

If you seek a delightful peninsula, look about you.
—Motto of Michigan.

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Wine has drowned more than the sea.

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INGHAM COUNTY FAIR OPENS TUESDAY

BUSINESS MEN OBJECT TO PHONE RATE CHANGE

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION HOLDS HEARING.

At the hearing before the public service commission in Lansing Friday morning, business men protested the proposed change of the Michigan Bell Telephone company and the Aurelius and Vevay Telephone company to change the policy of the companies so as to charge toll. At present, and ever since telephone communication became general, Aurelius and Mason subscribers have had free exchange between the two lines.

In the petition the two companies asked that the present arrangement between the two companies be abandoned and the toll charges of 10c for station-to-station calls and 20c for person-to-person calls be instituted.

The hearing was held before all five members of the commission who questioned witnesses for both sides. A decision is expected about September 1, the commission secretary stated.

Engineer Testifies

C. A. McDonald, rate engineer for the Michigan Bell, was the first and only witness for the companies. The members of the commission believed that the petition was not to be contested until they were informed otherwise by E. A. McDonald, Mason city attorney, and Raymond McLean, Mason attorney representing the Mason Kiwanis club. Dr. Jay C. Corsant, president of the Mason Kiwanis club, and Nelson Brown of the Ingham County News testified for Mason business men who are opposed to the increase in rates.

Mr. McDonald said that the policy which has been followed by the two telephone companies is unique and is not standard practice. He said that the present policy was first instituted between the Citizens Telephone company and the Aurelius and Vevay Telephone company and that the Michigan Bell inherited the program when it purchased the Citizens Telephone company in 1923.

The engineer testified that a study of calls made over the circuit over a seven-day period showed that on an average 27 messages a day originated at Mason and 24 messages a day terminated there, making a total of 51 messages a day between the subscribers of the Aurelius and Vevay line. He also declared that 22 of the 27 Mason messages originated from 27 Mason subscribers which constitute only three per cent of total Mason subscribers. That 33 per cent of the Mason messages were from business telephones and 67 per cent from residence telephones. A study of messages originating at Aurelius indicated that 24 customers a day use the "free" toll service, and that the 24 customers account for 37 per cent of the Aurelius subscribers.

Mr. McDonald claimed that of the estimated new revenue which would be developed by abandoning the "free" toll service, the Aurelius company would receive \$425 and the Michigan Bell \$200 annually. He also declared that better service would be provided.

The tenor of the testimony placed into the record by the Michigan Bell was that Aurelius is a separate community and that the exchange should be considered as the Holt, Dansville, Leslie or Dimondale exchanges.

Protest Plan

Dr. Corsant and Mr. Brown followed the telephone company engineer to the stand and under the examination of Mr. Denmore and Mr. McLean testified that Mason business men and subscribers are opposed to the change in rate structure, that the present service is satisfactory, that imposition of the toll rates will constitute a burden and that residents of the territory between Mason and Aurelius Center should not have to pay more for telephonic communication than do residents between Mason and Eden or Mason and Alaledon Center.

The two Mason men said that they believed the subscribers of both lines are entitled to the so-called free toll service as furnished at present.

Stepfather Is Held On Serious Charge

STOCKBRIDGE ONION WORKER DENIES GUILT.

Clyde Sutton, 41, Kentuckian employed in the Stockbridge onion fields, is in the county jail awaiting examination on a serious charge brought by his 11-year-old stepdaughter.

Sutton was arrested on a disorderly charge Sunday night by Deputy Lou Boyce of Stockbridge. On Monday morning an investigation led officers to believe that a more serious crime had been committed. The prosecutor was consulted and a warrant on the disorderly charge was new warrant was served on Sutton charging a serious crime against the girl. Before Justice William S. Seelye Monday afternoon Sutton pleaded not guilty and demanded an examination. The examination is to be held Thursday afternoon, August 24, at 1:30.

SHERIFF RECOVERS CAR

ROY ADAMS PARKED HIS CAR BEHIND THE JAIL LAST FRIDAY. WHEN HE RETURNED TO THE PARKING PLACE THE CAR WAS NOT THERE SO HE WENT TO THE SHERIFF'S OFFICE TO REPORT IT AS STOLEN. DEPUTIES AT ONCE AIDED IN THE SEARCH AND HAD THE STATE POLICE CHARGE BROUGHT IN FALL ON THE DISORDERLY CHARGE A NEW WARRANT WAS SERVED ON SUTTON CHARGING A SERIOUS CRIME AGAINST THE GIRL. BEFORE JUSTICE WILLIAM S. SEELYE MONDAY AFTERNOON SUTTON PLEADED NOT GUILTY AND DEMANDED AN EXAMINATION. THE EXAMINATION IS TO BE HELD THURSDAY AFTERNOON, AUGUST 24, AT 1:30.

Eden Pastor Who Served With Marines To Show Pictures Of War-Torn China

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Friday night, August 18, the Eden Methodist church is sponsoring an evening of entertainment and education. The principal event of the evening is to be the showing of moving pictures of the present Sino-Japanese war taken by the pastor, the Rev. George J. Cameron, who has just recently returned from the Far East. The Rev. Cameron served with the United States Marine Corps for a period of five years, the last three of which he was stationed at Shanghai, China, where he had an excellent opportunity not only to witness the hostilities but to take part in them. He served with the American forces protecting the International settlement. The pictures to be shown are of the bombings, the ruin and destruction and the terrible plight of the Chinese refugees. In addition to the moving pictures, one room of the church is to be used to exhibit over 500 photos

S. M. A. Power Plant Using Michigan Fuel

EXPECT TO START OPERATIONS NEXT WEEK.

Michigan instead of West Virginia, Kentucky or Tennessee will furnish the fuel for the new S. M. A. power plant which will begin operation next week. Heretofore the S. M. A. plant has used coal. The new power plant is equipped with oil burners, and the fuel oil will be purchased from Michigan producers.

Work has been rushed on the power plant. The power house was begun late in the spring. One of the tallest chimneys in Michigan was erected.

The S. M. A. power plant is not designed to carry the entire load needed for operations. Probably about one-third of the electric energy needed for operations of the S. M. A. and John Wyeth & Bro. plants will be generated in the power unit. The balance will be purchased from the Consumers Power company.

COMMISSIONER NAMES COUNTY NORMAL CLASS

TWENTY HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES ARE CHOSEN.

School Commissioner Fred E. Seel said Wednesday the names of 20 high school graduates who have been chosen to make up the 1940 Ingham county normal class. Three alternates were also chosen and will have the opportunity to enroll in the class should some of the 20 change their minds about entering.

Four of the 20 are Oosterles, a family which has furnished a number of capable school teachers in the past few years. Two of the Oosterles are from the Mason branch of the family and two are from the Webberville branch.

The 20 young men and women chosen for the county normal are: Lulu Aseltine, Lansing; Dorothy Blakeley, Leslie; Ellen Bohnet, Danville; Roy Grady, F. Smith and Madelyn and Grayson Oosterle, Webberville; Agnes Campbell, Betty Nisse, Norma Hitchcock and Norma Ione Merindorf, Wilkerson; Vesta Eckhart, Rachel Johnson, Irene J. and Howard Oosterle and Ilo Lambert, Mason; Harvey J. Owen and Isla Townsend, Dansville.

The three alternates are Constance Crowl, Mason; Richard Turbin, Lansing; and Melvin Gerhardtstein, Webberville.

Mr. Seel chose the students on the basis of recommendations of high school superintendents.

Miss Marion Blount is principal of the county normal with Mrs. Bernice Dondineau the critic teacher under whom the normal students do their practice teaching. Mr. Seel also practices several classes on school administration and school law.

The county and the Mason board of education co-operate in maintaining the county normal. State financial aid is also provided. Mr. Seel is a staunch supporter of the county normal system and led the movement before the state legislature to have county normals retained after the M. E. A. and state normal interests had been successfully eliminated. The Ingham rural school system largely taught by Ingham county normal graduates, is regarded as one of the best school systems in the state.

Drunk Driver Caused Crash On Trunkline

HARRY PECK AND DAUGHTER ALE ACCIDENT VICTIMS.

Harry T. Peck and his daughter, Miss Frances Peck, both of Mason were painfully injured Saturday afternoon on US 27, four miles north of Lansing, when their car was struck and wrecked by a car driven by Thomas H. Ellis, 62, of the same town. The car was out of control when it struck the Peck car, which was traveling on the trunkline. The Peck car was badly damaged and the Peck family was taken to the hospital. The driver of the other car, Mr. Ellis, was not injured.

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Sewage Plant Ready For Operation Soon

EQUIPMENT INSTALLED READY FOR OPERATING.

City officials believe that secondary treatment of Mason sewage can be started next week. The additional buildings and equipment constructed and installed by Dorr B. Granger of Lansing under a P. W. A. contract have been completed except for the greenhouse sludge-drying bed. Mason painters are completing the work this week and glaziers are laying the glass. However, the greenhouse is not delaying operation of the plant.

Government inspectors and engineers representing companies from which some of the equipment was purchased are expected to be in Mason this week and next to make their final checkups. If the equipment passes inspection, operation of the secondary treatment plant can be started at a primary treatment plant since 1925. Under the P. W. A. contract the secondary treatment plant must be completed before September 1.

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New Service Station To Open Friday



station replaces Mason's first exclusive gasoline station on the same site by the Standard Oil company about 1921. Doyle Burgess operates the station on a lease from the Standard Oil company. He has been with the company for nine years. Floyd Medcott is his assistant.

Harry Freeman is the Standard Oil agent for the Mason territory. He stated that the construction of the new station is in line with the company policy of modernization. The bulk station operated by Mr. Freeman has also been rebuilt within the past year.

At the formal opening of the new service station, many souvenirs are to be given to every customer, Mr. Burgess announced.

INGHAM RANKS HIGH IN PAYING RELIEF COSTS

ONE OF THREE COUNTIES PAYING MOST.

Only Wayne and Monroe counties bear a greater proportionate share of relief costs than does Ingham. That was the statement made Tuesday by Norman W. Kunkel, administrator for the Ingham county relief commission.

Mr. Kunkel submitted relief figures for Ingham county for the calendar year of 1938. On general relief Ingham county for 1938 the Ingham relief commission spent \$1,235,455.53. Local contributions amounted to \$404,630.01, or about 33 per cent. In addition to the \$1,235,455.53 for general relief the commission expended \$83,613.00 on federal aid and \$43,155.25 for operation of the transient bureau where homeless single men are housed and fed. The grand total of expenditures was \$1,362,223.78, against which the percentage of local contribution would be about 30 per cent.

Local political units are billed for 40 per cent of the cost of relief for the persons on relief having legal settlement in that political unit. Mr. Kunkel said.

For the first seven months of 1939 the total commitments of the Ingham county relief commission were \$546,584.24, with local contributions of \$151,636.16, or a percentage of about 28 per cent from local funds.

The Ingham administrator submitted his information relative to costs and local contributions in response to an editorial entitled "Home Rule," which appeared in the Ingham County News August 3. The complete statement of Mr. Kunkel appears under the heading, "Public Forum" on the first page of the second section of this issue.

Prior to becoming relief administrator for Ingham county Mr. Kunkel was assistant pastor of the Peoples church in East Lansing and had had valuable experience in relief work in other counties. Mr. Kunkel is regarded as an authority on relief problems and has appeared before many organizations throughout the state to point out the evils of the present system and the threat the system offers to the future well being of the nation.

Mason Woman Passes After Week's Illness

HAD CEREBRAL HEMORRHAGE LAST THURSDAY MORNING.

Mrs. Frances Ellis, 62, wife of Thomas H. Ellis, died in the Corsant hospital Thursday morning. She was stricken with a cerebral hemorrhage early last Thursday morning and did not regain consciousness.

Before her marriage to Mr. Ellis, September 17, 1896, in England, Mrs. Ellis was Miss Frances Hutchinson. She was born in Barnsley, England, November 8, 1876, the daughter of Joseph and Mary Ann Bygott Hutchinson. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis and five of their children came to the United States and to Mason in 1927.

Mrs. Ellis is survived by the husband, seven children, John R. Ellis, Holmfirth, Yorkshire, England; Mrs. Winnifred Wilson and T. Walter Ellis, Lansing; George A. Ellis, Port Huron; Mrs. Margaret Kyser, Lowell; and Percy Ellis and E. Brewster Ellis, Mason; seven grandchildren; Peter and Joan Ellis in England; Thomas George Ellis of Port Huron; and Shirley Dora, Blodwin Margaret, Thomas Stacey and Frances Ann Wilson of Lansing; one sister, Mrs. David Symington, and four brothers, George Arthur, Fred, Thomas and Joe Hutchinson, all of Yorkshire, England.

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FACULTY IS ENGAGED, ONE VACANCY TO FILL

MISS POLLY SWEET TENDELS RESIGNATION.

Supt. Edwin M. Boyne announced this week that the Mason faculty, with one exception, has been engaged for the coming year. Classes at the Mason school will begin Wednesday, September 6, the Wednesday following Labor Day. On Tuesday the teachers will gather for conferences.

An air mail letter was received this week from Miss Polly Sweet of Minneapolis, sixth grade teacher, that she will not return this year if the school board will release her from her contract. She intends to take graduate work at Columbia University in New York. The board is expected to release her from the contract, so there remains a vacancy to be filled.

New teachers added to the Mason staff are Richard Kaminski, Latin; Irving Holthoff, manual arts; Miss Virginia Hanson, first and second grades; Miss Marguerite Smith, sixth grade; Miss Leora Coleman, home economics; Mr. Kaminski resides in Petersburg and is a graduate of the University of Michigan. Mr. Holthoff taught manual arts and was athletic coach at the Middleville consolidated school in Barry county until accepting the Mason position. Miss Hanson's home is in Green Bay, Wisconsin. She is a graduate of the National College of Education of Evanston, Illinois. Miss Coleman lives in East Lansing and is a graduate of the University of Michigan. She has been head of the home economics department in the Watrous, Wisconsin school for several years. She is a graduate of the Stout Institute at Milwaukee, where she received a bachelor of science degree, and of Colorado State college at Fort Collins. She will also handle teacher-training of Michigan State college pupils.

The entire list of teachers, with one vacancy, is as follows: Miss Mildred Eaton, kindergarten; Miss Frances Loun, first and second grade; Mrs. Lila Kennedy, second grade; Miss Dorothy Hynes, third grade; Miss Minnie Severance and Miss Marguerite Smith, fourth grade; Miss Mary VanderVen, fifth grade; Miss Leora Coleman, sixth grade; (another sixth grade teacher to be hired); Mrs. Bernice Dondineau, county normal critic; Miss Marion Blount, county normal principal;

Clifford F. Walcott, principal; Geoffrey, Hugh J. Bartley, agriculture; Gordon Dawson, history and civics; Richard Kaminski, Latin; Otto Grein, civics; Irving Holthoff, manual arts and assistant coach; Gilson Pearson, physical education; Cyrus Pierce, science; Joseph Wyman, bookkeeping and instrumental music; Douglas Watson, English;

Miss Arnes Dawson, commercial; Miss Mary Handlin and Miss Bernice Griesse, home economics; Miss Gertrude VanPatten, vocal music; Miss Hattie Lucas, English and French; Miss Florence Hildebrand, physical education; Mrs. Viva Riker, mathematics.

Teacher-Training Again

Mason has again been named among the schools to conduct teacher training for Michigan State college. Some of the Mason teachers will have Michigan State students assigned to their classes.

The opportunity room has been established and the pupils will be scattered through the grades. It was explained that many of the pupils in the grades are no further advanced than those in the opportunity room and that it was feared that children set off by themselves in the opportunity room were being handicapped.

All Wilson school pupils and seventh and eighth graders and high school pupils from the DuBois district will be transported to Mason again this year. Because of overtaxing the capacity of the bus the DuBois sixth graders will not attend the Mason school this year, Mr. Boyne said.

Freakish Exhibits Result Of Weather

Michigan's unusual weather is yielding some freakish exhibits wrought by Mother Nature. One of the freaks is a one-eyed frog brought in by the William Hancock, the result of dusty and dry weather during July. The frog is normal in every respect except his eyes. He has no right eye nor no socket for it.

Walter Cowdry brought in one little branch from a green gage plum tree with 18 plums, all good sized, hanging from a 10-inch stem. Cordie Bushford presented two branches of flowering quince shrubs heavy with fruit. It is only in unusual years that flowering quince shrubs bear fruit.

Founder Of Newspaper Heart Attack Victim

FUNERAL RITES SATURDAY FOR STOCKBRIDGE MAN.

Hilbert W. Morgan, 68, died Wednesday morning at his home in Stockbridge of heart failure. He had been slowly sinking for the past three weeks. Funeral services are to be held at the Milner funeral home in Stockbridge Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The Rev. Edwin Stephens of the Stockbridge Methodist church will officiate.

Mr. Morgan was the founder of the Stockbridge Brief-Sun and its editor for 30 years. He retired from active business in 1929, selling the newspaper to his son-in-law, James Conkley. Mr. Conkley later sold to Dan Reason and Mr. Reason was succeeded by Clyde J. Sibley, the present publisher. Mr. Morgan began his publishing career in Stockbridge in the house now occupied by Cephus Smith. The newspaper was known as the Brief and was often called the "Postage Stamp" because of its diminutive size. Later he purchased the Sun from E. O. Gildart and merged the two into the present Brief-Sun.

CARS DAMAGED

A city pickup truck driven by Glen Stevens and a car driven by Ben McKay of Lansing collided at the corner of State and Park streets Monday. Mr. Stevens stopped his car at the intersection of Park, State and Maple and then started across. The city truck collided with Mr. McKay's car. Both cars were damaged although neither driver appeared to be hurt.

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Leslie and Roscommon business men are opposed to the relocation plans. At Roscommon a few weeks ago Taft Highway officials assured business men that Roscommon would remain on the route.

V. J. Brown and Mayor Arthur W. Jewett of Mason were elected directors of the Taft Highway association.

Everything In Readiness For Biggest And Best County Fair

From interest so far shown in the Ingham County Fair it is almost certain that a new record will be established next week. Although the official opening is Wednesday afternoon, there will be something doing from Tuesday night right through until midnight Saturday. There will not be a dull minute afternoon or night, according to the instructors of the fair.

KICK BY HORSE FATAL TO AURELIUS FARMER

PNEUMONIA DEVELOPED FOLLOWING INJURY.

Burlette T. Bateman, 56, prominent Aurelius farmer and horse breeder, died in the Ponton hospital in Mason about 4:30 Sunday morning from complications resulting from a kick by a young colt on July 31. The kick resulted in two broken ribs and internal injuries and was followed by pneumonia.

On Monday, July 31, Mr. Bateman went back to the pasture lot to bring horses and cattle up to the barn. Coming up the lane a quarter of a mile from the barn a four-year-old colt became fractious. Mr. Bateman went up behind the colt and the animal ran ahead. As Mr. Bateman came up to it, the colt turned around and stepped. Suddenly the colt wheeled and lashed out with his hind leg, striking Mr. Bateman in the side. Although he was in considerable pain, Mr. Bateman continued on to the barn and after securing the stock went to the house. A doctor was summoned and the bruised area was dressed and the ribs taped. Two days later Mr. Bateman's condition became alarming and on Friday he was taken to the Ponton hospital. Despite the best of care and medical attention his condition failed to improve and death came early Sunday morning.

Mr. Bateman was born on the farm on which he spent his life. He was the son of Thomas and Olive Delia Sanders Bateman. On June 6, 1917 he was married to Miss Ruth Moore. Besides the widow there remain three children, Dorr, Donna and Betty. Dorr is at home. Miss Donna Bateman has been employed in a White Cloud beauty parlor, but was called home by her father's sickness and death, and Miss Betty Bateman is a Mason high school student. There also remain two sisters, Mrs. Clarence Davidson and Miss Josephine Bateman of Athens.

The Bateman horses have always been shown at the Ingham fair. Mr. Bateman, his son and the two daughters had common interests in good horses.

Funeral services were held at the Jewett chapel Tuesday with burial in Greenwood cemetery at Aurelius Center. The Rev. Daniel Huntwork of the Mason and Aurelius Center Baptist churches officiated. Burial services were Claude Edgar, Claude Parish, Grover Akers, Clayton Snow, Clyde Snow and Paul Kilburn.

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"FREE" TOLL SERVICE

In a petition filed by the Michigan Bell and the Aurelius and Vevay telephone companies the discontinuance of "free" toll service between Mason and Aurelius and Vevay subscribers was asked. A rate engineer of the Michigan Bell on the witness stand before the Public Service Commission also talked of "free" service. The service is not free. It is the service for which Michigan Bell and Aurelius and Vevay subscribers have paid since 1923. Mason subscribers of the Michigan Bell have been induced to have telephones installed because they could talk with their neighbors served by the Aurelius and Vevay line without payment of toll. Many of the Aurelius and Vevay subscribers installed telephones because they could communicate with Mason people without payment of toll. There is and has been no free service. We have paid for it when we have paid our monthly bills and now, if the Public Service Commission grants the petition, we will pay for it twice, once when we pay our regular bill and again when we pay toll charges to talk with neighbors who reside within sight of the court house.

It is granted that the situation of the two telephone companies may be unique, yet we believe the imposition of toll charges will still be unique. It will be unique in that Michigan Bell subscribers may telephone people six miles north of town, four miles south, five miles east and eight miles straight west without paying toll while toll will be charged on messages to subscribers served by the Aurelius and Vevay line, many of whom live within four miles of Mason.

There has been no free service and so a petition to discontinue "free" service is out of order.

THANKSGIVING

So this year Thanksgiving is to be on November 23 instead of November 30. President Roosevelt has made the change so as to space holidays farther apart. He stated that next year he will make Thanksgiving fall on the second Thursday in November. Why not make it the first Thursday following the Tuesday succeeding the first Monday in November?

THE COUNTY FAIR

Next week is the Ingham County Fair. Everyone connected with this year's fair has worked hard to make the event bigger and better and a credit to one of the best counties in the United States. The directors and the superintendents of the various departments have given and are giving the fair their best to make it a success. All they now ask is good weather and public support.

All of us are not interested in the same things at a fair. Some folks are primarily concerned with agriculture, others with home economics, with still others interested in horse pulling contests, harness races, baseball or the entertainment offered in the grandstand acts or on the midway. This year the directors have made a studied effort to give Ingham county people just what they want in every line. Of course, the Ingham fair will not be as pretentious as the San Francisco or the New York fairs. The exhibits and displays are Ingham county exhibits and displays. The officers, directors and heads of departments are Ingham county folks. The boys and girls and men and women to whom the premium checks are drawn are Ingham county people. A county fair is primarily to display county products as an encouragement to those engaged in agriculture to raise better crops and livestock and to show the best ways of doing things on the farm and in the home.

The primary reason for a county fair is its educational value and that is the foundation for the Ingham fair. The horse racing, the grandstand entertainment and the midway attractions are extras tossed in to enliven the occasion and to serve as a diversion. There is also another angle to a county fair like the one staged by Ingham county. That is the homecoming feature. At no event in the county do so many people gather. Those who attend the fair see friends and acquaintances from every section of the county.

Public support is needed for the Ingham county fair. We can show by attending the fair that we appreciate the work done by the officers, directors and department heads. That is all the pay they will receive and is all that they ask.

TWISTED MINDS

No sane person would tear out a rail to cause a railroad wreck for revenge. Death and injuries to innocent persons can not be revenge for a fancied wrong against a railroad. The men who caused the wreck of the streamlined City of San Francisco have twisted minds and should be locked up for the rest of their natural lives or their lives should be legally taken.

GAMBLING

Dixie Davis, just released from prison for his connection with New York gambling and vice, is selling the inside story of his experience with the nationwide gambling syndicate. He declares that Detroit is among the cities in which the syndicate works. His statement is no great surprise to anyone except Detroit police officers and the prosecutor's staff.

There is gambling and gambling. We fail to get highly worked up over such home-talent gambling as bingo games conducted by church or lodge or other non-commercial forms of gambling such as trying to pick out a good melon. We do abhor commercialized gambling such as is carried on by the slot machine, punchboard and racing rackets. Certainly it's wrong to gamble, wrong because gamblers try to get something for nothing, because gambling has ruined the lives of many men and women, because gambling often leads on to robbery when attempts are made to cover losses, and, as we see it, gambling on slot machines and punchboards, baseball and football pools and at the big race tracks is doubly wrong because some of the worst racketeers in the United States thrive on it. A sucker isn't given a chance in slot machine gambling and in all forms of professional gambling, even if the games are operated on the square, the percentage is with the house.

Michigan people have an interest in professional gambling in that the state has legalized parimutuel betting at the Detroit track and the state government gets a share of the take. We don't believe that money taken from suckers by the state in gambling or in the liquor traffic can do the state much good.

An honest probe into the gambling racket as practiced in Detroit and in certain Michigan resort cities might reveal some interesting tidbits. Let's have one.

PROBING HOLLYWOOD

We believe that Attorney General Frank Murphy has something in his proposed grand jury probe of Hollywood and hope that he goes through with it. A probe could reveal any number of interesting things about Hollywood such as the size of Garbo's feet, the reason for the multiple marriages of Hollywood stars, the cause of the inanity of so many films and the reason why former cloak and suit makers have become the purveyors of American entertainment.

BAD ADVICE

Secretary of State Harry Kelly can well afford to take a hand to head off a scheme of northern resort interests to profit at the expense of southern counties. The Higgins Lake Property Owners' association has adopted a resolution urging its members to purchase their automobile license plates in Roscommon county and to give Roscommon county as their home address so that Roscommon will be provided with more funds for highway improvement; provided with funds at the expense of the home communities where the resorters live. The advice being gratuitously offered by the resort association is bad advice and should not be followed by the resorters; nor should the state allow the advice to be followed.

The law provides that motorists should give their actual places of residence when applying for automobile licenses so that money derived from the weight taxes can be credited to those counties. Any such system as that advocated by the Higgins Lake resort association is not only illegal but is unfair. Motorists in general should be warned that they must give their permanent residences when applying for automobile titles and license plates.

Down by the SYCAMORE

Thanks to Professor Royle for the loan of Carl Van Doren's Benjamin Franklin. I don't care much for Van Doren but I like the way he writes and, of course, no one can help but admire and revere Benjamin Franklin, one of the greatest of Americans. In the book are many of the Poor Richard's sayings which I had not read before. Others are more common. Poor Richard did not claim they were all original. Here are some of them:

"There's more old drunkards than old doctors." "Kings and heirs often worry their keepers." "Men and melons are hard to know." "He's a fool that makes his doctor his heir." "Look before or you'll find yourself behind." "An old young man will be a young old man." "He that can have patience can have what he will." "Now I have a sheep and every body bids me good morrow." "The absent are never without fault, the present without excuse." "There are no ugly loves nor handsome prisons." "Fly pleasures and they'll follow you." "Marry your son when you will, but your daughter when you can." "Let thy maid servant be faithful, strong and homely." "Keep your eyes wide open before marriage, half shut afterwards."

"Creditors have better memories than debtors." "Experience keeps a dear school yet fools will learn in no other." "When the well's dry, we know the worth of water." "Three may keep a secret if two of them are dead." "Then there is the pearl of all, because it justifies my pronunciation of creek as creek, 'Write with the learned, pronounce with the vulgar.'"

If, as the mayor of Grand Lodge says, there are or were few Grand Lodge people employed by the state, why is he so concerned because there are a number of Charlotte people on the payroll? It was a good letter anyway and just the kind that any editor likes to print. * * * Word from Charlotte is that Mayor Davis is or was employed by Murray D. Van Wagoner. The mayor didn't say anything about that in his letter. * * * Benjamin Franklin was an habitual writer of public forum letters to his own newspaper.

Take out the bus trips to Pleasant Lake for swimming and the WPA recreation program wouldn't draw over a dozen children a day. Asked the reason why Mason children are not interested in supervised play, a school authority said, "They find their own amusement down by the creek, hanging around on the corner, visiting friends in the country or doing something else for themselves. Then, too, a lot of them have odd jobs to do. Mason boys and girls are too individualistic for a successful supervised play program." That's the most heartening criticism we have heard in some time.

I can hardly wait to read one of the 800 county histories being prepared by the WPA. Ten years ago people would not have believed any government—county, state or federal—would have had any part in authorizing the publication of 500 county history books at a cost of \$30,000. Yes, that's \$60 apiece and there are not going to be any pretty pictures in them. Will the account of the WPA book project and its cost be included in the history so that 100 years from now the residents of Ingham county may see how thrifty we are?

Lots of Ingham county people have never heard of Double Lake, few Ingham county people fish there. Some people catch a hundred or more away from their fishing trips and don't catch enough for a mess. Wayne Miller keeps the home fires burning, and also keeps the frying pan full of fish, by fishing right here in Ingham county at Double Lake. Last week he caught the best bass in the state, a 25½-inch bass which weighed 3½ pounds. He hauled the big fish in with a flyrod. * * * I was all set to tell about my biggest fish which I landed last week but it was smaller than Mr. Miller's catch so I'll have to keep still about it.

Bill Richards is an excellent trout fisherman but his son, Tommy, can beat his father when it comes to catching perch. I was along with Bill and Tommy on a fishing excursion Saturday and saw Tom trim his dad. I must confess that he even trimmed me. Fishing with two hooks, Tom brought up the two biggest perch of the day at one haul.

Will Cheney is a handy man to have around town. For some reason or other Saturday, for some reason or other, he took a notion to move his home to Lawyer O. J. Hood's office. O. J. spent two hours writing out complaints of trespass on the case, assumpsit, tort, mayhem and assault with intent to do great harm and even went so far as to start eviction proceedings, yet the bees just buzzed around and laughed at the legal notices tossed at them by the lawyer. Then Mr. Hood summoned Will Cheney and the bees met their master.

Yes, sir, this is a free country where a man can say just what he thinks. Yet, can he? The Patterson, Kansas, News says, "Thank goodness we live in a free country, where a man may say what he thinks—if he isn't afraid of wife, neighbor, or boss, and if he's sure it won't hurt his business or his reputation." That's about it, all right, and maybe that's the way it should be. If all of us said just exactly what we thought there would be a lot of shooting.

According to The Imperial Magazine, the things that people do most when traveling for pleasure and education are sleep, rest their feet, eat and sit. Time that can be spared from these activities is consumed in the purchase of souvenirs, the mailing of picture postcards, and the snapping of cameras. That's why home looks so good when the tourists return. * * * One of my best friends, Mrs. James Duell, has a good joke on me. I laughed a solid day over it and so did she. * * * Mrs. Joe Porte and Mrs. A. E. March left Mason last week on a visit to Albion, Indiana. With them they took two dogs, three cats and a week's provisions. They took no chances with the Hoosiers.

Instead of moving Thanksgiving ahead to give more time between Thanksgiving and Christmas, why not move New Years ahead to February 1? Or why not switch Thanksgiving to Armistice Day or to my wife's birthday? There are a lot of possibilities in tinkering with the calendar. I'd like to try my hand at it.

Ancient History

Gleaned from News Files of Years Past

One Year Ago

The city council is in a quandary over the location of an abandoned trolley car in the business section. The Royston Bros. Vevay oil test well is abandoned as the drillers report salt water in the Dundee at 2,517 feet.

A new front is being installed in the Neely Clothing company store. Another modern front is to be installed for the V. L. Palmer and A. D. Snyder stores and when the Palmer store is moved a double front will be installed for the Schmidt Department store.

Announcement is made that the American Home Products company will add pharmaceutical lines to the production of SMA at its Mason plant. Contracts have been signed by the Leslie board of education with the boards of Rives, Housel and Sanders to transport seventh and eighth grade rural pupils to Leslie. The Leslie school district has purchased a bus.

Ten Years Ago

That the federal farm board recently appointed by President Herbert Hoover can do little to extricate farmers from their financial plight, was the assertion made by N. P. Hull of Lansing before the Mason Kiwanis club. Mr. Hull declared that the remedy for the farm problem is exemption of farms from the present heavy tax burden and the reduction of school and governmental costs. Crops are beginning to suffer from drought.

Carl Schurmer of the state game farm received mail transported over the Atlantic by the Graf Zeppelin.

The city council has issued stringent regulations to govern the use of city water. The wells are running dry.

Lord Aseltine and son, Lyle, Ezra Welton and Mason B. Reynolds are vacationing in the Upper Peninsula.

Twenty Years Ago

Up to last Saturday evening advanced sale of tickets for the local football game amounted to \$331.70. This gives the committee a good margin over the expenses.

W. M. VanPutten of Holland has been signed as high school principal and coach.

Hugh J. Brown of Mason won the Overland touring car given away at the Carlisle picnic.

Arthur Buck is building a new home on Jefferson street.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Adams have moved to Flint where Mr. Adams is employed in the construction of the hundreds of homes being erected by the DuPont company for their employees.

Fifty Years Ago

Co. F, under the efficient command of Capt. Snook, was one of the best-drilled companies at Gogebic. George Vickers of Wheatfield has purchased a new Masillon steam thrasher from John Lasenby.

The Mason Clothesline factory will be moved soon to McBain in Missaukee county.

There are upwards of 1500 Union veterans now located in Ingham county.

City Clerk J. C. Kimmel, on order of the council, has purchased a 641-pound bell to be placed on top of the engine houses for use as a fire alarm. Although Dansville lost 16 to 7 to the Gregory baseball team, C. T. Lane of Dansville was the hero of the day. He hit a homerun and two three-base hits.

What Other Editors Have To Say

Do Farmers Have Too Much Influence On Congress?

One of the high-ups in Harvard University, Arthur M. Holcombe, says that farmers have a "disproportionate influence" on the American politics. In other words, the farmer gets a whole lot more attention in the state and national legislature than the volume of their business and numbers deserves. In spite of the generally accepted opinion that the special interests are big corporations, he indicates, he points to the billions and billions of dollars voted to help farmers.

Well, professor, farmers may not be important . . . but they are the boys who create your breakfast, dinner and supper. They raise it. You eat it. If tomorrow morning you, and a few thousand more of you fellows who live in an office and think great thoughts, were told that there was no bacon, no eggs, no wheat-bread toast . . . and that there was no chance of getting any more for a week . . . then, we suspect that you would hastily revise your estimate of the importance of farmers, their work and their products.

You see, it's like this: A farmer is not a factory worker . . . although he has to work harder than the men in factories. He is not a business man . . . because he has little or nothing to say about the sale price of his produce. He is not a manufacturer . . . for the weather, the soil, the insects and the blighting winds many times control his production. He is not a professional man studying up exact solutions to problems . . . for the very best and most carefully thought-out plans of his can be knocked into a cocked hat by the elements. Farming is a way of life. It has its attractive features . . . but it is not an exact science and most of you college men wouldn't understand that.

In spite of the fact that a practical farmer cannot be put in any exact classification, such as workingman, professional man, employer, employee, retailer, wholesaler, or whatever else, it remains that he has an investment in land, buildings, and equipment which represents a higher percentage of his gross revenue-dollar than any business or profession you can mention. He is tied to his job and tied to his investment. His business is raising food for the nation. If you can think of anything more important . . . if there is anything more fundamental . . . than the need for food, we like to hear what it is.

Counting noses or counting the dollars invested may not rate the business of agriculture as high as some other industries. Because of the hazards and uncertainties, agriculture always has been and always will be a national problem. If it has had more Congressional attention than other interests, the good reason for it is that agriculture is a wealth-

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Neely Clothing Company

Alaiedon Center

By Donna Sheathelm

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Ogle and family attended the annual Reed reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. West of Flint Sunday.

The Misses Marjorie and Kathrine Baker of Williamston are visiting the Misses Loren and Maxine Backus for a week.

Mrs. M. V. Peebles of Jamestown, New York, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Champion. Mrs. Peebles and Mrs. Champion spent some time in Belding last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Palen of Lansing spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Palen. Harvey Palen is reported recovering from his illness.

Miss Shirley Feder of Lansing spent last week with Miss Donna Sheathelm. Mr. and Mrs. Paul MacManus of Flint and Mrs. W. A. West called on Mrs. P. E. Ogle Thursday, August

10. Mrs. West is spending a week at the Ogle home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Sheathelm and daughter, Donna, attended the annual Sheathelm reunion held at Ferguson park at Okemos Sunday.

South Wheatfield

By Mrs. Claude Hayhoe

Clarence Locke of Bloomfield Hills and mother, Mrs. Thomas Locke, are spending the week with Mrs. Helen Bolgoyers of Sunfield.

The windstorm of last week did considerable damage in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Leonard and children of Detroit and Mrs. John Dozier of Webberville called on Mrs. Ethel Hayhoe Sunday night.

You can clean dust mops with the vacuum cleaner.

Tense Scene In Exciting Film



Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. is shown shouting into a radio microphone despite the efforts of Harry Cording and Edward Keane to stop him in an exciting and crucial scene from "The Sun Never Sets." The picture comes to the Fox Theatre Friday and Saturday.

The Hardy's Are Here Again



Mickey Rooney and Ann Rutherford in "Andy Hardy Gets Spring Fever," at the Fox Theatre Sunday and Monday.

FILM NEWS

"The Sun Never Sets," romantic drama with Douglas Fairbanks, Jr. and Basil Rathbone, comes to the Fox Theatre Friday and Saturday. The background of the story lies in the British diplomatic service, which actually started in the 16th century when Sir Walter Raleigh brought a handful of American tobacco to Queen Elizabeth. In the picture Rathbone and Fairbanks are brothers in a family traditionally dedicated to British colonial services. Virginia Field, Barbara O'Neil, Lionel Atwill, C. Aubrey Smith, Melville Cooper and Mary Forbes also have roles.

The Higgins Family in "My Wife's Relatives" is also on the double bill. James Gleason, Lucille Gleason, Russell Gleason, Mary Hart, Tommy Ryan and Harry Davenport are again seen as members of the family, which enacts heart-warming adventure in this new picture.

The Hardy Family takes a fling at life, both romantic and dramatic, in the seventh of the popular series, "Andy Hardy Gets Spring Fever," coming to the Fox Theatre Sunday and Monday. In this picture Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney and Cecilia Parker fall victims to a spirit of caprice and it is up to Fay Holden and Sara Haden to remain the stabilizing members. Newcomers to the cast are Helen Gilbert and Perry Kilburn. Ann Rutherford plays Andy's girl, with whom he quarrels. He then falls in love with his school teacher.

Laurence Olivier, sensational star of "Wuthering Heights," comes to the Fox Theatre Tuesday in "Clouds Over Europe," laugh-filled story of Scotland Yard's efforts to smash a nationwide espionage ring. Olivier is seen as a dashing test pilot who takes up a newly-designed plane, fully aware that he may never return. Ralph Richardson and Valerie Hobson are other important players in the new film, a romantic comedy drama founded upon the mysterious disappearance of planes in flight.

"Nancy Drew—Trouble Shooter," newest edition of the film series that is a favorite with youngsters and oldersters alike, will be at the Fox Wednesday and Thursday. Bonita Granville, who originated the character of the lovable and alert Nancy, is again starred, with Frankie Thomas as her boy friend and right hand man and John Littel as her father. A new addition to the cast is Charlotte Wynters, who seems destined to become Nancy's stepmother. Nancy has a brand new mystery to solve in her newest picture. Once winner of the motion picture arts and sciences award for her acting, Victor McLaglen appears again as the star of "Ex-Champ," which comes to the Fox Theatre Wednesday and Thursday. In the film he appears as a broken-down ex-champion prizefighter, proud of but two possessions, a championship belt and a worthless son who disdains his father's home and his rough and tough associates. In the supporting cast will be seen Tom Brown, Nan Grey, Donald Briggs, William Frawley, Constance Moore and Samuel S. Hinds.

Mr. and Mrs. George Higdon and son, Tunis, spent the week end on a trip in northern Michigan.

Mrs. Nora Barr and Miss Mary Barr had the following guests Sunday: Mrs. Della Wood, Howard Fish, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wood of Lima Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Hart and daughter Phyllis of Felt Plains, and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wheaton and relatives from Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Courtney Reed entertained a large number of friends at a party last Sunday night honoring the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Reed's sister, Frances Tater. Refreshments were served and the honor guest was presented with gifts.

Dr. Behrens and daughter, Ella, called on Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wood last Friday. They have returned from a months stay in the West.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Wildes attended the reunion of the class of 1937 of Leslie high school held at Pleasant Lake Sunday.

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East Alaiedon

By Mrs. John Spoor

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baldwin and Richard of Lansing spent the week end with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jude Hall announce the birth of a son on August 14 at the Corsant hospital.

E. E. Lockwood of Lansing called on Mrs. Catherine Potter and Vern Cooper Monday night.

Marion Parkhurst is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. William Miller.

Mrs. John Potter and Phyllis, Mr. and Mrs. James Manning, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lockwood and Dale of Lansing, a cousin of Mr. Lockwood from Chicago and Mrs. Sadie Holt and daughter of Grand Lodge were visitors of Mrs. Catherine Potter last week. Mrs. Potter spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Judd Smith.

Culver Corners

By Mrs. H. M. Owen

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Owen and children spent Sunday at Lake Jordan.

Vincent Owen left Monday morning for a weeks stay at Camp Kilrollex with Scout Troop 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Steffens and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gardner visited relatives in Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Reed spent the week end at Wheeler, Gratiot county, visiting Mrs. Reed's daughter, Mrs. Joy Schaub, and family, also her mother who celebrated her 81st birthday anniversary Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gregory of Lansing called at the Reed home Thursday night.

Wilkins Memorial

By Mrs. I. A. Wilkins

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Crane were at Houghton Lake from Wednesday until Friday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Deltz of near Williamston visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Brenner Sunday.

Dale Wilkins was in Detroit Sunday morning to visit friends and relatives in West Virginia.

Mrs. Hunt of Lansing called in the neighborhood Friday afternoon.

Four Town Corners

By Mrs. Edd Mullen

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Glynn and son are visiting Mrs. Glynn's mother in the upper peninsula.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Palmer of Battle Creek spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mullen.

Miss Eleanor Shepperly and Donald Haggerty were in Detroit Sunday and attended the ball game.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Runelman and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Putman left Saturday to spend a few days in northern Michigan.

Vance White and family of Holt were visitors at Asher Brown's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Adams entertained friends from Detroit and Lansing Sunday.

Mrs. Paul Cross and Mrs. Don Stands of Lansing were guests of Mrs. Edd Mullen Thursday.

Perlie Bench and family left Monday morning to visit friends and relatives in West Virginia.

Mrs. Carol Pringle and daughter of Lyons spent several days the past week at the Ickes home.

Erline Howe of Lansing is spending several days with her grandparents while her parents are on a trip in Canada.

Onondaga

By Don Hampton

Mrs. Donald Sprague entertained several young people for dinner at her home in Eaton Rapids Friday night.

Miss Loretta Clay entertained friends from Ypsilanti Thursday for dinner.

The Past Matrons of O. E. S. had dinner at the park Wednesday.

Carroll Goodwin, formerly of Concord, and schoolmate of Ardell Rosenbrook, visited him Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dwight are spending the week in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brownlee and Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Pulver and family are spending this week in Albany, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard McKessy of Battle Creek were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McKessy Sunday.

Mrs. Ella Noble Allen of Oakland, New York, called on friends Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Mesure are spending a few days with Mrs. Orpha Sammons.

Mrs. William Byrum and son, Robert, spent last week in northern Michigan.

Dart District

By Mrs. Hattie Godley

The Dart school reunion will be held Saturday, August 19, in Ralph Hayner's woods. A potluck dinner will be served.

Bert Arthur and Maud Williams of St. Johns were at the Godley home Monday to visit Mrs. Godley and Charles Stanton.

Shelden Cook of Charlotte is visiting his sister, Mrs. Ezra Wilcox, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Clements and Mr. and Mrs. John Pringle and Glen have been on an extended trip through the northern part of the

state. They expected to visit the Hinawatha club, Pictured Rocks and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. William Malcho and Joyce and Wayne visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patrick, and other relatives near Ann Arbor over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilcox and children were at Joslin Lake Sunday, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Coe and family of Toledo, Ohio, who are camping there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Warfle were in Jackson Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Decker.

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George Riddle home near Petrieville for a picnic dinner.

Miss Martha Thayer of Mason was a Thursday guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Field.

Mrs. Gerlie Gretton was operated on Monday morning at the Ponton hospital, Mason.

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Local manager of nationally-known feed company wants to appoint several men for good paying work. Deliver orders to farmers, render service and do other work. You can do this job. Farm experience helpful. Car necessary. Permanent work. You only need to give your name and address. Write Box 4, care of this paper.

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WANTED—A good used bicycle, balloon tires. Write, phone or see Robert Greengough, Dansville. 33w1

WANTED to buy iron, metal, rags, newspapers and magazines. Clarence Randall, 315 Randolph street, Mason, phone 600. 33w1

WANTED—Cheap horses for Detroit rally. Telephone 708

Social

Spencer-Lockwood

Miss Marvel Lockwood, daughter of Ezra Lockwood of Powerville, became the bride of James Spencer, son of Dr. A. G. Spencer and Mrs. Spencer of Powerville, at an impressive double ring ceremony performed at high noon Saturday, August 12, by the Rev. A. B. Claypole of the Baptist church of Powerville. The service took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Gardner Dietz, and Mr. Dietz of Webberville. At the stroke of twelve, Lohengrin's wedding march was played and the bridal party descended the open stairway and took their places before the improvised altar of fern and gladioli. Enmar Lou Dietz, niece of the bride, was ring bearer. Miss Marjorie Knight of Grass Lake, cousin of the groom, was the bride's attendant. George Ludtke of Valparaiso, Indiana, nephew of the bride, acted as best man. The bride wore a floor-length gown of white with a shoulder length veil and carried a shower bouquet of white roses. Miss Knight was gown in pink and carried pink roses. The bride is a graduate of Williamston high school and attended Lansing Business University. Mr. Spencer is a graduate of Powerville high school and is a student at Michigan State college. Out-of-town guests were present from Chicago, Flint, Detroit, Grass Lake, Val-

paraiso, Indiana, Pottersville, MI. Pleasant and Williamson, following the reception, the young couple left by train for Niagara Falls, the New York World's Fair, Washington, D. C., and other points of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Spencer will be at home in two weeks at 110 1/2 Mooros River Drive, Lansing.

Force-Riggs

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Force announced the marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to Wilson Riggs, son of Mrs. Laura Spencer of Lansing. The marriage took place Wednesday afternoon, August 16, at three o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Force. The ceremony was officiated by the Rev. D. L. Huntwork. The attendants were Miss Murz Barnes of near Haslett, cousin of the groom, and Robert Riggs of Merrill, cousin of the bride. The bride wore a suit of navy blue with a corsage of pink roses. Miss Barnes was attired in orchid-pink crepe with a corsage of tallman roses. After a trip through the northern part of the state, Mr. and Mrs. Force will make their home with the bride's parents. Mr. Force was graduated from Mason high school with the class of 1938. Mrs. Force was salutatorian of the 1939 graduating class of Mason high school.

Pierce-Jensen

The farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jensen of Leroy township was the scene of a quiet wedding Tuesday afternoon, August 8, at 12:30, when their daughter, Dorothy June, was united in marriage to Kermit R. Pierce, son of Mrs. Mable Pierce of Leroy township. The Rev. Floyd Yokers of St. John's Evangelical Lutheran church of Powerville read the impressive ring ceremony in the presence of the immediate families. Miss Alice Jensen and Clifford Jensen, sister and brother of the bride, were chosen as attendants. Following the ceremony a three-course luncheon was served by Doris Sharpe and Agnes Bessert, cousins of the bride. A lovely bridal cake centered the table. The house was prettily decorated with cut flowers. The afternoon was spent with a social time, after which Mr. and Mrs. Pierce left for Niagara Falls, Watkins Glen, Thousand Islands, and other points of interest throughout New York state and Ontario, Canada. Upon their return they will reside at the farm home of Mr. Pierce in Leroy township. The bride is a graduate of Williamston high school and has been engaged in farming since graduation.

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September 6

SPECIAL ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE
BOOK STORE

The school book store will be open on Monday, August 28. The store will handle new and used text books, many of which may be used in rural schools.

Thursday, August 31, will be enrollment day for new students.

September 1st and 2nd will be regular student enrollment days.

to the bride-to-be in a huge box wrapped in white and tied with blue ribbon. Refreshments of ice cream and cup cakes were served by the hostesses.

Mrs. E. D. Barr entertained at a dinner Friday night honoring her father, John West, of Lansing on the occasion of his birthday anniversary. Twenty-one guests were present from Stockbridge, Dansville, Lansing and Nashville.

The Aurelius Young Peoples society will sponsor a home made ice cream social Wednesday night, August 30, at the home of Audrey Green in Aurelius. A short entertainment will be given.

Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Ellsworth, Horbort Carr and Segar Childs were surprised Sunday by a group of 47 friends who gathered at Pleasant Lake to help them celebrate. The occasion was the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth and the birthday anniversaries of Mr. Carr and Mrs. Childs. Each honor guest was presented with a gift. Dinner was served at one o'clock, after which the afternoon was spent in visiting. Guests were present from Detroit, Webberville and Mason.

Mrs. Richard Mills was honored at a shower and dessert bridge given by Mrs. D. R. Lethbridge at the Lethbridge home Wednesday afternoon. Honors at cards were won by Mrs. Leland Austin and Mrs. Ralph Adams. A color scheme of pink and blue was used in decorations. Mrs. Mills was presented with gifts.

Miss Jeanette Campbell of Mason and Mrs. Howard Leonard of Detroit were hostesses at a kitchen shower honoring Mrs. Glen Sayre Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Sayre's mother, Mrs. Elmer Hayhoe. Games were played and prizes were awarded, after which gifts were presented to the guest of honor, who was Miss Margaret Hayhoe before her recent marriage. Bouquets of flowers decorated the Hayhoe home for the occasion. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Members of the Mason Kiwanis club and their wives entertained the members of the Eaton Rapids Kiwanis club and their wives at a picnic at the county park Tuesday night, with 47 present.

Miss Merle Parker is enjoying a vacation trip in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Ellsworth spent Tuesday in Jackson. Miss Nellie DeCamp spent Thursday afternoon at her home in Leslie.

Miss Esther Neal is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Brown in Detroit.

Mrs. Edna Cunningham of Liberty Center, Ohio, is visiting relatives here.

Donna Rose Thompson spent a few days last week with Jacqueline Healey at Pleasant Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Warner attended the Ionia fair with Mr. and Mrs. Severin Jean of Lansing Wednesday.

Mrs. Ronald Howe is enjoying a vacation from her duties as telephone operator this week.

Mrs. L. H. Gerton and Mrs. Earl Robinson have returned to their homes from the Ponton hospital.

Mary Ann Fry has been spending a week with her aunt, Mrs. Russell Montgomery, in Ludington.

Mrs. William Sear spent part of last week in West Aurelius with his niece, Mrs. Ada Taylor.

Mrs. G. W. Butler of Williamston called at the F. L. Bradman home Sunday.

L. R. White, cashier of the Farmers bank, is enjoying a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spenny and family spent the week end at Lake George.

Dr. E. R. Van der Slice and Mrs. Van der Slice of Lansing called on Dr. R. F. Hall and Mrs. Hall and Mrs. F. W. Dalkin Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Bond returned to Mason Saturday after a journey down the St. Lawrence and to Nova Scotia and Newfoundland.

Mrs. Ida Turnbull of Williamston is convalescing from an operation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Loreta White, in Mason.

Miss Thelma Silsby of Webberville and William Hosley of Howell were guests Saturday night of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shultz.

Mrs. Mac Vaughn is spending the week at Gull Lake and Pontiac as a guest of her brother, Alvin Van Camp.

Mrs. Doyle Burgess and son, Robert, are spending the week with Mrs. Burgess mother, Mrs. Pringle, of Lansing at her cottage at Duck Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis S. and family left Thursday to spend a vacation in Hart with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Tompkins.

Miss Betty Favorite, Miss Eleanor Favorite and Harold More, Jr., are spending a vacation at Burt Lake, Indian River.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harnack and Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Kruse are enjoying a trip to New York, where they will attend the fair.

Jim Hazel is visiting in Kalamazoo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howe and Larry visited in Vermontville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Otis camped at Coon Lake over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell McBride spent last week at South St. Mary, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. William S. and Mrs. Gertrude Long visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hazard in Alma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor attended a traverse jurors picnic near Ann Arbor Saturday.

Lorraine Hanes, Miss Maryella Bonjama and Dornott Hanes of Lansing called on Mason friends Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Humphrey spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bullen and daughter in Flint.

Shirley Jean Myers spent last week in Detroit with her aunt, Mrs. O. A. Smith.

Mr. Lewis Bartlett has returned to her home from the Sparrow hospital.

Miss Alice MacLam is visiting her sister, Mrs. Leo Sherman, and family in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Collar and Elwyn and Leo were visitors Sunday of Mrs. Elizabeth Potter.

Miss Mary Elizabeth Parkhurst and Miss Lucille Disenroth were in Detroit Monday.

Mrs. Clydia Poole of Pontiac is visiting Dr. Robert F. Hall and family.

Jack McCormick of Ann Arbor is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Ray Hinkley, this week.

Mrs. Maude Watkins is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Grace Clark, in Lansing.

Mrs. Cletus Razet of Payne, Ohio, spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Carl Warner.

Mrs. E. McConnel of Lansing spent Tuesday with Mrs. E. H. Field of Vevay.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Voss and Donna Jean and Edwin visited their aunt, Mrs. Elizabeth Potter, in Alameda Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Deuel and Tony Shuster were in Vevay City and other northern places over the week end visiting relatives.

William Uch of East Lansing is visiting his brother, Chester Burwell, Mr. and Mrs. Burwell and Mr. Uch were in Pontiac Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bush and Mrs. Alice Cavender were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve VanHorn of Howell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Conover and son, Jack, enjoyed a trip to the Irish Hills Sunday and visited in Brooklyn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Archbold and Frank Archbold of Detroit were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hawn.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Post and family, Mrs. Henry Irwin and Richard Lyon are spending the week near Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hazel and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harrington spent the week end with friends in Akron, Ohio, and Sunday attended the Soap Box Derby races at Akron airport.

C. R. Chapman and Dr. Wayne Chapman and Mrs. Chapman of East Lansing and Miss Winifred Burt were guests Wednesday night of Dr. F. J. Kellogg and Mrs. Kellogg.

H. B. Holmes and Mrs. Alma Butten of Sarnia and Mrs. Gladys McNall of Rome were callers at the home of Irvon Holmes Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Helen Collins and nephew, Walter W. Hicks, Jr., of Washington, D. C., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown of Leslie. The Browns family formerly resided in Aurelius.

Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith and Miss Ellen Smith, accompanied by E. P. Augsburg of Durand, left Thursday morning on a trip to New York, where they will attend the World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown of Aurelius arrived home Sunday from a two weeks trip in the East. They attended the New York World's Fair and visited relatives in Worcester, Massachusetts, and Watport, New York.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. King of Lansing, owners of the King-Carter Nursery in Mason, are attending the New York World Fair. They were joined at York, Pennsylvania, by their son, Richard.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kent gave a dinner at the home of Mr. Kent's mother, Mrs. Eunice Kent, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kent and children of Perry, Mrs. Elizabeth Potter, Mrs. Eunice Kent remained with her sister for a few days.

Mrs. Ed Young and daughter, Alma, of Howell were week end guests of Dr. W. H. Oldt and Mrs. Oldt.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Osterberg and family spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Behrens and family and Mrs. Anna MacInnis and son in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Kent of Perry and Eunice Kent were called Monday night of Mrs. Elizabeth Potter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carrier of Tacoma, Washington, and their daughter, Mrs. George Phillips, and son, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carrier, were at their cottage at the Eaton Rapids camp grounds last week. They also visited in Romeo, visited Mrs. Dakin's sisters in Marine City, and spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Dakin, and family in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Don Standish and Mrs. Nettie Lane of Lansing were guests Tuesday at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard honoring Mrs. Hattie Freedman on her birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Fern Shuck is enjoying a vacation from her work at the MacLum and Camp beauty shop. Mr. and Mrs. Shuck are spending their vacation on a trip along the lake shore to the Straits.

Mr. and Mrs. Rena Cramer and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Scott have returned home from a trip through the South. They visited Look Out Mountain and Signal Mountain at Chattanooga, Tennessee, and many other interesting places in Kentucky and Tennessee.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adlof made a 1500-mile tour of Michigan last week. They visited the Soo and the Pictured Rocks near Munising and drove through the Iron and copper country to Copper Harbor and Fort Wilkins by way of the picturesque Blackway Mountain Drive.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sligh and family are enjoying a trip through northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kelly and Jimmy and Miss Mary Handlin are at Higgins Lake this week.

Mrs. Henry Eggers and son were taken to their home from the Corsant hospital Sunday.

Mrs. Martha Wauve was at her farm last week, where she has been repairing her buildings.

Irene Shults has been spending the week in Detroit with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Kerr.

Mrs. Abbie Aldrich of Leslie visited her daughter, Mrs. Madge Young, Wednesday.

Miss Emma Belle Jewett is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Palmer in Grand Rapids.

Dr. J. A. Kerns of New York University is visiting his mother, Mrs. Ida Kerns, and friends in Mason.

Miss Bernice White, deputy county clerk, is enjoying a two weeks vacation.

Bobby Ludlum of Lansing, son of Dr. L. C. Ludlum and Mrs. Ludlum, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Ella Ludlum, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Harrison and Mrs. Emma Darrow spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Harrison at Crooked Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rathbun and Gloria were at Hess Lake over the week end as guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Nussdorfer of Newaygo.

C. L. Blecker, assistant cashier of the Dart National Bank, and Mrs. Blecker are at Higgins Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graham, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Ingalls of Leslie, spent the week end in the north.

Employees of the county clerk's office are to be entertained Saturday by Miss Margaret Huston at her cottage at Lake Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance McIntyre and daughter, Mary, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Harkness at Higgins Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin M. Boyne and children are guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hall and family at Higgins Lake.

Mrs. A. V. Smith is spending the remainder of the week at Hess Lake. Dr. Smith will be at the lake for the week end.

Mrs. Lawrence Barton and Mrs. Frank Fettes spent last Thursday with friends in the Break O'Day neighborhood.

Mrs. Jack Hopkins of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Norris Bott of Stockbridge called on Trent Sawyer Sunday.

Harold Prange of Kalamazoo and Bob Goswitz of St. Paul, Minnesota, were week end guests of Fred Kellogg.

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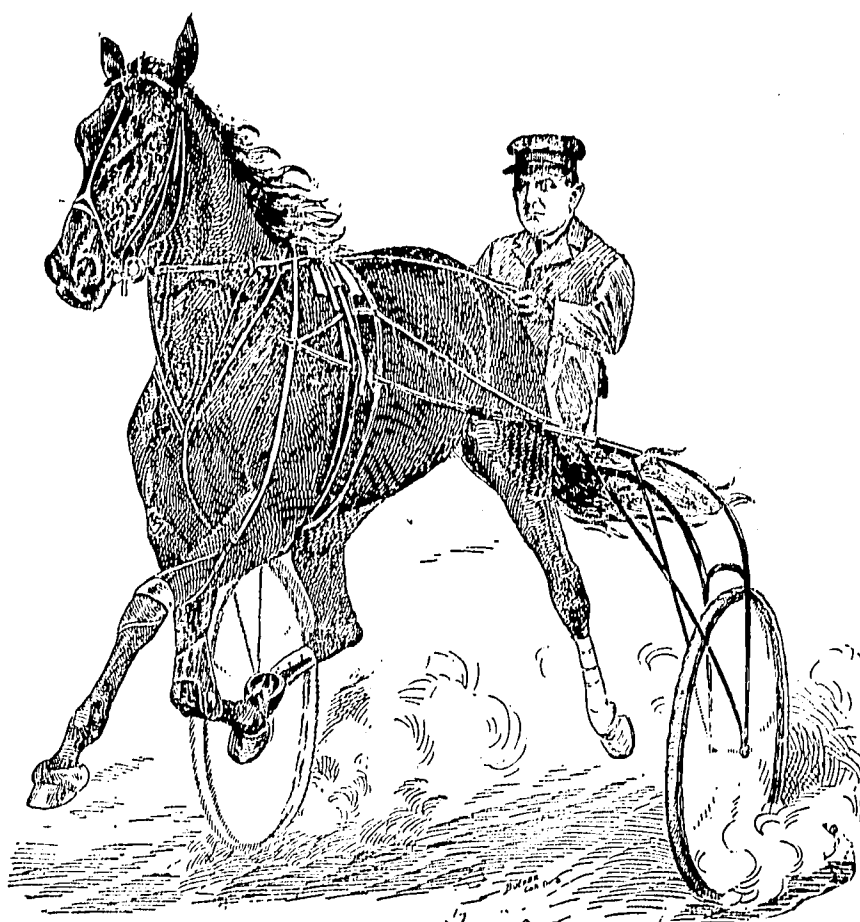
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August 23, 24, 25, 26

Horse Pulling Contests

WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON

Baseball Games

WEDNESDAY—Mason vs. Dansville. THURSDAY—Stockbridge vs. Fowlerville. FRIDAY—Winners of previous day's games. SATURDAY—Two American Legion Teams.

Horse Racing

THURSDAY — FRIDAY — SATURDAY

4-H and F.F.A. Exhibits

Judging begins Thursday forenoon, August 24, and is completed Friday forenoon, August 25. Don't fail to see this year's exhibits.

PROGRAM

TUESDAY, AUGUST 22, 8 P. M.

Opening of Midway—First Performance of Raum's Circus
Free admission to the Fair Grounds, grandstand 25c.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 23

AFTERNOON: Horsepulling contests (light and heavy-weight) — Pony Race — First drawing for Automobile Baseball Game—Raum's Circus—Vocational School Band. EVENING: Raum's Circus—Vocational School Band—Final Drawing for automobile.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 24

FORENOON: Judging of exhibits. AFTERNOON: Horse racing—Baseball game—Raum's Circus—Napoleon Band. EVENING: Napoleon Band—Livestock Parade—Raum's Circus.

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 25

FORENOON: Completion of judging—4-H Softball Tournament. AFTERNOON: Racing program — Baseball — Napoleon Band. EVENING: Napoleon Band—Raum's Circus.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 26

FORENOON: Finals of 4-H softball tournament. AFTERNOON: Vocational School Band—Raum's Circus—Racing—Baseball game. EVENING: Vocational School Band—Final performance of Raum's Circus and Red Devil Drivers in front of grandstand.

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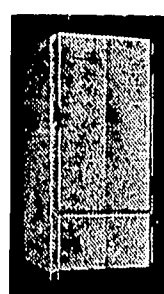
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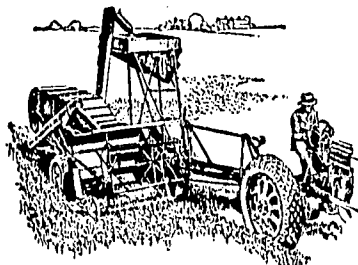
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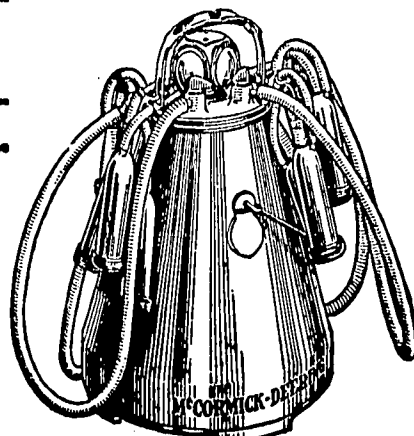


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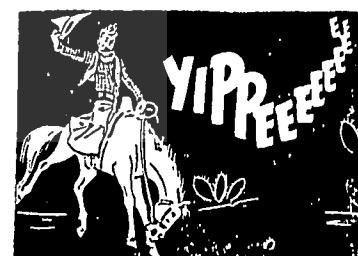


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VILLAGE OF DANSVILLE

The annual reunion of the Ingham Township school will be held Sunday, August 10, at the school. A noon dinner will be served at noon, followed by the business meeting and program. All former pupils, teachers and all others in the community are welcome.

Mrs. Basil, Dean of Collinsville, Illinois, was honor guest Monday afternoon at the home of Dr. Nora Walker. Bridge and 500 were played during the afternoon. Mrs. Dean winning the prize for 500 and Miss Rose Backus receiving honors at bridge. Guests were Mrs. Earl Dakin of Lansing, Mrs. Elizabeth Backus and daughters, Rose and Anne, and Mrs. Mina Olla.

Several friends of Dora Smalley and Dorothy Harrison enjoyed a weenie roast Sunday night at Pleasant Lake in honor of their birthday anniversaries. Those present were Dorothy

Kent, Mildred Somers, Alberta Schmidt, Virginia Stewart, Jane Dalton, Bob and Lowell Somers, Ralph and Charles Greenough, Wayne Dalton, Fred Houg, Frank Scripser, Harold Kelley, Lawrence Morn and George Schmidt.

The Woman's Missionary society of the Free Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon with Mrs. S. A. Walters. The meeting will be called at two o'clock by the president, Mrs. May Sly.

Friends who called on Mrs. Laura Randall last week were Lester Parks, Miss Morehouse and Claud Abbott of Williamston and Bert Riggs of Montrose. Mr. Riggs had not been in Dansville for 64 years. The big fire had destroyed many of the older buildings and many others had been torn down and only a few old residents were left making Dansville barely recognizable to him.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Diehl accompanied their son, David, to Detroit Saturday, where he is in training with the Detroit Lions football team at the Cranbrook school.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hunter of Leslie were visitors Sunday of Dr. H. L. Calhoun and Mrs. Calhoun.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker and Mr. and Mrs. Claude West were entertained at dinner Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Barr of Mason in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Barr's father, J. B. West, of Lansing.

Mrs. Irene Braman and Mrs. Beryl Sweet of Lansing were in Clare Monday on business.

Eddie Fitzsimmons, who is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Braman, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Philip Blough of Ann Arbor. Miss Myrnetta Curtis was a guest of her sister, Margaret, at Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mrs. Rose Corwin and Mrs. Ruth Williams were visitors of Mrs. Ida Turnhill, who is recovering from an operation at the home of her sister, Mrs. Loretta White of Mason, Monday.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Posdick of Battle Creek, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Critchett of Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lincoln of Boliviere, Illinois.

Miss Irene Cramton of Lake Fenton called on friends here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks and Will Keene were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn of Wheatfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Davis returned to Detroit Sunday after a week's visit at the home of the latter's father, Charles Curtis.

Mrs. Ruth Williams spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Jay Boyle, of East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Square Holt attended the Boyce reunion at the county park Sunday.

Gerald Walker of Lansing was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Briggs of Jackson were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Utter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glover and Verla were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Cruse of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Curtis and family spent Sunday at the Detroit Zoo. The condition of Mrs. May Curtis is reported about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ickes and Mr. and Mrs. Clara Smith returned Saturday from a week's trip through northern Michigan and Wisconsin, returning through Chicago, where they visited the Swift Packing Plant and the Zoo.

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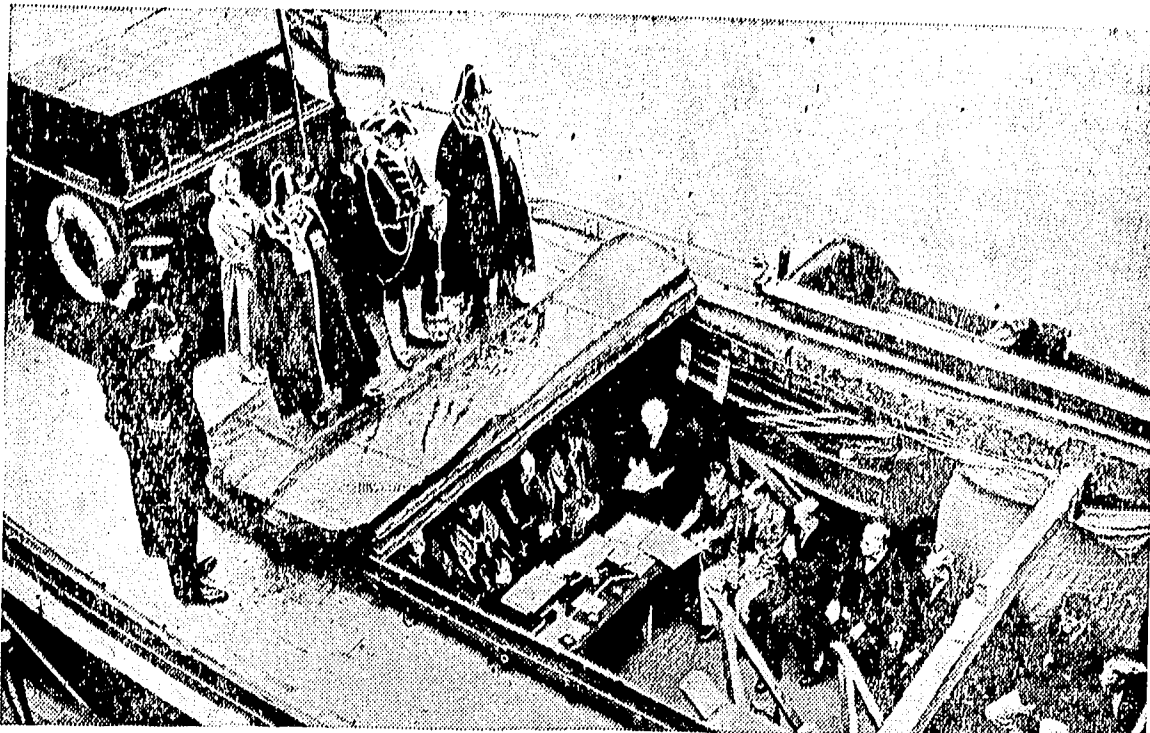
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Justice Makes Its Yearly Trip to River Thames



This most unusual scene is duplicated on the River Thames in Rochester, Eng., but once a year, when the mayor of one of the five so-called "Zinque cities" presides as admiral over the admiralty court. The court convenes once a year on a barge. All squabbles which have arisen during the past year among those who make their living on the river are brought up and ironed out. This year the mayor of Rochester is the complainants and defendants who have waited one year for justice to be meted out.

GRAYLING'S TROUT "FACTORY"



Production of fingerling trout at the Grayling state fish hatchery, shown above, will increase materially when remodeling activity now being carried on with CCC assistance is completed. New rearing ponds are under construction, a pump house is being built and grounds are being landscaped. The hatchery, producing principally brook trout, with smaller numbers of brown and rainbow trout, now supplies several million fingerling trout annually for planting in Michigan waters.

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who had been at the Sherman home the past week, returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Warfield of Highland Park were week end guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Laughlin.

Mrs. Nellie Cline and Mrs. Minnie Blakeley of Miller Road were guests of their father, Robert Swan, Thursday in honor of his 85th birthday. Mrs. Cline stayed until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Elford of Detroit were week end guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elford.

Miss Ernestine Keene of Lansing was a week end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Keene.

Mrs. Henry Lee spent Wednesday and Thursday at the home of her daughter, Miss Grace Lee of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Sharland were visitors of the latter's sister, Mrs. Lottie Whitehead, of Howell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dowling are spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bert Post of Mears.

Mrs. Edna Peterson and daughter, Dora, of Highland were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Evert Pettoys and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dunsmore and son, Roy, of Williamston were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Roy West.

John Otto and Miss Allenbernt of Chelsea were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Balmer Sunday night.

Mrs. May Powers of Detroit spent last week caring for her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Hayhoe, who are both confined to their beds by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hendee of Williamston and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayhoe were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy West Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrtal Grimes and family of Lansing were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grimes, Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Nicholson of St. Louis, Missouri, Mary Corwin and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corwin were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Corwin of Williamston Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobart and Mrs. Lottie Kent were entertained at dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Storms of Williamston.

Mrs. Ona Almond enjoyed the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Olin of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dalton spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sager, of Sugar Loaf Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowen of Lansing were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Dalton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Keezer of East Lansing were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Balmer.

The Rev. Merlin Osborne and Mrs. Osborne of Conway were guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayhoe, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy West were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Every of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Foster and family of Lansing spent the week end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Raymond.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Meredith spent Thursday with relatives in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dowling were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchell of Leslie Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen and sons were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fenton Self of Dimondale Friday night.

Mrs. Dora Rice and son, Larned of Milford and Mrs. Lottie Stowe of Pontiac were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alford Powelson Sunday. Virginia, Alfreda and Stella Powelson returned with them and Mrs. Stowe remained for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomas and family of Sidney, Ohio, and Mrs. Ada Thomas of New York City and Mrs. Agnes Gallister and Mrs. George

Smith of Jackson were visitors of Miles Warfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin and Mrs. Elvira Powell of Jackson were visitors of the latter's sister, Mrs. Sarah Howlett, Thursday.

Mrs. Alice Raymond of Ypsilanti is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Addie Smith. Mrs. Raymond will teach at the Welsh's Corners school near Ann Arbor for her third year.

Miss Lena Strong of Detroit is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George White.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Hague of Ann Arbor were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Card Sunday.

Jack Main of Rockford, Illinois, was a visitor of Mrs. Myrtle Briggs Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howlett of Howell and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hase of Owosso were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Searl Briggs Sunday.

The Misses Dora, Simons, Marie Cavanaugh, Helen Bird, Elanthe Haynes, Eleanor Shepperd, Rita Garrison, Loretta Garrison and Mrs. Ardis Keezer are camping at Pleasant Lake this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hanna and daughter, Mary Jeanette, spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. James Foster, of Howerville.

Mrs. Gladys Heydon and Joan spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Harold King and family of Potterville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Posdick of Battle Creek were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Branan and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Walker Sunday.

Miss Madlyn Anderson is spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson of Lansing. Miss Donna Walker is visiting at the Schneirla farm near Clinton this week.

Mrs. Anna Bell of Howell was a week end guest of her sister, Mrs. Clara Vogt, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Vogt and son, Junior, visited Mrs. Joseph Miller of Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Abbott, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Otis and Mrs. Eleanor Sawyer were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hazelton of Detroit.

Where Ivan Abbott is recovering from his long illness. He was discharged from the Ford hospital last Thursday and is now slowly gaining.

Mrs. Harold Hoarer of Manchester spent Friday at the home of her brother, Clayton Balmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Evert Pettoys spent Wednesday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Pearsall, of Highland. Dorothy Pettoys returned home with her grandparents and other relatives.

Mrs. Irven Holmes of Mason spent Friday with her sister, Mrs. Roy West. Mrs. Julia Walker spent Wednesday with Mrs. E. D. Barr of Mason, both visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John West of Lansing in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Otis and Mrs. Eleanor Sawyer were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Otis of Wheatfield Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Taylor of Lansing were week end guests of his

uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett Taylor.

Mrs. Ada Ridley was called to Jackson Friday on account of the death of her brother-in-law, Mr. Snyder, who had been ill for some time.

Katherine Keen and Mrs. Romann Fancher of Lapeer and Mrs. Joseph Doss and son, Charles, of Lincoln Park visited Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Prary and Mrs. L. A. Randall Monday.



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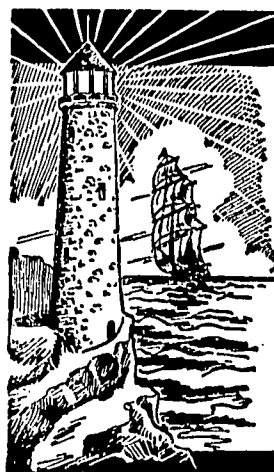
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MICHIGAN TEAM EXCELLENT

Michigan's 4-H poultry judging team which competed recently in the World's Poultry Congress at Cleveland shared a rating of excellent with teams from 11 other states. Three other teams were scored superior and 12 other state teams rated a good classification.



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Daily

7:55 a. m., 12, 4:45, 7:25 p. m.

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Holt
Another marriage of interest to Holt people was that of Miss Althea L. Wynne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Davenport, to Dr. Russell L. Pluch of Lansing, on Saturday afternoon, August 12. Dr. D. Stanley Coors, of the Central Methodist

church, Lansing, performed the ceremony in the presence of 30 relatives and friends. Major Samuel Pluch and Mrs. Pluch attended the couple. Out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Elliott, Sr., of Flint and S. A. Williams of Marquette. After a motor trip to northern Michigan, Dr. and Mrs. Pluch will be at home, September 1 at 1631 West Barnes.

Housel U. B. Pastor Returned To Charge

REV. I. H. OSGOOD RETURNS FOR THIRD YEAR.

At the annual conference of the United Brethren church held at Barnaby camp grounds, Sunfield, the Rev. I. H. Osgood was returned to the Housel church for another year. He has been at the Housel church for two years.

The Housel church financial statement was submitted. It showed that the pastor's salary and all claims assessed by the conference had been paid in full, the total expenditures amounting to a little more than \$1800 for all purposes.

The conference and camp meetings were well attended this year. Praise was given Gov. Laren D. Dickinson by several members of the church. The Rev. George Bonnard, author of the hymn, "The Old Rugged Cross," was the camp meeting evangelist.

Wounding Of Trooper Cancels Auto Trade

HAD MADE AUTOMOBILE DEAL HERE SATURDAY.

When Corey K. Diamond, 30, of Lansing accidentally dropped his service revolver Monday morning and a cartridge was discharged an automobile transaction with the Hall-Slagh company of Mason was upset. Trooper Diamond of the Michigan State police was buckling his holster onto his belt Monday morning when the revolver slipped out and fell to the floor. The gun was discharged and the bullet went through the trooper's right hand, struck him in the chin, passed around his head under his scalp and lodged under the right mastoid bone. He is in the St. Lawrence hospital in a serious condition.

Trooper Diamond had purchased several cars through the Mason company. He and Mrs. Diamond were in Mason Saturday and signed a contract for the purchase of a new car. Request was made Monday that the contract be cancelled because the trooper will have to use his automobile money to pay hospital expenses. Hall-Slagh cancelled the contract.

Calendar of Events For Coming Week

	S	M	T	W	T	F	S
AUGUST							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	

Thursday, August 17, Important American Legion meeting.

Friday, August 18, Showing of pictures taken in China at the Edison church.

Sunday, August 20, Rolfe Community club picnic at Hanker's resort.

Wednesday-Saturday, August 23-26, Ingham county fair.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

No one could ask for better weather than has been enjoyed the past week. Days have been bright and warm, with one or two nights on the warmish side. There was another welcome rain over the week end. It rained on Friday and Saturday but in several showers the rainfall amounted to only .10 of an inch. But early Sunday morning there was plenty of rain, enough to flood many basements when storm sewers couldn't carry it away fast enough. There was a sharp electrical storm about three o'clock Sunday morning and another rain storm at six o'clock. An even inch of rain fell to bless the crops.

The rain was general throughout the state, from the Ohio line to the Straits. The Mason community received a full share while some of the neighboring counties received only half an inch.

Crops are looking fine. There is going to be real corn this year.

Peaches and plums and early apples are ripe. Harmon's cider mill has started operations. The Leslie peach belt and other peach sections of the county have luscious fruit for sale.

NEW PONTIAC AGENCY
Paul E. Orewiller is the new manager of the Pontiac Sales and Service at the Gulf Super Service, operated by Vern Buton, at the corner of State and Maple. Mr. Orewiller is a man of years experience in the successful operation of automobile businesses. He has engaged Herman Miller of Mason as salesman for new and used cars. Charles Mygrant will handle the service end of the business.

Hawley
Constance Crowl

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt are spending the week at the New York World's Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Howery of Eaton Rapids spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Howery.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Ballard and Mr. and Mrs. John VinDouser and family attended the Ballard family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ballard and family.

The Hawley 4-H club members and their parents attended the Ionia fair Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollo Bouldery attended the Robbins family reunion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Longyear of Lansing and Mary Catherine Howery, who is employed by Mr. Longyear in his insurance office, left Wednesday on a two weeks vacation in the north. Richard Lyon left Sunday on a trip through the north.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Launstein and Lee visited Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Douglas Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grimes and Mr. and Mrs. David of Lapeer spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hodgson and family. Mrs. Hodgson, who spent the past week here, returned home with them.

Legal Notice

FINAL ACCT. DAY-SEPT. 13
State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said County, on the 11th day of August, A. D. 1939.

Present: HON. JOHN McLELLAN, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of MARY L. DAY, Deceased.

Sella C. Martin having filed in said Court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof, and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 13th day of September, 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.

A true copy. Judge of Probate.

DAVID C. BEATTY, Register of Probate.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of principal and interest secured by a certain real estate mortgage given by Edwin C. Burrows and Alma M. Burrows, husband and wife, to the First State and Savings Bank, a banking corporation of the City of Mason, Ingham County, Michigan, on December 8, 1925, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Ingham County, Michigan, on December 9, 1925, in Liber 240 of Mortgages, Page 382; and said mortgage having been assigned by said mortgagee to Ella M. Burrows, on June 20, 1931, said assignment being recorded in said Register's office on August 9, 1931, in Liber 382, Page 192;

Wherefore, said assignee, Herbert A. Brown, claims that there is due on the principal of said mortgage eighteen hundred dollars (\$1,800.00), and on defaulted interest, one thousand eight hundred dollars (\$1,800.00), making the total amount due on said mortgage at the date of this notice, the sum of two thousand and six hundred dollars (\$2,600.00); and no suit or proceedings, either at law or in equity, having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained therein, said mortgage will be foreclosed to satisfy the amount due thereon, including principal, interest with costs of foreclosure and an attorney fee of thirty-five dollars (\$35.00) as provided for in said mortgage, by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder at the west (front) door of the Court House in the City of Mason, Ingham County, Michigan, on the tenth day of November, 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, which premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

The southwest quarter of the northwest quarter and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section Number One of Town Two North of Range One West, Vexay Township, Ingham County, Michigan.

Dated, August 14, 1939.

HERBERT A. BROWN, Assignee of Mortgage.

RAYMOND H. McLEAN, Attorney for said Assignee. Business Address: Mason, Mich. 55w13

Plan Health Classes For Women Of County

HEALTH DEPARTMENT TO CONDUCT CLASSES.

Maternal and child hygiene classes are being organized for women of Ingham county. Eight or 10 groups will be taught by a physician selected by the Michigan department of health. The classes will be conducted under the auspices of the county which are operating with the county health department. Miss Esther Nash of the Michigan department of health is busy this week interviewing local service committee chairmen in various parts of the county to determine plans for the classes. Mrs. W. R. Freeman is county chairman of all service committees. Each class organized will have six meetings.

The subject to be discussed includes first aid, our body and how it functions, illustrated with slides; how life begins and care of the expectant mother; care and training of babies and young children, the entitled "Around the Clock with You and Your Child"; communicable diseases, their prevention and control, sound film on tuberculosis; and the challenge of cancer, and the menopause; change of life, illustrated with slides.

Classes will begin about the second or third week of September.

Mason Man Becomes Merchant In Durand

ASSOCIATED WITH BROTHER-IN-LAW IN FURNITURE STORE.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman, Sparling their daughter, Miss Margaret Sparling, and son, Bud Sparling, left for Durand Monday where Mr. Sparling has joined his brother-in-law, Howard Jordan, in the furniture business.

The Sparling family has been prominent in Alameda township and the county for a number of years. Several years ago Norman Sparling and his family left the old Peter Sparling homestead at Alameda Center and came to Mason to reside. Mr. Sparling was connected with A. A. Howell & Co. and last spring became associated with a farm implement agency in Williamston. The daughter was graduated from Mason high school in June and will begin her studies at the University hospital in Ann Arbor this fall. The son was a member of the Mason high school football and tennis teams last year.

Mason People Return With Canadian Fish

HUGE PIKE AND TROUT IN NORTHERN ONTARIO.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kent and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Fancher returned from the wilds of Northern Ontario with glowing reports of the beauty and bounty of Nature. They said that up there no one bothers about fish regarded as big game. Pike must weigh around 10 pounds and trout must weigh four and five or they are tossed back, the Mason people said.

Mr. and Mrs. Kent and Mr. and Mrs. Fancher were at Bussineau's camp at Thessalon, 125 miles north of the Canadian Soo in the Mississippi river valley. They had to abandon their car and hike and came the last day's journey into camp. While Americans are penetrating the Ontario wilderness in increasing numbers, the Mason people reported, the country is as yet unspoiled.

TAKEN AT HOMECOMING

Earl Ridd, 24, of Stockbridge was arrested by Deputies Lou Boyce and Jack Lechler Wednesday night when he interrupted a band concert at the homecoming by striking his wife, W. G. Reeves, Stockbridge business man, went to the rescue of the woman and held Ridd at bay until officers arrived. Ridd put up a strenuous battle and his wife and friends also tried to aid the man but he was subdued by the officers and brought to the county jail in Mason. Taken before Justice William S. Seelye on a drunk and disorderly charge Thursday forenoon, Ridd pleaded guilty and was sentenced to serve 75 days in the county jail without the alternative of settling the case by payment of fine and costs.

Lansing Flyer Victim In Army Plane Crash

DAUGHTER OF TOWNSHIP SUPERVISOR MADE WIDOW.

Lieutenant Homer MacKay, son of the Rev. W. M. MacKay of the North Presbyterian church in Lansing and son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Moore of Lansing township, was one of the nine men killed at Langley Field, Virginia, last Friday when a Douglas B-18-A bomber crashed during a take-off. With the Lansing lieutenant was another commissioned officer and seven enlisted men. The plane was only 150 feet from the ground when one of the motors failed. Lieutenant MacKay tried to maneuver the plane to the back river nearby but it crashed to the earth and burst into flames. All the soldiers were burned.

The Lansing flyer was a Michigan State student before becoming a cadet at Randolph Field, Texas, from which he was graduated in June of 1938. The Sunday before the crash the lieutenant and his wife observed their first wedding anniversary.

Lux Toilet Soap, 5c bar; 3 bars to a customer, at Ware's.

MASON STORES and CLERKS

Miss Evelyn Quinn is working at the soda fountain at Peters Cut Rate drug store.

Wayne Feighner is now operating a used car lot at the rear of the Couch building at the corner of Park and Sycamore streets.

Mrs. Donald Cady is assisting at the Paristyle Shoppe during the absence of Mrs. Smith, who left Thursday morning for New York on a business and pleasure trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Harnack are vacationing at the World's Fair in New York. Mr. Harnack is the manager of the Gamble store. Charles Harnack of Owosso is in charge of the store for the present.


A new addition has been added to the A. J. Torrance service station to house the lift jack mentioned last week in this column.

Schmidt's department store is having a store-wide "Back-to-school" sale.

John Slagh of the Hall-Slagh garage is vacationing in northern Michigan.

Do you want to know what the various exhibits will contain at the Ingham County Fair? Be sure to read the ads in the News. There are many "hot" specials offered for this particular week only.

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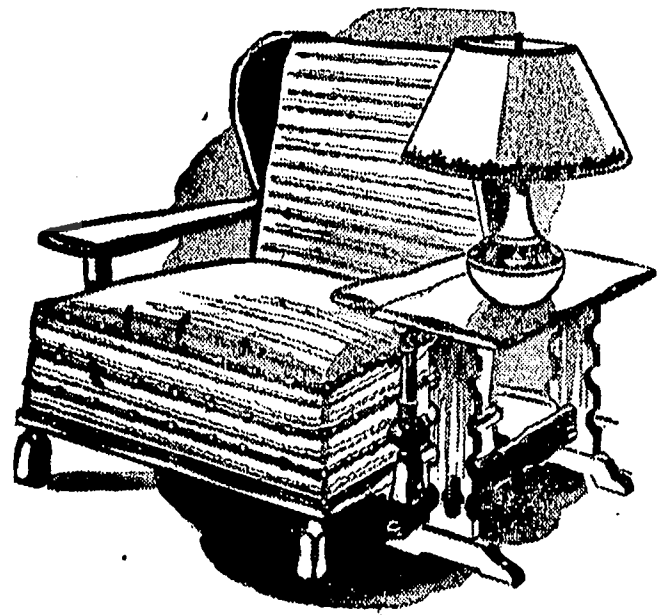
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HOLSTEIN HERD HIGH IN JULY PRODUCTION

GOOD PRODUCTION IN LANSING-INGHAM GROUP.

E. A. Rowland, living north of Lansing, had highest average herd during the July round of Wallace Bodell, Herd Improvement Association. His eight Holsteins averaged 1270 pounds of milk and 38.6 pounds of fat. Blow Mr. Bodell has arranged the two high herds according to size of herd:

(1) E. A. Rowland, 8 registered Holsteins, average 1270 pounds milk, 38.6 pounds fat; (2) Burhans & Groh, 7 registered Jerseys, average 763 pounds milk, 36.0 pounds fat; (3) C. J. Zeeb and Sons, 14 registered Holsteins, average 1115 pounds milk, 37.3 pounds fat; (4) J. H. Lavis, 10 registered Guernseys, average 742 pounds milk, 36.8 pounds fat; (5) N. E. Glassbrook, 20 registered Guernseys, average 581 pounds milk, 24.3 pounds fat; (6) Laverly & Anthony, 17 mixed grade, average 613 pounds milk, 23.8 fat.

High producing individual is a mature grade Holstein belonging to C. J. Zeeb and Sons of Eagle, she giving 2340 pounds of 3.1 milk or 72.6 pounds of fat. Following are shown the two high cows in the four age divisions:

Over 5 years: (1) C. J. Zeeb and Sons, grade Holstein, 2340 pounds milk, 72.5 pounds fat; (2) E. W. Hammond, registered Holstein, 1998 pounds milk, 67.9 pounds fat.

Under 5 years: (1) Glenn Williams, registered Brown Swiss, 1605 pounds milk, 69.0 pounds fat; (2) William Birkholz, registered Holstein, 1711 pounds milk, 59.9 pounds fat.

Under 4 years: (1) Vern Higbee, grade Jersey, 1155 pounds milk, 58.0 pounds fat; (2) E. W. Hammond, grade Holstein, 1398 pounds milk, 57.3 pounds fat.

Under 3 years: (1) C. J. Zeeb and Sons, grade Holstein, 1500 pounds milk, 48.0 pounds fat; (2) E. W. Hammond, grade Holstein, 1041 pounds milk, 46.9 pounds fat.

A total of 26 herds numbering 307 cows were tested during the period. Twenty-three of these produced in excess of 50 pounds butter fat. Twelve herds were being pastured on sweet clover and two on alfalfa. Four animals were culled and one sold for dairy purposes.

Controls Are Found For Mosquito Crop

COMMUNITY CAMPAIGNS HAVE BEEN SUCCESSFUL.

Those who dread the whirling sound from a mosquito's wings and the subsequent swarming bites can do something about battling the pest.

But mosquito control in any of several forms is quite a job and that is why it usually is side-tracked, says Prof. E. I. McDaniell of the entomology department of Michigan State college. The staff member has completed recently, a study of control measures.

Any mosquito control program to be effective is centered around still water, says Professor McDaniell. That is the logical place to do battle with two of the four stages of a mosquito's life cycle, those of the larvae of wrigglers and the pupae stages. Its too difficult to effectively control the winged adult or the egg.

Full effectiveness requires community-wide campaigns, the study reveals. Breeding places may keep on supplying the pests early in May into September.

Some of the effective controls include drainage of stagnant pools, filling to prevent overflowing lowlands in early spring, straightening of river banks, dredging streams or drainage ditches to create a current and even opening up the banks of lakes so that the wind can roughen up the water surface.

Lawns or park areas can be rid of the insects temporarily by use of a spray. A more complete description of the processes is being printed in the August issue of the Quarterly Bulletin of the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station, East Lansing.

COOPERATIVES NUMEROUS

More than 15,000 farmer-owned and controlled cooperative associations and mutual companies are in operation in the United States. It is estimated by the federal Farm Credit Administration.

PUBLIC FORUM

Relief Costs

In your recent editorial on relief entitled "Home Rule" something was said very forcibly which has long needed saying. It bears repeating until the situation of the wide divergence in the amounts of local contributions for relief is corrected.

Some counties have been unwilling to bear their fair share of the cost of relief. Due to local pressures, political and otherwise, an unhealthy situation developed. Those in administrative positions seemed powerless to combat the pressure and change the situation.

To make matters worse, many counties imposed upon themselves voluntarily the 15-mill tax limitation, and having done so were then free to cry out helplessly, "what can we do, our hands are tied." It was much after the manner of the youth who, having murdered his parents pleaded with the court for clemency on the grounds that he was now an orphan.

In your editorial, notice is taken of the fact that Ingham county has always done its fair share in helping pay relief costs. Is not that as it should be? Is not the point of the argument that numerous other counties should have paid more? The fact needs recognition, also, that the sense of responsibility for relief which officials in Ingham county have had, helped to bring us to a situation, now that there is a drive on for greater equalization, which is distinctly healthier than that prevailing in most counties.

An error in one statement regarding the local contribution being over 50% is of sufficient importance to warrant the submission of the following data. In the calendar year of 1938 our organization spent \$1,235,455.53 on general relief. Local contributions amounted to \$404,630.01 or 32.7-10%. In addition to the above we spent \$83,613.00 on federal aid and \$43,155.25 for the operation of the bureau where most of our homeless single men are housed. Or a grand total of \$1,362,223.78 against which the percentage of local contribution would stand at 29.7-10% which is considerably better than any other county excepting Monroe and Wayne. It should be noted that local political units are billed for 40% of the cost of relief for the persons on relief having legal settlement in that political unit.

For the first seven months of 1939 the total commitments were \$546,584.24, with local contributions of \$151,636.16 or a percentage of 27.7-10% from local funds.

Thank you for your editorial as well as the interest you have shown in relief—which the New York Times designates as "America's Number One Problem."

N. W. KUNKEL
August 15, 1939.

Mason Beats Haslett Without Last Frame

GAME ENDED IN NINTH OVER FAULTY UMPIRING.

Either Mason Merchants beat Haslett 8 to 5 or lost 9 to 8 Sunday at Lake Lansing. The Mason contingent prefers the former outcome and is sticking to it.

Mason had a lead of 8 to 5 going into the ninth. The first Haslett man filed out, the second scratched a hit and the third man filed out. The fourth man was safe on an error in judgment with one score coming in. The next man was purposely walked. Then Roland Corbin began to throw his pitches past the hitters but the umpire kept calling them balls. Mason protested, the protests were supported by the fans and finally the Mason team left the field. The game was not called and so the score reverted back to the last of the eighth inning. Mason supporters claim. The Mason manager and players were high in their praise of the sportsmanship and ability of the Haslett players but agreed that the officiating bordered on highway robbery.

The Mason Merchants will play at St. Johns Sunday afternoon.

IN TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Among the entries in the Traverse City Junior tennis tournament composed of resorters and local players, is Vernon Montague of Mason who is resorting near Traverse City. The tournament attracted a wealth of coming young court stars who are summing in the Grand Traverse region. Thirty-two boys and 16 girls are listed in the drawings.

Leaders At National Fraternal Congress In Detroit



Charles L. Biggs, president of the National Fraternal Congress, welcomed some important visitors to a mass demonstration of 86 fraternal societies Monday, August 14, at the Michigan state fairground at Detroit. The colorful exhibition of over 5,000 gaily costumed members of fraternal drill teams, drum and bugle corps and bands was sponsored by the National Fraternal Congress during its 53rd annual convention at Detroit this week. Sixty-one Michigan drill teams joined similar groups from all parts of the United States.

Biggs, shown shaking hands with Governor Luren D. Dickinson, seated next to Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg, while Mayors David Croll of Detroit look on. Senator Vandenberg delivered the principal address of the afternoon, predicting "a return of American free enterprise" which will bring the United States out of the economic depression in six months.

Mules May Be Stubborn But They Have Intelligence



A mule is one of the star actors in Raums Circus which will provide entertainment at the Ingham county fair next week. Herbert Hoover is the name of this mule and he can hold his own against the best horses.

Insurance Salesmen Leaving For Quebec

EXPENSES PAID FOR SUCCESSFUL INSURANCE MEN.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Tietz of Mason, Harold Ludtke of Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Howe of Lansing are leaving this week for a trip to Montreal and Quebec as guests of the Dominion Life Assurance company. The three men were awarded the trips because of their selling record maintained during the year. All expenses of the three men, including tips, railroad fare, meals and steamship tickets are being paid for by the home office. Only a few more than 50 salesmen made the necessary quotas to entitle them to the all-expense tour.

The Ingham representatives are driving or going by train to Montreal where they will board the Duchess of Richmond, a trans-Atlantic ship, for the trip down the St. Lawrence to Quebec where the company will hold its golden jubilee convention and celebrate its 50th anniversary.

Mr. Tietz has shown outstanding ability as a life insurance agent. He entered the business less than 18 months ago, and sold sufficient business to qualify for the company's convention well ahead of many of the more experienced agents.

After completing the company's training course, Mr. Tietz enrolled in the Research and Review Agents' school. It is expected that Mr. Tietz will receive his certificate of graduation before the end of this year.

Mr. Ludtke's record as a life insurance agent is outstanding. It is an exception rather than the rule that agents in rural territory sell sufficient insurance to qualify for the convention. Mr. Ludtke undertook a course of study in life insurance last year under Professor Hampton Irwin of the University of Michigan which will take four years to complete and if successfully completed, will entitle him to the degree of C. L. U.

Mr. Howe has an enviable record as an insurance salesman. He is a product of the company's training courses and also has a background of experience. Mr. Howe is well known in Mason and throughout the rural section of Ingham county, as well as Lansing. He has been a leading salesman for several years.

PLEADS GUILTY

Jack Ricks of Airluella was arrested by Deputy Fred Fry Saturday night on East Columbia road on a charge of driving while drunk. Taken before Justice William S. Seelye Monday afternoon, Ricks pleaded guilty. He was assessed fine and costs of \$63.35 or the alternative of spending 30 days in the county jail. He was still doing time Thursday. It was also discovered that Ricks did not have a driver's license. His old license had expired.

SLAT'S DIARY

By OLIVER N. WARREN

Sunday: Pa are due for a lotta trouble. I expect. He write up are city's busyness. He write up are city's busyness. He write up are city's busyness.

Monday: Well school commences to begin only 4 wks. from right away. I don't know if I care much if it.

Tuesday: Blisterses Ma sent him to the grocery store to get some sirrip in a jug & gave him a 1/2 dollar to pay for same. The clerk put in the sirrip & remembered the 1/2 dollar he put in the jug. With brot a lotta confushen and showed how little Blisterses don't know about nothing. He really otto got licked. Judging from me doing the same stunt once.

Wednesday: Pa is in bad with Ma and Ant Emmy is sorta offen him all so. Ma ast him what do you sail a man with have just lost his better man & he up and replide and sed she sails him offie lucky. I don't know what but they was some thing about it that Mom got about 1/2 sore becos of same.

Thursday: Mistress Gillen has got a new hirde girl and was a telling Ma and Ant Emmy about her this a. m. She sed she ast her she got eney religies vues and she sed No she has sent but has got some dandie ones of the Rocky Mtns. and Niagrey Falls and etc. Ma and Mistress Gillen laff hartily but Ant Emmy diddent see the funny part. And so diddent I.

Friday: A book agt. was to are house a. p. m. and sed to Ma he had a book on the waders of nacher witch reading same shows how little and insignifekant man are. We diddent perches 1. Becose Ma sed she don't haft to know thers 378pages of no book to wade thers all about that. Becos she already knowe it.

Saturday: I and Jake and Blisterses that it would be a good idear to go down to the crick and ketch some fish. Becos thers what all grate men like Rosenfeld does. But we diddent have no success. We seen a squirl run up a tree and Jake clum the tree and scart it and it jumped out and run up a nother tree in a hole. I mean the

Pair Of Games Split By Dansville Players

LOSE TO LESLIE, WIN OVER JACKSON TEAM.

Dansville's baseball team broke even in a pair of games on the home diamond over the week end. They lost to Leslie Saturday 4 to 2 and won in the last half of the ninth from Jackson Maroons 4 to 3 on Sunday.

Howard Barry's masterful three-hit pitching performance was wasted against Leslie for his mates bunched their errors instead of their hits. Dave Latier pitched a steady band of ball for Leslie, allowing eight hits.

Sunday's game was a brilliant pitching duel between Doc Howell of Dansville and Milt Johnson of Jackson. Howell gave up eight hits and struck out 13 while Johnson allowed nine hits and whiffed 12.

Jackson scored two runs in the first after two men were out. A Texas leaguer single brought in two Maroons who had gotten on, one by a single, the other by a base on balls.

Stevens homered with two on in the sixth to give Dansville the lead 3 to 2. The Maroons tied it in the eighth. Dansville won in the ninth without a hit being retired. Simons beat out a punt. Williams singled to right and Walker blasted out a hit to score Simons.

Showing Ingham Cattle At Shiawassee Show

ANIMALS CHOSEN FROM BEST INGHAM HERDS.

Ingham county's best Jersey cattle, 15 of them, will be shown at the Jersey show being held Friday of this week at the Shiawassee county fair at Corunna. The 15 cattle were picked from the herds of Kenneth Ebbins, Eugene Lyon, Ira Cronkhite, Ralph Hudson and Roland Cook, James Worthington and Amos McCulloh.

Most of the Jerseys shown at Corunna will be in the open class dairy competition at the Ingham county fair next week.

AIRPLANE CONTEST

Sponsored by the Lansing Exchange club, there will be an N. A. A. model airplane contest held at the Lansing airport Saturday, beginning at 9:15 in the morning and continuing until five o'clock in the afternoon. Cash, merchandise and cups will be awarded the winners.

BIRTHDAY GREETINGS

Employees of the John Wyeth & Bro. plant extend birthday greetings to the manager, W. J. Bogely, Tuesday.

hole were in the tree. So we trid so long to get it out and couldnt that fish all got away all so. Losta luck but all bad.

Finns Are A Hardy Race With A Country of Scenic Grandeur

By Francis R. Line

Article No. 10
From An Arctic Mountain Top.
I stood on a mountain crest high above the Arctic Ocean and surveyed the world below me. It was midnight, with a flashing crystal sun shooting white light over all the earth. My climb to the mountain top had been glorious—that first stretch along the snubbling stream in the late evening, that mad scramble over the rock-strewn fells, those ticklish jumps from boulder to boulder. With one jump almost disastrous.

It was July, yet large fields of snow were still battling it out in a last life-the sun, working double shifts, was winning out. Pouring rivulets of melted snow went careening down between the rocks as though in frantic retreat; wide pools of icy water lay concealed under the spongy moss as though in bated hiding from the enemy. This battleground between sun and ice was grand in aspect, yet hard to travel. My jumps and leaps I had made headway toward the summit.

A promontory. A quick turn around a rock cliff. There ahead on my way up, I saw two mountain peaks turned upside down. The thing seemed eerie. Alice in Wonderland stuff. A brief moment of study was necessary in order for me to realize that this was a reflection—the finest I had ever seen—with the two peaks and their patches of snow all done in duplicate on the surface of a mountain lake. The sky was clear and white, without color and the colorless light of midnight so confused me that the whole thing was unreal. It was a perfect subject for photography. It was for something such as this that I had essayed this hike to the Arctic by midnight light. And I shall have to wait until I can see the colored movies of the reflection scene before I can believe that it was really true.

Exhilarated by the beauty of it all—the summit just ahead—I leaped the boulders recklessly. They were encrusted with moss. The space between them was moss-covered and

slippery. My camera equipment was clumsy. A rock slipped. Or I slipped. Or something. I turned an ankle and a somersault at the same time.

A fine patch of moss, with a puddle beneath it, broke my fall. I was unhurt. My camera was unscratched. My trousers were soaked. A leg was broken from my tripod. My watch was broken—stopped at twenty-five minutes to midnight. The bow of my glasses had snapped in two.

Quite luckily on the whole. Our equipment is insured against loss or accident of any kind and when our agent back home reads this he can make out a bill for the damage and thank his stars that I saved the camera.

The summit was close at hand and though I was without a watch the time is no doubt that I made it before midnight. There have been so many "best moments" on this trip that one shouldn't keep adding to them. But that night on the Arctic summit near Linnahamari in northern Finland must have a place on the list.

There far below was the Arctic Ocean. Linnahamari harbor is on a fjord; this was my first sight of the Arctic itself. It was the only one of the "Seven Seas" which I hadn't seen. Just to think! On the other side of this ocean was America!—Alaska. Not far, comparatively, but thus connection with America will be useless until Polar aviation becomes a reality.

But in the other direction—off across the Arctic and the Atlantic toward the west and south. There was a connection with something. For across the vast stretch of water flows the Gulf Stream. Like a Nile carrying fertility into a barren land, that strange current in the ocean gathers some of the warmth from our American continent and bears it to the far northern shores of Norway, Finland and Russia.

Finland's southern ports on the Baltic are frozen in winter months—navigable only with the aid of ice-breakers—but Linnahamari, nearly one thousand miles northwest, is ice free the year 'round. Not alone ice free. This northern exit offers an outlet to Finland in case of a North Sea blockade in time of war.

As I looked to the west I could see the peaks of Norway. The frontier was only seven miles distant. And Russia just six miles in the other direction. Loosen your imagination a trifle and you can visualize the map of Finland as a beautiful dancing lady—skirts pirouetting and arms flung high in a gesture of ecstasy. This northern area of Finland—Pettamo it is called—is one of those areas. It is really just a narrow corridor jutting northward to the Arctic.

Narrow, but mighty in interest. These below were the lakes beyond which Mrs. Line and I had hiked (through ten miles of mosquito country) to a village of Skolt Lapps. Further down—toward the Arctic—was Boris Gleb, a village of Russian Lapps which we visited. And beyond that, two of the greatest waterfalls in Finland—small Nigaras hidden in the Arctic. We spent half of one night hiking to them then spent hours just gazing at the splendid sight.

And beyond all that was Finnish Lapland, then Finland proper off below the Arctic Circle. From my Arctic pinnacle I looked and thought and "day-dreamed" at midnight. We would be leaving Finland now in just three more days. What a country it had been! A country of fine, worthwhile people. A clean country. A country which—given continued freedom from its old enemy Russia—should develop its small resources to the limit and achieve fine things.

There were flaws in the Finnish picture, to be sure. The women of the land work too hard—they assume tasks which seem beneath a woman's station. Much of the country is poor. But the Finnish nation is headed in the right direction. Finland is a land with a future.

Doing a make-over repair job on my tripod, I took a full reel of colored movies by the light of the Midnight Sun, then started down. It was nearly 4 a. m. when I reached our little inn. The place was bolted securely and it took a lot of pebble-throwing before we awakened Mrs. Line's window before she awakened and let me in. A few days later, in a small motorboat, we went down the Pajatsjoki River, across the Norwegian frontier, to Kirkenes. A fjord steamer carried us down to Hammerfest, from where it was just a day's journey to Karasjok, the Lapp capital I had visited on an earlier trip. I was glad to see my Lapp friends again, and they, too, rejoiced at my return.

CHURCHILL LEAVES U. P.
Transfer of Boyd Churchill from the Upper Peninsula experiment station to the staff of Michigan State college at East Lansing is effective this month. He receives the title of assistant professor and research assistant in farm crops. In part time and since 1933 in full time at Chatham, Churchill is credited with introducing Iogold and Iowa 444 oats, Wisconsin 38 barley and O. A. C. 181 peas into Upper Peninsula. He proved out other cultural practices in hay mixtures, rutabaga production, alfalfa-molasses silage, weed control, potato grading and Smith-Hughes Meluen, graduate of Michigan State college in June, 1939, has been appointed to the Chatham staff.

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HOLT

By Mrs. Mary H. King

The G-G-G-G-G division of the Homeowners club will meet Friday at 1:30 with Mrs. Walter Griffin, Bertha street. The discussion at the meeting will be on "The Bedroom."

The Holt Garden club is sponsoring the third flower show on Friday and Saturday, August 25 and 26, at the town hall. Anyone may enter flowers whether belonging to the club or not. There are to be many divisions, such as shadow boxes, miniature bouquets and larger ones, tubs, arrangements and many other plans.

Mrs. Dell Tucker is ill at her home on East Delhi.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Clever are enjoying a vacation and auto trip to northern Michigan. Gerald has just returned from training work at Camp Custer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Myers and two children of Mason have moved into their new home on Edgar road, near Maple Point.

Roger Marshall has been spending a week visiting Jackie Hetzer near Olivet.

The Rev. L. A. Fisher and Mrs. Fisher of Elsie are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langham.

Mrs. E. A. Little and Mrs. L. W. Kraus, entertained the Division 2 of the Presbyterian Ladies Aid society Friday afternoon at the Little home. It was also in honor of Mrs. L. G. Goodrich, who is soon moving to Birmingham, where Mr. Goodrich is to teach.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Horst are entertaining Mrs. M. E. Pease, Miss Peggy Wood and Miss Madeline Wood of Toronto, Ontario.

Charles M. Rich of South Haven is visiting relatives in Holt.

Mr. Fulton, of Miami, Florida, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Harmon Tutwiler, whom he has not seen since 1917. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Russell Fulton and two children from Lynbrook, New York. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Gould of Detroit, are now visiting Mr. and Mrs. Tutwiler. Mrs. Gould is a sister of Mrs. Tutwiler.

Mrs. Pearl Amrin and daughters, Alice Helen and Joyce, who formerly lived in Holt, and later moved to Lansing, have now moved to Washington, D. C., where Mr. Amrin has been employed for some time.

Fourteen Girl Scouts have been enjoying a camping trip at the Goodrich cottage at Duck Lake. They were accompanied by Mrs. Herbert Remala, Miss Martha Mayes and Miss Frances Sheldon. Besides their own efforts to earn for their outing, they were assisted by the Child Study club and their parents.

Hugh Markell of Troop 40 is patrol leader of the Pioneer patrol, a group of the Chief Okemos Council Boy Scouts tour to the World's Fair and points east. On the 2000-mile trip they will visit the Boy Scout camp at Akron, Ohio, the National Boy Scout Scout Reservation at Mendham, New York, Staten Island Boy Scout camp and Camp Barton of Ithaca, New York council, the New York World's Fair and a camp fire with Canadian Boy Scouts at London, Ontario. They are accompanied by Wendell R. Stribley, assistant scout executive, Norman A. Becking, former scout master of Troop 40 and O. Guy Nash, scout master of Troop 58, Portland. They plan to return Saturday August 19, via the Blue Water Bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wilcox are enjoying a trip to Chicago and through Wisconsin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bassler, Jr., have moved into their new home on East Delhi.

Mrs. Mary Dixon, two sons, Donald and Marston, and two daughters, Beatrice and Mayza, and Bernard Miller have returned from a months visit in Florida with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Guggenbiller have purchased the Ted Foster house on North Cedar street and will take possession October 1.

Mrs. Mary King returned to her home Thursday after several weeks visit with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Armstrong, of Chicago, visiting friends on the way home and attending her school reunion at Rice Creek school and church on Thursday, where 100 or more meet for a homecoming each year.

The next regular meeting of Holt Rebekah Lodge No. 446 is Monday night, August 21.

Dean Adams of Mt. Pleasant is visiting Floyd Wallace on his way to Tennessee.

Mrs. Tillie Graham, daughter, Margaret, and granddaughter have returned from a vacation spent at Algonac and Flint.

Miss Barbara MacLachlan of Jackson is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Blanch Wallace.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Davis, August 4, a son, Gordon Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellerby and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Davis attended the Merritt family reunion at Victory park, Albion, on Sunday. Mrs. Ellerby was elected president and the 1940 meeting will be at the Ellerby home the second Sunday in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Davis and daughter, Joanne, are visiting relatives in Ohio.

A Chapman family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Thomas on Sunday, August 13. Besides Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Gower Chapman and two daughters of Holt, Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman, daughter, Dorothy, and son, Jack, of Grand Rapids, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapman of Lansing and Mrs. Frank Lehman and granddaughter, Ione Schenke, of Watertown, Wis., were present. John and Charles are brothers of Harry. Mrs. Lehman is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. Gower Chapman, with the granddaughter, Ione.

Mrs. Harry Chapman and Mrs. Gower Chapman recently gave a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Grace O'Connor, at the home of Mrs. Gower Chapman. Sunday afternoon at 3:30 the marriage of Miss O'Connor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Connor, to Arthur Chappell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Chappell, will be solemnized at the First Methodist church. It will be followed by a reception to relatives and invited guests at the home of the bride's parents.

Floyd Lamoreaux and daughter of California are visiting his brothers, Frank and Earl, and families.

The Garden club entertained in honor of Mrs. L. G. Goodrich on Friday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. George Suran. The time was spent in visiting and refreshments were served. The club presented Mrs. Goodrich with a gift, as she is moving away.

JIM'S LESSON

By JOE SIMON

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MARIANA'S heart was heavy. A shadow lay over the little cottage where she and Jim and their brood lived. And no one was used to this strange Mariana with a heavy heart, least of all the four chubby little ones who followed her about all day.

Mariana usually bubbled over with good cheer and health and delectable pastries.

She knew the good, old-fashioned stomach route to a man's heart and her table was always loaded with good things.

It followed naturally that Mariana was fat, but she spent no time lamenting, nor any effort dieting.

The loss of her figure to her was simply the relatively small cost of wifehood and motherhood, and she never even thought of dieting.

She had known too many irritable women who lived on lettuce and unsweetened coffee.

"As long as Jim likes me I should worry," said Mariana, "I have to cook good things for him and the babies and naturally I eat them, too."

Folks always said Mariana was just a "born mother."

Then Jim took to swimming in the lake.

He hadn't been feeling well and a friend felt of his flabby muscles and advised him:

"You need exercise, old boy. Just feel these muscles like that try swimming one hour every afternoon."

Jim's heart contracted with the envy that every strong man inspires in a weaker and next day he brought home a bathing suit.

At first the exercise wearied him terribly and the hour was one of boredom, then one day a girl in bright, red bathing suit called out to him:

"I'll race you to the pier!" and Jim accepted the challenge with spirit.

The girl won, but the race engendered a sort of comradeship and opened up the way to new and interesting contacts for Jim.

The girl drew him into her own little group and he entered readily into their playful pastimes.

He looked forward to joining them when he went to the beach and learned to call them by their first names, Yvonne, Bill, John and Margaret, while to them he was Jim.

It made him feel strangely youthful and exhilarated.

Then because at heart Jim was loyal and true, it occurred to him that he ought to bring Mariana along, that she, too, might enjoy the fun, and the damage was done when he saw her in a one-piece bathing suit.

It was the first time in years he had given a second thought to Mariana's figure, but he couldn't help comparing it to Yvonne's.

In that moment of unhappy comparison Mariana's babies and pastries were no asset to her.

Jim only realized that she was fat and not so young any more.

Her flesh rolled about her knees and her body was frankly lumpy.

That was the last time Mariana accompanied him to the beach. She made excuses and Jim did not urge her.

It may have been that she noticed the humorous glances Jim's friends cast at her figure, but if she did she said nothing.

As Jim tarried later and later at the beach each evening she still said nothing, but with some misgivings she came to notice a disturbing new vanity that blossomed out in Jim's new ties and smart socks.

Being a woman, with that peculiar insight that men seldom, if ever acquire, Mariana knew.

Then she reproached herself that silly pride had kept her from donning a bathing suit again.

A wife should be a pal to her husband!

So that afternoon she said: "I'm going to the beach with you, Jim," and Jim answered after the briefest hesitation:

"Sure. Get your hat on."

"But I won't wear a hat," laughed Mariana. "Wouldn't I be a scream in a hat and a bathing suit?"

Then her laughter died away as Jim answered:

"I don't believe I'd go in, Mariana, unless you really care to. You know a fat woman does look funny in a bathing suit."

Had Jim been a woman he never would have forgotten the look of startled pain that flashed momentarily across Mariana's face. But, being a man, he only half sensed the cause of it.

The truth was that Mariana only just that moment realized that Jim's love was not big enough to see through the burden of her flesh to her little spirit and to her loving soul, as fair or fairer than ever.

So Jim went alone again, and that was the evening when Margaret suggested he join them for an evening at the cabaret.

That evening seemed to turn back the pages of time for Jim. He felt ten years younger as he danced to the liting music, and he felt a real regret that Mariana had lost her taste for such amusements and had let herself get fat and uninteresting.

After all, he assured himself, he was still a young man.

Did not these gay young folks enjoy his company?

That evening was followed by several others, often inspired by Jim's suggestion.

No harm done at all, but some of the money he and Mariana had formerly put to their savings account was now diverted to foot the bills for Jim's good times, and Mariana spent a good many lonely evenings at home with the children.

Jim was sorry for Mariana, but, confound it, could a man sacrifice

his youth just to please a woman who hadn't kept up with him!

Mariana didn't appreciate him, anyway!

She should see him with all his gay young friends and maybe she would realize he wasn't yet on the fringe list!

Eventually, he supposed, there'd have to be some sort of adjustment. Things just couldn't go on this way!

It was about this time that Mariana's guardian angel—or maybe it was Jim's—stepped in and took a hand.

That very evening he came softly upon a group of his new friends at the beach, standing with their backs to him, and it was Yvonne herself speaking in her cruelly clear, distinct voice.

"Well, it's worth all you get out of some of these old-timers to have to dance one time with them. If Jim would only try to get over the way they danced in '01 and learn a new step or two he wouldn't be such a bore. And next time, don't everybody wish him off on me for the whole evening. Give me a break, won't you?"

They never heard Jim's softly retreating footsteps, and in the three blocks that lay between him and home Jim did a lot of painful thinking.

So shaken was he in fact that he walked an extra block or two before he approached his own little cottage, where Mariana's plump figure could be dimly described on the porch.

Suddenly that little porch looked like a haven of rest to Jim.

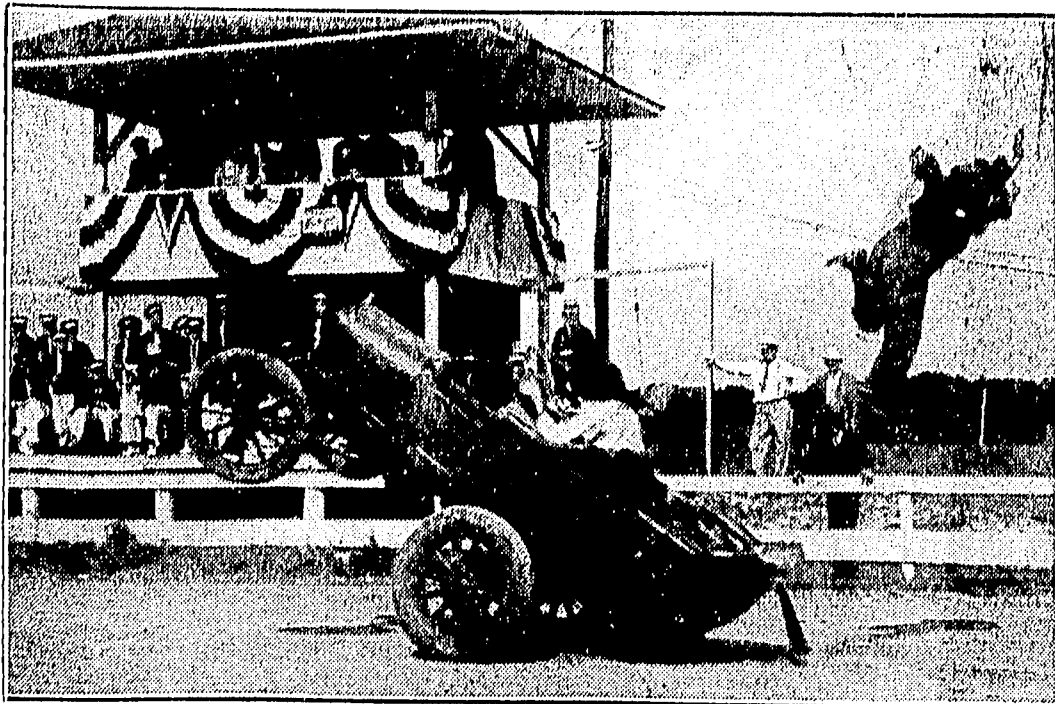
And Mariana! Through his throbbing resentment it was borne in upon him that Mariana was worth a hundred of those little gold-diggers!

Prettier, too even if she was a little heavy. Restful, sort of—and motherly!

"Didn't you go bathing?" queried her soft, patient voice as Jim stepped upon the porch.

"No," said Jim, "I'm tired of all this exercising and monkeying around. Keeps me away from home too much, Mariana. I'm just going to light up the old cigar and sit here on the porch with you this evening. Want you to tell me all about you and the kiddies, what you did today?"

Suddenly, like a guilty boy seeking forgiveness, he bent and kissed Mariana's warm, flushed face rather fervently. And in the semidarkness she smiled a slow, understanding smile.

Plenty Of Comedy In Raum's Circus Entertainment

The above picture shows the Jones family enjoying themselves at the county fair. The family has a trick Model T and has lots of fun with it.

Webberville

By Fred Holland

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holland and Mrs. Hattie Godley were in Mason Tuesday.

The Alchin sisters returned from a trip to the World's Fair at New York late Saturday afternoon.

Miss Maxine Ling and friend visited her father, L. E. Ling, Sunday.

Archie Silsby is able to be up part of the time. He has been confined to his bed most of the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Graham have returned from a trip to Niagara Falls and Watkins Glen, New York.

Frank Hummel, Norman Dunn and Anna Alchin are fishing in the north part of the state.

Richard Crossley has returned home from a CCC Camp, having served his enlistment.

Charlie Smith has built an enclosed porch on his house on Elm road.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dunn are on a vacation trip through northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Holland attended the Walker reunion at Howell City

park Sunday. More than 70 were present, coming from Ann Arbor, Lansing, East Lansing, Oak Grove, Ypsilanti, Dexter and Howell.

Mrs. Alvin Hefty was in Bangor over the week end.

Rodney Osterle is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Harris, in White Oak.

Grovenburg

By Mrs. Howard North

Charles Franklin spent the week end at the Coburn cabin on the Au Sable.

A group of boys from Troop 42, E. S. A., left Monday morning for Camp Kirolex. There are 12 boys, accompanied by Linwood Ferris. Several other boys and Scoutmaster Leone North plan to go for the week end.

Mrs. George Bullen is house-mother for a group of young women and girls at Gull Lake this week, where they are attending young people's conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Tooker, who with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hart, had spent two weeks fishing near Mio, returned Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Angell,

who spent a week at Thornapple Lake are also at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard North enjoyed a northern trip over the week end. They went as far north as Oscoda and called on Mr. and Mrs. Jay Coburn.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCue arrived last Sunday night, returning from Arizona after spending a few days at their daughter's home.

Little Moon visited Mrs. Almina Gritzmaker, Town Line Road, last Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard North attended a reunion of members of the March term federal jury of 1926 at the home of Mrs. Lillia Stillman in Okemos last Wednesday. The 1940 reunion will be at the North home.

STATE FIRST IN MINT

Ten years ago Michigan had but one-third the acreage of mint that was being grown in Indiana. Now Michigan has about twice as much as it had then and Indiana is second with a little more than half as much as is grown now in Michigan. More than a million dollars is the present average return to farmers in this state, crop reports indicate. Wilt and flea beetles are the worst problems associated with mint production.

Houses District

By Miss Arlyce McCreery

Mrs. Bertha Judson, Marguerite and Nancy visited Mrs. Judson's mother, Mrs. Clara King, of near Battle Creek, and also visited other relatives near Kalamazoo and Battle Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Shank, Fred Wynum and John and Beatrice, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Osterle, Kathryn and Edwin McCroery, Keith Gallaway, Youlanda Rauh, Arlyce McCroery and Clayton Smith spent Sunday at the U. B. camp grounds near Sunfield.

Mrs. Fred Wynum and Mary spent last week at the U. B. camp as delegates for church and Christian Endeavor.

Rev. I. H. Osgood, Mrs. Osgood and David spent the last two weeks at the U. B. camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul McCroery visited Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Chapsaddle of Ludell Sunday afternoon.

John Barker has been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Barker.

Northwest Lansing Township

This neighborhood was shocked last Friday when Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Moore received word from their daughter, Frances, that her husband, Lieut. Homer MacKay, son of the Rev. and Mrs. W. M. McKay, of the North Presbyterian church of Lansing, was killed with eight others in a bombing plane accident at Langley Field, Virginia. Lieutenant and Mrs. MacKay were married August 5, a year ago. His parents had left their son's home that morning after a vacation with them and helping them celebrate their first wedding anniversary.

Mrs. and Mrs. Moore left Friday night for Virginia, Fred Fulton accompanying them to assist in driving. Funeral services were held Tuesday morning at 9:45 at Arlington cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Holley and children, Betty, Donna and Richard, spent Saturday and Sunday camping at Saube Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. West and the Misses Alice and Grace West spent Sunday at Pontiac with Mr. and Mrs. William Sanborn and twin sons and enjoyed a picnic dinner at Middle Straights Lake.

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Williamston

By Inez C. White

Ellen Kirkpatrick was taken to the Ingham county T. B. sanatorium last week Tuesday, where he will remain as a patient for the next two years. Meantime his left kidney, which was punctured in an auto accident in February, will be removed.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ruhl early Sunday morning, a son, Mrs. Hazel Merindorf is caring for them.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson and daughter, Edna, of Howell, were guests of Mrs. Bertha Wilson and son, John, Sunday, and called on Mrs. Inez White.

The Red and White store, Chet Harger, superintendent, moved the stock of groceries to Lake Lansing last Thursday night and Friday morning opened a new grocery there.

Guy Barnes and family are entertaining his sister and six children from Tampa, Florida, for the week.

The county park commissioners have granted the Veterans of Foreign Wars Mardi Gras permission to use McCormick park for the shows and concessions during their homecoming Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, August 21, 22 and 23. The Ladies Auxiliary will have charge of the concessions stand and will sell soft drinks and serve sandwiches.

South Leroy

By Mrs. Morton Rice

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Risch and family were in Detroit last week.

Alta Weirright, entertained her Sunday school class at a weenie roast, Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Erman Stanley are the parents of a daughter born Saturday morning.

Albert Nelson, who is in the Sparrow hospital at Lansing, is reported improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mead and family called on Clay Foreman and family of Wheatfield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Dietrick near Millville called on Mr. and Mrs. Merion Rice Monday.

Mrs. Emma Morgan of Webberville and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Rice and

family attended the Fletcher reunion held at the home of Milo Chubb and family north of Howell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morwin Monroe and family from northern Michigan visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Monroe, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Monroe and family attended the Walker reunion held at Howell city park Sunday.

District No. 7, White Oak

By Mrs. F. C. Kendrick

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Havens of Indianapolis, Indiana, were visitors of the former's sister, Mrs. Edgar Scripser, this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Galen Glidden and family of Wheaton, Illinois, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Benjamin. Betty Benjamin returned with them for a visit.

Ivan Abbott, who recently underwent a serious operation at the Ford hospital, is reported slowly convalescing at the home of Homer Hinz of Centerville. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Abbott visited him Sunday.

Pearl Kendrick of Lansing is enjoying a two weeks vacation from her office duties at the Olds.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Christopherson and family of Muskegon were overnight guests at the Benjamin home Sunday.

Mrs. Floyd Bartlett, Mrs. Hugh Osterle, Mrs. W. S. Turner and Mrs. C. W. Benjamin attended the 4-H Mother's club meeting held at the new dormitory on the fairgrounds in Mason Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Voss and family attended the Perkins reunion at Potter park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Wilcox were callers of Mrs. Mary Collier Sunday.

Vantown

By Mrs. L. P. Williams

Miss Ellen Glynn is visiting Miss Coral McConnell at Bellevue.

Harold Wolverton, Harry Dupue, Maurice Osterle, Dorwin Williams and Junior Voss, in company with Mr. Allen and the PFA boys of Danville, attended the ball game at Detroit Thursday.

Lyle Clark of Engadine called on his mother, Mrs. Etta Clark, and sister, Mrs. Charles Kirby, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. VanHouten and son of Portland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams Sunday.

Miss Martha Cady of Lansing was the guest of Mrs. True Martin the past week.

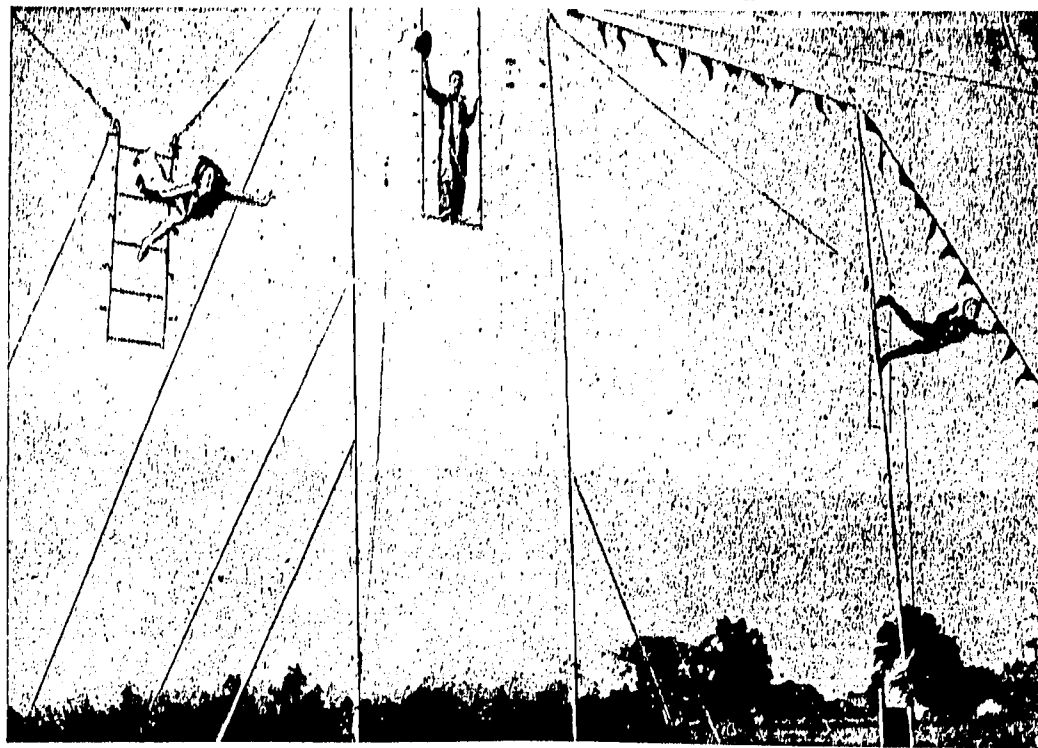
Bruce Granger was in Detroit on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Glynn and son are spending the week with her mother at Fitch.

Margaret, the little daughter of Mrs. Mary Bowen, fell Wednesday, breaking her leg above the knee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glynn and Ellen were in Ionia on business Wednesday.

Circus Acts To Be Presented At Ingham Fair



Circus acts, many of them from the Big Top, will be presented by Raum's Circus at the Ingham county fair next week. The act pictured above is known as Two Queens and the Joker. Raum's Circus will perform in front of the grandstand every afternoon and evening. There will be a change of performance every day.

'Nudity Show' Brings Police by Carload



It all sounded pretty awful when Boston police were notified by an indignant woman that a "shocking" display of nudity was taking place at the Russell Dorr home. A carful of husky cops sped to the scene to protect the community's morals—and found 11-months-old Bruce Bugbee Dorr taking a sun bath in his "birthday" suit. The police hastily ruled that Master Bruce could play in the sun, without clothing, any time he pleases. Mrs. Dorr has her own ideas about neighbors who complain.

Photography, Not 'Star Gazing,' Is 1939 Astronomer's Method



Huge Glass Eyes Peer Into Space, Solving New Riddles.

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WNU Service.

The "eyes of the world," the great telescopes that peer out from the turning earth to explore the far reaches of the universe, are increased by one more in the new 82-inch mirror of McDonald observatory on Mount Locke in the Davis mountains of western Texas.

The completion of this giant "eye," which can photograph stars only a millionth as bright as any that can be seen by the unaided human eye, brings to a total of at least 40 the number of telescopes of two feet in diameter or more now in use in the world.

The McDonald observatory telescope is the second largest in the world in actual use at present, being exceeded only by the 100-inch telescope at Mount Wilson observatory, Pasadena, Calif. Both, however, are being surpassed by the 200-inch telescope set up on Mount Palomar, Calif., under joint auspices of California Institute of Technology and Mount Wilson observatory. The McDonald observatory is operated jointly by the Universities of Texas and Chicago.

Each Has Its Job.

The increasing size of telescopes does not mean that the various instruments will compete with one another in exploring the heavens, however, nor is a smaller telescope made out of date or useless by a larger one. There is work enough for all in probing secrets of the vast universe, and the task of exploration is divided among the various instruments.

Astronomers nowadays seldom "look through" their large telescopes. They do most of their exploring of the heavens by photographing sections of the sky. The great telescopes of modern times are primarily giant cameras. Their huge mirrors or lenses act as funnels for light, making it possible to concentrate a large quantity of star light in one spot.

By exposing a sensitive plate for several hours, or even for several nights, to light concentrated by a

telescope, an astronomer can photograph stars and galaxies of stars so distant that he could never see them with his own eyes through the same telescope if he looked at a lifetime. This is because the effect of light on a photographic emulsion is cumulative, which is not true of the human eye.

Photographic Processes Improved. The "seeing" ability of telescopes grows greater also as photographic emulsions are improved and made more sensitive. Better emulsions make the 100-inch telescope at Mount Wilson considerably more efficient today, for example, than when it was built 20 years ago, though its mirror remains the same size.

But astronomers still would know comparatively little about the universe, if they merely looked at stars and photographed them, even with the largest telescopes. The light that is concentrated by the giant mirrors and lenses is not only photographed directly, but is also broken up into its spectrum of different wave-lengths. By analyzing the spectrum of a star, astronomers in many cases can learn an amazing number of things about it—its distance, mass, brightness, temperature, size, speed of rotation, and even sometimes the approximate number of atoms it contains.

Northeast Anhedon

By Mrs. Clyde Wade

Mrs. Clyde Copp, mother of Mrs. Maurice Vliane, who lives in this vicinity, is reported to be about the same, and is still confined in the Sparrow hospital, where she has been seriously ill for several weeks.

Copp's daughter from Chicago has been here to visit her mother.

Jack Edwards, who has been ill for three weeks, is reported better.

The small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ball is ill with the whooping cough.

Sam Lee, a Korean student, is a guest of John Aseltine in this vicinity.

The young men are students of Moody Bible Institute in Chicago. Mr. Lee gave a talk at the Baptist church in Okemos on Sunday night.

The seventh annual Baiton school reunion was held at Ferguson park in Okemos Sunday with an attendance of 45 from South Lyons, Lansing, Mason, Okemos and Lake Lansing.

Following dinner a business meeting was held. Mrs. Sadie Roback acting as president due to the absence of Nellie Woodworth. The following officers were then elected for the coming year: Fred Kreuger, president; Henry Dorn, vice president; and Miss Mary Marzen, secretary-treasurer.

It was decided to hold the next reunion on Saturday, August 18, 1940, at the county park in Mason. The following former teachers were present: Mrs. James Woodworth, Mrs. Nettie Woodworth, Mrs. Marlon Verplack and Mrs. Clyde Wade.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Cook and family attended the Wesleyan Methodist camp meeting at Hastings Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Cook and family of Detroit were week end guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Roback of Lansing and Richard Gill of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Woodworth.

Mrs. Lucinda McMann and grandson, E. J. Lamb, returned from South Carolina on Sunday. Mrs. McMann

has been visiting her son, Norman, and family for several weeks.

Mrs. James Cook is making an extended visit at the home of her daughter in Traveras City. Mr. and Mrs. Brovont lived at this place during the past year, where Mr. Brovont is a teacher of music in one of the schools.

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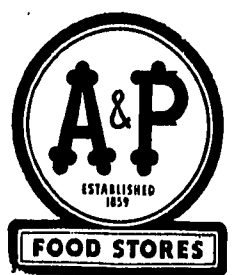
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At The Churches

Mason Baptist—Rev. D. L. Hunt, pastor. "We Must Work" is the pastor's subject for the morning Sunday service. The morning worship begins at 10 a. m. The Bible school is organized so as to provide an interesting, helpful class for everyone. The BYJU society will meet at 6:15 p. m. The evening service is at 7:30. "Sold Into Egypt" is the pastor's theme. The young people's choir will sing in the evening, with the song service being led by Budd Zimmer. Members of the church and community are reminded that the centennial observance of the Baptist church will be Thursday and Wednesday, September 26 and 27. The prayer service will be at the church Thursday night at 7:30.

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 eight o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these services. "Mind" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, August 20. The Golden Text (Romans 11:34, 35) is: "Who hath known the mind of the Lord or who hath been his counselor? For of him, and through him, and to him, are all things; to whom be glory forever." Among the Bible citations in this passage (Proverbs 3:19): "The Lord by wisdom hath founded the earth; by understanding hath he established the heavens." Conclusive 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. 379): "The real jurisdiction of the world is in Mind, controlling every effect and recognizing all causation as vested in living Mind."

Mason Methodist—Dr. W. B. Oldt, pastor. "The Trees Speak Out" will be the theme of the sermon at the ten o'clock service on Sunday morning. The senior choir will render the anthem, "Zion, City of Our God," by E. S. Lorenz. "A Faithful Flower" will be the subject of the message to the boys and girls. Church school meets at eleven-thirty. All departments are active and offer classes for all ages. Senior choir rehearsal will be held on Thursday evening at seven-thirty. Those having no church home are especially invited to attend our services.

First Presbyterian Mason—Church services 10: a. m. Sermon by Rev. William B. Hartzog, topic, "The Challenge of the Master." Solo by Mrs. George H. McArthur. 11:30 church school.

Aurelius Center—Rev. D. L. Hunt, pastor. The Bible school will meet at 10:15 a. m., and the church services will begin at 11:30 a. m. Sunday. The young people's society will meet at the home of Audrey Green, for an ice cream social, Wednesday night, August 30.

Danville Free Methodist—Rev. Harry Hoyt, pastor. Quarterly meeting beginning this week Friday evening 7:45 Rev. W. J. Cross, district elder of St. Johns district in charge. Services Saturday evening and all day Sunday with Rev. Cross presiding. Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:00 o'clock Juniors, 7:30 adults.

Wheatfield Methodist Episcopal—Marjorie M. Hawkins, minister. Morning service: 9:30 a. m.—"Is Revival Possible?" Church school: 10:30 a. m.—Mr. Clarence Bird, president. Mid-week devotional service—Thursday 8:00 p. m.

Danville Methodist Episcopal—Marjorie M. Hawkins, minister. Church school: 10:30 a. m.—Arthur Pollok, superintendent. Morning service: 11:00 a. m.—"Is Revival Possible?" Mid-week devotional service—Wednesday 7:30 p. m.

S. S. Cornelius & Cyprion—Bunker Hill. The Rev. John M. Duffy, pastor. Masses, summer schedule: 6:30 a. m. and 8:30 a. m. Pleasant Lake; Hankerd's Pavilion, masses at 8:30 and 10:30.

Holt Presbyterian—Rev. F. E. Ogle, pastor. 10:00 a. m. Regular worship service and junior church. 11:15 Sunday school. Stanley Parker, superintendent. 7 p. m. Epworth League.

Eden Methodist—Rev. George J. Cameron, pastor. 10:00 morning worship service with sermon by the pastor. 11:00 Sunday school. Our school has classes for pupils of all ages and competent teachers for all classes. Friday August 18, 8:00 o'clock box social and moving pictures of the Sino-Japanese war. This is the first project of our Epworth League, the proceeds are to be used toward the purchase of a mimeograph. Attend this and boost your league, your church. The Eden friendly church where Christianity is practiced as well as taught. Come and join us in our services.

LESLIE

By Mrs. Ernest Sherman

Gordon-Cozart

Miss Nellie Cozart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cozart, and Earl Gordon, son of Mrs. Margaret Gordon, were united in marriage at eight o'clock Saturday evening at the Epworth parsonage here. The Rev. Ray E. Clearwaters performed the ceremony.

The classes of 1936 and 1937 held their annual reunions at the Jackson county park at Pleasant Lake Sunday.

The descendants of Sarah, James and Abel Barnes, English born, held their 10th annual reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Barnes, east of the village, Sunday. There were 62 relatives present, coming from Grand Rapids, Lansing, Jackson, Belding, Lowell, Eaton Rapids, Rives, Eden and Aurelius. Carey Barnes of Jackson was the oldest and Rudolph Droscha the youngest in attendance. Mr. Barnes is the president for the ensuing year with Mrs. Ruth Whitaker of Rives, secretary and treasurer. The next meeting will be at the same time of year. The place of meeting to be announced later.

Miss Blanche Dill, a teacher in the Detroit schools, was a week end guest of her cousins, Miss Margaret Boyle, Mrs. Rebecca Dennis and Mrs. Genevieve Anderson.

Relatives surprised Mrs. Mae Taylor in honor of her birthday anniversary at her home Sunday. Claude Dunham of St. Clair; Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Westervelt and son, James, of Lyons; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor

Rules No Help to Him



James R. Sadler, newly conscripted militiaman at Hounslovo, Eng., barracks, faces quite a problem. Only four feet, six inches tall, Sadler found the rifle with fixed bayonet taller than himself. However, he'll soon become accustomed to it.

Cool Headed



Hot weather hint: This resident of Kent, England, attached the blades of an old electric fan to the lawn mower. By means of a few gear wheels the fan revolves, blowing a cooling breeze as soon as the machine is pushed along the grass.

and daughter, Elsie, of Mason; Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Edwards and daughters, Eleanor Ann and Doris, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Taylor and daughter, Joyce, of Leslie were guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Clearwaters and family and Miss Maxine Blackmore attended church services in Kalamazoo Sunday and afterwards picnicked at Milan Lake.

W. E. Sullivan of Philadelphia is a guest at the E. F. Sherman home for a few days.

Mrs. Marcella Black, sons, George and Jimmy, and daughter, Betty Lou, will visit a part of this week with relatives at Holly.

Mrs. Edythe Ingalls visited at the Charles Crawford home in Michigan Center Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bradford, John Bradford and Mrs. Floy Waterman of Lansing were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Sherman and family Sunday.

Miss Eleanor Ann Edwards is spending this week with her aunt, Mrs. Doris Westervelt, of Lyons.

Mrs. Olive McManus, Mrs. Ada Dutcher and Mrs. Mary Parrish of Jackson were visitors at the Fred Armstrong home Sunday.

Members of the Rebelah Stitches club will meet Thursday at Hankerd's resort, Pleasant Lake, at the home of Mrs. Mary Waters.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cowles and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jewell left Sunday morning enroute to Florida for a week's visit with Mrs. Cowles' relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Stanfield and grandson, Billy Lerner, visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelly, who accompanied them on a sight seeing tour in Canada Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Elliot entertained Holt friends Sunday night.

The Leslie fire department was called at 5:30 Wednesday morning to extinguish a blaze in a trailer loaded with a new canoe and packed with camping equipment. Caused by an automobile driven by Edward J. Schneider of Dayton, Ohio. There were two other occupants of the car. The trailer and contents were consumed by the flames, and Schneider received minor burns about the hands. He was taken into Mercy hospital in Jackson and after receiving aid was released. Cause of the fire was not ascertained.

Mrs. B. O. Lumbard will be in Mason the next two weeks caring for Mickey and Joe Graham during Mrs. Graham's visit to her father in the northern part of the state.

Mrs. Rena Wright and granddaughter, Miss Janyce Steeves, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Davis Post are enjoying a several days motor trip through northern Michigan.

The Clark No. 9 annual school reunion was held Wednesday.

Trooper Russell Kitzinger issued a summons for James Webber to appear in Justice Fogg's court Tuesday on a charge of parking his car within 15 feet of a fire hydrant. Webber pleaded not guilty, and his trial was set for 11:00 a. m. Thursday. On Wednesday Kitzinger caused William Powelson to appear in Justice Fogg's office for driving without his operator's license and safety chains. Justice Fogg adjourned the case for 10 days. In the meantime Powelson thought he would be able to produce his license.

John Relyea, an aged Leslie man, was quite badly injured, necessitating the aid of a physician to close cuts in his head suffered when he was struck by a Leslie boy, who it is claimed threw a rock upon the refusal of Mr. Relyea to give him some plums he had asked for.

SUCOOTASH HISTORY
Americans still favor what likely was the first real American dish, succotash. It originated about 1620 when the Indians taught the Pilgrims how to put beans with corn to make what they called "Mishkutotash."

Oddest of Oddities to be at Michigan Fair



Every day that they add to their span of life, now in the second year, makes the twin mules shown by Floyd Lincoln, farm manager of the farm of the Prison of Southern Michigan, a greater oddity. Rare are instances when twin mules are born, rarer are instances in which they live. These state-owned mules are only living twin mules in the nation, according to records of various breeder's organizations.



This photo of Roger Rae, Lansing flyer who was rated in recent years as the nation's best parachute jumper, is among the early entrants in the \$200 Michigan photo contest sponsored by this newspaper in conjunction with the Michigan Press Association and the Michigan State Fair, Detroit. Rae started as a parachute jumper for Michigan fairs and is now a TWA commercial pilot. G. G. Granger of Lansing took the photo just before Rae made a successful parachute jump. First prize in the contest is \$100 cash. Awards, totaling \$200 will be presented on Sept. 1 as a feature of the fair's "Press Day." Entries should be sent to the Michigan Photo Contest, State Fair, Detroit.

Needs Of Potato Soil Studied For 15 Years

MICHIGAN IN SECOND PLACE ON POTATOES

Statewide studies embracing more than 800 plots on 70 farms in the last 15 years have given the soil department at Michigan State college inside information in what it takes to profitably grow potatoes on Michigan soils.

In brief, the staff members have found that fertilizer applications of approximately 500 to 600 pounds to the acre were most advisable, considering cost, danger of drought and the uncertainty of potato prices.

Present crop prospects indicate Michigan's 1939 yield is to be about 28 million bushels, a national ranking likely of second in all states. In average years, potatoes mean a crop worth about 15 million dollars for Michigan growers.

Average Michigan production to the acre is about 92 bushels, although some growers obtain yields from 350 to 400 bushels to an acre. Climatic conditions, soil fertility, variety, insect and disease injury and cultural practices all influence yield, the soils tests reveal.

In 150 bushels of potatoes, there are these amounts of plant foods, - 31.5 pounds of nitrogen, 13.5 pounds of phosphoric acid, 45 pounds of potash. This about equals what is found in 25 bushels of oats, except for the potash

which is far more prevalent in the potato. Average composition of the best yielding fertilizer frequently gave an equal or better yield than the 4-10-8. More complete information is contained in a new bulletin, "Special Bulletin 280, Soil Management for Potatoes," available through offices of county agricultural agents or by writing the Bulletin Room, Michigan State college, East Lansing.

Miss Minzy (after an appendectomy)—Oh, Doctor, will the scar show? Doctor—Not if you're careful.

Mrs. Noowedd—Aren't these eggs rather small today? Grocer—Yes'm, but the farmer who sells me my eggs had to start to town early this morning and took them out of the nest too soon.

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LOST: The old-fashioned idea that people don't read the advertisements. Two-thirds of the purchases made today are made direct from the columns of the newspaper.

WANTED TO KNOW: Large business firms use whole pages just to advertise a trade-mark. Why? Because they have found that money invested in advertising pays.

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The Michigan Mirror

By Gene Allman
Michigan Press Association

SAULT STE. MARIE—At this never falling economic barometer for the Middle West, the world famous St. Mary's locks and canal, boat traffic is more than 40 per cent ahead of last season.

When iron ore and coal are in demand, times are fairly prosperous. There has been no exception.

Furthermore, according to Eugene Herman of Cleveland, editor of the Great Lakes News who is spending August here, prospects are good for a heavy lake traffic during September and October. Barges are even being recommissioned for service.

That means steady employment this fall for hundreds of thousands of workers in the big industrial centers. When orders for goods are in sight, iron ore is in demand and so, if the actual count of ore boats at the "Soo" locks is an accurate yardstick, then we are enjoying better times, and the trade outlook for fall is bright, indeed.

Paul Bunyon Country

Paul Bunyon must have been born at the "Soo".

After you cross the Straits of Mackinac and set foot on the Upper Peninsula, comparisons at once suggest. They fall to do justice to this fascinating country which was immortalized by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow in "Hiawatha."

The international border city is only an hour's easy ride over smooth, wide concrete highway from St. Ignace. First you travel through pine forests, cross a series of hills, and then traverse a fair prairie-land of prosperous farms in Chippewa county of which the American Sault Ste. Marie is the county seat.

The Michigan city has 15,000 population. Across from the St. Mary's river is the Canadian city of the same name with around 24,000 people. A dime bridge toll charge and you are in Canada.

But getting back to Paul Bunyon. Here is what we discovered:

World's Busiest Canal

In these Lansing days of state deficits, the St. Mary's locks and canal under proper state ownership and management would have been a virtual gold mine of revenue.

Here is the world's greatest waterway, and no fooling!

The three locks of the canal, which has been managed by the United States government since 1880, serve more water traffic in one year than do the Panama and Suez canals combined. An average of 60 to 85 vessels, mostly ore-carrying freighters, pass through the locks every 24 hours. Modern machinery enables the locks to complete their job in about 13 minutes. The United States engineering department is on the job 24 hours a day, 200 employees working in eight-hour shifts.

The state of Michigan operated the locks from 1855 to 1880, and a toll was charged to cover operating and repair expenses as the state now does for the ferry service at the Straits. Even at the small tollage in those days, tolls amounted to nearly \$800,000.

If the state of Michigan were still in the canal business (shippers are thankful that it isn't), and if tolls were charged at the rate prevailing today for the Panama canal, the state's income would have been over \$73,000,000 for 1929 and \$31,840,000 for 1933.

Under the 1881 federal act transferring the locks from state to federal ownership, it was provided that the waterway shall be free for public use.

Mecca for Tourists

Sault Ste. Marie is an annual mecca for tens of thousands of tourists, especially during the hay fever season. Because not a rag-weed grows within 100 miles of the Sault, this region is the paradise of the hay fever and asthma victims.

The Sault is almost surrounded by water. The prevailing direction of the wind is from the northwest, off Lake Superior which Paul Bunyon would proudly proclaim is the largest body of fresh water in the world.

The concentration of hay fever sufferers has been so heavy that a national club has been formed—the Ch-Choc club of the Hay Fever association of America with headquarters here.

Because also of the always fascinating locks, this northern city has received a heavy influx of tourists. Within the past year tourist cabins have doubled in number, attracting many persons who formerly sought accommodations at hotels or in private homes. The latter two groups are beginning to complain. Modernization of hotel accommodations is said to be the next needed development to keep pace with changing times. Deluxe cabins can be found today in the Upper Peninsula.

Sagas of Early America

Here is a country rich in historical lore.

It was here that Fr. Marquette established the first Christian church in 1668, and it was here that St. Louis in 1671 in the name of King Louis XIV took over all the lands that subsequently became British when nations were in the making.

It was at the Soo also that Henry Schoolcraft, Indian agent, married the daughter of John Johnston, first English settler, and his Indian princess-wife, and wrote Indian history that gave Longfellow his material for Hiawatha.

In this poem "Bowating" is Sault Ste. Marie and refers to the rapids in the St. Mary's river. "Gitchee Gomee" is Lake Superior.

Michigan's Upper Peninsula is the background for the only sagas which America has mothered—Hiawatha and Paul Bunyon. Paul's birthplace is proudly claimed by the "Soo" whose citizens claim that it was on the old McMorney farm site, just around a bend in the river from Hiawatha's shipyard.

Seven Wonders

As the ancient world is said to possess "seven wonders", so the Upper Peninsula lays claim to seven spots of distinction.

First are the ship locks and canals at the "Soo" which overcome nature's obstacle of a drop of 20 feet between Lake Superior and St. Mary's river in the distance of only a mile or so.

Second is Isle Royal, 50 miles out in Lake Superior, and now a federal park that merits the "Bunyon" description of being the "last bit of aboriginal, virgin nature in the North-west." The national park service is

World Eyes New Bolivia; Tin Coveted

Dictator Busch Can Sway Market of Important Raw Metal.

Prepared by National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.—WWD Service.

Bolivia's newly established dictatorship can affect foreign countries more than would changes in many other parts of South America, because Bolivia's government is financed mainly by the revenue from its exports, and its exports—particularly tin—are in strong demand.

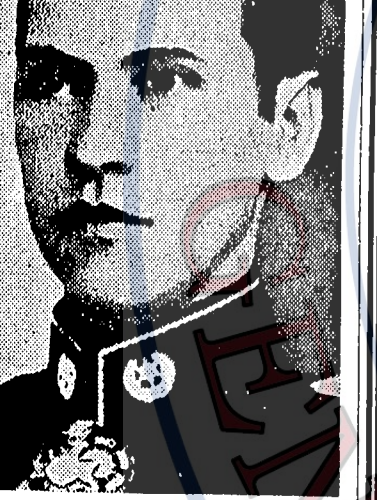
Tin, one of the strategic metals highest on the United States' want-list, is Bolivia's number one product and is responsible for its biggest business. As the third greatest tin-producing country of the world, Bolivia is the nearest source for that metal to all countries of the New World, since its chief competitors are the Federated Malay States and the Netherlands Indies in Asia.

Most of Bolivia's tin ore exports, however, go to Great Britain, since there are no tin smelters in Bolivia or the United States. Bolivian tin returns to the Americas from British smelters.

In Bolivia "the tin standard" substitutes for the gold standard. This metal constitutes from two-thirds to nine-tenths of the country's exports; and export duties in this land of impoverished agriculture and limited industry are the chief sources of the government's income. During 1937 the nation produced 12 per cent of the world's tin output.

But Bolivia is by no means a one-metal land. Some 90 per cent of her exports are minerals, tin being followed in value by silver, lead, antimony, zinc, tungsten, copper, and bismuth. In antimony, too, the country ranks third on the list of producing nations. Its position is now of added importance because China has previously been the leading source of supply but is no longer a factor in the world market.

In addition to utilitarian tin and the Spanish silver of such romantic lore, exports of rubber, quinine, and exotic chinchilla fur help to make



DICTATOR—Col. German Busch, youthful president of Bolivia who dismissed his congress and set himself up as dictator, promising to give his people an election in a few months.

Bolivia known to the outside world. Some estimates rank Bolivian forests second to those of Brazil for production of South American rubber; since much of the smaller country's forest products float down the headwaters of the Amazon to Brazilian ports, their origin is obscure.

In an area more than twice as large as Texas, Bolivia supports only 55 per cent as many people as the Lone Star state. This is the only South American nation without access to the sea directly from its own ports; Bolivia lost her coastal territory to Chile after the War of the Pacific nearly 60 years ago. The land-locked Andean plateau, cradled 12,000 feet above sea level between two snow-capped ranges with peaks exceeding 21,000 feet, has so impressed popular imagination—with its "world's highest capital, La Paz," and its "world's highest steamer service" on Lake Titicaca—that the low tropical plains to the east of the mountains are frequently forgotten. Yet these extensive lowlands constitute about 70 per cent of the nation's 537,792 square miles. On the south they merge into the Gran Chaco, scene of the most recent war in the Western Hemisphere.

building docks and few trails, but the intention is to let nature alone and keep the island in as primitive state as possible. Here is the America's largest moose herd. Scores of prehistoric mining pits are a puzzle to antiquarians.

Third wonder is the huge copper mining plant of Calumet and Hecla, whose shafts contain some of the deepest telephone and railroad installations in the world. This mine is located in the picturesque Keweenaw peninsula whose rocky shores along Lake Superior rival those of New England for sheer grandeur and rugged beauty.

Fourth wonder are the Porcupine mountains and the Lake of Clouds, reached from Ontonagon. Here is the highest elevation anywhere in the central west. Mountains in Michigan? Yes, it is true.

The fifth wonder is Tahquamenon Falls in a state park reached only by a boat trip down the river. The visitor drives to Soo Junction (off M-28) and takes a "Tonneviller Trail" to the river at Hunter's Mill. There he boards the Tahquamenon "snow boat" for a 20-mile trip to the falls, a 400-foot drop of amber water,

Charles Comiskey II, Heir to White Sox



Upon the shoulders of Charles Comiskey II may some day fall the responsibility of carrying on the name Comiskey, famous in baseball. The young man, now 13, shares equally with his two sisters in ownership of one-half of the Chicago White Sox, American League baseball club. His father, John Louis Comiskey, who died recently, left the entire holdings to his widow and three children, expressing in his will the desire that ownership in the club be kept in the Comiskey family at least until his youngest child attains the age of 35 years.

The second largest catfish east of the Mississippi river, being rivaled only by Niagara Falls.

Next is Kitch-it-ki-pi, a big boiling spring near Manistique, called by the Ojibway Indians, "The Mirror of the Evening Star."

The "Pictured Rocks" near Munising complete the series. Near these rock formations along Lake Superior

are the Nagow Wudjoo sand dunes in the vicinity of Grand Marais.

Straits Bridge

The "Soo" city, as you might guess, is an ardent booster for the proposed Straits bridge. It would mean much to this border metropolis, regardless of how it might affect the towns of St. Ignace and Mackinaw City. Some persons believe a bridge

HEALTH AND HYGIENE

Disseminated through The Ingham County News by the State Joint Committee on Public Health Education, comprising the Michigan State Medical Society, the University of Michigan, Michigan Department of Health, Wayne County College of Medicine, Michigan State Dental Society, Michigan Tuberculosis 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.

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

Infantile Paralysis
Infantile paralysis affecting for the most part children under ages of ten years has a higher seasonal incidence during August and September. The prospect of avoiding an epidemic of the disease this year in both city and urban areas is not too bright.

Parents should be alert to detect slight illnesses in children, because the disease may appear in extremely mild form at first, only to cause paralysis later, or a more severe form of the disease in another child of the family.

The early symptoms are often fever, headache, restlessness or drowsiness, vomiting or loss of appetite, perhaps a nasal discharge as in a cold. A little later the headache may become

would ruin both terminal towns which now get a good slice of trade from tourists while they wait for the state ferry boats.

Personally, we always look forward to the restful boat trip across the Straits. It is a genuine tourist attraction, a welcome respite from hours behind an automobile wheel. But it admittedly requires time, and that means a lot to permanent residents in this Upper Peninsula country that belongs to Michigan and thinks in terms of Lansing for its state government.

more severe and the child may complain of a weak back. Stiffness of the neck may be noted. After this period which lasts but a few days the fever subsides for 4 or 5 days, then suddenly reappears and the paralysis may follow. The period of normal temperature between the two periods of fever is diagnostic so that the first period of fever ought to be recognized and the physician called at once.

The great dread of all parents is the permanent paralysis which has occurred in about 50 per cent of the cases in the past year.

It is believed now by specialists in the disease that its early recognition may be the means of avoiding disabling paralysis.

This is true because the poison attacks the nerve cells of the spinal cord early in the disease and one group of muscles may be more affected than others. The affected muscle group must be protected by expert splinting so that strong and permanently destroyed muscles remain useful.

Any manipulation of affected limbs, such as massage or manipulation of the spine itself has been shown to be highly dangerous.

In infantile paralysis the trained physician places affected limbs in cotton supports by splints which gives all the muscles perfect relaxation until the acute inflammatory process of the nerves has subsided.

The identical principle holds in the convalescing period when muscle training is carried out in a swimming pool under the guidance of experts in this field. The return of muscle and nerve function to a great extent on the proper medical care in the acute phases of the disease, but some remarkable results have been achieved with these crippled children.

Railroads are reducing upper berth fares to induce more passengers to use them. They might do still better by giving, with each ticket, a booklet of instructions on how to undress in one—Exchange.

Southeast Ingham By Mrs. James Quinn

Kathryn Quinn visited a couple of days with relatives in Toledo, Ohio, last week.

Glady's Quinn of Jackson and Glenn Mowell of Munith were guests of James Quinn and family Sunday.

Mrs. Eugene Wheeler and infant daughter returned from the Ponton hospital in Mason Friday night.

The Wheeler reunion was held Sunday at the home of Eugene Wheeler. A pollock dinner was served and an entertainment was given in the afternoon. Election of officers was held. Mrs. Della Tower being elected president and Mrs. Anna Teed, secretary and treasurer, both of Barryton. Forty-six guests were present from Jackson, Detroit, Lansing, Midland, Holly, Mason and Barryton.

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Thirtieth Judicial Court

Juvenile Probation Officer: Mrs. Betty Lawton,
Mason.
Supervisor of Mother's Pensions: Mrs. Juanita
Preuss, Lansing.

e. Roy T. Conley, atty. chance like that slip by.

County Relief Commission: A. B. Ball, 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.

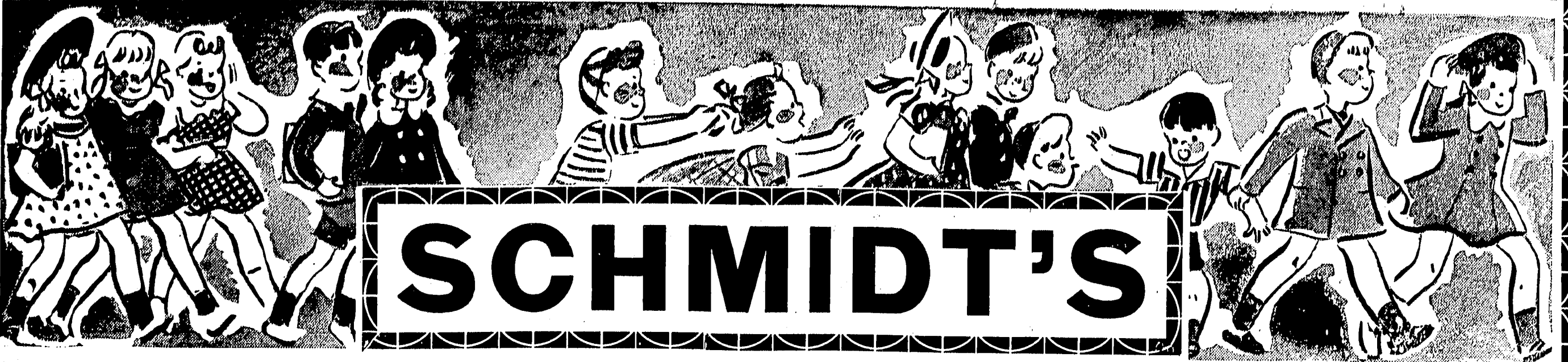
State Conservation Officer: Clarence Wheeler, Ma-
son. Residence 705 South Lansing Street.
Agricultural Agent: H. H. Barnum, Mason.

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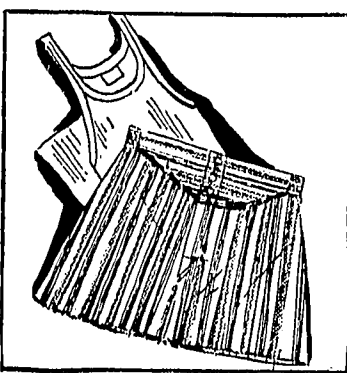
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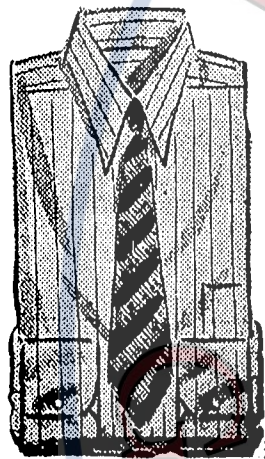


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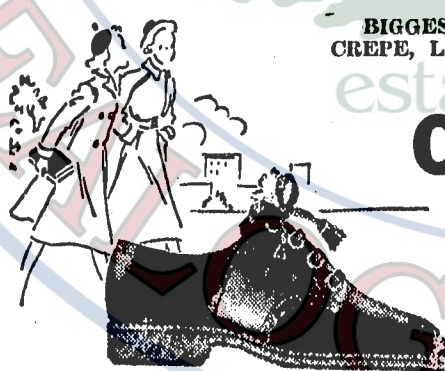
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