday as rain and warm weather started to draw the frost out of the ground.

Trucks equipped with pneumatic tires are limited to 13,500 pounds maximum axle loads. The maximum on gravel and blacktop highways is an axle load of 11,700 pounds.

Weight checkers are being stationed on highways to see that compliance of truckers is obtained.

J. G. Rakowsky, county highway engineer, said, "Great damage can be done to highways within the next two weeks by overloading. We ask the co-operation of all truckers in obeying these reasonable and necessary restrictions."

## MILK PRODUCERS URGE STATE TO FIX PRICES

DAIRYMEN FAVOR PENDING LEGISLATIVE BILLS.

Officers Re-elected At Meeting Held Tuesday, Detroit Sales Setup Is Explained.

Members of the Mason Milk Producers association, at Mason Tuesday for the annual meeting, went on record as favoring any legislation to establish a fair price for milk. They declared that the present price paid producer on the Detroit fluid milk market is ruinous and that a uniform price established by a state agency will help solve many of the major problems now causing losses to dairymen.

As explained by B. F. Beach, secretary-manager of the Michigan Milk Producers association, the proposed legislation will do nothing that dairymen couldn't do for themselves if they were 100 per cent organized. Because it is impossible to organize all dairymen the organized groups are now at the mercy of unorganized groups. Mr. Beach said, and only legislation can protect the industry.

The Mason meeting was held in the Legion Memorial building. The business session was opened at 10:30 with the election of four directors. E. L. Green of Aialand, Walter R. Carven of Vevay and M. L. Sarato of Aurelius were re-elected and Phil Lyon of Leslie was chosen to fill a vacancy.

About 325 members of the association and their wives were served a dinner at noon. The price of tickets was taken from last year's milk checks. The arrangement proved so satisfactory that there was only one dissenting vote when it was proposed to follow the same program for 1940.

Producers expressed dissatisfaction over local rates for milk hauling and authorized the board of directors to draw up a new price schedule with lowered charges.

After the dinner an interesting program was held. Martin Lynch, Tuscola county dairyman and a member of the state sales committee of the Michigan Milk Producers, gave a talk on sales methods. He and Mr. Beach answered numerous questions asked by producers.

While dinner was being served John Kruse of Mason and Max Ellwanger of Williamson played on a banjo and accordion.

## Special Stage Plays Planned Friday Night

PRIZE PLAY AND OTHER ENTERTAINMENT AT SCHOOL.

Sponsored by the Ingham county fair board and the Mason College club, the original cast of "Spreading the News," prize-winning play at the Farmers' Week drama contest at Michigan State college, will appear on the school stage Friday night. Added attractions include a play directed by Miss Georgia Desjardins and Harold Helwig, Michigan State students teachers, with the parts taken by pupils in Douglas Watson's classes, singing by Miss Roberta Bullen and Miss Lenore Smith, acrobatic dancing by Mary Christine Hoyt, tap dancing by Miss Kathryn Felton and selections by the Mason band.

In the cast of "Spreading the News" are Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Carter, Floyd Laumstein, John Emmes, Gerald Diamond, Mrs. Carolye Walter, Amos McCulloch, Norman Dart and Mr. and Mrs. Loris Curtis. Mrs. John Edgar is the director. Those who have parts in the school play are Donna Rusch, Emma Belle Jewett, Vincent Owen, Lyle Hanna, Barbara Snell, Normagene Snyder and Richard Hunter.

## FIRE RUN MADE

The heavy atmosphere brought out the fire department Thursday morning. Smoke from the chimney of the Ira Collar residence, corner of Ash and McRoberts, went down instead of up. The smoke hung just above the roof and it was thought the roof was afire.

## RETURNS FOR ADDRESS

C. Earl Webb, former Mason boy now an engineer with the American Bridge company of Gary, Indiana, a subsidiary of the United States Steel Corporation, returned to Michigan State college Tuesday to deliver an address before engineering students. Mr. Webb was graduated from M. A. C. with the class of 1912. He had a major part in designing the San Francisco bridge. Mr. Webb spent Tuesday night and Wednesday at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Webb of Mason.

Get 25c Carter's liver pills for 13c at Ware's.

## FINAL SESSION FOR INGHAM SUPERVISORS

EXPECT TO VISIT STARR COMMONWEALTH MONDAY.

Report of Committee Studying State Audit May Be Presented At Monday's Session.

Ingham county supervisors will meet in Mason Monday for the final session of the year. Sixteen rural supervisors will have to stand for election April 3. Following the election the board will be reorganized. There are 84 members of the Ingham board, 12 from the city of Lansing, four from East Lansing, two from Mason and one each from the 10 townships.

A visit to the Starr Commonwealth at Albion is planned for Monday's session. The meeting is to be called at 10 o'clock in the morning. At 11 o'clock a recess will be taken and the supervisors will go to Albion to have dinner at the Commonwealth. The afternoon session will be called at three o'clock, according to present plans.

## Candidates Again

It is reported that all of the 36 township supervisors will be candidates at party caucuses to be held within the next few days.

Sup. Roy Moore of Lansing township was nominated by republicans at the primary held Monday. Lansing is the only township where nominations are made by primary elections.

The Lansing supervisor won the republican nomination by a vote of 352 to 299 cast for George Leavens. Robert N. Watkins is the democratic nominee for supervisor. Mr. Watkins was unopposed.

On the republican ticket with Mr. Moore will be Raymond A. Wilcox, clerk; Hubert A. Sellers, treasurer; Charles W. Dietrich, justice of the peace; Lester M. Cowell, member of the board of review; and Walter Arndt, Charles A. Chapman, Lester Howard and Dan Salisbury, constables.

With Mr. Watkins on the democratic ticket are Ray E. McKim, clerk; Carl E. Allen, treasurer; Roy E. Nelson, justice of the peace; Merle D. Hillock, member of board of review; and Leo D. Childs, Richard M. Morgan, DeWain C. Reed and Paul A. Smith, constables.

## More Farmers Joining In Soil Conservation

INCREASE OF 20 PER CENT OVER LAST YEAR.

Canvass of the farmers who operate farms in Ingham county shows that approximately 50 per cent of them intend to participate in the 1939 AAA program, Ralph Glynn, chairman of the Ingham County Agricultural Conservation committee, has announced. "The indicated participation for this year is about a 20 per cent increase over that of 1938," Mr. Glynn said.

County and community AAA committeemen have visited nearly all of the farmers in the county during the past few weeks and have returned about 2000 signed farm plans to the county office.

Individual farm plans were made out for every farm in the county, Mr. Glynn explained. He said that each farm plan was filled out by a committeeman and the farmer together. When the crops the farmer intended to plant on the farm were determined the acreage of each crop was checked with the acreage allotment goals established, the farmer signing his farm plan as an indication that he would co-operate with the provisions of the program. His signature was also his request for an inspection of his farm during the summer.

## Funeral Rites Held For Mason Resident

HAD BEEN LANSING DRAYMAN 50 YEARS.

Services were held at the Jewett funeral home Wednesday afternoon for Almon C. DeCamp, 83, who died Monday morning at his home in Mason. The Rev. Ernest Martin of the Church of the Nazarene officiated. Burial was in Meadowbrook cemetery in Mulliken.

Mr. and Mrs. DeCamp came to Mason two years ago. For more than 50 years Mr. DeCamp was a drayman in Lansing. He had had heart trouble for several years. Last week he was stricken with influenza which with his heart condition proved fatal. He is survived by the widow and by two sisters who reside in Jackson.

## BUYS VEVAY FARM

Emery Barr has purchased the 180-acre McCurdy farm in Vevay. The McCurdy farm adjoins the farm owned by Thomas Barr & Son.

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## Municipal Power Plant Recommended By Mayor

COMMITTEE APPOINTED TO INVESTIGATE OPERATION OF DIESEL MOTOR POWER PLANTS.

In a formal message to the city council Monday night Mayor Arthur W. Jewett recommended that Mason erect a municipal power plant to compete with and drive out the Consumers Power company which has served the city since 1917. Mayor Jewett charged the city administration in power in 1917 with "selling the people of Mason down the river." According to the mayor the city could make enough from entering the power field to retire the \$250,000 debt the erection of a power plant would entail and would within a few years earn enough profit to make the payment of city taxes unnecessary.

## NINE CRIMINAL CASES ARE LISTED FOR TRIAL

SHORT CRIMINAL CALENDAR FOR MARCH TERM.

Court To Open In Lansing Next Monday, Jurors To Report For Duty March 20.

One of the shortest criminal calendars in years is on the docket for the March term of court which will be opened in Lansing Monday. Jurors summoned for duty at the March term of court will not report until the following Monday, March 20.

The nine criminal cases are against Harry Morrison, charged with intent to murder his former wife, Mrs. Vivian Morrison; William Lovell, bastardy; Franklin Walker, felonious assault; David Kuster, assault with a dangerous weapon; Henry Fletcher, taking and using a car without authority; Joseph Markus, leaving scene of an accident; John Ames, larceny from a store; Fred Thrasher, assault with intent to kill; and Betty Reed and Lorraine Shafer, larceny. Other criminal cases may be added on the opening day of court.

Harry Morrison was paroled from Jackson prison last November after serving three years for shooting Mrs. Hazel Hunter, sister of his former wife. Instead of walking out of the prison gates Morrison returned to the county jail at Mason on the 1935 warrant of shooting his former wife. Both women were shot on the same occasion when Morrison went to their home west of Leslie.

There are 36 jury civil cases, most of them arising from automobile accidents. On the non-jury civil calendar are 108 cases.

Listed on the non-contested chancery calendar are 25 cases, 21 of them being divorce actions. There are 87 contested chancery cases listed, including 49 divorce cases.

The no-progress calendar is light with only 49 cases scheduled for dismissal because of lack of action for more than a year.

## Physical Education Pupils To Perform

DEMONSTRATIONS TO BE HELD AT SCHOOLS.

Mason pupils will appear in physical education demonstrations Tuesday, March 14, and Tuesday, March 21. Pupils in the lower grades will perform in the school gymnasium next Tuesday night while junior and senior physical education pupils will appear in their demonstrations the following Tuesday. Both boys' and girls' classes will be presented by their instructors, Gleson Pearsall and Miss Florence Hildebrand.

Folk dancing, gymnastics, games and contests are included in the programs. Parents and others interested in physical education classes are invited to attend the demonstrations. There is no charge for admittance.

## Oldsmobile Masons To Confer Degrees Here

SPECIAL MASONIC MEETING HERE WEDNESDAY.

Next Wednesday afternoon and night Mason lodge No. 70, F. & A. M. will have the Oldsmobile third degree team of Lansing as guests. The date has been changed from the original schedule which was Thursday, March 16.

The visiting team will confer the Master Mason degree on one of their associates at the Olds during the evening session. Mason lodge will be opened at four o'clock in the afternoon and four candidates, two of them Olds employees, will receive Master Mason degrees. A banquet will be served at 6:30 by members of the O. E. S.

Several prominent Masons are expected to be present at the session. Among them will be grand lodge officers.

## ANKLE BROKEN

Mrs. Trent Sawyer fell from the porch at her home Monday morning and received a broken ankle.

## RECOVERING FROM BURNS

Mrs. Thomas McIntyre, 31, living southwest of Mason, is recovering from serious burns about the arms and face which she suffered in a fire at the home of Mrs. Gladys McIntyre last Friday afternoon. She was brought to Mason for treatment of second and third degree burns and is now at her home. Mrs. McIntyre was burned when gasoline leaked from a stove and exploded. She managed to put out the fire herself and non-battled the flames with a mop until the fire was extinguished. The house was damaged badly by smoke. Mr. McIntyre is employed in Lansing and his wife was alone at the time.

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**COMMON PROBLEMS**

Business men who had the privilege of sitting with township soils conservation committees at the banquet in Mason last Thursday night came away from the meeting with a better understanding of the farm program and of the production problems faced by farmers. Perhaps the point brought home to business men most forcefully was that the agricultural problem is not solely the farmer's problem but one that vitally affects all of us whether we get our living first-hand from the farm or whether we get it second-hand or third-hand in business or profession. Just as a Wall Street crisis is not alone a matter of concern to Wall Street, just as a Washington crisis is not alone a matter affecting those who reside in Washington, the farm problem belongs to all of us.

Conditions adversely affecting agriculture in the United States are the outgrowth of the World War and the mechanization of farms, with a little land price inflation thrown in for good measure. For four years beginning in 1914 American farmers were called on to feed what was called, perhaps erroneously, the civilized world. Millions of acres of land were added to American production. Many millions of those acres should never have been plowed. Then came the armistice and the dwindling of the foreign markets. Europe could not, or at least would not, pay for American exports. European nations began to produce their own foodstuffs. The foreign market for the American surplus failed. Mechanization of American farms not only increased production but it released another 30,000,000 acres when 10,000,000 horses and mules were displaced by tractors and trucks.

As farm prices slumped farmers increased their production of cash crops, working on the theory that if 100 acres of wheat brought only \$1200 while \$2400 was needed, then 200 acres of wheat would raise the \$2400. Caught in that vicious cycle the surplus crops mounted. The federal farm board was instituted to help farmers but the United States couldn't give away the surplus fast enough to keep pace with production.

So control of production was finally evolved with the federal government paying farmers to limit production and eventually working toward the present plan of paying them to conserve soil fertility; in fact rewarding farmers who practice what federal authorities hold to be good farming and penalizing those who refuse to cooperate.

As was brought out at the meeting between farmers and business men, the agricultural program is one of trial and error. For 20 years since the World War armistice things have been done for and to agriculture. The ideal farm program, as stated by farmers, is a program operated by and for farmers without governmental subsidies. It is that goal toward which farmers are working. They believe that when farmers are educated to control their production and to realize that soil conservation is to their own individual interest that subsidies will not be necessary.

It was well said at the meeting last week that "a farmer has responsibilities not shown in the deed to his land. He should so conserve the land value by good farming methods that the land will have its original or an enhanced value when he is through with it. When a nation's farm lands are worn out that nation can not survive."

There are undoubtedly flaws and mistakes in the present program. It is certain that controlled production of present farms does not match with the government policy of reclaiming vast desert areas to increase production. There are good farmers, too, who claim that the present farm program will soon break down livestock prices. These farmers say that to utilize land taken out of crop production that more forage crops and pasture will be available and that the only way to use the forage and pasture is to raise more stock. When farmers, north and south and east and west, start raising livestock the prices are apt to drop. The allotments announced for individual farmers are not satisfactory in many cases. Some farmers claim they can not practice proper rotation under the restrictions imposed.

Yet it can be said that the present program has the advantages of being operated by and for farmers and that its ever-normal granary features offer more than a hope. Meetings such as the one held in Mason last week when farmers and business men discussed a mutual problem are worthwhile.

**SAFER BRIDGES NEEDED**

Three farmers who reside north of Mason on the Okemos road have been in the office past week pointing out the dangers of two bridges, the bridge over Mud creek and the bridge across the Red Cedar just south of Okemos.

Both bridges are narrow and the Mud creek bridge has been the cause of numerous wrecks. Two cars can barely be squeezed past each other on the bridge. If the drivers are not extremely good judges of distance there is quite likely to be some squeezing attempted with the bridge railing.

The Okemos bridge besides being narrow is at an angle. A further hazard is the necessity for Okemos school buses to use the bridge. In a year's time thousands of Okemos pupils cross and recross the bridge on foot and by bus. The Okemos school is at the end of a curve just a few rods south of the bridge.

There are few Ingham roads off the trunkline system which carry more traffic than the Okemos-Mason highway. Automobile transport trucks to and from Flint use the Okemos cutoff to escape heavy traffic and to save considerable distance from the trunkline route through Lansing. The Okemos road has heavy all-year travel. It should be made safe.

Just as soon as funds are available the Mud creek bridge should be widened and a new bridge should be provided at Okemos. Safety demands it.

**PROFESSIONAL COLLEGE FOOTBALL**

President Alexander Ruthven in a report released last week declared that football should either be abandoned as a college sport or be turned back to the students. While Dr. Ruthven is too diplomatic to name names and places, it is an open secret that nearly all of the headline football teams are more or less touched with the spirit of professionalism or commercialism. There have even been whispers about some of the stalwarts that did so much to bring Michigan back into the headlines last fall. Rumors were bruited about that it was something

more than a yearning for education that brought a group of athletes from an eastern preparatory school to matriculate at Ann Arbor. There are other institutions, and many of them, which fall far below the standards maintained by the University of Michigan.

Probably President Ruthven has more than campus purity in mind as he discusses the evils of overemphasis on football. He could well have been thinking of some of the illustrious football players of yesteryear who devoted their college years to football and then after graduation were made to realize that football fame is fleeting. How many All-Americans of 1928 can you name right now? How many of the vintage of 1935? How many of 1937?

One of the worst things about overemphasis on high school and college athletics is that the players themselves conclude that athletics is the sole aim of life. They receive the headlines for a few weeks over a period of a few years and then they are tossed on the ash heap. Their fame is fleeting. Most business men will hire a college graduate who couldn't make the third string team but is willing to work over an All-American who offered his all for dear old alma mater, and in some cases for food, lodging and spending money on the side.

Harold Phillips, 35, is being held by Detroit police for the slaying of a Detroit saloon keeper. In May of 1925 Phillips was sentenced to serve from two to 15 years in Ionia for burglary. He was paroled at the end of the minimum term. In 1931 Phillips was convicted of armed robbery but was placed on probation. In 1933 he was sentenced to serve from five to twelve and one-half years for robbery armed. For some unexplained reason he was paroled six months after he started his term. Justice is truly blind under Michigan's parole and pardon system.

**REACTION TO PROPAGANDA**

Those in charge of Anti-Nazi and Jewish propaganda should be watchful lest their campaign of vilification against everything German react. There is danger that the Anti-Nazi forces are overplaying their hands. They should remember that it was only about 15 years ago when the KKK was riding high. Just how much goading will it take before American racial and religious intolerance and bigotry take to the saddle again? That's something for the Anti-Nazi propagandists, and for all of us, to determine.

The Germans are a wonderful people. They have long been in the front rank in inventiveness, in music, in science, in medicine and in courage. Their achievements in this country are written large. Here in Ingham county the German influence has always been strong. The old German families in Lansing, and the townships of Delhi, Lansing and Meridian were and are thrifty, industrious, public-spirited and of the highest character. They are fine people and they and the millions of other Germans who came to this country have always been among the best citizens.

Germany doesn't want Jews. Neither do England, France, Italy or Russia want Jews, at least the borders of those countries have not been thrown open to admit the Jewish refugees. The Arabs in Palestine have not welcomed the Jews. Racial discrimination is not something practiced only in Germany. We butchered off our Indians. We discriminate against negroes. England, France and Holland have more than half the orient in subjection. Our racial animosities have not been confined to the United States. We did a lot of bayonet work in the Philippines and have done our part in China.

Propagandists would have us shudder over the meeting of a handful of Nazi sympathizers in New York. An authoritative count of all Nazi sympathizers in the United States lists them as somewhere around 10,000. Actual membership in the Communist party in the United States is now more than 100,000. The Communists hold their New York and their national and international meetings without molestation. They are protected in the exercise of their rights of free speech. Yet the Communists and pinks and reds of every description lead the battle against the Nazis. Communists are the ones most active in demanding boycotts against everything German and demanding that freedom of speech be denied Nazis.

Right now it is popular to shout curses against Germany. It became popular 22 years ago although historians differ as to where the blame should be placed for starting the World War. In the past we have hurled curses at England, and France, and Russia, and Japan, and Spain. Now we have got around to Germany again and how we are whooping it up! With many Jews listed as among the biggest newspaper advertisers, with the movie industry in the hands of Jews and with a heavy Jewish influence in radio entertainment fields it is little wonder that the welkin is ringing with cries against Germany. True Americans, men and women who think too much of their country to embroil it in any European quarrel, can well be concerned over the lengths to which Anti-Nazi propaganda has gone.

Guam lies 1500 miles from San Francisco, 3400 miles from Honolulu, 1500 miles from Manila and 1400 miles from Yokohama. It is an island only 13 miles long and from four and one-half to eight miles wide. The U. S. government wants to spend five millions this year to make a start on fortifying the island. Going to Guam to start a war seems like going a long ways from home to start trouble and a lot of trouble for a little stretch of coral sand. Surely our western frontier isn't at Guam.

**TAXES GOING UP**

It will take more than political promises to bring taxes down. They are going up and up with no ceiling in sight. Although it doesn't seem as though taxes could go much higher, news from Washington is that middle bracket income tax rates will be tilted after the next election; in fact, the disquieting news is that federal taxes all along the line will have to be raised to balance the budget.

Congress wants to stop spending, so it says, but it hasn't the courage. Until our congressmen, our legislators, our supervisors, our aldermen, our school board members and all members of other taxing bodies are more fearful of the threats of taxpayers than they are of the special groups of taxpayers our taxes will grow bigger year by year until we are totally consumed by them. We, the taxpayers, must stand and fight or be lost. We must bring home to our representatives in legislative halls and board rooms that a halt on spending is necessary.

**Down by the SYCAMORE**

Gilson Pennell, physical education instructor at Mason, has gone literary. He has an article in the February-March issue of the Michigan Physical Education News. The opus is entitled "Adapting the Physical Education Program to the Community." \* \* \* I hope I blushed last Wednesday night at the father and son banquet when Tomstmaster Glen Coon was so lavish in his praise of my literary attainments as exemplified in Down by the Sycamore. It's the first time I have ever been called literary. I have been called about everything else.

Edwin J. Donohue of Niles, the new civil service director in the real McCoy, according to Earl Salisbury of Mason. Donohue and Salisbury were the two brightest students in Niles high school. Donohue paid his own way through high school and the University of Michigan and also contributed to the support of his widowed mother. One of the provisions made by the new director when he accepted the state job was that he would be permitted to turn to Earl Salisbury, just 13 miles away from the capitol, for advice when difficult situations arise.

Claude L. Abel, who with his wife and daughter, was killed in an automobile-train collision near East Lansing two weeks ago, graduated with Mrs. Leland Austin from the Lansing school. Mrs. Dick Mills and Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Pierce taught at Lansing and knew Mr. Abel well, although at that time he was through high school and enrolled at Michigan State.

Apologies to Tom O'Brien, State Journal sports writer. Mr. O'Brien was libeled in this column last week. It was a case of mistaken identity. It was some other sports writer who the deputy county clerk considered ugly looking. She saw Tom last Friday afternoon and was bowled over by his open and engaging countenance and his raven locks.

W. E. Hume of Mason is the well known constant reader. He was the No. 1 patron of the Child Study club library and has retained his hold on first place at the Hall Memorial library. \* \* \* People don't laugh when young Rollin Dart sits down at the piano. He can certainly tickle the notes. The concert stage lost an artist when Raymond McLean made his violin play second fiddle to law. The Dart youth and Lawyer McLean are real musicians. All they lack is longer hair.

The Highlanders are a majority among local baristas. Listed alphabetically the Scotch list reads George McArthur, L. B. McArthur, Howard McCowan and Raymond McLean. Then there is Judge McClellan of the probate court, not in practice. O. J. Hood and William S. Seelye have names with an old English ring to them. \* \* \* Ed Herald, Kroger butcher, is so sure yet I'll bet he can do the Highland fling. Ed and his charming Highland fling, and his charming Highland fling, the Cornhusker dance last Wednesday. Both are excellent dancers, either old style or modern.

Navigation was opened on the Sycamore lock yesterday morning. The ice was cleared out the night before and Commodore Adams launched his sloop at the Ash street pier bright and early Saturday. \* \* \* Douglas Watson is the he-man of the Mason faculty. Last week end he helped chaperone the Boy Scout troop at Camp Kirolix. Although the temperature was below freezing and the ground was frozen Mr. Watson wouldn't be stamped by Winfield Stitt, Duane Barr and Rollin Dart. The four of them left the warmth of the bunkhouse, hiked to Murder mountain and spent the night rolled up in blankets on the cold, cold ground.

Having nothing else to worry about, a New York woman columnist is all worked up over German youths getting flat feet from too much drilling. She should look up the statistics on army and navy rejections of American boys. Flat feet is not the result of drilling. It comes from pounding pavements and sidewalks, concrete floors and asphalt floors. A lot of broken arches come from wearing improper shoes while playing basketball, according to some authorities. They claim that American boys do so much automobile riding and so little walking on sod or dirt that their arches can't stand the strain when it comes to pavements, sidewalks and hardwood floors.

Most of those intelligent and good looking strangers you see in Mason Friday will be teachers here for the Institute. They are dedicated to that great task of imparting knowledge to our children—the art of getting the fur coat paid for. Dr. H. M. Crookes, former Alma prexy, handled the fur coat issue rather wittily before an Ingham Institute six or seven years ago and was severely criticized for his remarks so I won't go into it further.

Another week and the township political campaigns will be underway. Mason will have a municipal power plant question for discussion. We still have the legislature and congress with us. And there's always civil service and relief. So there will be lots to talk about. \* \* \* The Rev. C. A. Winters of Jackson is becoming No. 1 speaker in Mason. He was hit for the library dedication, the father and son banquet and will return Friday to address the teachers at the Institute. He has the faculty of remembering poetry. His quotations add spice to his address.

Congratulations to Dansville on a winning basketball team. Here's hoping the Aggies hold to their winning ways in the regionals and in the state tournament. \* \* \* Mason didn't do so well in the tournament. Charlotte, did, though pulled out of the finals with a one-point margin over Lakeview of Battle Creek. \* \* \* Gus Keane still keeps track of Indiana basketball, the state's No. 1 sport. He claims most Michigan high school teams couldn't go the route against most Indiana small school teams. In Indiana every game is played for keeps, according to Gus.

**DEPOSITS OF PHOSPHATE ROCK**  
The United States possesses the largest known deposits of phosphate rock in the world. At probable rates of consumption, the Florida and Tennessee deposits will last more than 200 years and the western deposits will last for 2,000 years or so after that.

**Ancient History**

Glenned from News Files of Yours Past

**Ten Years Ago**

Leon Iveson, driving a Studebaker truck, had a narrow escape from death March 5 when his truck was struck by a fast Michigan Central freight at the Columbia street crossing. The truck was wrecked but Mr. Iveson escaped with minor injuries.

John Dart and Miss Sarah Bullen will represent Mason in the district oratorical and declamation contests. The Consumers Power company has announced that it will extend its lines north of Mason to serve farmers.

Mason people may share in the oil riches struck in Isabella county. Gushers have been brought in on land owned by Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bond and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Root. Mason retail milk prices have been raised to 12c per quart.

St. Marys defeated Mason 15 to 11 in the district basketball tournament in Lansing. Both teams will enter the regional, Mason being pitted against Holland Christian at Grand Rapids.

Twenty Years Ago  
Miss Daisy Call won the republican nomination for county school commissioner over J. E. Kennedy and will be the next school commissioner as she has no democratic opposition.

Frank and John Kelley have purchased the B. B. Baldwin blacksmith shop on Maple street. Dr. Francis R. Blanchard, prominent Eaton Rapids physician, was killed Tuesday night when he stepped into an open elevator shaft at the Harriet Chapman hospital in Eaton Rapids. He fell 12 feet to the cement floor of the pit. His skull was fractured.

The Millville band will give a concert at the Millville church Sunday, March 15.

Arlstedon welcomed back its returned soldiers at a party held in the Grange hall Saturday night. George Kleppe, Leo Chase, Leland Green and Clarence and Raymond Elbert of Arlstedon and Arthur Buek of Delhi were the returned soldiers honored.

Fifty Years Ago  
The W. C. T. U. will hold a rally at the Good Templars hall in Aurelius March 13.

Walter Wooden has joined with Scott Bowdish as a partner in the implement store.

It is expected that by the end of this week the enrollment at Michigan Agricultural college will exceed 300. E. A. Bullen of Aurelius has resumed his studies.

The Mills dry goods store opened yesterday. The firm is made up of L. W. Mills and his son, Fred E. Mills, formerly of Webberville.

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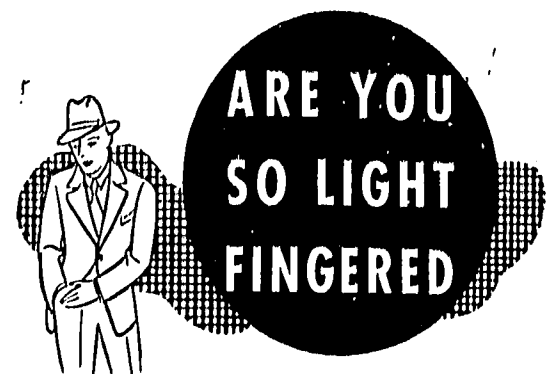
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Experts who have made a careful study of the situation declare Michigan could easily increase its sugar production materially, and assure that with the support of its people, nearly every pound of sugar required by Michigan people could be produced by this home industry.

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Advice on proper administration by farmers of these hunting areas also is furnished by the college and the cooperating state conservation department. R. G. Hill, college specialist in game management, is aiding in the wider distribution of use of this plan.

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**Wonderland**  
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Old friends and neighbors have been informed of the death Saturday morning, March 4, of C. P. Grim at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boucher in Jackson. Private burial services were held Tuesday at the Edward's funeral parlors in Leslie.

Mrs. Grim also reported the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Melchert Saturday, March 4. Mrs. Melchert was Bernice Grimm before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Dunn expect to move in a few days from the old Scott Rossman farm to the Bromely farm near Leslie, which he has rented.

Word comes from the Strong-Baleman family that they are well. They have seen Key West recently and are now at Oldsmar.

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Hugh Hurd of Eaton Rapids called the school board to meet at the school Friday evening so he could show them a new fire extinguisher for which he has the agency.

Next Friday, March 10, is Ingham county Teachers' Institute. The teachers will go and the schools will have a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McManus of Auburn Heights, Orace Spring of Onondaga, Mr. and Mrs. Homer West and little Myra of Eaton Rapids visited at Vern McManus' Sunday. Kenneth McManus and son of Okemos called at Vern McManus' Sunday.

The milk on the Homer route is taken to market in a new Chevrolet truck.

**Public Forum**

Traveling in South Lansing, Michigan, December 7, we have spent our time principally at the following places: Chattanooga, Tennessee; Daytona Beach, Florida; and are at present in the Daytona tourist park, Daytona Beach, Florida, R. 1, Box 233. We expect to be here some time as Mr. True is building a house in Holly Hill, a suburb of Daytona on the north. The house is being built for a nephew, Leo Bouamont, whose home at present is in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Last night we were surprised by a call from Miss Caroline Bray of East Lansing and we will be glad to hear direct from any of the home folks or through the News.

Last week was quite cold for Florida, with some frost damage.

Today it is 78 degrees in the shade at 3:00 p. m. here in the park, a light breeze blowing and what could be better?

MR. & MRS. JAMES B. TRUE

**Williamston**  
By Inez C. White

Mrs. Minnie Cummings, who has been in the Sparrow hospital for the past 10 days, is reported about the same.

Mrs. Featherly, mother of Ray and Clyde Noble, who has been ill at the home of the former for the past year, died Friday. She was born in Syracuse, New York, May 16, 1862. Funeral services were held at the Gorsline chapel Monday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. R. E. Derker of Locke. Burial was at Leslie.

Milo Speers, who has been ailing for several days, is reported to be gaining.

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Mrs. Patience Lamb celebrated her 86th birthday anniversary at her

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**Okemos School Notes**

A banquet for FFA members and their parents, all the members of the adult evening class in dairy raising and their wives, and the Dairy Improvement association members and their wives will be served March 14 in the school gym. Charles Cooper will be the toastmaster. There will be music and Malcolm Trout from the dairy department of Michigan State college will be the speaker. He will talk about new products from milk and will also show samples. After the program the Dairy Improvement association members will elect officers and have reports of the activities of the past year. The banquet will be served by the home economics club, under the direction of Miss Ethel Lewis.

**Wonderland**  
By Mrs. W. J. Clarke

Old friends and neighbors have been informed of the death Saturday morning, March 4, of C. P. Grim at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Boucher in Jackson. Private burial services were held Tuesday at the Edward's funeral parlors in Leslie.

Mrs. Grim also reported the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Melchert Saturday, March 4. Mrs. Melchert was Bernice Grimm before her marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. V. D. Dunn expect to move in a few days from the old Scott Rossman farm to the Bromely farm near Leslie, which he has rented.

Word comes from the Strong-Baleman family that they are well. They have seen Key West recently and are now at Oldsmar.

Several in the neighborhood have had the flu.

Hugh Hurd of Eaton Rapids called the school board to meet at the school Friday evening so he could show them a new fire extinguisher for which he has the agency.

Next Friday, March 10, is Ingham county Teachers' Institute. The teachers will go and the schools will have a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McManus of Auburn Heights, Orace Spring of Onondaga, Mr. and Mrs. Homer West and little Myra of Eaton Rapids visited at Vern McManus' Sunday. Kenneth McManus and son of Okemos called at Vern McManus' Sunday.

The milk on the Homer route is taken to market in a new Chevrolet truck.

**Public Forum**

Traveling in South Lansing, Michigan, December 7, we have spent our time principally at the following places: Chattanooga, Tennessee; Daytona Beach, Florida; and are at present in the Daytona tourist park, Daytona Beach, Florida, R. 1, Box 233. We expect to be here some time as Mr. True is building a house in Holly Hill, a suburb of Daytona on the north. The house is being built for a nephew, Leo Bouamont, whose home at present is in Chattanooga, Tennessee.

Last night we were surprised by a call from Miss Caroline Bray of East Lansing and we will be glad to hear direct from any of the home folks or through the News.

Last week was quite cold for Florida, with some frost damage.

Today it is 78 degrees in the shade at 3:00 p. m. here in the park, a light breeze blowing and what could be better?

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**Williamston**  
By Inez C. White

Mrs. Minnie Cummings, who has been in the Sparrow hospital for the past 10 days, is reported about the same.

Mrs. Featherly, mother of Ray and Clyde Noble, who has been ill at the home of the former for the past year, died Friday. She was born in Syracuse, New York, May 16, 1862. Funeral services were held at the Gorsline chapel Monday afternoon, conducted by the Rev. R. E. Derker of Locke. Burial was at Leslie.

Milo Speers, who has been ailing for several days, is reported to be gaining.

The village election will be held at the town hall Monday, March 13.

Mrs. Patience Lamb celebrated her 86th birthday anniversary at her

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**HOLT**

By Mrs. Mary H. King

Funeral services were held at a Lansing funeral home Thursday for Mrs. Amelia Darwin Shelp. The Rev. P. E. Ogle of the Holt Presbyterian church officiated and burial was in Maple Ridge. Mrs. Shelp's parents were Louis and Doris Darwin, who came to Detroit in 1850 direct from their home in Hannover, Germany. She was born in Detroit February 11, 1865, and was one of eight children, two sisters, Mrs. M. Shanahan and Mrs. J. Rutz, both of Detroit, surviving. She was married to Charles E. Shelp September 20, 1884, and to them was born one child, Mrs. Nettie A. Little of Holt. Mrs. Shelp had been in failing health for several years and had been confined to her bed since October. Besides the daughter and sisters she is also survived by a grandson, Allen W. Little of Holt.

Next Tuesday Mrs. C. E. Bennett, 2102 Forest avenue, Lansing, will be hostess to the regular meeting of the Holt Woman's club. Roll call will be a song that lives and its composer.

Mrs. Stanley Parker will give a paper on American observances and Mrs. Robert Johnson one on carillons.

The Rehoboths of Holt to visit them on Wednesday, March 16, for dinner and a social afternoon. The Holt members are to furnish dessert.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Murray and family have moved to a farm home north of Mason on Phillips road.

Mrs. J. M. Ellorby and Mrs. D. P. Barnard will be hostesses to the West Alameda Ladies Aid Society at the Methodist church in North Holt on Thursday, March 16.

Mrs. Rhin Dillay of Charlotte is visiting Mrs. Nellie Ellis and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Cryder.

Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Pratt and family, Mrs. Charles Tinknell, Mrs. Byron Wigman, Mrs. Roy Bliss, Mrs. Wallace Ahrens and Bruce Spencer are among those reported ill with flu.

The Business Men's association will resume their regular meetings on Tuesday, March 14, at two o'clock in the town hall.

Dr. C. L. and Mrs. Thompson have returned from a trip to Florida.

Miss Carol Barnum and William Ketchum of Lansing were married by Justice Myron Hancock on Thursday, February 23.

The Rev. S. W. Large is ill at his home and the pulpit was filled Sunday by the Rev. F. W. Schneider of East Lansing.

The republican caucus will be held at the school Saturday, March 11, at two o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young have a son born February 18. Mrs. Young was formerly Miss Helen Prebble.

The democratic caucus is to be held in the I. O. O. F. hall Saturday, March 11, at two o'clock.

The Home Circle Birthday club met at the home of Mrs. Byron Wigman on Thursday, March 2. The next club meeting will be on March 16 with Mrs. Osborn, east of Holt.

At the meeting of the general Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church, the annual election of officers took place. All were re-elected. They are Mrs. Stanley Parker, president; Mrs. Gorge H. Miller, vice president; Mrs. C. J. Frayer, secretary; and Mrs. Claude Miller, treasurer.

Miss Marie Grimes is spending a few days with her cousin, Miss Mary Dewey, in Lansing.

At the Men's Community club banquet and meeting held Monday night at the Methodist church the speaker was Prof. Motts of M. S. C. who gave an illustrated talk on vegetable marketing and showed pictures of a trip

he had taken from California through the Panama canal and to New York. Sam adcock, accompanied by Miss Marjorie Cooley, gave two solos.

Funeral services were held at the home Wednesday for Mrs. Dora Itchenood who died rather suddenly Sunday morning at her home on East Willow highway.

The Golden Circle club will meet Thursday, March 16, with Mrs. Ed Wildkus near Miller road.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Kinmore and daughter, Eleanor, of Lansing were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Friend Grimes Saturday. All of them spent the evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Signs.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. Herman Moore Wednesday, March 15, at two o'clock.

The second division of the Presbyterian L. A. S. will have a potluck dinner and meeting at the home of Mrs. Sarah Butler Friday, March 16.

Regular meeting of P. T. A. will be held at the school Monday, March 13. There will be an election of officers. The nominating committee consists of Mrs. Fayne Simmons, Mrs. Brown and Mrs. Stuart Opender.

The Garden club met with Mrs. E. J. Nuoffer, the president, Tuesday, March 7, for the regular meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myers and family and Mrs. Mary King spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Austin in Jonesville at a family reunion celebrating Mr. Austin's birthday anniversary. Seventeen from Chicago, Albion, Mason and Holt were present.

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The two major growers at East Lansing in the recent midwinter technical school for pickle and kraut packers which attracted plant managers and technicians from 18 states and Canada. The schooling is designed annually as a service to those who utilize so much of the Michigan production of cucumbers for pickles and cabbage for kraut.

One of the men attending the conference was Roy Irons, Clyde, Ohio, secretary of the National Kraut Packers' association. He placed Michigan fourth in kraut cabbage, yielding a large share of the 192,000 tons packed in 1938 and now being consumed. The 192,000 tons fill 138,384,000 average size cans.

Insects and crop diseases were discussed at the conference, as well as new information on vitamins, flavors, control of bacteria and use of various sugars and acids in processing the food products.

**Tiger of Fresh Water**



Muskellunge—spelled 40 ways in the dictionaries—are nowhere very plentiful, and it is a good thing, because they gobble anything that they can enclose in their huge jaws, including full grown bass, muskrats, waterfowl. Fish experts have recently determined that the muskellunge does not shed its teeth in mid-summer, but that the many needle-like fangs with which its mouth is lined are being continually renewed. This leaping muskellunge was done by Fred Everett for 1939 Wildlife Week stamps.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lamphore and family are moving to the William Kirtz farm east of Holt. He will work for Mr. Kirtz.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Showerman are moving to the Edgar farm. Mr. Showerman will work for Mr. Kilburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Richardson and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Keatonholz of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Forest Fairbrother Sunday.

Stanley Smith is now working for George Dineen and will attend the Barnes school.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Goddard and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Doyle of Onondaga called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Goddard Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. North were in Detroit Sunday visiting a niece, Gaynell Franklin, who is in training at Grace hospital.

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**Funeral Services for Mrs. Myrtle B. Hilliard**

Funeral services were held in Lansing Wednesday for Mrs. Myrtle B. Hilliard, who died at her home at 1225 North Washington avenue Monday night. She was thought to be recovering from an attack of pneumonia but had a sudden heart attack. Myrtle Blake was born in Pennsylvania November 23, 1864, and came with her parents to Michigan at an early age, settling in Alameda township. She was married July 4, 1883, to Frank Hilliard, who died March 5, 18 years ago. Mrs. Hilliard had lived in and around Holt most of her life, moving to Lansing 16 years ago. She was a member of the North Presbyterian church and active in church circles. Surviving are a sister, Mrs. Minnie M. Parrish and a son, Leo P. Rehill, both of Lansing and a sister-in-law, Mrs. William H. Bickett of Holt. The Rev. William M. McKay officiated at services and burial was in the North cemetery.

**South Alameda**  
By Mrs. H. J. Laycock

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harris will entertain the U-Go-Go club Saturday night, March 11.

Elmer Brown has rented the Lee Longnecker farm. He will move from the Kleppe place.

Mrs. William Hildebrandt is spending some time in California. Mrs. Anna Stanton is helping at her home during her absence.

Dell Patterson was ill with the flu last week.

W. R. Reed moved from the old Bashford place to Lansing Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Laycock, Lyle and Phyllis spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Laycock in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leu have purchased two acres of Clyde Palen and expect to build this summer.

Mrs. Mary Spauling has been spending some time with her son, Norman, and family in Mason, recovering from a fall on the ice.

**Pollok Corners**  
By Erma Pollok

The Community Aid has been postponed for the month of March—owing to the illness of Mrs. John Gaylord, who was to have been hostess.

Maynard Foler returned to his home Monday from the Corsaut hospital, where he underwent a serious operation. He is reported gaining nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paul and boys are preparing to move to what is known as the Brown farm in Ingham township. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gibson and daughter will move to the house vacated by the Pauls.

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GREEN ONIONS 3 bunches 10¢  
CARROTS, California's bunch 5¢  
RADISHES, hot house 2 bunches 9¢  
ENDIVE head 10¢

**Vantown**  
By Mrs. L. P. Williams

Mr. and Mrs. Nickley Nemer were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Seth Jacobs near Williamston.

Mrs. Margaret Burden and brother, Everett Horwood of Millville, were Thursday visitors at Charles Kirby's and L. P. Williams'.

Mrs. Edna Glynn has been ill with the flu the past week.

Mrs. Edith Hudson of Millville was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirby Thursday night and attended church at Vantown.

Mrs. L. P. Williams accompanied Mrs. Ivan Monroe and son, Maurice, to the U. of M. hospital Thursday. Maurice remained for an operation on his knee.

Revival meetings closed Sunday night at the Vantown church, where they have been in progress the past two weeks with good attendance.

**OBITUARY**

**Sarah E. Harris**  
Sarah E. Harris was born in Woodstock, Canada, on May 6, 1857. When seven years of age she came with her parents to Dexter, Michigan. She was one of 12 children, all of whom have passed on except one brother, Ben Harris, of Lansing. On July 4, 1878, she was united in marriage to William Stiel, who passed away four years ago. She leaves to mourn their loss four children, Ralph at home, Mrs. Minnie Howery of Leslie, Mrs. Ollie Hayhoe of Lansing and Mrs. Pearl Reed of Mason, also eight grandchildren and seven great grandchildren. She was united with the House of United Brethren church about 42 years ago. Her quiet, gentle manner endeared her to all who knew her. She stood for all that is worthwhile in life and was a devoted mother. Oh mother, from your lofty chair, Look down and say you're happy there.

Our sorrows are much lighter when we know you're resting once again. Your earthly tasks come to a close, And with it all your suffering goes. You have fought to live not for your own. But more to see we had a home. Your loving spirit is now our guide. By your ideals we shall abide. Oh, God! Help us in life prepare That we may happily join you there.

The New York board of film censors has barred the showing of the motion picture, "Yes, My Darling Daughter." Wonder what the daughter has been up to now?

**Felt Plains**  
By Mrs. Norris Hart

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Grubaugh and daughter, Helen, of Lansing were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Betzer Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Belswenger and Mrs. Grace Ward will entertain the Felt Plains Ladies Aid society Thursday, March 16, at the church. The afternoon will be spent tying quilts and those attending are to bring needles.

Miss Marjorie McIntee spent the week end in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Jones of Lansing visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Jones, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Berry of Stockbridge were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McIntee Sunday.

**Dennis Neighborhood News**  
By Roxine Gorton

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lutz and Alice of Lansing visited Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Beach Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Runciman called on Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Runciman of Lansing Sunday.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Art Walters of Atlas, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr of Battle Creek and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Mead of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Aseltine of Otomus spent Thursday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Holbert and Mrs. Walter Evans called on Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Francis and family have moved to the Howlett farm near Danville. Paul, Jr., will go to the Howlett school.

Mrs. Gilbert Putman is reported ill with the flu.

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**PINK SALMON** 2 tall cans 25¢  
**RED SALMON** tall can 19¢  
**TUNA FISH** SULTANA 2 cans 25¢  
**PALMOLIVE SOAP** 3 cakes 17¢  
**SUPER SUDS** RED BOX 3 pkgs. 25¢  
**SUPER SUDS** CONCENTRATED 1ge. 19¢  
**MUSHROOM SOUP** CAMPBELL'S can 11¢  
**Rajah Syrup,** qt. 27¢  
**BREER RABBIT MOLASSES** No. 2½ can 27¢

**BEEF ROAST** CHOICE CHUCK CUTS lb. 19¢  
**BOILING BEEF** TENDER MEATY SHORT RIBS 2 lbs. 25¢  
**HOCKLESS PICNICS** SMALL LEAN lb. 17¢  
**Oysters** pt. 21¢  
**Fresh Smelt** 2 lbs. 25¢  
**Pollock Fillets** 2 lbs. 19¢  
**Sliced Bacon** 2 ½-lb. pkg. 25¢  
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## Rayner Opera House

By Roy Adams  
Chapter III

Joseph P. Smith, well known retail business man of Mason, is probably the sole living representative of the busy crew of workers who built the Rayner Opera House. Joe, in that vanished day, was a slim and agile young tinner and roofer, and he soldered the many hundred seams in the roof which has shed the snows and rains of the 68 succeeding years.

The story of the opera house would be incomplete without mentioning some of the stage hands who worked there for years, and were as familiar to the audiences as the players who returned there year after year. George Colton, grandfather of Mrs. Ralph Adams, after assisting in the construction of the building, served for several seasons as stage carpenter. Later we recall T. E. Royston, Rob Darrow, Lute Harmon, John Bateman, Leonard Robinson and Will Gregg as members of the stage crew. William Dyer, a dignified old colored citizen of Mason, was the janitor for many seasons, succeeded in later years by Oliver Malne. Guy and Jesse Royston handled the stage for many years before the Rayner Opera House ceased to be a legitimate theatre. Many Mason people can still get a thrill out of the memory of seeing the great gas chandelier which hung well down from the center of the ceiling lighted by a torch on the end of a long pole; soon "Dutch" Royston would appear before the curtain, scamper across the proscenium lighting the footlights, make a few faces at the gallery gods and duck behind the curtain on the O. P. side. Then after a tantalizing moment's wait the house lights would dim, the stage lights brighten, "Clang!" would sound the signal gong for the curtain man, high up on the fly gallery, the front drop with its familiar Venetian scene would rise majestically, and the show was on!

Electric lighting was installed early in the present century, but the old gas fixtures remained in the theatre for many years.

Among the amateur productions at the Rayner Opera House during the first decade of the present century were several delightful musical entertainments, notable among which were "Powhatan" and several of the celebrated John Wilson Dodge operettas, including "The Sleeping Beauty," "Miss Cherry Blossom," and "The Gypsy Rover."

The period from 1914 to 1919 brings the Whitney Stock Company and Henderson Stock Company in repeated engagements. Early in 1916 the Mason seniors presented "The Blue and the Gray," a sterling old Civil War drama, under the direction of Roy Adams. Male members of the cast included Stanton Ellett, Clifford Tyler, LaMorne Barnaby, Donald Dohle, Ray and Leo Crippen, and Lawrence Searl. None of these high school boys dreamed at that time that in a few short months most of them would be encamped on the Mexican border, wearing not the blue or the gray, but the khaki uniform of the 19th Field Artillery, and not so long after that, would be encountering glory, disability or death on the battlefields of France.

In 1916 and 1917, also, a new dramatic organization is introduced to Mason: "Kelly Brothers, direct from the Gladmore Theatre, Lansing" are seen at the Rayner Opera House in a very popular series of one-night presentations, including "Nearly Married," "Charley's Aunt," "Little Peggy O'More," "Bought and Paid For" and "The Coward."

Highlights of 1918 reflect the spirit of that stirring year. In April, Princess Waitawase, well known Indian singer and entertainer, disappointed a large audience at the opera house when she failed to appear on a scheduled lyceum program. Several weeks later, however, she gave her program, explaining that she had failed to appear on the earlier date because her husband had suddenly been ordered to France for military service and she had rushed to New York to bid him farewell. Public meetings honoring the first drafted men to leave for camp were held at the opera house, with Mayor J. E. Taylor presiding, and Walter S. Foster of Lansing and other prominent speakers. The Jackie Band, from Great Lakes naval training station, gave a concert advertising

ing a Liberty Bond drive, with Corbett Dickson and Arthur Vandenberg as speakers.

On November 7, 1918, over a third of a century after the building of this memorial to the founder of the Rayner family, the Rayner opera house was sold to Charles Clark of Lansing. This would have been sensational news in ordinary times, but it was completely overshadowed in that memorable week by the false armistice report, and four days later by the real armistice, which lunched every family in this community as in most others throughout the country, whose sons and brothers were in France.

Walter S. Root continued as house manager under the new ownership, and despite the influenza epidemic which was becoming a serious menace and included the first of an eventful series of wrestling matches featuring Matty Matsuda, George Kerles of Lansing, Yousif Mahmoud, Farmer Burns, Cyclone Bill and other grunt and groan artists of two decades ago. These were followed by a series of boxing matches, the star performers in which were Earl Cady of Lansing and Young Traver of Jackson. Rockwell's Sunny South played two successful engagements, Edgar Guest appeared for the benefit of Mason high school juniors; Judge Ben Lindsay on the lyceum course lectured on "Why Kids Lie."

The Henderson Stock company, the Jack Kelly Stock company and Rockwell's Sunny South are the headliners of the next two seasons, with occasional comment in the Ingham County News, now Mason's only newspaper, to the effect that the opera house was now a swamping horse for Lansing real estate dealers, and that the rental charged for the building was out of line with local conditions.

In February, 1922, the announcement was made that Roy Adams, owner and manager of the Pastime motion picture theatre had bought the opera house property to be used as a motion picture theatre. After a busy month of remodeling and redecorating, in which the floor was lowered, new exits installed and a fire-proof projection room built in the balcony to comply with the state fire laws, the building was re-opened as the Pastime Theatre, and has been open several nights a week, with but one interruption, from that time until the present. The theatre was not used exclusively for motion pictures, however. The stage was kept intact, and new stage lighting and scenery added from time to time. Occasional vaudeville engagements were booked, and dramatic stock was played several times a season. In fact the Henderson Stock company, presenting (of all things) "The Spanish Head," in 1925, and the Jack Kelly Stock company in "Up In Mabel's Room," in 1926, probably equalled the attendance records previously set by Rockwell's Sunny South, in 1912, the Whitney Stock company in "St. Elmo," and "Hazel Rice," away back in 1883.

On March 25, 1926, a fraternity group from Michigan State college presented "Believe Me Xantippe" under the auspices of the American Legion, but the perfect performance of the play was marred by the rowdy behavior of a band of hecklers from the college who accompanied the stage, and whose applause took the form of lemons and doughnuts thrown at the performers on the stage, until they were suppressed by the management. Well deserved criticism of these rioters in the editorial columns of the Ingham County News aroused echoes in newspapers all over the state, and the college newspaper felt constrained to enter a rather lame defense for the students' conduct.

The screen entertainment of this period, of course, was silent, but it drew a larger attendance than it has in later years when radio, bingo, night baseball, basketball and other diversions have grown to be strong competitors for popular favor. The most popular screen stars in this community were Tom Mix, Douglas Fairbanks, Mary Pickford, Harold Lloyd, Hoot Gibson, Buck Jones, Fred Thompson and Priscilla Dean, rating just about in the order named. Douglas Fairbanks' first big romantic drama, "The Mark of Zorro" was probably the most popular picture ever shown in Mason, and it was repeated at the Pastime Theatre several times, as were his "The Three Musketeers" and "Robin Hood," and the Zane Grey stories in which Tom Mix starred.

On May 25, 1927, a week after the terrible disaster at Bath, Michigan, when the schoolhouse was dynamited by a maniac, the Pastime Theatre donated an evening's receipts under the sponsorship of the Kiwanis club for the benefit of this stricken community, and with a similar benefit performance at the Adams brothers' Pastime Theatre in Williamston, given the same week, there was raised a fund of between four and five hundred dollars for this benevolent purpose.

Also sponsored by the Kiwanis club was Mason's first Halloween party at the Pastime Theatre on October 31, 1930, attended by about 350 school children, each of whom signed a pledge to refrain from any harmful activities on that evening. Each pledge was scrupulously kept, and this party was the first of an unbroken series of similar sponsored celebrations on Halloween which have ever since protected Mason from the deprivations once considered inevitable on this rather riotous All Saints' Eve.

Among the outstanding amateur dramatic productions for this decade were "The Womanless Wedding" and "Aunt Lucia," both playing to crowded houses, and both presented by organizations within the Methodist church.

For several summers, on evenings when pictures were not shown, the theatre was opened for an informal athletic association, with the stage roped off and available for any ambitious youngsters who cared to amuse themselves and the assembled audience with boxing, wrestling or other athletic exercises. In 1928 was inaugurated a protracted series of professional wrestling matches which drew large crowds of fans from all over the state, when Max Glover gave Mason its most colorful flash of this phase of sporting life. Glover, unlike many of the grunt-and-groan palookas who strive to amuse present day sporting crowds with their elephantine antics, was a scientific wrestler, rated by experts as one of the cleverest men ever seen in the ring in this part of the country, and he promoted and took part in a number of highly exciting matches before the public fancy turned away from wrestling. Probably his best exhibition in Mason was his desperately fought and successful return bout with Herb Teitenberg, the man-killer from Florida, after Teitenberg had strangled Glover on his head and knocked him cold in their first match.

### Four Town Corners

By Mrs. Eda Mollen

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Parks of Williamston were Sunday guests of their son and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Osborne of Danville were Friday night visitors at Eda Mollen's.

Mr. and Mrs. Clara Smith entertained guests from Battle Creek, Atlas and Lansing Sunday.

Several in the neighborhood were in Mason Tuesday and attended the Mason Milk Producers association meeting which was held at the Legion Memorial building.

Clifford Davis and family of Lansing were Sunday guests of Anshur Brown and family.

### Eden

By Mrs. R. B. Childs

The Eden P. T. A. will meet at the school Friday night at eight o'clock. All members are to bring wafers. Mrs. C. Smalley has charge of the program.

Mrs. Charlotte Clarke and Emery Chapin of Detroit called on Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Chapin Monday.

Miss Yulinda Raab of Caledonia is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Raab.

Mrs. E. T. Childs is caring for her daughter, Mrs. Willard Droschna, and infant son, Rudolph, this week.

Mrs. Warren Galloway and Kenneth Raab were ill with the flu last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Storey of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Smith of Eaton Rapids called on Mrs. Willard Droschna and son Sunday.

### Onondaga

By Don Hampton

The republican caucus will be Saturday.

The F. & A. M. held their regular meeting Saturday night.

Miss Loretta Clay, a teacher in the Corunna schools, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mal Clay.

Mrs. Ardell Rosenbrook is confined to her home with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brewer of Jackson spent Thursday with the latter's mother, Mrs. Mary Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. MacKee of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Nye Shephardson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rodden spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord McKessey of Kalamazoo and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sanford of Eaton Rapids visited Mr. and Mrs. James McKessey Sunday.

### Grovenburg

By Mrs. Howard North

Harold Wilson has been sick with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leonard and family were guests at dinner Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Strickling, celebrating the wedding anniversary of both couples, which occur this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred North had the misfortune to fall on the ice last week Wednesday, spraining her left wrist severely. Fred Strobel is expected home from Florida the last of this week.

George Bullen has tapped his sugar bush and Fred Strobel's will be opened as soon as weather conditions permit again.

Several from this neighborhood went to Diamond Lake Sunday morning to hear Miss Olive Hodges, missionary from Japan, who spoke there instead of here as previously planned.

Special services will be held at the church each evening at 7:45 except Monday.

Mrs. Laura Jenzen has been ill following teeth extraction but is reported better. Mr. and Mrs. Collins

and children of Royal Oak spent the week end at the Jenzen home.

Mr. and Mrs. Pomborg and little daughter spent part of this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bullen.

### Williamson Center

By Mrs. Charles Hart

Mrs. Earl Luman and Mrs. Calvin Foster attended the friendship club in Lansing last Wednesday.

Clifton Bobbitt was ill last week. L. S. Bobbitt is confined to his bed this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Merrill VanOstran attended the district group meeting at M. S. C. last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lance have moved from the M. O. Anders farm to a farm south of Webberville.

Mrs. Myron Beckley and children are ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hart were guests of Mrs. Edna Collins south of Lansing Saturday night.

There will be services at St. Katherine's chapel on the Meridian road every Thursday night at 7:30 during Lent, conducted by Mr. Freegang of Lansing.

### Alaledon Center

By Donna Sheathelm

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Backus and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Burt Backus of Williamston Sunday.

The Alaledon Center Tigers are taking part in the Mason school fair March 17 by entering the softball tournament held in the gym of Mason high school.

The next meeting of the 500 club will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Harris March 11.

Miss Mildred Smith and cousin, Albert Smith, visited Mr. and Mrs. Elden Reithmiller of Dansville Sunday afternoon.

Miss Donna Sheathelm was absent from school several days last week on account of illness.

There will be no school at Alaledon Center Friday on account of teachers' institute.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fowler have been ill with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Palen of Lansing spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Palen.

### East Alaledon

By Mrs. John Speer

James Manning lost a young cow last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bibbins spent the week end with relatives in Jackson.

Mrs. John Speer visited her daughter, Mrs. Charles McClung, and Mrs. Lyle Newman of Mason Friday afternoon.

Guy Ackley is moving from his farm home here to the farm of Stanley Near in Aurelius.

Hugh Speer spent Saturday night at Norris Smith's near Williamston.

E. J. Mead of Williamston visited his grandmother, Mrs. J. A. Speer, and the Kalmon children Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin and son of Lansing spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Tyler.

Melvin Green of near Dansville called on Hugh Speer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kalmon were in Detroit Monday with Mrs. Alvin Linn and Donna. Miss Linn returned to her work in Detroit.

Nebraska bankers will loan farmers money to replenish livestock on farms. There would have been plenty of livestock on farms if the federal government hadn't plowed under sows, little pigs, and shot surplus cattle.—Brown County, Kan., World.

## BIRD HUNTERS MAY GET IDENTIFICATION TAGS

### PROPOSAL MADE TO HALT SUNDAY HUNTING BAN.

Michigan pheasant hunters next fall may wear identification tags on their backs if a proposal now being considered by the conservation commission is given favorable action.

The proposal was offered before the commission at its February meeting as a possible method of bettering relations between farmers and sportsmen. Deer hunters for several years have been forced to wear identification tags on the back of their hunting coats, the tags bearing large numbers identical with the wearer's license number. According to conservation officials the method has not only been successful in identifying hunters involved in game law violations, but it has had a deterring effect in that hunters hesitated to violate the law knowing that they could be easily identified. It is proposed to extend the same system to apply to Michigan's half-million small game hunters.

The proposal came as a part of a discussion on various county Sunday hunting laws. Several of the state's southern counties are now closed to Sunday hunting. There are now bills in the legislature which would close three additional counties. Although such acts are entirely a matter for legislative action and for local determination, Senator George P. McCallum, Ann Arbor, asked the commission what might be done to clarify the present situation. It is felt that with some counties open to Sunday hunting and some closed, there is an enormous hunting pressure on the "open" counties.

The conservation commission has no authority to regulate Sunday hunting, but stated that it would make every attempt to improve the situation by creating better relations between hunters and farmers. Several members of the commission suggested that with hunters wearing identification tags, farmers would be given a better opportunity to control trespassers and at the same time the tags might act as a deterrent to hunters who might be inclined to commit vandalism.

Definite action on the proposal will be taken at the next meeting of the commission which will be held at Lansing, March 10.

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By Mrs. Leon Crowl

John Turner is convalescing at the home of Willie Barker.

Mrs. S. A. Laxton entertained several friends Thursday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Helen Howery.

Mrs. Gertrude Launstein celebrated her birthday anniversary last Sunday with a family gathering at her home. Leola Hodgson and son, Lester, are confined to their home by illness.

Helen Launstein was an honored guest at a party Wednesday afternoon at the home of Pearl Crowl.

Mrs. Lelah Hartman is convalescing at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hall.

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**EWES**—150 good mouth course-wool ewes for sale, due to lamb April 1. Also three Jersey cows, with cow testing records of from 395 to 450 pounds of fat per year. A. G. McCulloch, one mile south of court house on US 127, telephone 313P2. 10w1p

**PUREBRED POLAND CHINA** sow, full yearling, raised 10 pigs first litter last fall, due to farrow April 5, for sale. George H. Ellison, first farm west of state game farm. 9f1p

**HORSES**—Pair of heavy mares, wt. 3000, one in foal, for sale. Marshall Brothers, Leslie, on Tuttle road. 10w1p

**BAY BELGIAN GELDING**, two years old, weight 1500 pounds, broke, for sale. Also Jersey and Guernsey cow, six years old, due to freshen March 20; four breeding cockerels, White Rock. Ellsworth Brown, 1 1/2 miles north of Mason on Phillips road. 10w1p

**GUERNSEY COW**, 6 years old, due to freshen this month. J. A. Gehart, 3 miles west and 1 1/2 miles south of Mason. 10w1p

**DUROC JERSEY** gilts for sale, bred to farrow forepart of April. E. P. Hemmiker, 1/2 mile east of Holt. 10-4p

**17 WEANED PIGS**, six weeks old, for sale. Also potatoes and turnips. M. A. Patterson, one mile east and 3/4 mile south of Bunker Hill, on Hynes road. 10w1p

**BROWN MARE COLT**, three years old, unbroken, 1325; 20 ewes, start lambing May 1. Lyle Matzinger, second house south of Eden on west side of road. 10w1p

**HOLSTEIN COW**, six years old, due April 10; Holstein bull, one year old; eight coarse wool ewes, due to lamb April 15. Milford Down, Leslie, RFD 2, telephone 116P23. w1p

**BELGIAN MARE**, weight 1600 lbs., 13 years old, for sale, cheap. Also a few eating potatoes, 35c bushel. Harold Fisher, first house east of Wheatfield Center church on Holt road. 10w1p

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**HEIFER**—Guernsey and Jersey, two years old, due March 23, for sale. Also home-made tractor for sale. Elvert Petters, 1/2 mile west of Dansville and 3/4 mile south. 10w1p

**SORREL GELDING**, three coming four, weight 1500, broke; bay gelding, three coming four, weight 1500, broke; pair bays, 9 and 13, weight 3000, good work team, priced right; Guernsey cow, fresh; Holstein cow, due May 1; F12 tractor, in perfect condition, and cultivator; 10-20 tractor, like new and 10-20 tractor, priced right, both tractors carry new tractor guarantee. C. G. Lantys & Sons, Stockbridge. 10w1p

**GUERNSEY COW**, six years old, good milkier and butter cow, due to freshen in a few days, for sale. Charles E. Barnes, Jr., 4262 East Willoughby road, Holt. 10w1p

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**FOR SALE**—Double house on West Columbia, 2-car garage. Also a house on Okemos street. E. D. Sanford, Mason R. 4, telephone 291W. 10w1p

**80-ACRE FARM** for rent or sale, two miles north and 1/2 mile east of Mason, possession March 1. Inquire Mrs. Thomas Lang, 144 North Jefferson, Mason. 10w1p

**70 ACRES** of 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-f

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**55 ACRES**, good house, furnace, basement barn, new chicken house, 20x60, three brooder houses, eight acres woods, eight acres wheat, \$2000, terms; 72 acres, good house and barn, plenty wood, all personal property, for \$3000. Many other farms. R. E. Whitney, Leslie. 10-2

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**WOOL RUG**, 6x12, dark green; also one dresser. Both in good condition. Inquire 424 West Columbia street. 10w1p

**HINZE PIANO** for sale, Oak finish. A real bargain, first \$25 takes it. 220 East Ash. 10w1p

**GOOD USED KEROSENE RANGE**, white and black porcelain finish, for sale, \$25. Consumers Power Co., Mason, telephone 205. 10w1p

**CHOICE** re-cleaned Mammoth and alsike clover seed, for sale. Farmer's prices. Paul Kilburn on Edgar Bros. farm, 3 miles west of Mason on Columbia road and 2 miles south on Edgar road. 9w2p

**OUR STATION PRICES** are as follows: Regular gas, 14c per gallon; Michigan gas, 10c per gallon; kerosene, 7c per gallon; distillate, 6 1/2c per gallon; oil, 45c and 25c per gallon; stock salt, 75c per cwt. Also a saving on our Gillette tires and tubes. Come in and give us a trial. Farmers Gas & Oil Co., Mason. 1p

**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-f

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

**Miscellaneous**

**FARMERS' ATTENTION!** Barn building and house building, alteration and repair in exchange for livestock or grain. All work guaranteed. Estimates given. William Johnson, 1 1/2 miles east of grape farm. 10w1p

**FLOWERS**, for all occasions, sprays, baskets, bouquets, potted plants, etc. Our slogan is "Gladness every day with flowers." Visitors always welcome. Ford Gladden, 4353 West Delhi, Holt. 10-f

**INCUBATOR**—600-egg, Super-Hatch incubator, in good condition. D. N. Laylin, 1/2 mile west of Cedar street on Miller road, telephone 2-4715, Lansing. 9w2

**Hudson Brooder Stove**, oil burning, good as new, \$9.00; also roan mare, age 8, \$75.00. Theo Simon, two miles south and one mile west of Williamston. 10w1p

**TRAILER**—Brand new two-passenger Clarkspeed Folding Trailer, furnished, \$195.00. New square tubular steel welded trailer frame for 18-ft. trailer, \$15.00. Clarkspeed Trailer company, Holt. 10w1p

**TOWNSEND NATIONAL WEEKS** may now be secured at Ware's Drug Store or Tony Simcoe's fruit store. 10w1p

**For Rent**

**APARTMENT**—Unfurnished, five rooms and bath, for rent. Inquire Neely Clothing Co., Mason. 10-4f

**HOUSE** and garden spot for rent, two miles east of Mason on Danaville road. Rolfe Spear. 10w1p

**FARM FOR RENT**—100-acre farm, good clay loam, no waste land, good buildings, electric lights in all buildings, city gas. Twelve acre orchard with farm or separate. Located 1/2 mile east of Okemos on old US 16. W. E. J. Edwards, 136 Alberts Ave., East Lansing. Telephone 56008. 10w3

**Wanted**

**RELIABLE MAN WANTED**—Steady work, good pay. Call on farmers. No experience or capital required. Make up to \$12 a day. Write Mess Co., Dept. S., Precept, Illinois. 10w1p

**WANTED**—Married man, experienced and capable farmer, wants work on farm by month, or will work for house rent, or will rent farm with stock and tools furnished. V. Tanner, 305 Berry Ave., Lansing. w1p

**WANTED**—Sugar bush, all furnished. W. J. Flory, Box 52, Holt, Michigan. 9w2p

**WANTED**—Gander for breeding purposes. Mrs. John Kelly, telephone 289, 141 Okemos street. 10w1p

**I WILL PAY** 25c above Detroit market at your farm for Duroc or Poland China mixed shoats, weighing from 75 pounds to 130 pounds. No phone. Drop card to 141 Gunson street, East Lansing. A. H. Johnson. 9w4ptf

**WANTED**—Young married man, experienced in farm work, good milk-er, wants work by month, prefer year-around job. Lawrence Frank, Eaton Rapids, Route 3. 10w2p

**WANTED**—Plowing by the acre. Fred Smithkey, 220 East Ash, telephone 468X. 10w1p

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

**WANTED**—Custom butchering. Hogs on Tuesday, any other day if requested. Beef any time. Phone Leslie 106P14, second corner east of Teaspoon Corners, second house north. Frank Leonard. 52-f

**WANTED**—Alfalfa hay, all grades. Asa Strat & Son Milling company, Williamston, Mich. 49-f

**WANTED**—To rent 100 to 200 acre farm. Have stock and tools. Have quickly same farm 50-50 basis for six years. Glenn Oesterle, 1 1/2 miles east of Mason on Dansville road, or telephone 146F11. 10w1p

**Business Locals**

**PAINTING**—Interior and exterior painting and sign painting. Experienced. R. J. Coon, 434 West Maple, telephone 209W. 10w1p

**WOMEN**—Get your spring coat made to your measure by expert tailor. Finest materials and workmanship available. Call on us and see our styles and samples. Bill Beckwith, 126 W. Maple St. 9-f

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**CUSTOM BUTCHERING** of hogs, every Thursday. Leon Cowdry, 3 miles north of Mason on Okemos road, first house east, telephone 210-F3 or 323. 9w2p

**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. p1-0

**AUCTIONEERING**—Col. Joe Decker, 812 North Walnut, Lansing, telephone 22060. Sixteen years experience in conducting farm sales. Call me and reverse charges. 4w4ptf

**Miscellaneous**

**CARD OF THANKS**—The kind acts of friends and neighbors during the sickness of my wife are appreciated. We are especially grateful for the services of Mrs. Chloa Collins, Mrs. Ada Leonard, Mrs. Edith Lavis and Mrs. Mandy Smiley, and to Methodist church and the L. O. T. M. for their expressions of sympathy. Orrin Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall. 10w1p

**SPRING SUITS**—It is time to get measured for the new Nash custom tailored spring suit. Finest tailoring and large number of styles and materials from which you may make your selection. Bill Beckwith, 126 W. Maple St. 10w1p

**IN LOVING MEMORY** of Earl V. Hartness, who passed away four years ago the 10th of March. Peacefully sleeping, resting at last. Earth worry, pain and suffering past. Jesus has taken him home to His breast. Sleeping so soundly, ever at rest. Sadly missed by wife and children. 10w1p

**Caucus Notices**

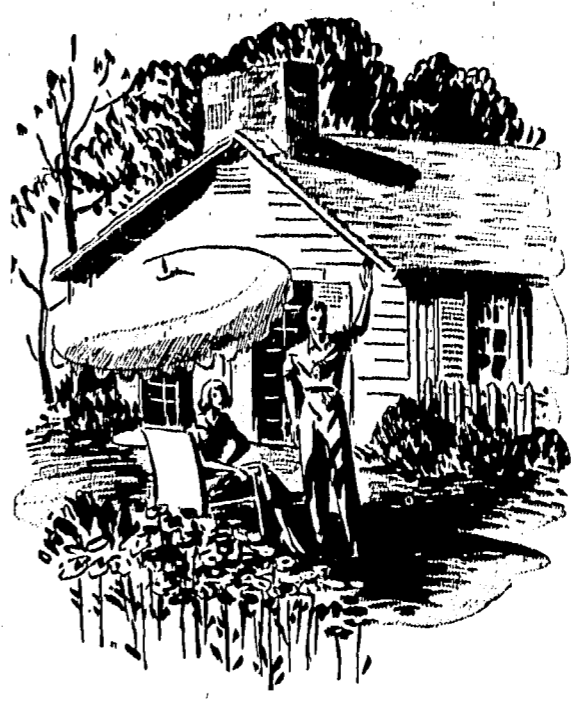
**INGHAM DEMOCRATS**—At Ingham town hall in Dansville at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, March 14.

**LEROY DEMOCRATS** will meet at the Community hall, Webberville, Saturday afternoon, March 11, at 2 o'clock p. m.

**WHEATFIELD DEMOCRATS** will meet in caucus at 8:00 o'clock Monday night, March 13, at the town hall.

**WHEATFIELD REPUBLICANS** will meet in caucus Friday, March 10, at eight o'clock at the town hall.

**AURELIUS REPUBLICANS** will hold their caucus at 2:00 o'clock Saturday afternoon, March 11, at the town hall.



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**AURELIUS DEMOCRATS** will meet in caucus in the town hall at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon, March 13.

**WHITE OAK REPUBLICANS** will meet in caucus at the town hall Saturday afternoon, March 11, at two o'clock.

**WHITE OAK DEMOCRATS** will meet at two o'clock Monday afternoon, March 13, at the town hall.

**INGHAM REPUBLICANS**—Ingham township republicans will meet in caucus at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, March 14, in the town hall at Dansville.

**DELHI DEMOCRATS** will meet in caucus at the I. O. F. hall in Holt Saturday, March 11, at two o'clock. A good speaker will be present.

**VEVAY REPUBLICANS** will meet at the town hall Saturday, March 11, at 1:30.

**VEVAY DEMOCRATS** will meet in caucus at the town hall Monday, March 13, at 1:30.

**ALAMEDON REPUBLICANS** will meet in caucus Monday, March 13, at two o'clock at the town hall.

**DELHI REPUBLICANS** will meet at the Holt school Saturday afternoon, March 11, at two o'clock.

**Mayor Recommends City Power Plant**

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In 10 years I would deem it advisable to issue the bonds over a 20-year period. Bonds dating beyond the 10-year period would be callable.

"I would be my idea for the council to set up a board consisting of three or five members with staggered terms to manage both the water system and the power plant."

"A municipal power plant would also anticipate more new business to start in Mason. Large industries know that taxes are less where cities operate municipal plants. There is also civic pride to be considered."

"I do not wish to condemn the Consumers Power company as it has carried out its part of the bargain made in 1917, and the Mason people employed by the company are of the highest type."

"The whole idea in a nutshell is to take the revenue from the use of electrical energy used in the city and construct and operate a municipal plant, thereby eventually using the income to run the city and eliminate property taxes. A project of this nature would need the co-operation of every civic

# Society

## Everitt-Baldwin

Miss Helen Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Park Baldwin, became the bride of Clairmont Everitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christa Everitt at a ceremony performed by the Rev. I. T. Caldwell at the Pilgrim Congregational church in Lansing Saturday evening at six o'clock. Miss Baldwin wore a gown of dusty pink wool with a matching coat. Her accessories were daintily and she wore a corsage of gardenias. Her attendant, Miss Betty Bergin, was attired in blue crepe with a matching blue tweed coat. She also had daintily accessories and wore a corsage of gardenias. Milton Swartout of Mason acted as best man. Mrs. Everitt was graduated from Mason high school with the class of 1937. Mr. Everitt was a member of the 1934 graduating class of Mason high school. Both young people have attended Lansing business schools. The bride is employed at the Farmers bank. Mr. Everitt works in the offices of the Ingham county road commission. The couple will live in the Haynes apartments on West Ash street.

Mrs. Everitt was honor guest at a miscellaneous shower Wednesday night of last week given by Mrs. Donald Bailey and Mrs. Charles Casper at the home of Mrs. Casper. Chinese checkers were played with Mrs. Donald Bailey and Miss Betty Wotring of Lansing receiving prizes. Refreshments were served, after which the bride was presented with many gifts, among which was a supply of groceries from the hostesses. Twelve friends were present at the party.

Miss Betty Wotring and Miss Betty Bergin of Lansing entertained honoring Mrs. Everitt at a miscellaneous shower at the Bergin home in Mason last Thursday night. Hearts were played, with prizes being won by Mrs. S. A. Murdock and Mrs. S. C. Mason. Gifts were hidden about the house and the bride hunted them to music. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

A stag party was given Mr. Everitt by road commission employees last Thursday night. He was presented with a gift by the group.

Elita Ballas and Her Seven Girls from Michigan State college furnished music for the dance held at the Legion Memorial building Saturday night. A fair crowd was present. A dance with Nick and his Cornhuskers is scheduled for Wednesday night, March 15. On Saturday night, March 18, Nate Fry and his orchestra will play at a party at the Legion building. Jerry Strong and his orchestra will be here for a dance on April 8.

Mrs. A. M. Belts and Mrs. Mildred McDonald were hostesses at a six o'clock birthday dinner Wednesday.

March 1, honoring Elgin Ellsworth of Mason and Chumney Nour of Jackson. The evening was spent in playing Chinese checkers. Both honor guests received gifts.

A surprise party was given in honor of Miss Betty Bennett at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moore Monday night, the occasion being her birthday anniversary. Chinese checkers and other games were played, after which Mrs. Moore served ice cream and cake. Ten friends of Miss Bennett were present.

Last Thursday being the 77th birthday anniversary of John Edgar, eight of his friends helped him celebrate the occasion. Progressive euchre was played with Tom Hanna winning the prize. Refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon.

**Marriage Announced**  
Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Miss Grace Hill of Eaton Rapids and Moron H. Camp, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Camp of Mason, which took place during the Christmas holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Camp expect to be at home after March 15 in the Keon apartments in Mason. Mrs. Camp is employed in the office of the Olds Motor Works at Lansing. Mr. Camp, who was connected with Keon's store in Mason for several years, now holds a sales position with the Dayton Variety company of Ohio.

Mrs. William Schlack entertained 20 guests at a birthday surprise party in honor of Mr. Schlack Tuesday night. Chinese checkers and cards were enjoyed, prizes being won by Mr. and Mrs. Aml Terrill, Mrs. Ray Beebe and Elgin Ellsworth. Mr. Schlack was presented with a gift. Dainty refreshments, including a birthday cake, were served.

Miss Leona Stoble was honored at a birthday shower given by Miss Una Blodgett and Mrs. Louis Stid at the home of Mrs. Stid Friday night. Miss Stoble is to become the bride of Clifford Allen March 16. Bridge was played, prizes being awarded to Miss LaVerne Shearer and Mrs. George McArthur. A guest prize was presented to Miss Stoble. Novel tallies, decorated with seashells, had heart-shaped photographs of Miss Stoble and Mr. Allen attached with small paper arrows. Rose bowls centered each table at which dainty refreshments were served. Daisies and other spring flowers were used throughout the house. Several gifts for the kitchen were presented to the honor guest.

A linen shower was given honoring Miss Stoble Monday night by Mrs. Harold Bell and Mrs. Don Denmore at the Denmore home. Chinese checkers were played. Each player was presented with a sackful of articles, the winners choosing from the losers. Refreshments were served at a long table centered with a bowl of blue iris and lighted candles. Miss Stoble found her gifts in an improvised hayrack. Out-of-town guests were Miss Una Blodgett of Lansing and Mrs. Victor Hill of Grand Lodge.

Mrs. O. D. Campbell and Mrs. C. G. Keester were hostesses to a group of neighbors of the bride-elect at a dessert luncheon at 1:30 Wednesday afternoon. The table was covered with a pink linen cloth and napkins with a centerpiece of roses and pink candles. A feature of the luncheon was individual bridal ice cream bricks, with small pink and white cakes. Bridge was played in the afternoon. Mrs. Clyde Eurt and Miss Stoble receiving prizes. The guest prize was a candle-wick bedspread presented by the group. Recipes were written and presented to Miss Stoble.

Mrs. Elgin Ellsworth was hostess Friday night at a 6:30 dinner as a surprise to Mr. Ellsworth on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. A large potluck dinner with pink blooms formed the table centerpiece, with dainty lace nut baskets and place cards at the 16 places completing the pink and white theme. Mrs. Martha Noble and Mrs. Joe Cappel served. An original poem composed and read by Mrs. Herbert Carr was responded to by Chinese checkers played, prizes being awarded to Mrs. Ray Beebe and Herbert Carr. Mr. Ellsworth was presented with a gift from the group.

**Chamberlain-Owen**  
Miss Cecilia Owen, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Owen, became the bride of Owen Chamberlain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Chamberlain, of Jackson at a ceremony performed Friday night at 8:30 by the Rev. Fr. John Duffy at the Bunker Hill rectory. The bride wore a street-length gown of gray crepe, with coat and hat of wine velvet. She had a corsage of talliesman roses. Her attendant was her sister, Miss Anna Marie Owen. LeRoy Weese of Jackson attended the groom. No guests were present at the ceremony. The bridal party came immediately to the Keon apartments in Mason, where Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain will make their home. The bride is a graduate of Dansville high school with the class of 1934. She is employed as switchboard operator at the county building in Mason. Mr. Chamberlain is an employee of the Consumers Power company in Jackson.

Mrs. Gertrude Launstein was surprised at her home Sunday on the occasion of her birthday anniversary by her seven children and their families who served a chicken dinner. She received many gifts. Chinese checkers were played and visiting was enjoyed in the afternoon.

Miss Valara Pearson and Miss Rita Harkness entertained 15 friends at the Pearson home Friday night, the occasion being the 16th birthday anniversary of Miss Pearson. The evening was spent in playing Chinese checkers, following which refreshments were served. Many gifts were received by Miss Pearson. Guests included Howard Fay, Irah Helms, Florence Allon, Helen Hazel, Margaret Andrea, Nellie VanGilst, Mickey VanGilst, Zelst Andrea, John Andrea, Otis Cady, Bernard Cady, Gregg Andrea, Raymond Haan, Daniel Andrea and Danny Haan.

**Married Here**  
Miss Lucille Kain of Lansing and Bryant Kewin of Jackson were married by Justice of the Peace W. E. Hartzog Saturday morning, March 4. Their attendants were Miss Dortha Heller and Harold Harris of Clarke Lake.

# Personals

R. G. Dunn and daughter, Mary, age 11 with the flu this week.

A son was born February 18 to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Young of Holt. August Balzer had his tonsils removed at the Corsaut hospital Friday.

W. R. Tietz is in Detroit this week on business.

Stanley Critchett, who has been ill for two weeks with pneumonia, is reported somewhat improved.

Mrs. Alice Bell, who has been visiting her sister at Niles Center, Illinois, returned to Mason this week.

Mrs. Margaret Burgess is reported improving after being ill for several weeks with the flu.

Mrs. Ivan Lerner underwent an operation at the Corsaut hospital Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Mills and Keltia visited Mrs. Ira Bailey in Breckenridge Sunday.

Mrs. Sarah Ruckham of Kent, Ohio, is visiting Mrs. G. C. Moody this week.

Bert Hanna, who is confined to the Ingham county sanatorium at Lansing, is reported gaining.

Donald Hillard is reported ill at his home on West Ash street this week.

R. G. Dunn spoke at a patriotic meeting for school children on the capitol grounds in Lansing last week.

Carl Hoffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hoffman, is confined to the Ponton hospital.

Mrs. Bert Rose of Flint was a guest of Mrs. Isabel Call Thursday. Mrs. Rose is a former Mason resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harkness and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thorburn were at Higgins Lake Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Jewett of Jackson is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Jewett. She is recuperating from an illness.

Vern Sear returned to his home in Flint Wednesday after spending a few weeks with Mrs. William Sear and Mrs. Minnie Hemans.

Mr. and Mrs. Orel Potter and daughter of the DuBois district were dinner guests Saturday night of Mrs. Catherine Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clinton of Flint were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clinton. All spent Sunday with Mrs. Helen Jump at Manistee.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bates of Stockbridge called on the former's grandmother, Mrs. Catherine Potter, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Allen of Clinton are to be week end guests of their daughter, Mrs. Viva Riker, and Mr. and Mrs. Allyn Allen.

Miss Lynn Brask and Miss Marianne Hall of the county health department have been confined to their homes with influenza this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Brown and daughter, Helen, of Detroit were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Brown and their family.

Mrs. Leon Iverson is assisting at the home of Mrs. Blanche Longyear during the absence of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hansen were at Grass Lake Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Raymond.

E. J. Spink, Mrs. William Powell, Maynard Poler and Mrs. Willard Droscha and baby have returned to their homes from the Corsaut hospital.

Mrs. Wilmont Reeves of Stockbridge and Mr. and Mrs. George Nichols of Jackson were here Friday to attend the funeral services for Mrs. O. H. Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris B. Chapin of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chapin of Ypsilanti, and Wells Chapin of St. Louis, Missouri, were callers at the Chapin home Monday.

Members of the junior choir of the Methodist church were entertained at the home of their leader, Mrs. Russell Robbins, Wednesday night. Practice followed the supper.

Mrs. Bernice Dondineau, Miss Alice Daniels, Miss Mary VanderVen, Miss Dorothy Hynes and Miss Geraldine VanPatten were dinner guests Wednesday night of last week of Mrs. Ira Rose and daughter, Virginia.

A son, Paul Kenneth, was born to the Rev. D. L. Huntwork and Mrs. Huntwork Friday morning, March 3. The Rev. Huntwork is pastor of the Mason and Aurelius Street Baptist churches.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nagle of Albion were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Ford A. Speltine. Lyle Artime, student at the University of Michigan, was at the home of his parents over the week end.

Mrs. George McArthur, Miss Mary Elizabeth Parkhurst, Mrs. Ray Bullen, Mrs. Clifford Walcott, Mrs. Gordon Dawson and Roberta Bullen attended a Nelson Eddy concert in Detroit Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Lathrop, who have been living for several years at Pocahontas, Arkansas, have sold their farm there and are staying for the present at the home of their son, Orin Lathrop, at Bellaire, Michigan.

Mrs. Amy J. Wade, Miss Gladys Wade, Mrs. Lena Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. Earl King returned Monday after a vacation in Florida. Mrs. Pearl Rayner and Langley Rayner and the Rev. W. B. Old and Mrs. Old have also returned. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Disenroth arrived Monday after a few weeks spent in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Barr have sent word that they are started on their return trip.

Accompanied by Douglas Watson and Otto Grein of the Mason school faculty, the Mason Boy Scout troop camped at Kirolex on Clear Lake from Friday until Sunday afternoon. Scouts who were at Kirolex were Dean Taylor, Bruce Greve, Winfield Sitt, Marvin Salsbury, Laylin Jewett, Charles Henderson, Tom Wallace, Jimmy Brown, Duane Shultz, Don VanderVeen, Richard Diehl, Jack Mills, Ed Dunn, Joe Dean, Jim Cotton, George Gillespie, George Benedict, Clay Alexander, Duane Barr and Rollin Dart.

**HONOR ROLL ANNOUNCED**  
The Mason school honor roll for the six weeks period is as follows: Seventh grade, Edna Hamlin, eighth grade, Loris Whipple, ninth grade, Lucile Dean, Barbara Franklin, Helen Miller, Mary Murphy, Ina Palmer, Elizabeth Seeley and Jack Shaffer; 10th grade, Charles Henderson, Marjorie Bushnell, Frances Lyons and George Benedict; 11th grade, Lorna Jean Ball, Herman Brant, Ruth Collier, B. A. Davis, Dale Fairbairn and Phyllis Foster; 12th grade, Rose Darling, James Davis, Charlotte Hamel, Rachel Juderjohn, Irma Oesterle, Pauline Riggs and Fred Silsby.

# Calendar of Events For Coming Week

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Friday, March 10, Patriotic club with Mrs. Nell Hinkley for potluck dinner at noon.

Friday, March 10, St. Patrick's festival at school at eight o'clock.

Friday, March 10, Walters Community club with Mr. and Mrs. Myron Holmes.

Saturday, March 11, Square Circle club party at I. O. O. F. hall.

Monday, March 13, L. O. T. M. regular meeting.

Monday, March 13, Regular convention Mason lodge No. 70, K. of P.

Tuesday, March 14, Free illustrated lecture on Townsend plan at I. O. O. F. hall at eight o'clock.

Tuesday, March 14, Mason Woman's club at Hall Memorial library.

Tuesday, March 14, Regular convocation Ingham Chapter No. 51, R. A. M., at eight o'clock.

Tuesday, March 14, Regular meeting of American Legion Auxiliary.

Wednesday, March 15, W. C. T. U. at Hall Memorial library.

Wednesday, March 15, Mason lodge No. 70, F. & A. M., with Oldsmobile third degree team of Lansing as guests.

Wednesday, March 15, Dance at Legion Memorial building with Nick and his Cornhuskers.

Wednesday, March 15, Potluck supper by Aurelius Townsend club.

Wednesday, March 15, Regular meeting Mason Rebekah lodge.

Thursday, March 16, Bridge luncheon sponsored by Mason Child Study club at Legion Memorial building at one o'clock.

Thursday, March 16, Wheatfield Center L. A. S. with Mrs. Max Elfert at noon.

Thursday, March 16, St. Patrick's supper and play at Bunker Hill church.

Thursday, March 16, Townsend club meeting.

Friday, March 17, Philathea class luncheon at 12:30 with Mrs. Clarence Ellison.

Saturday, March 18, Pomona Grange at Dansville.

Saturday, March 18, Dance at Legion Memorial building with Nate Fry and his orchestra.

# Organizations

A regular meeting of the L. O. T. M. will be held Monday night, March 13.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday, March 15, at the Hall Memorial library at 2:30. An executive board meeting will be held at two o'clock.

The subject of the program, under the direction of Mrs. Evelyn Shaffer, will be "Christian Citizenship." Mrs. Grant Hudson, state director, will be the speaker and Mrs. Grover of East Lansing, district director, will be a guest. Devotionals will be in charge of Mrs. Paul Redman of Eden. Hostesses will be Mrs. Rula Post and Mrs. Robert Cross.

The Walters Community club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Myron Holmes Friday night, March 10. Those attending are to bring sandwiches and pie.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the local Methodist church will entertain the auxiliary of the Michigan Avenue Methodist church of Lansing at a luncheon at the church Friday, March 17, at one o'clock. A program is being planned and all members are urged to be present.

A Townsend club bingo party is scheduled for Tuesday night, March 14.

A regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary will be held Tuesday night, March 14. The planned Gold Star dinner has been postponed until a later date.

Members of the Mason Child Study club are asked to contribute candy to the Campfire girls to be sold at the fair March 17. The girls will call for candy on the morning of March 17.

A. C. Gillette of St. Johns will be the speaker at the regular Townsend club party, Saturday night, March 16. Everyone is welcome to the meetings, which are open to the public. Refreshments will be served following the talk.

Members and their families of the Square Circle club will enjoy a St. Patrick's party, Saturday night, March 11, at the I. O. O. F. hall. A short program will be given during the lunch hour, with Irish songs and jokes being planned. Each member is asked to wear green or a fine will be imposed. The refreshment committee will be Mrs. Lena Emmert, Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gelsenhafer, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harbart and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hawkins.

The Mason Community Garden club met Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Salsbury. Professor Gerlock of Michigan State college, gave a description of shrubs and vines adaptable to this state. His talk was illustrated with slides. Light refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Ray Bullen and Mrs. Carl Jewett. Twenty-four were present.

A bridge luncheon is being planned by the Mason Child Study club to be held at the Legion Memorial building at one o'clock Thursday, March 16. Tickets are now on sale and may be secured from the ticket committee, Mrs. Ruel Kruse, Mrs. Robert Reeser and Mrs. Charles Denmore. Mrs. D. C. Dart is chairman of the event.

"Public Health and Public Safety" is the theme for the meeting of the Ingham County Pomona Grange with Ingham Grange at the Dansville town hall, west of the red light, on Saturday, March 18. The morning session calls at 10 o'clock for the regular fifth degree business routine. Plans will be made for conferring the fifth degree. Mrs. R. N. Watkins, who has

# Lodges

The Rebekah Circle met with Mrs. Nell Hinkley Monday, March 6, with Mrs. Luella Hartman as assistant hostess. Following the business meeting, while elephant bingo was played and refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Mason Lodge No. 70, K. of P., will have a regular convention Monday, March 13. The rank of Page will be conferred.

A regular convocation of Ingham Chapter No. 51, R. A. M., will be held Tuesday, March 14, at eight o'clock.

A regular meeting of Mason Rebekah Lodge No. 324 will be held at the I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday night, March 15.

**BOOKING EXPLAINED**  
Herbert Fox of the Fox theatre told members of the Mason PTA at the meeting held Tuesday night that it is not always possible to get special films for children for Friday and Saturday shows because of block booking. He also explained the booking system which prevents a theater manager getting just the films he wants when he wants them. A state police movie was shown. Members of the high school chorus sang.

been chosen coach of the degree team by the Officers club, asks all Pomona officers to be present. A cooperative effort will be served at noon, members to bring table service. The lecturer's program at 1:30 is open to the public. Greetings will be given by Elmer Bravender, master of Ingham Grange. Assembly singing will be followed by roll call on "Safety-grams and Health-ograms." A talk on public health will be given by a speaker from the county health department followed by a talk on public safety by a member of the state police. Readings will be presented by County Seat Grange, music by Capitol Grange and a recreational feature will be in charge of Miss Agnes Bravender, lecturer of Ingham Grange. "Thank You" will be given by Mrs. Anna Steadman of Wheatfield Grange, member of Pomona home economics committee.

The Wheatfield Cleaners are sponsoring a church party and potluck supper at the Gleason hall Saturday night, March 11. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Eberly have charge.

The Mason Child Study club will meet Wednesday night, March 15, at the school. The Rev. H. F. Roberts, of the local Presbyterian church is to be the speaker.

The St. Patrick's public supper originally planned for March 17 has been postponed and will be held at the Presbyterian church Wednesday, March 29.

The Patriotic club will meet with Mrs. Nell Hinkley Friday, March 10, with a potluck dinner at noon. The afternoon will be spent in work on quilt blocks.

The Aurelius Townsend club will give a potluck supper Wednesday night, March 15. There will be a speaker.

A free illustrated lecture on "Jesus and the Townsend Plan," will be given by the Rev. E. J. Cross of Leslie at the I. O. O. F. hall in Mason Tuesday night, March 14, at eight o'clock. More than 50 pictures are to be shown.

The Philathea class of the Baptist Sunday school will have a bi-monthly buffet luncheon at the home of Mrs. Clarence Ellison on South Barnes street Friday, March 17, at 12:30. Members are to bring table service and one dish of food. Potatoes and coffee will be furnished.

The Wheatfield Center L. A. S. will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Max Elfert Thursday, March 16, with a dinner at noon.

The Mason Woman's club will meet Tuesday, March 14, at the Hall Memorial library for welfare day. Mrs. Rosa Belle Snorr of the state welfare department will give an address. Roll call will be responded to with "A way of service." Hostesses will be Mrs. Margaret Burgess, Dr. Gertrude O'Sullivan and Miss Catherine Barber.

The Wheatfield Cleaners will hold a meeting Tuesday night, March 14. There will be obligatory work for new members.

On Friday night, March 17, the Wheatfield Cleaners will have a birthday supper and program for members and their families. Those not solicited are to bring something for a potluck supper, all are to bring their own table service.

The postponed February meeting of the Sopher Fidelis class of the Baptist church was held Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bartley. Following the business meeting, a program appropriate to Americanization day was presented by Mr. and Mrs. Nell Hinkley and included a trumpet solo, the reading of the Gettysburg address, a

Jews-Harp solo by Mrs. Inabel Call, a guest of the evening, a flag drill, a contest on national anthems of foreign countries, a reading by Mrs. Call and a harmonica solo. A flag, given as first prize, was won by Mrs. Call.



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# The Michigan Mirror

By Gene Allaman  
Michigan Press Association

### LANSING—Michigan's state government today is thoroughly "Main Street."

Only one of six recently elected officials (Secretary of State Harry Kelly of Detroit) comes from a town that has more than 7,000 population. And Mr. Kelly is the only novice in state politics, the governor and lieutenant governor and treasurer, auditor general and attorney general all having served in various capacities of responsibility at Lansing.

The legislature, too, reflects the "Main Street" flavor of the Fitzgerald administration. As most of the members of the house and senate come from so-called rural areas—towns under 10,000 population and farming districts.

Therein has developed some interesting trends which merit watching.

### More Home Rule?

Whereas the legislature two years ago (with the republicans putting up little resistance) gave in to home rule proposals, the most of the anticipated revenue, the 1933 law-makers have been talking much about economy and "home rule."

Backed by the State Association of Supervisors, Representative Audley Rawson of Cass City (the governor's own choice for the post of majority leader in the house of representatives) has introduced a bill to restore more local control in administering relief.

In brief, this bill would allocate one-third of a \$1,600,000 welfare appropriation to counties on a basis of population, one-third on a basis of relief cases during the past three years, and the remainder on the basis of immediate needs.

While officials in industrial centers suspect that rural supervisors are using "home rule" as an excuse to get their hands on more welfare funds, the administration appears to be sincere in its belief that present handling of relief is too heavy with salaries and unnecessary expenses. Economy is the key-word.

Will home-rule effect this saving? If costs are reduced at the expense of jobs, how will the voters in cities react? (Alderman Kronk of Detroit reflects some of the resentment against upstate control; he is sponsoring home-rule for Detroit by a movement to create a 49th state.)

### A Brake On Spending

Governor Fitzgerald is not an advocate of state centralization of power. He, too, talks of "home rule."

In conference with legislators he has suggested that the state administration should not solve home problems by acceding to fresh demands for more state funds. If the treasury is to be solvent, home communities must refrain from asking Lansing to shoulder more of their responsibilities, he has pointed out.

In the cause of home rule, therefore, lies the administration's hope of effecting economy in government. The trend for several administrations has been to create more bureaus at Lansing. Fitzgerald is trying to apply the brake.

### Gambling Is Involved

When it comes to moral issues such as gambling, however, home rule is a horse of another color.

The governor at first took the attitude that gambling was a matter for local law-enforcement by the sheriff and of prosecution by the prosecuting attorney. Slot machines and gambling resorts, he said, should be controlled by county authorities and not the state. The reception of this policy was not cordial among rural people in general and among church people in particular.

In Macomb county rate citizens obtained a court injunction when a resort reopened with brazen publicity. Last week the slot machines began to re-appear. Operators anticipate a busy season in the resort sections of northern Michigan and the Upper Peninsula where home rule in morality has been lax, especially when visiting tourists arrive with pockets well filled with cash.

The latest deviation of the home-rule policy in gambling is that the administration will not tolerate a syndicate control—a syndicate being an organization reaping profits from gambling in several counties. The complications are easy to forecast.

### Civil Service

Eight bills on civil service have been introduced so far at Lansing.

Developments to date indicate that the legislature will yield to patronage pressure, repeal the present civil service law and open many jobs to competitive examinations.

Blanketing many democrats in state jobs was accomplished by the 1937 legislature under the title of "qualifying" examinations for all those hired prior to January 1, 1938. For example, one state elected official discovered recently that the man on whom he was dependent for publicity releases is a democratic county chairman. This state employee is protected by civil service. What is the republican official going to do about it?

A check into the number of state employees added during the Murphy administration, however, has revealed

# VILLAGE OF DANSVILLE

### Father And Son Banquet

Next Tuesday night, March 14, is the annual father and son banquet, which is being sponsored by the Picture Farmers and will be held in the school gymnasium. Although the banquet is sponsored by the P. F. A. chapter it is for the benefit of all fathers and sons in the community and a program is being provided. The dinner will be served promptly at 7:45 by the home economics girls. Dorn Dicht will act as toastmaster for the occasion. E. E. Gallup of the vocational educational department will deliver the address and Superintendent Clyde Allen will give a short talk on the work of the P. F. A. There will also be a movie, "Valley of Wanted Men" by Peter B. Kyne and a Cubby Bear cartoon.

The republicans will hold their annual caucus next Monday afternoon, March 13, in the town hall. The purpose of the meeting will be to nominate candidates for the regular township election in April.

Members of the Williamston Brotherhood Entertained members of the Williamston Brotherhood and guests of the local organization Wednesday night and about 80 men enjoyed the supper and program. After the supper the business session was presided over by Charles Woods, president. Several songs were sung by the group with Dr. Stewart Gould, president of the Williamston Brotherhood, at the piano. Supervisor Woods appointed a committee to select a boy from among the junior or senior class to represent the local community at the Wolverine Boys State which will be held at East Lansing this spring. This will be the first time Ingham township has been represented. Mr. Allen announced the annual father and son banquet to be held at the school March 14. Short talks were given by Dr. Gould, Clyde King and the Rev. Bottrell, all of Williamston, after which J. W. Wilford of Lansing introduced Joe Alexander of Lansing, who talked on his trips to foreign countries. Plans were made for the annual banquet in April, at which time the wives of the members will be honor guests as well as members of the football and basketball teams.

### Library Donations

The Dansville branch of the Ingham county library is open every Tuesday and Wednesday from noon until five o'clock, on Wednesday night from seven o'clock until six and from seven to nine at night. Daniel Jennings is custodian. He also assists at the Mason library two days each week. The following have contributed to the local branch: Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough in commemoration of Dr. J. F. Lemon, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Gowing, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Jennings and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks.

### Former Resident Dead

Word was received here Monday of the death of Mrs. Mary Wallace Miller, a former resident here, who died at her home in Minot, North Dakota, February 28, after an illness of only a few hours. Mary Wallace was born June 10, 1868, and her early life was lived in Lydon township and later moved with her parents to Ingham township. For several years she lived in Dansville with Mr. L. Hill until her marriage to Ed Miller June 21, 1893. For several years they lived in Chicago and later moved to Minot. She leaves a husband, three sons, one granddaughter, two sisters and one brother. She joined the Baptist church in Dansville in 1889 and later transferred her membership to Minot.

### Win Tournament

The Dansville basketball team was victorious in the district tournament at Williamston and now possesses another trophy signifying this honor. They will enter the regional tournament at Albion March 9, 10 and 11.

### No School Friday

There will be no school Friday on account of Teachers' Institute at Mason.

### Plan Garden Meeting

There will be a lecture next Thursday afternoon, March 16, at 2:15 at the town hall on "Vegetable Gardening." The lecture will be given by Mr. Seton from M. S. C. and is being sponsored by the home extension department. All in the community are urged to attend. There is no charge.

### To Present Operetta

On Friday night, March 17, the pupils in the first six grades of the Ingham township Agricultural school will present the operetta, "The Early Bird Catches the Worm," by Paynter. Miss Margaret Curtis is directing the music; Miss Bergman, the dramatist; Miss Kern, stage; Miss von Eberstein, publicity; and Miss Payne, costumes.

### Spring Election

With the spring election only a month away, the legislature is proceeding more cautiously on controversial matters that might develop into campaign issues.

The labor mediation board plan is one. This measure, proposing a 10-day "cooling-off" period between declaration of strike and the actual walk-out, was originally drawn up with numerous restrictions on both employer and employee. Among other things it outlawed sit-down strikes which were responsible more than anything else for the downfall of the Murphy administration last fall.

The United States supreme court has taken the sit-down strike problem off Fitzgerald's hands.

And with another campaign in the offing, legislators are inclined today to postpone action on the labor bill until after votes have been counted. Many teeth in the present bill will be removed, it is believed, more dependence being put on public opinion than on legal penalties.

night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilcox. The meeting was in charge of Miss Helen Ives, president of the local society. Mrs. Plorens Anderson, of Leslie, district superintendent, spoke on the work of the organization. The Rev. Hoyt and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilcox gave a brief talk on different missionaries. Warren and Lowell Anderson of Leslie sang a vocal duet and Norma Williams of Hamburg recited a poem. Norman and Ruth Greene, also of Hamburg, sang a duet. The local group is invited to attend Youth Night at Leslie Friday.

### Honor Roll Announced

The honor roll for the upper six grades for the fourth six weeks marking period is as follows: Mary Janus, Robert Townsend, George Biesel, Arlene Miller, Jane Dalton, Lorraine De-morest, Maxine Miller, Elton Glenn, Eleanor Terrill, Dale Simons, Pauline Hendee, Betty Darling, Isilla Townsend, Dorothy Harrison, Connie Gaylord, Marjory Frost, Lloyd Logan, Marvin Glenn, Sarah Cline, Beulah Rice, Marjory Haynes, Donald Hunt, Pauline Harrison, Winifred Ives, Alfred Powell, Charles Smith, James Young, Helen Yuhass, Orin Voss and Robert Walker.

### Honored At Shower

The Misses Loretta Garrison, Evadne Hayhoe and Helen Bird were co-hostesses Saturday afternoon at the home of the former in honor of Mrs. Burton Hammond of Williamston, a bride of February 14. Sixteen friends of the honored guest were present and Chinese checkers were the diversion of the afternoon, after which dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses. Mrs. Hammond before her marriage was Miss Orpha Beech and was a member of the graduating class of the I. T. A. S. of 1937. She received many gifts.

### Democratic Caucus

Tuesday afternoon, March 14, at two o'clock, the democrats will hold the annual caucus in the town hall to elect candidates for the April township election.

Donald Calhoun and Bernard McIntyre of Hopkins spent the week end at the former's parents, Dr. H. L. Calhoun, and Mrs. Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Kietli Bagley of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Simons and Mrs. Simons, who spent several days the past week in Detroit, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCann of Jackson in honor of the birthday anniversary of Ronald James of Lansing and Addie and Hazel McCann.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Abels of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter of Mason were Sunday visitors of Dr. H. L. Calhoun and Mrs. Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Powers and family of Detroit were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayhoe, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raymond were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Foster of Lansing. Miss Evadne Hayhoe of Elton Rapids enjoyed the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayhoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shopbell spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cornwell of Holt.

Walter Gibson of Lansing was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Utter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Dunsmore are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dunsmore of Stockbridge this week.

Mrs. Effie West spent Wednesday and Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dunsmore of Williamston.

Wayne Dalton of M. S. C. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Glover of Mason were Sunday guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Osborne.

Mr. and Mrs. Branch Vicary of Leslie and Mrs. Leon Crowl and family of Mason were dinner guests of Mrs. Mina Mann Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips and son of Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Cogswell of Mason were Thursday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freer.

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

Miss Joyce Graves of Leslie and El-don Williams were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Young of Jackson.

Miss Irma Morehouse and Miss Margaret Curtis attended the Cleary Fellowship club banquet in Lansing Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welsh of Mason were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Freer.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Braman visited Mr. and Mrs. Thurlow Beech of Lansing Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hector Hawkins of Lansing and daughter, Miss Marjorie Hawkins, visited the latter's sister and husband, the Rev. and Mrs. Duckworth of Montgomery Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Potter of Detroit spent Thursday and Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Evans.

Betty Benjamin of White Oak was a guest of Miss Virginia Anderson Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. George Foster is quite ill at her home this week with influenza.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Nelson and family of Williamston enjoyed Sunday

with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. June Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin and Mrs. Elvina Powell of Jackson were Wednesday visitors of the latter's sister, Mrs. Sarah Howlett, and all visited Mr. and Mrs. Anson Standish of Stockbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Collar of White Oak were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ona Almond.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gates of Bath enjoyed Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hollister and Mrs. Gates remained for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mast and family of Dexter were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston Ketchum of Okemos were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mitchell over the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Balmer and Phyllis were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Wagner of Webbville Sunday.

Dr. R. F. Hall and Mrs. Hall and family of Ypsilanti and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stid and son of Mason were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Diehl.

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### Party

About 45 friends of Mr. and Mrs. Doran Ferguson enjoyed a party last Saturday night at their home. Cards and dancing were the diversion of the evening, after which refreshments were served. Guests were present from Mason and Leslie.

A surprise party was given Albert Smale Saturday night in honor of his birthday anniversary. Cards were played and high scores were won by Mrs. Stanley Pohl and Robert Zimmerman. Refreshments were served and later Mr. Smale was presented a number of gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry of Detroit were out-of-town guests.

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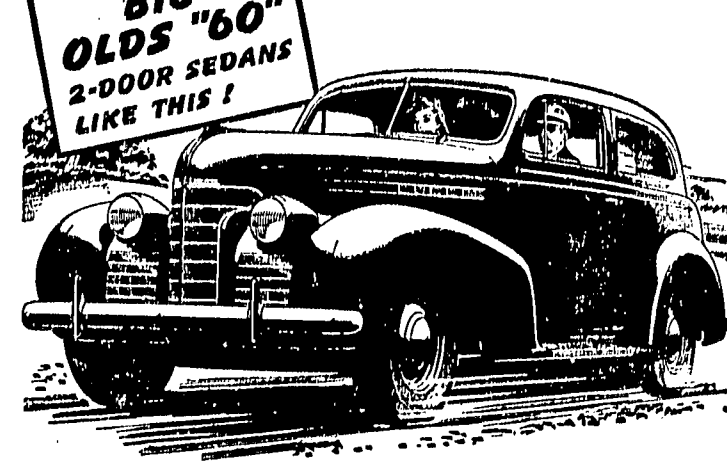
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### SCHOOL NOTES

By Maudie Hoagland

The members of the seventh grade English classes are reading stories of King Arthur. They have had, spell-downs, answering questions instead of spelling words. They also plan to act out parts of the story in pantomime.

Pupils in Miss Knight's seventh grade home room take 10 minutes in the morning to make entries in diaries and logs.

Eighth graders took inventory Monday of the reading done in the new Growth in Reading books. Yvonne Suranteaux had read most. Others who were high were Richard Dioli, Dorothy Felton, Leon Anway, Gordon Willett, Freda Freeman and Edward Dunn.

Members of the glee club sang at the PTA meeting Tuesday night.

Report cards were given out Wednesday.

There was an annual board of education banquet held Wednesday night. The home economics department with

the girls under Miss Bagger's direction had charge of the dinner. The program was taken care of by Miss Garsuch and Miss Berry of M. S. C.

There was a junior class meeting Tuesday. The juniors will serve dinner Friday for the teachers who attend the institute.

Junior high pupils are organizing a junior glee club under the direction of Miss Geraldine Van Patten.

Pupils of the sixth grade are planning to stage a play soon. The stage sets, costumes, furniture and curtains were made by sixth graders.

There was a meeting of the Sub-Doh club Wednesday. The club is primarily for social purposes and is made up of girls from the 11th and 12th grades.

The Anchora staff held a meeting Tuesday. Work on the year book is progressing and will soon be ready for the printer.

Pupils from the Okemos school visited here Thursday.

Members of the Future Farmers club were in Leslie Wednesday attending a sheep-shearing demonstration.

## SPORTS

### HISTORY REPEATS AT DISTRICT TOURNAMENT

WORST GAME OF YEAR TURNED IN BY SYCAMORES.

Why Mason can usually win first or second place among Class B schools in league play and then fold up in a Class C tournament play remains a mystery. History repeated itself this season. Mason finished in a tie for second in the Capital Circuit, with the exception of Mason all Class B teams, and was favored to cop the district tournament, yet St. Mary's found the Sycamores easy picking, too easy to even be interesting. The Mason team collapsed and took a deserved 22 to 14 trimming in the final Saturday night after coasting to a 22 to 20 victory over Haslett the night before.

Had Mason played the brand of basketball Saturday night that kept them in the winning column in the Capital Circuit they could have taken St. Mary's without any great difficulty. In the first three minutes of play St. Mary's plumped in three long-range baskets out of three attempts. The resulting six points sent Mason players into a panic from which they never recovered. The Sycamores were plainly baffled and most of them lost hope. They were able to get their hands on the ball only infrequently and when they did they had difficulty taking it down the floor. Paul DeRose and Bernard Fancher were tied for high honors for Mason with three points each. Raymond Heinzelman, Bill Bergin, Bob Ingraham and Wallace Bailey each made two points. Mason was never in the ball game. Heinzelman was the only man to play consistently good basketball throughout the game. He and Bergin and Fancher were sent to the showers on fouls.

Saturday night's game was a bitter ending for a successful season.

Against Haslett Friday afternoon the Mason team pulled its punches, saving their game for St. Mary's Saturday night. But somewhere, somehow, the good basketball game saved for St. Mary's was lost during the 24-hour period. That Mason could play good basketball was doubted by many who saw Saturday night's game.

Against Haslett Friday afternoon Jim Young and Wallace Bailey set the pace with eight points each with Bill Bergin and Paul DeRose racking up six points apiece. Every man on the squad was used in the game. Howes and Gibson were outstanding for Haslett, Howes making eight points and Gibson six.

East Lansing won the Class B title in Lansing by beating the stubborn Grand Lodge team. Webberville made a strong bid for the Class D trophy

but lost out to a strong Sunfield team. The Class D titular game was a bruising battle throughout.

With the loss Saturday night the Mason players turned in their suits. Seven of the varsity squad are seniors. The three who will return next year are Bergin, Harry Michlach and Dick Brown.

### DANVILLE IS WINNER OF DISTRICT TROPHY

CLOSE GAMES PLAYED IN WILLIAMSTON TOURNNEY.

By Nicholas Korbawy  
A smooth-functioning Dansville basketball team, with strength and experience at every position, moved into the state regional basketball tournament at Albion this week after asserting district supremacy at Williamston.

The Aggies, for the second consecutive year, copped the Williamston show, winning the title by defeating the Williamston Hornets by a 20 to 18 score in the championship game Saturday night.

Both Williamston and Dansville reached Saturday night finals by sweeping through respective brackets. The tournament scores were as follows: Thursday night, Dansville 24, Okemos 14; Williamston 26, Leslie 24; Friday, Dansville 32, Stockbridge 14; Williamston 32, Fowlerville 23; Saturday, Dansville 20, Williamston 18.

Dansville made good its rating as the favored team in the tournament. The Aggies, however, went into the finals by the easy route, comparing their schedule with that of the Hornets. Neither Okemos nor Stockbridge proved bothersome to the Aggies, both folding up in front of the Dansville attack.

Williamston, on the other hand, had a fight each night. First the Leslie Blackhawks had to be subdued. That game was every bit the contest it was hoped to be with the Hornets barely squeezing past. On Friday night Fowlerville, a team which had beaten the Hornets during the season, had to be met again. The Hornets pulled out of that with nine points to spare.

The championship game Saturday night was a game between two good teams. The winners never trailed after the examination although the margin was never great enough to point to a victory until the final whistle. Dansville did gain a 20 to 15 lead with less than two minutes remaining in the game, but Williamston and Stover retaliated with a quick basket and a free throw to narrow the count. Williamston had taken three final shots to no avail as the whistle sounded to end the game.

The lead changed six times the first half but the Aggies had the upper hand the last half. The entire game was without a dull minute. As the final whistle was blown pandemonium reigned with the crowd on its feet and shouting in frenzy. Although the players were spent they exhibited fine sportsmanship as the Hornets swarmed around the Aggies to offer congratulations.

Clyde Overholt, principal of the Williamston school, serving as tournament manager, presented the Aggies with the trophy.

Little Agnes—Mother, why are you so pretty?  
Mother—Because I was very good when I was a little girl.  
Little Agnes—Oh, Daddy, then you must have been an awfully naughty little boy.

### Emergency Crop Loans Available To Farmers

APPLICATIONS BEING RECEIVED AT MASON.

Applications for emergency crop and feed loans for 1939 will be received at the county agricultural agent's office on April 3 and May 31 at 10 a. m., by H. L. Willis, field supervisor of the emergency crop and feed loan section of the Farm Credit Administration.

The loans will be made as in the past, only to farmers whose cash requirements are small and who cannot obtain credit from any other source. The money loaned will be limited to the farmer's immediate and actual cash needs for growing his 1939 crops or for the purchase of feed for livestock.

Farmers who can obtain the funds they need from an individual, production credit association, bank, or other concern are not eligible for crop and feed loans from the emergency crop and feed loan section of the Farm Credit Administration. The loans will not be made to standard rehabilitation clients whose current needs are provided for by the Farm Security Administration, formerly known as the Resettlement Administration.

As in the past, farmers who obtain emergency crop and feed loans will give as security a first lien on the crop, stock to be fed, if the money borrowed is to be used to produce or purchase feed for livestock.

Where loans are made to tenants, the landlords, or others having an interest in the crops financed or the livestock to be fed, are required to waive their claims in favor of a lien to the governor of the Farm Credit Administration until the loan is repaid.

### Stockbridge Village

Honoring her daughter, Mrs. Jack Clark, on her birthday anniversary, Mrs. Emil Somers entertained at her home Friday.

A son, Michael Don, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Sweet February 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dancer entertained 23 guests at a recent bridge party. Honors were won by Mrs. Norman Topping and Robert Wasson.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Myers and family were called to Ohio the latter part of last week because of the death of Mrs. Myer's sister.

Dr. Neil McCleer has suspended his dental practice here to assume a practice in Detroit. The McCleers have retained their residence here for the present.

The Community club will meet Thursday night with Dr. O. R. Yodor of Ypsilanti as the speaker.

A paper, "Modern Furniture for Comfortable Living," was given by Mrs. W. N. Korbawy at the Home Culture club meeting held last Friday at the home of Mrs. Harold Lantis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lyons have moved to Grosse Pointe where Mr. Lyons will assume management of a new D & C store.

Curtis White was absent from his teaching duties a few days last week, being stricken with the flu. E. Harmon Camburn assisted with teaching duties during his absence.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Backlander of Jackson and Mrs. Ora Mooney of the home of Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Lantis.

The Methodist Rainbow class met Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Lyons.

Honoring her husband's birthday anniversary, Mrs. Norman Topping entertained at her home Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Allen of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Topping and J. E. Kinsey of Plainfield Sunday.

W. G. Reeves, Gurn Dancer, D. D. Palmatier, Mr. Fleming, William Robeson, Casper Glenn, Gus Deckerle, Sumner Hall, Vernal Cain, Ed Stiles and William Sdunek comprised Stockbridge's delegation at the Mackinac Scenic Shortway route meeting held at Owosso Thursday.

The Rev. C. B. Blanchard of Marshall was a week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gurney Dancer.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Huttenloeker and family of Jackson were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Robeson.

Stockbridge schools will be closed Friday to permit local teachers to attend the annual county teachers' institute at Mason.

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### BLUE GOOSE LINES

Muskkrats have girdled and killed several hundred trees on the W. H. Hayes state park grounds at Jackson. Superintendent Sherman Cary reports. The trees are maples and elms and are standing on an area of approximately two acres. Some of the trees which have been girdled are from eight to nine inches in diameter.

### FILM NEWS

A brilliant cast helps to make "Four's A Crowd" the top-notch comedy of the season. Errol Flynn, star of "Robin Hood," has the role of a small-town newspaper editor in this latest film, which comes Friday and Saturday to the Fox Theatre. Rosalind Russell as a sob-sister and Olivia DeHavilland as an heiress, also Walter Connolly are in the all-star cast. There is a double elopement and many complications.

Also on the double-feature program for Friday and Saturday is "Starlight Over Texas," Tex Ritter has the part of the singing cowboy on the Mexican border of Texas. The picture is full of action, with plenty of cowboy music.

One of the most exciting pictures ever filmed is scheduled for Sunday and Monday at the Fox Theatre.

"Trade Winds" Fredric March is seen as a detective in search of Joan Bennett, who has been involved in a shooting. When the two suddenly find themselves in love, complications arise. The story carries them to all parts of the world.

For the family night program Tuesday, "Going Places," starring Dick Powell and Anita Louise, with Allen Jenkins, Louie Armstrong and Maxine Sullivan, has been secured. The pic-

ture is centered around Powell as an inexperienced stoic-chase rider. "Dawn Patrol," scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday at the Fox Theatre, boasts one of the most brilliant casts to be assembled in one picture in some time, with Errol Flynn, hero of some of the screen's greatest adventures, as its star. Also in the cast of the great war story are Basil Rathbone, David Niven, Donald Crisp, Melville Cooper, Peter Wilton and many others. Of interest in the cast is the name of John Rollon, son of Basil Rathbone, who in "Dawn Patrol" makes his screen debut. The story takes place with the Royal Air Corps stationed at the British front in 1916. It has action and thrills surpassing any recent picture of its kind. The picture has been highly recommended by leading newspapers.

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### SLAT'S DIARY

By OLIVER N. WARREN

Sunday: Had a good time at church and S. S. today. I resent were that Jake & Bilsters both of them attended S. S. and set out to me and discuss how B. B. and fishen isent far off. The preacher sed in his sermon that all of us oite develop our fizzlele selfs.

Monday: The teacher ast the class how much dirt is they in a hole 2 ft. deep and 3 ft. long and 2 ft. wide. A big argument folloed but we finly found out they isent none. Witch none of us alldent think of at 1st.

Tuesday: I dont know how it started but the class got to talking about the differents between a wedding and a funeral. Bilsters figured it out the best. He sed a wedding is where the unforchenate get to smell the odor of the flours. Witch are diffrent when you cant get your breath.

Wednesday: Pa told a good 1 on hisself tonight. The ast, editur went and died and Pa sed he ast the editur how about Pa taking his place and the editur replide and sed Fine provided he can arrange same with under taker. Witch dampend his order for the promoshen sed Pa.

Thursday: Ma was a trying to work a cross word puzzel this evening in the noosepaper and sed to Ant Emmy what make of a ottomobel is that starts with T. Ant Emmy laft and sed they isent no such of a car. They all start with gas she sed. Ma lookt at Ant like she diddent know whether she was series or a kidding.

Friday: Mistress Gillem has had a darkey girl working for her and offered her some old clothes and etc. She finly took them but she sed she is afraid she might be mistooken for Mistress Gillem. I dont bleeve they is no danger tho.

Saturday: Are class went down to preece court today to lern how they try cases. They was a man that were brot in for kissing a strange lady and the judge ast him how come. He sed he were drunk when he done it and the judge sed Can you prove it. Lookt at her yourself the preece sed & the judge did and fined him for being drunk.

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# At The Churches

Mason Methodist—W. B. Old, pastor. The Sunday morning service at 10 o'clock will be characterized by the spirit and purpose of the Lenten season. The pastor will speak on "The Prayers of Jesus." The senior and junior choirs will each bring appropriate messages of music. The sermon to the boys and girls will be on the subject, "The Story of a Boy." Church school opens at 11:30. There is always a hearty welcome and good classes for all ages. Epworth League will begin at 5:45. From now until the close of Lent the subjects, discussions, and music will center in the history and spirit of Lent. The official board of the church will meet for a short session Monday night at 7:30. Junior choir meets in the church parlors at four o'clock Wednesday afternoon directed by Mrs. R. R. Robbins. Senior choir rehearsal occurs Thursday night at 7:30, under the leadership of Mrs. C. D. Haugh.

Mason First Presbyterian—Morning worship 10:00 a. m. Rev. H. F. Roberts, pastor, will preach the third in a series of Lenten sermons, his subject being: "Christ Comforts the Troubled." Organ numbers are: Pro-

lude "Andante" by Klander; Offertory "Soprano No. 23," by Spaulding; and Postlude "Proclamation" by Diggle. Mrs. N. B. Davis, organist. The choir will sing: "Come Unto Me" by Haydn. Ralph Adams will sing a solo, "Hear Us, Lord," by Schubert. Church school 11:30. Young People's meetings 5:30. John Davis will lead the senior Young People; Jack Mills will lead the Intermediate group. Topic: "Selecting Our Tools." The Missionary society will meet Friday afternoon, March 17, at 2:30, at the home of Mrs. K. A. Zimmerman. Mrs. Martha V. Reason will be the speaker. There will be a Church Night meeting in the basement of the church Thursday evening, March 8. The meeting will begin with a cooperative dinner at 6:30. Circle 4 will have charge of serving the dinner. Rolls and butter will be furnished. This meeting will be the opening of the Every Member Canvass. There will be a panel discussion about the church budget. After the discussion the congregation will be asked to adopt the budget. Rollin Dart will play a piano solo.

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lin. Cars will be at the church at noon. This mass will be true of the prayer service Thursday night. There will be a short session of new members, then all will go to Antrim to hear Budd Zimmer bring his message.

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 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. "Substance" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, March 12. "The Golden Text (Proverbs 9:9) is: 'Honour the Lord thy substance, and with the firstfruits of all thine increase.' Among the Bible citations in this passage (Deuteronomy 33:27): 'The eternal God is thy refuge, and underneath are the everlasting arms.' 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. 275): 'All substance, intelligence, wisdom, being, immortality, cause and effect belong to God. These are His attributes, the eternal manifestations of the infinite divine Principle, Love.'

North Aurelius Church—Rev. E. W. Martin, pastor. Church service 10:00 a. m. Sunday school 11 a. m., Hubert Bullen and Mrs. Robert Welch, superintendents. Young Peoples meeting 7:30. Floyd Hinko, leader. Cottage prayer meeting Tuesday 8 p. m. Young Peoples Bible study class Wednesday 8 p. m., Mrs. Robert Welch, teacher. All young people are cordially invited to attend the Sunday evening meetings. A special program is being planned for each meeting.

House United Brethren I. H. Osgood, pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Junior and senior classes at 7 p. m., followed by evangelistic service at 7:30 Sunday evening. Rev. F. H. Nagel's subject will be "A Good Confession." Week night services except Saturday, until March 19, at 7:45 p. m. "Come! for all things are now ready." Lk. 14:17.

Aurelius Center—Rev. D. L. Hunt, pastor. Baptism and the Lord's Supper will be observed at the church Sunday morning, at the hour of worship, 11:30 a. m. Candidates for baptism who have not already done so, will meet with the deacons at the home of Miss Sarah Jennings. Special evangelistic meetings will be conducted this week at the church, every night from Sunday through Friday, beginning at eight o'clock. The Rev. Hunt will deliver the messages and Budd Zimmer of Mason and Philadelphia will lead the music. A special choir will sing every night and other inspiring contributions of music will be given. On Thursday night Budd Zimmer will bring a message and a special feature of the closing service. Friday night will be the pastor's life story, told by himself.

Holt First M. E.—Rev. S. W. Large, pastor. 10:00 a. m. Morning worship service and junior church, Mrs. Geo. Beck and Mrs. Emil Williams, leaders. 11:45 Sunday school, Floyd Lott, superintendent. 6 p. m. Intermediate Epworth League. 7 p. m. Senior Epworth League.

Holt Presbyterian—Rev. F. E. Ogie, pastor. 10:30 a. m. Worship service and junior church. Sermon topic, "Jesus, Judge of Men." 12 o'clock, Sunday school, Stanley Parker, superintendent. 6 p. m. Intermediate Christian Endeavor. 7 p. m. Young Peoples Christian Endeavor. Subject, "Rural America—New Frontiers." Lyle Thorburn, leader. A congregational meeting following the morning service to adopt a budget for the year beginning April 1.

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.—Church school 10 a. m. Morning service 11 a. m., subject: "Spiritual Metallurgy." Epworth League 6:45 p. m. Wednesday 7:30 p. m. Mid-week devotional service.

Wheatfield M. E.—Morning service 9:30 a. m. "Spiritual Metallurgy" is the subject. Church school 10:30 a. m. Epworth League 7:00 p. m. Thursday 7:30 p. m. Mid-week devotional service.

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

**Fertilizer Mixtures Are Becoming Fewer**  
BUYING OF FERTILIZERS IS LESS CONFUSING.

Survey of the major fertilizer distribution outlets in Michigan by the Michigan State college brings to light the fact that farmers in the state used 132,702 tons of various plant foods in 1938.

Purpose of the survey is not to find the total, primarily, but to determine if a service project of the college is bearing fruit.

For several years there has been an attempt to whittle down the confusingly large number of mixtures or grades. Farmers and fertilizer manufacturers and dealers appear to be cooperating, for in 1938 the total number of mixtures of two or more plant food elements was 55. In 1937 this had been 64, in 1936 it was 79 and in the year previous it was 81.

Another of the service results to farmers has been the trend towards purchasing recommended fertilizers containing 20 per cent or more of plant food.

## HEALTH AND HYGIENE

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

Pediculosis  
Although "pediculosis" the louse, was thought a not unworthy subject for a poem by Robert Burns, all mention of the lowly creature is generally taboo in polite conversation. The physician, however, is occasionally compelled to discuss the matter with some afflicted patient to assuage the embarrassment resulting from disclosure of the diagnosis. In poultry management habits are not always blame for infestation; a bed in an unsanitary hotel, the hanging of a garment in a locker with an infected person may result in the migration of the louse to new fields.

Three varieties, differing in size, appearance and favored areas of infestation, have been described.

"Pediculus capitis," the smallest of the three, is found on the back of the head, to the hairs of which it attaches its tiny white eggs or "nits." Scratching may lead to excoriations and these to a matting of the hair. The glands from ear to ear and around the back of the neck may become enlarged. Recommended treatment: Thorough soaking of the hair for three successive nights with crude paraffin oil, followed by a nightcap, is a tried method of treatment when alternated with hot soap and water each day.

"Pediculus vestimentorum," a larger parasite, gets its name from its habit of clinging to the clothing covering the front of the chest, back of the shoulders and upper arms. This variety is the "cootie" of World War fame. A bath containing three or four ounces of washing soda and the baking of all clothing and underclothing in a disinfecting oven is effective. Soldiers are sometimes given tubes of "vermijell" consisting of 9 parts crude mineral oil, 5 parts soft soap and one part water, which is rubbed along the seams where the eggs are laid. Also suggested is the dusting once weekly with a powder composed of 96 parts of naphthalene, two parts cresote and two parts iodoform.

"Pediculus pubis," or the three-clawed crab-louse, is broader and shorter than the other two. It is found clinging to the short hairs about the mid-region of the body, under the arm-pits and even in the eyebrows. A piece of flannel soaked in paraffin oil and bound to the infested part for three successive nights will usually bring relief. A classic remedy is steersacre ointment, made from the crushed seeds of "Delphinium staphyragria."

## COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Mason, Mich., March 6, 1939. Council met and was called to order by Mayor Jewett. Present: Aldermen Clinton, Dunsmore, Fletcher, Howlett and Sanford. Absent: Alderman Thorburn.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

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

Dorr D. Granger	\$248.16
Wolverine Engineering Co.	250.00
Consumers Power Co.	32.01
M. E. Ewers & men	234.75
Floyd Otis	50.00
George Kellogg	50.00
Glen Stevens & men	120.00
Ralph Hall	50.00
Jarvis Engineering Co.	6.90
A. M. Betts	.55
Charles H. Fuller	11.75
Ingham Co. Road Com.	95.30
Capital City Wreck Co.	24.00
Farmers Elevator Co.	.50
Beach Mfg. Co.	10.52
Kenneth Anderson Co.	18.80
Tropical Paint & Oil Co.	4.50
Sinclair Refining Co.	2.60
A. G. Spenny & Sons	21.05
Bd. of Cemetery Trustees	110.96
L. H. Harrison	3.15
Standard Oil Co.	37.10
Ingham County News	63.00
A. F. Zickgraf	32.40
Thorburn Coal Co.	19.15
Mich. Brass & Electric Co.	8.36
Mich. Bell Telephone Co.	8.90
Mickelson-Baker Lbr. Co.	230.23
L. E. Sallsbury	15.73
Mickelson-Haugh Co.	13.45
Lansing Supply Co.	26.68
J. B. DeWitt	43.45
Mason Plumb. & Heat Co.	43.45
C. J. Perrin	175.95
D. C. Dart	5.00
C. E. Robinson	3.00
Hall-Slugh Co.	2.50

The report of the finance committee was adopted by the following vote: Yeas 5. Nays 0.

The report of Lucille Wilcox, city treasurer, for February 1939, was received and placed on file.

By Alderman Howlett—Resolved that the petition presented to the council signed by about 400 citizens requesting that plumbing inspection be returned to its former status was received and placed on file.

The above resolution was supported by Alderman Clinton and carried by vote, Yeas 5. Nays 0.

A committee was appointed by Mayor Jewett, consisting of C. A. Clinton, E. J. Fletcher and G. S. Thorburn to make a survey and get facts on electrical codes and inspections and make a report at some future meeting.

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On motion council adjourned until March 20, 1939, at 7:30 p. m. GEORGE KELLOGG, City Clerk.

A man-made lagoon at the Bay City state park here has proved unexpectedly to be excellent fishing grounds. Good catches of perch are being reported from the lagoon which was constructed by CCC crews. It covers about 10 acres and is about four feet deep. The perch evidently were introduced into it through the two channels, each 100 feet wide, which connect the lagoon with Saginaw bay.

## Name Poultry Experts For Federal Research

NEW BUILDINGS AT M. S. C. A. ARE ACCEPTED.

Naming of nine nationally known poultry scientists as an advisory committee to guide work of the new federal regional poultry research laboratory now being equipped on the campus of Michigan State college marked one of the big steps in the recent initial collaborators' conference at East Lansing.

Dr. J. Holmes Martin, director of the laboratory, will meet with this advisory committee as occasion arises between collaborators' conferences. The men include three pathologists, Dr. E. L. Jungher, Storrs, Conn., Dr. A. J. Durant, Columbia, Mo., and Dr. C. D. Lee, Ames, Iowa. Three geneticists on the committee are Dr. F. B. Hall, Ithaca, N. Y., Dr. F. A. Hay, Amherst, Mass., and Dr. R. C. Jann, Stillwater, Okla. In poultry management the men named are Dr. L. E. Card, Urbana, Ill., Prof. J. G. Halpin, Madison, Wis., and Prof. H. C. Knapp, State College, Pa.

Federal government officials accepted the five new buildings from the contractors on February 11, a few days before the collaborators met. The main laboratory building is now to be equipped as well as two brooder houses and two inoculation houses. Another contract just started will provide two laying houses and a feed grinding and storage building.

Plans are being made to begin the research. First problem to occupy the staff under Director Martin will be a study of fowl paralysis which annually takes a toll of millions of dollars from poultry flocks. A dedication of the research plant, designed to serve 25 midwest and northeastern states,

## Percheron Judges Are Selected From State

TWO COLLEGE MEN TO JUDGE BIG SHOWS.

Because of their outstanding work in judging draft horses, R. S. Hudson, head of the horse department, and Jack Carter, both of Michigan State college, East Lansing, were recently named two of twelve judges in a nationwide Percheron contest. They will also judge a special Percheron head study, feature of this year's competition.

This is the third contest conducted by the Percheron Horse Association of America, for the purpose of establishing a standard type Percheron horse, in which Professor Hudson has served as judge. Mr. Carter judged in one previous contest.

Two livestock breeders from Michigan will have entries in the contest, winners of the competition will be declared at the All-American best ten stallions and mares for 1938. Contesting animals are champions of state fairs and national livestock shows in the United States and Canada. Judges are chosen from leading fairs and shows from coast to coast.

Professor Hudson was alternate judge at the International last fall. Mr. Carter judged at Ohio state fair.

## EGGS NEXT TO MILK

If we had to do without milk, eggs would be the next most valuable single food. Not that eggs take the place of milk, or vice versa, but they are both very complete foods. Eggs are an important source of protein, fat, phosphorus, iron and vitamins A, B, D, G.

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## Dead or Alive

Farm Animals collected promptly. Sunday Service

Phone Collect to Mason 167-F2

LINN SINCLAIR STATION

or Jackson 2-7037

CENTRAL DEAD STOCK CO.

# Auction Sale!

HAVING RENTED MY FARM I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE PLACE ONE MILE SOUTH AND 2 1/2 MILES WEST OF WILLIAMSTON ON LINN ROAD OR 6 MILES NORTH OF MASON AND 5 MILES EAST ON LINN ROAD, ON

## Wednesday, March 15, 1939

COMMENCING AT 12:30 O'CLOCK, SHARP, THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

- |  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| <b>HORSES</b>  | Durham Cow, 4 years old, due June 14, milking | <b>HAY, GRAIN, ETC.</b>   |
| Grey Gelding, weight 1300                                |   | Quantity Seed Corn  |
| Black Mare, weight 1500                                  |   | Quantity Sorghum Seed   |
| Pair Bay Mares, weight 2500                              |   | Quantity Seed Barley  |
| Brown Gelding Colt, coming 4 years old, weight 1250      |   | Quantity Potatoes   |
|  | <b>HOGS</b>                                   | <b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>  |
|  | 4 Duroc Brood Sows, due to farrow in April    | Forks, Shovels, Hoes and other articles too numerous to mention |
|  | 7 Duroc Gilts, due to farrow in April         |   |
|  | 7 Feeder Shoats, weight 135 lbs.              |   |
|  | <b>CATTLE</b>                                 | <b>POULTRY</b>  |
| Holstein Cow, 6 years old, due March 23, springer        |   | 100 White Leghorn Hens laying                                   |
| Guernsey Cow, 5 years old, fresh                         |   | 4 Guineas   |
| Holstein Cow, 4 years old, due March 14, springer        |   | <b>IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS</b>                                     |
| Durham and Jersey Cow, 4 years old, due June 30, milking |   | Oliver Tractor Disc   |
| Guernsey Cow, 4 years old, due March 29, springer        |   | Black Hawk Corn Planter   |
| Durham and Holstein, 4 years old, due June 22, milking   |   | 2-horse Cultivator  |
| Holstein Cow, bred January 1, milking                    |   | Walking Plow  |
| Holstein Cow, 3 years old, due May 1, milking            |   | Ajax Cultivator   |
| Holstein Heifer, 2 years old, bred January 13, milking   |   | 2 Electric Brooders   |
| Guernsey and Jersey Cow, 4 years old, fresh              |   | Chicken Brooder   |
|  | <b>HOUSEHOLD GOODS</b>                        | 2 Saw Tables and Shafting                                       |
|  | Quantity Household Goods                      | Small Saw and Pulleys   |



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TERMS CASH. ALL GOODS TO BE SETTLED FOR DAY OF SALE BEFORE REMOVAL.

## JOHN C. WARNER, Proprietor

EARL DUNSMORE, Clerk

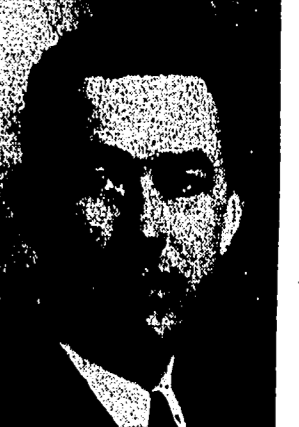
# Auction Sale!

TO SETTLE THE ESTATE OF FRED REASON, I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE PLACE 6 MILES EAST OF MASON ON BRICKYARD ROAD AND 1/2 MILE NORTH OR 3 MILES NORTHWEST OF DANSVILLE, ON

## Saturday, March 18, 1939

COMMENCING AT 12:30 O'CLOCK, SHARP, THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

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|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| <b>HORSES</b>                 | Cutter                         | <b>HAY, GRAIN, ETC.</b>   |
| Black Horse, weight 1600 lbs. | 180-Egg Incubator              | Two Stacks Alfalfa Hay  |
| Bay Horse, weight 1500 lbs.   | Barrel Churn                   | A Quantity of Potatoes  |
|                               | Double Harness                 | <b>MISCELLANEOUS</b>  |
|                               | Single Harness                 | Rip Saw, Two Hand Saws, 16-in. Monkey Wrench, Brace and 9 Bits, Trip Pump, Scoop Shovel, Horse Blanket, and many other articles too numerous to mention |
|                               | Light Double Harness           |   |
|                               | 2-Horse Cultivator             |   |
|                               | 1-Horse Cultivator             |   |
|                               | Hog Rack                       |   |
|                               | Two Sets 3-horse Whiffletrees  |   |
|                               | Two Sets 2-horse Whiffletrees  |   |
|                               | Two Neck Yokes                 |   |
|                               | Grind Stone                    |   |
|                               | Two Log Chains                 |   |
|                               | 12-foot Ladder                 |   |
|                               | 28-foot Extension Ladder       |   |
|                               | Cable and Car for stacking hay |   |
|                               | Beet Fork                      |   |
|                               | Set Tire Chains, 5.00x20       |   |
|                               | Blacksmith Post Drill          |   |
|                               | Blacksmith Vise and Anvil      |   |
|                               | Two Hand Corn Planters         |   |
|                               | Hard Coal Base Burner          |   |
|                               | Five Gallon Gasoline Can       |   |
|                               | Gasoline Lantern               |   |
|                               | Coleman Gasoline Range         |   |
|                               | Washing Machine                |   |
|                               | Single Barrel Shot Gun         |   |
|                               | Wagon Jack                     |   |
|                               | Horsehide Robe                 |   |
|                               | Cobbler Set                    |   |
|                               | <b>POULTRY</b>                 |   |
|                               | 90 White Leghorn Hens          |   |
|                               | <b>IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS</b>    |   |
|                               | 22-ft. Ladder                  |   |
|                               | Double Harness                 |   |
|                               | Fairbanks Platform Scales      |   |
|                               | Hay Rope, Hay Fork             |   |
|                               | <b>HAY, GRAIN, ETC.</b>        |   |
|                               | 5 Tons Alfalfa Hay             |   |
|                               | 70 Bushel Oats, 30 Shocks Corn |   |



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## FERRIS REASON, Special Adm'r.

EARL DUNSMORE, Clerk

# AUCTION SALE!

I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE PLACE 1/2 MILE EAST AND 1 1/2 MILES NORTH OF STOCKBRIDGE, ON

## Tuesday, March 14, 1939

COMMENCING AT 12:30 O'CLOCK, SHARP, THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

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| <b>HORSES</b>                              | Holstein Heifer, springer                |
| Bay Mare, weight 1200 pounds, smooth mouth | Guernsey Cow, 3 years old, fresh         |
| Bay Horse, three years old, wt. 1200       | Guernsey Cow, 4 years old, fresh         |
| Black Colt, two years old, mare            | Jersey Cow, 4 years old, fresh           |
| Sorrel Colt, two years old                 | Jersey Cow, 5 years old, fresh           |
|  | Jersey Cow, 3 years old, fresh           |
|  | Black Cow, 6 years old, fresh            |
|  | Black Cow, 5 years old, bred in December |
| <b>CATTLE</b>                              | Holstein-Jersey Heifer, fresh            |
| All T. B. and Bangs Tested                 | Brindle Cow, 5 years old, fresh          |
| Holstein Cow, 6 years old, fresh           | Holstein Bull, 10 months old             |
| Holstein Cow, 4 years old, fresh           | <b>IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS</b>              |
| Holstein Cow, 3 years old, fresh           | McCormick-Deering Manure Spreader        |
| Holstein Cow, 4 years old, fresh           | <b>HAY, GRAIN, ETC.</b>                  |
| Holstein Cow, 6 years old, fresh           | 600 Bushels Corn                         |
| Holstein Cow, 8 years old, fresh           | 20 Tons Clover Hay                       |
| Holstein Cow, 7 years old, springer        | <b>HOUSEHOLD GOODS</b>                   |
| Holstein Cow, 6 years old, springer        | Range Cook Stove                         |
| Holstein Cow, 7 years old, springer        |  |

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ORD PRICE, Auctioneer

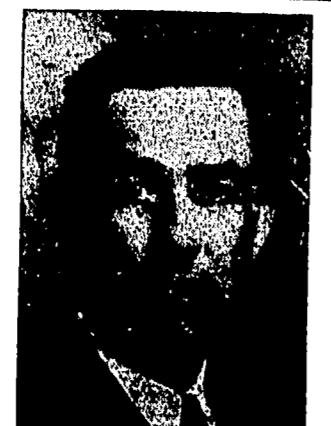
# AUCTION SALE!

TO SETTLE THE ESTATE OF ABIGAIL STONE, I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION AT THE PLACE FOUR MILES SOUTH OF AURELIUS CENTER AND 1/4 MILE EAST, OR TWO MILES EAST AND 1/2 MILE NORTH OF ONONDAGA, OR 12 MILES SOUTHWEST OF MASON, ON

## Tuesday, March 14, 1939

COMMENCING AT 12:30 O'CLOCK, SHARP, THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY:

- |                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| <b>HORSES</b>                       | 30 Bushels Wheat, Straw Stack                       |
| Dark Mare, 6 years old, weight 1400 | 12 Bushels Soy Beans                                |
| 3 two-year-old Mules                | <b>HOUSEHOLD GOODS</b>                              |
|                                     | Complete Household Furniture from a five-room house |
| <b>CATTLE</b>                       |   |
| Jersey Cow, 7 years old, milking    |   |
| Jersey Cow, 4 years old, milking    |   |
| Jersey Cow, 4 years old, milking    |   |
| Jersey Cow, 2 years old, milking    |   |
| Jersey Heifer, one year old         |   |
| 2 Heifer Calves                     |   |
| <b>POULTRY</b>                      |   |
| 90 White Leghorn Hens               |   |
| <b>IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS</b>         |   |
| 22-ft. Ladder                       |   |
| Double Harness                      |   |
| Fairbanks Platform Scales           |   |
| Hay Rope, Hay Fork                  |   |
| <b>HAY, GRAIN, ETC.</b>             |   |
| 5 Tons Alfalfa Hay                  |   |
| 70 Bushel Oats, 30 Shocks Corn      |   |



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# Ingham County Legal News

A SUMMARY OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IN INGHAM COUNTY

## ROSTER OF COUNTY OFFICERS

### CIRCUIT COURT

Thirteenth Judicial Court  
 Terms: January, 2nd Monday in January at Mason; March, 2nd Monday in March at Lansing; May, 2nd Monday in May at Mason; September, 2nd Monday in September at Lansing.  
 Judges: Hon. Leland W. Carr and Hon. Charles H. Hayden.  
 Prosecuting Attorney: Richard B. Foster; Assistants, Paul C. Younger and Theodore D. Foster, office 708 American State Savings bank building, Lansing.  
 Sheriff: Allan A. MacDonald, Mason.  
 Probation Officer and Friend of the Court, Laird Troyer, Lansing.  
 Circuit Court Commissioners: Clay Campbell, and C. LaVerne Roberts, Lansing.

### PROBATE COURT

Judge: John McClellan, Mason.  
 Probate Register: David Beatty, Mason.  
 Juvenile Probation Officer: Mrs. Betty Lawton, Mason.  
 Supervisor of Mother's Pensions: Mrs. Juanita Preuss, Lansing.

### OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS

Clerk: C. Ross Hilliard, Mason.  
 Lansing Chief Deputy: Flora G. Dewey, Lansing.  
 Treasurer: Clarence W. Lock, Mason.  
 Register of Deeds: Ethel L. Phillips, Mason.  
 Drain Commissioner: George Graham, Mason.  
 School Commissioner: Fred E. Searl, Mason.  
 Director of Health: Dr. C. D. Barrett, Mason.  
 County Surveyor: LaVerne Hendryx, Lansing.  
 Road Commissioner: A. H. Phillips, chairman, Lansing, L. T. Laseby, Mason, A. J. Earl, Lansing.  
 County Highway Engineer: Jack Rakowsky, Mason.  
 Dog Warden: Ben Voight, Holt.  
 County Relief Commissioner: A. B. Bail, Mason; Thomas Toy, Lansing; Roy B. Moore, Lansing.  
 Soldiers and Sailors Relief Commission: E. Ray Potter, Mason; James A. Hamilton, Lansing; Jerry J. Allen, Lansing.  
 Superintendents of Poor: S. S. Main, Lansing; C. C. Foster, Haslett; William S. Rhodes, Mason.  
 State Conservation Officer: Clarence Wheeler, Mason. Residence 705 South Lansing Street.  
 Agricultural Agent: H. H. Barnum, Mason.

## MORTGAGE SALE SUMMARY

Listed below are dates, places of sale, condensed descriptions of property, approximate amounts of mortgages, and the attorneys in foreclosures occurring within the next thirty days. While great care has been taken in the compiling of this summary, the publishers of the Ingham County News do not guarantee its accuracy and will accept no responsibility therefor. This summary is compiled and published for the protection and convenience of both mortgagors and mortgagees and other interested parties.

March 17, at Mason, Edwards vs. Byrum. E 40 acres of SW 1/4 of Sec. 22, T1N, R2W, Ontonagon Township, \$731.93. Frank M. Fogg, Atty.

March 18, at Lansing, American Annuity Savings vs. Townsend. The E 1/2 of lot 10 and the W 40% feet of lot 11 of Person's Subd. of lots 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5 of Blk. 214 of the City of Lansing, \$1384.10. Fred L. Warner, Atty.

## Probate Hearings

Wednesday, March 15, 1939  
 Estate of Mary R. Hill, deceased. Hearing on claims.  
 Estate of Rufus A. Lane, deceased. Hearing on claims.  
 Estate of F. D. Clark, deceased. Hearing on claims.  
 Estate of Hugh F. Giroux, deceased. Hearing on appointment of administrator.  
 Estate of George B. Vanatta, deceased. Hearing on appointment of administrator.  
 Estate of Fred W. Sandick, deceased. Hearing on appointment of administrator.  
 Estate of Gottlieb Leyrer, deceased. Hearing on account.  
 Estate of George L. Clark, deceased. Hearing on account.  
 Estate of Benford D. Dine, deceased. Hearing on account.  
 Estate of Bridget Hayes, deceased. Hearing on account.  
 Estate of Arrabelle Thorburn, deceased. Hearing on account.  
 Estate of Bertha Bravender, deceased. Hearing on account and petition.  
 Estate of William Waits, deceased. Hearing on appointment of administrator.  
 Estate of Ernest Chatfield, deceased. Hearing on license to sell real estate.

## New Cases Begun In Circuit Court

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

Joseph W. Gleason, Receiver Capital National Bank, vs. H. B. Weinburg and B. J. Weinburg. Trespass on the case upon promises. Shields, Ballard, Jennings & Taber, Attorneys.

Joseph W. Gleason, Receiver Capital National Bank vs. Louis Lyte and Ruth L. Lyte. Trespass on the case upon promises. Shields, Ballard, Jennings & Taber, Attorneys.

Floyd Kent vs. Ernest F. Elliott. Trespass on the case upon promises. Plaintiff's attorneys, Kelley, Sessions, Warner & Eger; defendant's attorneys, Cummins & Cummins.

Jackson Brewing Corp., a Michigan corporation, vs. Lansing Beverage Corp., a Michigan corporation. Assumpsit. Seymour H. Person, attorney.

## Proceedings Of Circuit Court

Taken from Journal Entries of the Circuit Court

February 25  
 Lillian McLaughlin vs. Clarence E. Widick. Order extending time.  
 Tivoli Brewing Co. vs. Nehl Beverages, Inc. Summary judgment \$342.44. Costs to be taxed.

February 27  
 James Moore vs. The Reinhardt. Order to issue subpoena.  
 Nancy Sinifalippo vs. Chester Rux. Verdict for defendant.  
 American Employers Ins. vs. H. G. Christian & Bros. Verdict for plaintiff.

## Divorce Decrees Granted

MARJORIE PARISH vs. GEORGE J. PARISH.  
 DOROTHY M. WEIKEL vs. KENNETH PERLY WEIKEL.  
 ARTHUR JARRED, JR. vs. DOROTHY H. JARRED.  
 Thelma Louise Davis vs. Paul Eugene Davis.

## Registration Notices

Canadian investigations indicate crows may destroy more than 30 per cent of the eggs in nests on important breeding marshes.

**NOTICE OF REGISTRATION**  
 Township of Alatalede  
 Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of reviewing the Registration Lists of said township and for the purpose of registering such qualified electors as shall appear and properly apply therefor, I will be at my residence, section 22, on Tuesday, March 14, 1939. The hours during which review may be had and during which registrations will be received are between eight o'clock in the forenoon and eight o'clock in the evening of said day or days.

**NOTICE OF REGISTRATION**  
 Township of Onondaga  
 Notice is hereby given that for the purpose of reviewing the Registration Lists of said township and for the purpose of registering such qualified electors as shall appear and properly apply therefor, I will be at my residence, section 21, on Tuesday, March 14, 1939. The hours during which review may be had and during which registrations will be received are between eight o'clock in the forenoon and eight o'clock in the evening of said day or days.

**NOTICE OF REGISTRATION**  
 Township of Whetfield  
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**NOTICE OF REGISTRATION**  
 Township of White Oak  
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DIED IN OHIOSEA  
Mrs. Alice Bennett Chapin, 84, died in Chelsea Saturday. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in Ypsilanti, with burial in the family plot in Munson. Three sons, Morris B. of Flint, Howard of Ypsilanti, and Wells of St. Louis, Missouri, survive.

Funeral services for Mrs. Huldah Blaisdell, 63, were held from the Behrens' funeral home Wednesday. Burial was in Woodlawn here. Mrs. Blaisdell died at her home Sunday morning, following a long period of poor health. Beside the husband, William, she is survived by one sister, Mrs. Floyd Perry of Bunker Hill; three brothers, Reuben Herguth, Henrietta, Joe Herguth of Leslie and Fred Herguth of Jackson.

LESLIE  
By Mrs. Ernest Sherman

Service Committees Named  
In cooperation with the Ingham county health department and Michigan training center, Mrs. Lona M. Schermann, supervisor of nurses, and Miss Sue DeVries, public health nurse, called a recent meeting in Leslie, for the purpose of appointing a local health service committee. Mrs. Harland Campbell is chairman, with Mrs. Roscoe Edwards and Mrs. Russell Hammond, assistants. Mrs. Bert Hoffman was appointed general chairman of service committees for nearby rural districts. Chairmen for the districts are: Weeks, Mrs. William Straub; Morse, Mrs. Bert Hoffman; Sanders, Mrs. Paul Marshall; Leslie No. Four, Mrs. Heloise Kannawin; Scott, Mrs. George Higdon. Service committee members were asked to cooperate with the health department to further its work.

Clarence P. Grimm Dies

Clarence P. Grimm, 68, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Fred Boucher, Jackson, early Saturday morning following a long illness. He was born in Indiana and spent most of his life on a farm in Hamilton township, Eaton county. Three years ago he moved to Leslie, where he has since resided. Surviving are the wife, Lols; two daughters, Mrs. Boucher and Mrs. Ray Melcher; one son of Jackson; one sister, Mrs. Clark Stoddard, of Eaton Rapids; two brothers, Ernest Grimm of Leslie and Everett Grimm of Binghamton, New York; and several nieces and nephews. Private funeral services were held at the Behrens' funeral home in Leslie Tuesday. The Rev. Edward J. Cross officiated. Burial was in Rose Hill cemetery in Eaton Rapids.

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Mrs. Jennie M. Wilcox Dies

Mrs. Jennie M. Wilcox, 72, widow of the late Henry Wilcox, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. T. Blackmore, Monday night after an illness of only a few days. Beside the daughter, Bessie, at whose home she died, she is survived by two other daughters, Mrs. Belle Warfield of Marshall and Mrs. Ruth O'Brien of Alpena; one son, Vore Wilcox, of Jackson; one sister, Mrs. Gertrude Twamley, of Detroit; a brother, Howard M. Freeman, of Leslie; two grandsons and three granddaughters. Mrs. Wilcox, prominent here, was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Doris Freeman and was born in Rives township. She had spent her entire life in the vicinity of Rives and Leslie. She was a member of the Baptist church and its societies, of the Order of the Eastern Star and the E. O. T. C. club. Funeral arrangements were not yet completed Tuesday afternoon.

Lee Osborne attended funeral services for Mrs. Clarence Sprague at Eaton Rapids Sunday.

On Friday of this week the Patient Workers class of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Wayne Harmon. The local FFA will hold their annual barn dance and jamboree with invited guests Friday in the gymnasium of the school.

Mrs. Ruth Brown of Eden was hostess to members of the Kackie club Tuesday evening. The next meeting will be a roller skating party with a basket lunch to be held at Eaton Rapids March 28.

The body of Mrs. Mattie Featherly of Williamston, a former Leslie resident for many years, was brought here this week for burial. Mrs. Featherly leaves two sons, Clyde Noble of Boston and Ray Noble of Williamston.

About 100 attended the monthly meeting of the Leslie Citizens' club held Monday evening at which time wives of members were guests. Charles Barnes of Mt. Pleasant was guest speaker. Professor Barnes, dean of men of Mt. Pleasant and a former Leslie resident, spoke on the liquor and crime question. The high school orchestra played and Dr. R. H. Nichols also gave a short talk. The committees for the April meeting are: Entertainment, A. C. Lake, Russell Shaw and Floyd Taylor; dinner, William Cowles, Richard Stewart and R. O. Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kellstrum and son, Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kellstrum of Detroit were Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Osborne.

Legal Notice

FINAL ACCT. STATE OF MICHIGAN, 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 6th day of March A. D. 1939. Present, HON. JOHN McCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of MINNIE P. STYD, Deceased. C. L. Bickert having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof, and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate. It is Ordered, That the 6th day of April, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition. It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Ingham County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. JOHN McCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. A true copy. RUTH BARR, Deputy Register of Probate. 10w3

ANNUAL ACCT. STATE OF MICHIGAN, PROBATE COURT for the County of Ingham. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said County, on the 28th day of February, A. D. 1939. Present, HON. JOHN McCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of HOWARD CARRN, Mentally Incompetent. J. C. Coraunt having filed in said court his annual account as guardian and his petition praying for the allowance thereof, also for a reduction in the amount of guardianship bond. It is Ordered, That the 6th day of April, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition. It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Ingham County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county. JOHN McCLELLAN, Judge of Probate. A true copy. DAVEN G. BRATT, Deputy Register of Probate. 10w3

COMMITTEES ORGANIZED UNDER HEALTH PROGRAM

MEETING TO BE HELD TO EXPLAIN DUTIES.

Women Picked From Each Community To Further Work of Ingham County Health Unit.

Service committees are being organized throughout Ingham county to aid the personnel of the Ingham county health department. Sixteen townships and eight cities and villages are each to be represented by a committee composed of three or more women. Dr. C. D. Barrett, county health director, said, "The committees will be enlarged as needed and as the work program grows. Their general purpose is to inform the public of the program of the county health department and to assist nurses and sanitarians in details concerning local health projects."

The first annual general meeting of the chairmen of the committees will be held in Mason March 23. At this meeting committee chairmen will learn more of the county health program and its organization, and of the purpose of the committees. Women on each local committee have been chosen to best represent their community and to aid the health department.

Committees so far organized are as follows: South Lansing township, Mrs. W. Freeman, chairman, Mrs. Charles Dietrick, Mrs. Earl Weaver, Mrs. Alice Risk, Mrs. Walter A. Goodrich, Mrs. J. M. MacAllen, Mrs. Robert Hicks, Mrs. Richard Berry, Mrs. Curtis C. Miller, Mrs. Charles Cliff, Mrs. Kenneth Parker, Mrs. Neelye Russell; Byron, chairman, Mrs. Glenn Walwright, Mrs. Mahlon Belswinger, Mrs. James McIntee, Mrs. Roy Reed, Mrs. Maude Heency, and Mrs. William Wilson; Wheatfield township, Mrs. Floyd Collar, chairman, Mrs. Floyd Fisher, Mrs. Gaylord Fisher, Mrs. Wayne Runciman, Mrs. J. Kyle Gregg, Mrs. George Frost and Mrs. Theodore Simons; Mason, Mrs. Kenneth Zimmerman, chairman, Mrs. Harold Henderson, Mrs. Herbert Howe, Mrs. Charles Clinton, Mrs. Lloyd Doane and Mrs. Harry Willett; Vevay township, Mrs. Gerald Diamond, chairman, Mrs. Dale C. Allison, Mrs. Lyman Freshour, Mrs. Russell Crowl, Mrs. Paul Redman, Mrs. Leon Crowl, Mrs. Howard Coy and Mrs. John Barnes; Delhi township, Mrs. Ira Wilson, chairman, Mrs. Henry Selgrist, Mrs. Dorothy Barrett, Mrs. Marie Beal and Mrs. Ollie Bullen;

Holt, Mrs. Josephine Parker, chairman, Mrs. Mary Clever, Mrs. Minnie Sheldon, Mrs. Sheldford, Mrs. Nuoffer and Mrs. Wojdofsky; Stockbridge township, Mrs. Warner Bickert, chairman, Mrs. Herman Dorer, Mrs. Alva Cronkhitte, Mrs. Walter Bauer, Mrs. Byrl Smith; Stockbridge village, Mrs. Hugh Milner, chairman, Mrs. Guy Culver, Mrs. Thomas Howard and Mrs. Lillie Cook; Leroy township, Mrs. Marc Traver, chairman, Mrs. William S. Turner, Mrs. Hugh Oesterle, Mrs. Arthur Fox, Mrs. Merton Rice and Mrs. Melvin Oesterle; and Webberville village, Mrs. M. P. Douglas and Mrs. William Crossley.

AT PHOTOGRAPHERS MEET  
Miss Florence Lathrop of the Lathrop Studio attended a meeting of the newly-formed Photographers association of Michigan at the Hotel Olds in Lansing Friday.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

Lambs are gamboling, sugar bushes are being tapped and G. H. Herrington picked a dandelion last Thursday. These are true signs of spring even though there are a few patches of snow along fence rows and on the north sides of burns.

Last Friday was fair and warm. Saturday was warm and overcast. On Sunday there came rain, sleet and snow. Roads became slippery. Monday was cold with a few more flakes of snow. Tuesday and Wednesday were bright and cold. Rain and snow returned Wednesday night and on Thursday there was a cold mist. Spring is still around the corner.

E. D. Sanford is again up in the front rank with his flock of sheep. He has 70 lambs. Among them are 20 sets of twins and one set of quadruplets.

FORMER RESIDENT DIED  
Mrs. Myrtle Hilliard died in Lansing Sunday after being ill for several weeks with pneumonia. Services were held in Lansing Wednesday afternoon with burial in the North cemetery. Mrs. Hilliard formerly lived in Mason, near the S. M. A. plant. Her husband, Frank Hilliard, preceded her in death. They moved from Mason about 16 years ago. Mr. Hilliard was a cousin of C. Ross Hilliard, county clerk.

CLUB TO MEET

The Okemos Home Furnishings class under direction of the extension department of Michigan State college will meet with Mrs. J. M. MacAllen, South Harrison Road on Tuesday, March 14, for an all-day meeting, beginning at 10 o'clock. The subject of the lesson is "The Background of a Room" and is to be presented by the leaders, Mrs. MacAllen and Mrs. V. A. Freeman. Members are asked to bring guests as there will be special features of general interest. A cooperative lunch will be served at noon.

EVANGELISTIC MEETINGS

The Rev. D. L. Huntwork, pastor of the Mason and Baptist and Aurelius Center Baptist churches, will conduct evangelistic meetings at the Aurelius Center church from Sunday through Friday of next week. He will be assisted by Budd Zimmer, former Mason boy who is now studying for the ministry. Mr. Zimmer will be home on vacation from the Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary in Philadelphia.

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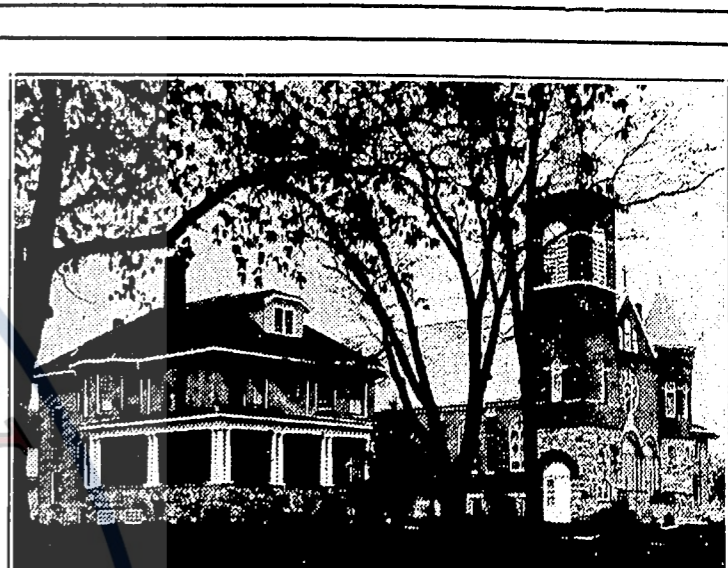
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Avondale Medium Red Salmon Tall can 17c  
A Repeat Sale - Wesco Crisp Soda CRACKERS 2 lb. box 13c  
Fig Bars, Ginger Snaps, Dutch or Windmill COOKIES 3 lbs. bulk 25c  
Country Club Tender Cut Wax Beans No. 2 9 1/2c  
Wesco Starting and Growing Mash 100-lb. sack \$1.90  
For Sturdy Chicks - Wesco Chick Grains 100-lb. sack \$1.79  
Deliciously Light and Tender Loaf Cake ANGEL FOOD Special 25c  
KROGER'S FRESHER CLOCK BREAD Was 10c NOW 7 1/2c Same High Quality Large 1 1/2-lb. Loaf 7 1/2c  
Yearling Shoulder LAMB ROAST lb. 12 1/2c  
Lamb Chops Rib Cuts lb. 17c Lamb Stew lb. 7c  
Yearling Leg O' Lamb lb. 17c Controlled Quality Beef Roast lb. 19c to 24c  
Fresh Caught Smelt 2 lb. 25c Free-Shore - Solid Pack Oysters pint 21c  
EXTRA SPECIAL - Rich and Creamy COTTAGE CHEESE lb. 8c  
Fresh Snow White Heads Cauliflower head 15c Fresh Curly Spinach lb. 5c  
New Crop - Florida Valencia Oranges 10 lbs. 35c Fresh Florida Celery 3 stalks 10c  
National Citrus Sale - 98 Size GRAPEFRUIT 12 for 35c  
Reduce Colds - Build Up Resistance!  
1c SALE FIRM, CRISP, HEAD LETTUCE ea. 1c WITH PURCHASE OF Country Club Salad Dressing 35c qt. jar OR Embassy Rich Salad Dressing 29c qt. jar  
KROGER'S VITAMIN CAPSULES 50c FOR 30 DAYS SUPPLY  
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