

County Road Fund Given \$198,000 Extra Next Year

\$100,000 Is Coming From Property Tax, Townships May Provide \$44,200

Ingham county will have up to \$198,000 extra next year for repairing the county road system. At its meeting Monday the board of supervisors voted to include \$100,000 in the county budget for road purposes.

The direct appropriation from the county board to the road commission is the first in Ingham since 1933. There have been specific appropriations under WPA for the Red Cedar river and under post-war projects for the Pennsylvania avenue extension.

Since the discovery of frost damage last spring and the costly floods the road commission has been pondering plans for raising money for reconstruction. The commissioners saw no other way than to ask for a slice of the mill tax and use of township and city funds on a matching basis.

The \$100,000 which will come from property taxes will have to be trimmed from other county needs or school district or township needs. Some of the \$100,000 may be cut from other items on the county budget.

Need Explained The frost and flood damage to Ingham highways last spring was the straw which broke the camel's back, County Highway Engineer Frank Evans told the supervisors Monday. He declared the problem is one which must be faced by the entire county.

Allocation Plan Fixed The money to be used on the township-matching program will be distributed and shared upon a population basis. The money to be matched is what is known as the fourth priority under the McNitt law and otherwise would go to cities and villages for street improvement and to the county road commission for township road maintenance.

Under the resolution adopted by the supervisors, townships shall make payment of their proportionate shares not later than May 1 of next year. Townships which do not participate will not share in priority four money.

Whether or not townships use funds to match county offers will be up to township boards to decide. The program is designed to tap township revenues from the sales tax split.



HEDGE HOPPING IS BUSINESS FOR Bob Starr, instructor at the Jewett airport. Here he is testing his duster on a Piper Cub. Starr can dust any crop on almost any sized field, but the longer the field the better. This method is a far cry from the hand type duster. When the wind is right, Starr can do a job in one hour that would take a week to do by hand.

Rehearing Is Granted to Kurschner

Judge Marvin S. Salmon of the Ingham circuit court has granted a rehearing on the naturalization case of Herman Kurschner of Leslie. The rehearing will be held in circuit court in Lansing Friday, July 9.

Instead of one of the three Ingham judges being on the bench at the rehearing, Judge Archie MacDonald of the Hastings-Barry circuit will preside at the rehearing. Raymond H. McLean, Mason attorney retained by Kurschner, presented the motion for a rehearing to Judge Salmon in Lansing Monday morning.

Kurschner will be permitted to have all the witnesses he wants at the rehearing. Plans are being made for a special bus to carry neighbors and Leslie business men to Lansing to testify for Kurschner.

4-H Club Value Cited by Leader

Boys and girls enrolled in 4-H club learn the value of planning ability, how to accept responsibility, how to organize and display exhibits, and they also profit from recreational and social contacts. That was the statement made by M. H. Avery, county club agent, before a meeting of the Mason Kiwanis club Tuesday night.

Holiday Monday

Due to the holiday weekend, all stores and business places will be closed on Monday, July 5. Therefore there will be no mail service Monday and the Ingham County Fair will be one day short.

Pilot's Body Being Returned to Mason

On the way back to Mason from a U. S. army cemetery in England is the body of Lt. Jean Anderson. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Anderson of Aurelius.

Lieutenant Anderson sacrificed his life to save others. He remained at the controls of his bomber while other crew members parachuted to safety. Then he stayed with the ship to pilot it outside a town in England. The ship crashed with its load of bombs and the Mason pilot was killed.



Lt. Jean Anderson

A Dose of His Own Medicine

Dr. O. K. Pauly of Mason is taking a dose of his own medicine. On Monday morning he underwent major surgery at the Art Center hospital in Detroit. He had his appendix removed and an exploratory pelvic examination made.

New Building Adds Seven Million to County Valuation

New County Budget Calls For \$1,430,267 From Property Tax Levies Big figures were dealt in by the Ingham board of supervisors at meetings Monday and Wednesday. About seven million dollars was added to last year's assessed valuation figures. A record budget of \$1,518,762 was adopted.

Traffic Accident Results in Suit

Harold Swarthout of Portland has started suit against James L. Kramer and Herschel Jewett of Mason. In his declaration he asks \$25,000 for injuries and damages resulting from an automobile accident July 17, 1947.

Swarthout set forth that he and his two sons were driving a pickup truck north on Tuttle road and were struck at the intersection of Earnes and Tuttle roads by a car driven by Kramer.

The complaint said his car was driven by his son, Harold, Jr., then 14, and with him was another son, Larry. Swarthout said his truck was stopped before entering the intersection and was struck while crossing Tuttle road.

Supervisor Marshall Graham demanded that Aseltine set forth which items in the health department budget should be eliminated. Aseltine replied that the health director employed should be able to tell which activities are essential and which are less essential or non-essential.

One item which could be trimmed, replied the Alaleidon supervisor, "is supervision of the installation of septic tanks. Most farmers know more about laying out a septic tank than the health department to supervise."

County Worth \$234,470,031

If all the property, real estate and personal, were sold at the present values placed upon it by assessing officers it would bring \$234,470,031. Actually it might yield double that because the full inflation values are not assessed, and some real estate and personal property is wholly or partially exempt.

Table showing property values for various townships: Alaleidon, Aurelius, Bunker Hill, Delhi, Ingham, Lansing, Leroy, Locke, Meridian, Onondaga, Stockbridge, Vevey, Wheatfield, White Oak, Williamson, and total county values.

Hail Cuts Wide Swath Through Vevay Grain Fields



WIND WRECKED THIS BARN on the Jay Coffey farm six miles south of Mason Monday night. Burnett and Burton Coffey and another boy Jim Miller had just left the barn when the building was twisted into wreckage. Helping rescue Coffey's dead hogs are Jay Coffey, Burnett Coffey, Dale Bray, Frank Greener and Dorr Cady. The barn was partly covered by insurance.

Mason Farm Is Model

Francis Platt and his father, Ray, Mason dairy farmers, are featured nationally in the July issue of Country Gentleman. In an article titled "Low Men on Chore Time," F. J. Keilholz describes the Platts' almost chock-full, push-button system of dairying for the 2,300,000 subscribers to Country Gentleman.

Neighbors and visitors from as far away as 75 or 100 miles are always dropping in at the Platts', the article says, to see how it's done. Ask these folks where they got a certain work-saving idea or tool, and they are sure to answer: "I saw it at Platt's."

Draft Boards Being Set Up

Draft board files stored a year ago are being dusted off in readiness for the new draft. Draft boards are being organized and office space is being found. Here in Ingham county, the draft board setup has not yet been made known.

Search Continues For Butcher Thief

Sheriff's officers are still looking for the thief or thieves who shot the Archie Fuller herd last Friday or Saturday night. The steer was butchered out right in the field. The Fuller farm is on Plains road.

Leslie Loses Land By Court Decision

Harold Mitchell hired himself for a lawyer and won a circuit court decision to have 21 acres of his land disconnected from the village of Leslie. Mitchell launched his case in court April 21, setting forth that his land was not served by sewers or water mains and that he received no benefits from the \$12.00 paid in village taxes.

Butter Sales from Farm Are Exempt

City folks who have relished the dairy butter delivered to them by buttermakers on the farm will have to switch to dairy butter or else go to the farm to get their butter.

Giant Hailstones Hammer Windows In Mason Area

Section South of Mason Swept by Severe Storm, Wind Takes One Barn Hail, rain and wind took part of Vevay township by storm Monday and turned what should have been a prosperous farm year into a hail-beaten, wind-torn disaster. The storm started about seven o'clock Monday evening at the southwest corner of Vevay and ripped north and east towards Mason. The farms hardest hit were in that swath.

Scores of Mason windows were broken by the giant hailstones. Some roofs were even damaged. The hail was spotty. Most farms west of US-127 were hard hit by the falling ice, but some farms in the area were untouched. At the peak of the storm the hailstones reached sizes of walnuts. Jay Coffey on Tuttle road lost a 40x60 barn to the wind. Coffey's was not touched by the hail while his neighbor, Joe Miller, on the first farm north of Coffey's had hail stone pock marks on the west side of his house.

Other heavy losers were Clarence Boles and Rudolph Bowman, who lost 70 acres of wheat on US-127. A. W. Jewett lost 12 acres of wheat. Allen Frederick on US-127 lost 37 acres of wheat and oats and probably his 45 acres of corn. Wilfred Jewett on Tomlinson road lost 45 acres of corn, beans and oats. He was covered by \$500 of hail insurance.

Prayer Is Rewarded For two years preachers have attended meetings of the board of supervisors to pray for the people as part of their pastoral duties. They received nothing, beyond an invitation to have dinner with Supervisor Lloyd Aseltine of Alaleidon, and the fixing of a traffic ticket.

On Monday morning of this week Rev. Lloyd Garaway of the Mason Baptist church did the praying. On Wednesday morning Rev. Murray Morford served as chaplain. The spirit of Supervisor Earl W. Collier, Lansing Presbyterian, was moved. He of his spirit moved that retroactive to Monday morning, brothers of the cloth who offer prayer shall be paid \$5.00 per prayer. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Suburban Drain Let at \$86,830 L. W. Wells Construction Co. of Saginaw was low bidder Wednesday on the Willmarth drain in Avondale subdivision. The price is \$86,830. County Drain Commissioner Gerald L. Graham announced.

Freedom Train Coming Mayor S. A. Morrison has received a bid to meet with central Michigan laymen at the Hotel Olds in Lansing Tuesday to help make plans for the coming of the Freedom Train August 17. The train will be in Lansing that day.

Military Rites for Holt Sailor

Services for Joseph H. Bassler, Jr., will be held at the Gorsline-Runciman funeral home in Lansing at one o'clock, Thursday, July 8.

Bassler was a motor machinist mate, 2/C. He lost his life November 10, 1944, in an explosion aboard the USS Mindanao near the Admiralty Islands.

Bassler was a member of the American Legion and was a member of the Ingham County Veterans Association.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Iva Bassler; two children, Patricia Lynn and Joseph Bassler, Sr.; and a brother, Benjamin of Lansing.



Joseph H. Bassler, Jr.

CLOSED ON SATURDAY: Beginning July 3, the Ingham AAA office will be closed on Saturday during the summer months.

GAS HIKE DEMANDED: The Consumer Power company has asked the public service commission to grant increases in gas rates billed to customers.

Keeping cutting parts sharp keeps up the work capacity of farm machinery say MSC agricultural engineers.

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Band Program Starts Tuesday

Mason's summer band program is scheduled to start Tuesday, July 6.

The board of education in co-operation with the PTA has set up the program with George Murthum as director.

Boys and girls who were enrolled in band during the school year are to report for classes at the time assigned before school was out.

New students taking up band music for the first time or transferring to Mason from other schools are asked to be at the school Tuesday morning. Individual as well as group instruction will be available.

Valuations

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department. He asserted that some employees are drawing 27c a mile for traveling expenses. The health department is the only one in the county which operates on a sliding mileage scale, with a minimum guarantee.

Fay Gives Answer: Supervisor John Fay of Delhi township, chairman of the health committee, defended the health department.

Munyon pointed out the spread of contagious disease back 30 years ago. Aseltine replied that health department should not be credited for stopping contagion before 1938 because it has only been in existence for 10 years.

Aseltine said a frank evaluation of the health department program by physicians would prove enlightening. Such a survey, however, would probably not be undertaken, the Alafedon supervisor said because of the code of ethics doctors follow.

Aseltine declared that within one block of the court house there is a residence without either inside or outside toilet facilities and the health department pays no attention to it.

Graham pointed out that the county health department serves all of Ingham since the city of Lansing has been added. He said that the budget is only \$2,000 higher than last year.

The Alafedon supervisor assured his colleagues that he holds them all in the highest respect and that he has no ill feeling toward any member of the health department. He just wanted to point out, he declared, that the health department is costing too much.

Following the tallying of the vote, Aseltine said, "I didn't expect to get to first base with my motion, but I decided to vote my convictions. That's the oath I took when I was sworn in as supervisor."

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Illness Fatal to Township Official

Funeral services were held for Mrs. Marian H. Heaney, 44, on Thursday, July 1, at the Bunker Hill Catholic church at 10 a. m. She died Monday at the farm home in Bunker Hill township following a lingering illness.

She was born on May 11, 1904, in Bunker Hill township, the daughter of Eugene and Myrtle Cavanaugh. She graduated from Nazareth academy at Kalamazoo in 1923.

On July 7, 1937, she was united in marriage to Vincent Heaney at Bunker Hill, where they had since made their home.

Besides the husband, she is survived by her mother, Mrs. Mayne Cavanaugh; four sisters, Mrs. Kenneth Laberteaux of Hastings; Sister Marie Eugene of Nazareth convent, Kalamazoo; Mrs. Paul Clinton of Hamilton, Ohio, and Mrs. William Peck of Mason; and two brothers, Austin Cavanaugh of Bunker Hill and Norbert Cavanaugh of Jackson.

The oilseed-producing safflower, now being grown in America, belongs to the thistle family; it is not subject to bird damage but is susceptible to grasshoppers, and because of its slow early growth it may be killed out by weeds.

Ebb-Tide Of Fear

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EDDIE RICHTER closed the hospital door gently. He stood outside for a moment, his eyes narrowed thoughtfully.

"Don't you worry your pretty little head about anything, Mary," he had told her, his eyes earnest and glowing. "Everything's going to be all right. I've got the promise of a fine new job and we won't have to worry about bills or expenses or anything from now on."

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That is, until the day he was up on Galloping Wind, the great chestnut mare that had started the entire racing world with her amazing bursts of speed.

On the day in question, he looked at the track nervously. It had detailed all night and the course was a sea of mud.

The horses were brought to the barrier, and Eddie leaned over Galloping Wind's neck and spoke to her reassuringly. She tossed her head and reared.

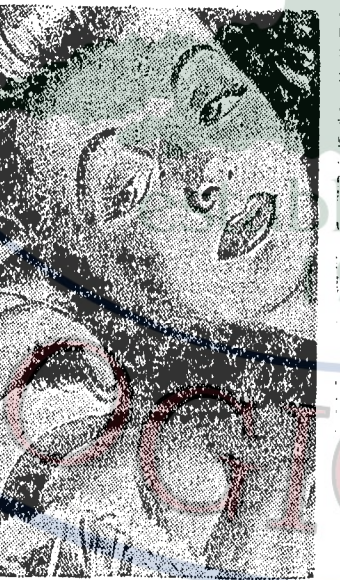
At the three-quarter post, Eddie leaned over and said coaxingly, "Come on, girl, now's the time. You can do it. Why, the rest of these bangtails can't touch you for speed. Come on, now, let's show 'em."

Galloping Wind lengthened her stride in response to the appeal in Eddie's voice. She moved up, making her bid. And then, with victory within grasp, Galloping Wind stumbled and went down, with Eddie under her.

When they got him out, the Doc shook his head as he went over Eddie's body with knowing fingers. "I don't know," he said doubtfully. "He's pretty much bunged up. We can tell more after we get him to the hospital and have X-rays taken."

HE LAY there four months, his broken body an intolerable agony. The pain wouldn't have been so bad, if he could have gotten the picture out of his mind of lying under Galloping Wind, the thunder of flying hooves coming toward him. Something had gone out of Eddie then, and been replaced by fear.

When he came out of the hospital, he and Mary faced the fact that their savings were gone. Things got steadily worse. Eddie didn't know



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anything but horses and horse racing and he couldn't endure the sight of a horse.

Finally matters came to a climax when Mary had to be rushed to the hospital for an emergency operation. She came through all right, but behind the love in her eyes there was worry, too.

As he stood outside the door, Eddie came to his decision. He left the hospital and turned toward the track and to George Graybar. Graybar, fabulously wealthy sportsman, owner of the Graybar stables from which had come Shooting Comet, Whirlwind, Highpockets and a host of other famous horses—and Galloping Wind.

Something in Eddie's face brought a welcoming smile from Graybar. "Well, it's about time, Eddie," he boomed. "I wondered how long it would be before you'd be around to see me."

They walked out to the stables, to the smell of clean hay and the nicker of the horses in their stalls. When they came to the last stall, there was Galloping Wind.

The great horse stretched out her neck and nuzzled softly. Eddie allowed the lump in his throat as he turned to Graybar who was watching them.

"She remembers me!" Eddie's eyes were shining. "When can I ride her, sir?" There was a great excitement in his eyes.

Eddie had come home.

The European corn borer, that caused a loss of \$97,000,000 to corn crops in the United States in 1947, was first found in this country near Boston 30 years before.

Hailstones

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was new last year was completely ruined. Collins was covered by insurance. Dart Motor Sales, Robinson Implement company and the new Cadillac showroom lost windows and had damaged roofs.

Hundreds of Mason homes received smashed panes from the storm. The west side of town was hit the worst. Practically everyone on West Elm street had broken windows. Ralph Johnson and Dick Mills had damaged roofs.

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Wyeth had \$25,000 worth of milk under process when the power went off. The company has its own power plant, but it was not sufficient to complete the processing.

Weather Bureau Explains: According to the weather bureau, hail is formed like rain. When a rising volume of air cools it begins to form clouds of moisture.

Hailstones that fell Monday were unusual in size and shape. Most hailstones are always round and smooth, but the ones that fell in the storm were pitted.

Policemen Declare Fireworks Illegal: Under state law the sale, use or possession of fireworks is illegal. Excepted by special act of the legislature are toy pistols which have been approved by the state police.

Sparklers, firecrackers, torpedoes, pin wheels, Roman candles and other fireworks are under the ban whether they are obtained in Michigan or outside of the state. Mason policemen issued a warning Wednesday that the fireworks law will be enforced.

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Health NEWS

"Health News" is presented by your Doctor of Medicine as a health service of the Michigan State Medical Society

Streptomycin Offers First Hope Against Tuberculous Meningitis

Tuberculous meningitis, heretofore always a fatal disease, has at last been treated of some of its victims by the "wonder-drug" streptomycin.

A recent report from a large city hospital tells how two out of three patients with this dread disease, who were treated with streptomycin, have lived.

Since 13 survivors out of an other 32 cases had previously been reported, it is evident that streptomycin may offer the only hope of arresting tuberculous meningitis.

This same drug has also proved effective in treating other forms of bacilli-caused meningitis. It is necessary here to distinguish between the various kinds of meningitis. The disease itself involves an inflammation of the covering of the brain, but it can be caused by a number of organisms.

The most common of these are the "cocci" bacteria, such as the meningococcus, and the pneumococcus. Meningitis due to these organisms has been successfully treated by sulfa and penicillin.

Besides these cocci types of meningitis, however, are a number of other infections caused by a "bacillus" type of bacteria. Unfortunately these organisms have not responded to sulfa or penicillin. Although they do not occur as frequently, they are nevertheless of great importance because of their high death rate, and because of their failure to respond to any of the usual treatments.

The bacillus-type infections, of which tuberculous meningitis is one, occur more frequently in children than in adults.

The fact that the 27 cases of bacillus-caused meningitis recently reported included only four deaths is a remarkable record in view of the usually fatal nature of these infections. Such figures offer hope that streptomycin may finally be the weapon which doctors of medicine have been seeking in their never-ending efforts to combat meningitis.



(Ingham County News Photo)

IT WAS NEVER LIKE THIS IN FLORIDA according to Joe Miller who moved to Michigan only last year. At least 20 trees were uprooted or split on this farm not to mention a new Studebaker that was crushed under a box elder tree.

LESLIE BANDIT SENTENCED: Harry Sarris, 30, of Leslie was sentenced Tuesday for bank robbery. He must serve 20 years in federal prison.

WESTERN STOCKBRIDGE: Mrs. Guerdon Usher. Church 10 a. m. Sunday school 11 a. m.

Mr. and Mrs. George Biesel and son of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bauer.

Mrs. Daisy Walker is visiting relatives in the north.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reeder of Plymouth spent Sunday with Wilson Reeder.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Campbell had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell.

Mrs. Will Knight spent Tuesday with Mrs. Maude Lantis and Mrs. Harold Lantis.

Mrs. Vincent Heeny died at her home Monday noon.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Townsend, government electrician of Port Ord, California, also known as the flying grandparents, called on Mr. and Mrs. George Stitt while making a tour of the United States in the interest of aviation.

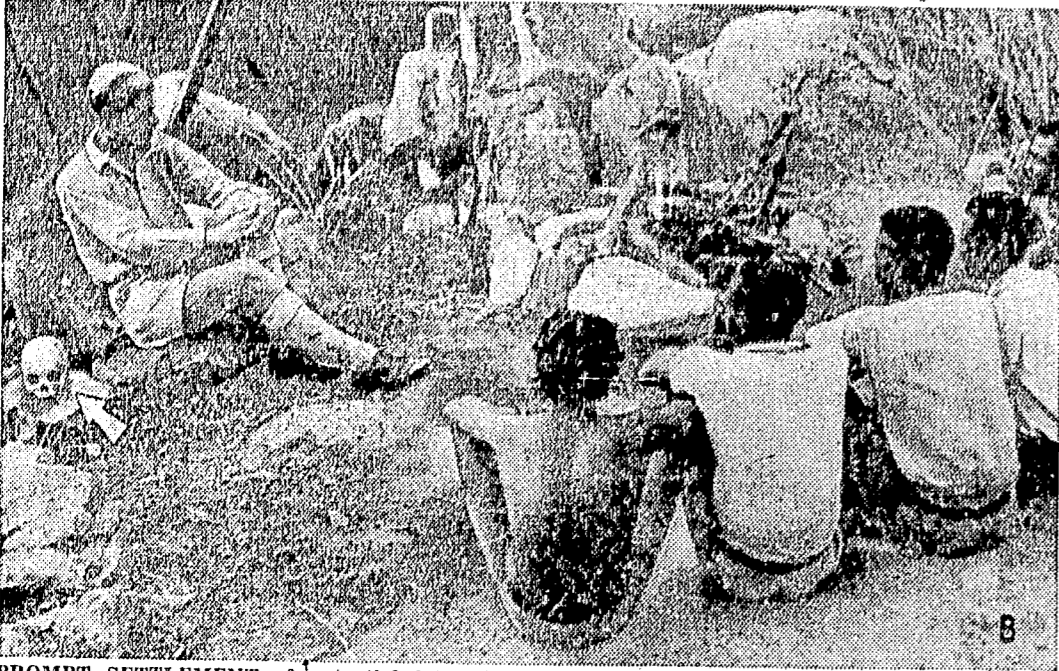
Mr. and Mrs. Guerdon Usher, William Fouty, Mr. and Mrs. son and Gary of Lansing had a picnic dinner at Pine lake Sunday.

IT PAYS To Carry Hail Insurance On Your FARM CROPS Michigan Mutual Hail Insurance Company 414 Mutual Building 208 N. Capitol Ave. Lansing, Michigan

Effective Thursday, July 1 MILK PRICES INCREASE 1c ON MOST ITEMS Continually rising costs on all sides have made a price increase essential at this time. We have made every effort to keep it as low as possible in order that we may operate without loss and still not cause unreasonable increase in our customers' milk bills. We wish to express our appreciation of your cooperation with us. We know that once again, you will understand why it has been necessary for us to make this change. Milk Prices, Even With This Increase, Are 2c to 3c LOWER Than Anywhere Else In This Area New Milk and Dairy Product Prices As Follows: Regular Milk 17c Whipping Cream 38c half Homogenized Milk 18c pint Buttermilk 17c Orange Drink 17c Skimmed Milk 12c Cottage Cheese 20c\* Coffee Cream 19c half pint\* \* Increase of 2c HALL'S DAIRY LAUNSTEIN'S DAIRY MASON DAIRY

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**Skull Makes "Peanuts" of Labor Dispute**



PROMPT SETTLEMENT of potential labor trouble occurred in Tanganyika, British East Africa, when Wagogo tribesmen were about to down tools while clearing part of the 3 1/2 million acre farm on which the British plan to grow peanuts to help relieve the world fat shortage. Tribesmen's grievance arose when a bulldozer, crashing into a tree, exposed a human skull, buried there according to tribal custom. When the Wagogo employees—fearing the vengeance of the spirit of the dead—threatened to desert, Unit Manager G. C. Watterson acted quickly. He had the skull (arrowed in picture) set up beside him and called a council. The Wagogo liked the idea and decided that all future conferences should be held round the skull so that the spirit of the dead could watch over their interests.



IN ONE OF MASON'S PRIZE GARDENS, Clifford Keesler of 111 Sycamore has a productive strawberry patch. He has picked well over 125 quarts of ripe red fruit this year. The plants are the Dawson variety and are two years old. Keesler has three 40-foot rows and every plant was loaded with fruit. This picture shows the Mason man harvesting part of his crop.

**HIGH WAGES DON'T MEAN PROSPERITY**

**Relief Costs Going Up**

With wages higher than even before in history, there are more Ingham families on welfare rolls than a year ago. Relief costs next year will be higher than this year. That's why Ingham supervisors put \$55,000 more in the budget for direct relief and \$40,000 more for social welfare for 1949.

The inflationary spiral has sent relief costs up. Welfare Director Daryl Minnis told supervisors Wednesday before adoption of the budget. Several had asked for an explanation of relief costs. Minnis said that inflation is pinching old age pensioners and those depending on social security benefits.

For 1948 the direct relief budget, matched by the state, is \$121,000, with \$251,500 for social welfare, which includes hospitalization, operation of the county hospital and county infirmary and general welfare administration. For 1949 the supervisors have provided \$176,000 for direct relief and \$291,500 for social welfare.

Strikes, factory shutdowns because of strikes in other industries, and shortages of materials have resulted in a lot of layoffs and short work weeks, Minnis explained. With seven or eight in a family, short work weeks result in demands for relief, he pointed out.

Right now, according to U. S. employment office figures, there are 5,800 employables in the county without employment, Minnis reported. In April there were 882 employables on direct relief, Minnis said, more than three times the relief load of 1940.

The budgets set by the county for relief families run about \$20.00 under monthly budgets fixed by the state for pensioners and dependent mothers, Minnis said. He said that the maximum for old age pensions is being boosted \$5.00, from \$45.00 to \$50.00 per month.

The state welfare department is demanding that sons and daughters pay more for the keep of parents who are receiving relief, Minnis said. He explained that the law permitting the state to file claims against estates left by those drawing old age assistance has resulted in some decrease in the pension list. He urged supervisors to support enactment of legislation enabling the county to file claims against estates of those aided by direct relief.

"There are many people who have been getting aid for years," Minnis said, "and have concealed their assets. Often those persons leave estates running up into sev-

eral thousands of dollars. There is no reason why the taxpayers should not be reimbursed."

The welfare department is having success in its drive to collect all or part of hospital bills, Minnis reported. He estimated that between \$10,000 and \$15,000 would be recovered this year on hospitalization.

There are 2,500 men and women on old age pension rolls in Ingham, the welfare director told the supervisors, with about 500 mothers receiving aid to dependent children.

**Mrs. Stricklin Dies at Seattle**

Word has been received by relatives of the death of Mrs. Helen Stricklin of Seattle, Washington, formerly of Williamston. She is the former Helen Beatty, daughter of the late Rev. and Mrs. H. R. Beatty.

Born June 23, 1914, at Grass Lake, she attended many schools in Michigan. She was graduated from Ann Arbor high school in 1932 and from St. Joseph hospital as a registered nurse in 1935. After graduation she worked at the University of Michigan and St. Joseph hospitals.

Following her marriage to William Stricklin, they moved to Seattle, Washington, where she died suddenly on June 30 after a short illness. She is survived by her husband, and two daughters. Three brothers, Howard Beatty of Ann Arbor and David and Wayne Beatty of Williamston also survive. Burial will be at Seattle.

**Weather Observations**

Up until Monday evening, the weather during the past week had been rainy and humid. When the weather finally broke Monday evening, there was lots of hail and wind in some parts of the county. Some of the hailstones were reported to be larger than ice cubes, and most of the crops in the vicinity of the storm were a total loss. The rain storm Tuesday night was followed by a rainbow in the east.

Rainfall for the week amounted to .78 of an inch, while the total for the month measured 4.12 inches.

High temperatures for the month were on June 4 and June 23 when the mercury climbed to 90 each day. On the night of June 5, a low of 35 was recorded.

Temperatures as recorded by S. L. Demorest at the Mason disposal plant during the past week were:

	Min.	Max.
June 24	68	77
June 25	61	82
June 26	57	85
June 27	67	82
June 28	66	86
June 29	64	75
June 30	58	75
July 1	48	

**Your Commentator**

By Jim Larkin

Why, there's that scheming Doris Weeks;  
Just hear her timid squeals and shrieks  
As to the waves she yields her pretty corpus.  
A lifeguard—how she clings to him!  
Is teaching Doris how to swim,  
Yet I know that she can swim, like a porpoise.

**MEN OF MERIT**

Living quietly in Poulton, Ga., in the winter, and at Sault Sainte Marie, Mich., during the summer, is a grand old man, whose record of activity and accomplishment could not be covered on this entire page. He is Chase S. Osborn, who was born in Huntington, Ind., in 1860; attended Purdue University and turned to newspaper work which carried him to Chicago, Milwaukee and finally Sault Sainte Marie, where he became owner of the NEWS of that city. But this was incidental. He discovered iron deposits which were developed into great ranges, once served as Governor of Michigan, roamed the world and wrote some of the finest travel and historical books, won honors in hundreds of civic and national activities. His philanthropies run into millions of dollars. And I can say, from my valued friendship with this remarkable man, that he also is a most lovable person.

**RHYMED DEFINITIONS**  
If SOPHISTICATED, you are not green or dense;  
You're worldly wise from experience.  
When one is a TYRO he can't be a winner,  
For he is a novice; an unskilled beginner.  
We can see other uses for the new and speedy way of producing synthetic rubber, whereby when a few drops of a chemical are put into a bottle of butadiene a snake-like strip of rubber jumps forth. With chemical names not revealed, a demonstration might have a profound reformative effect on a perennial "souse."

The dictionary says that a splinter is "a fragment, a small or trifling piece." It's not so trifling; it can be very dangerous if it is in your flesh and not promptly removed and the wound sterilized.

**IT'S VERY SWEET**  
It's your habit to call your wife "Sugar," the name may lack sufficient strength if she discovers that there now is a product which is 4,000 times sweeter than sugar. The chemical name of the compound is given in the advisory-verse below.  
How to avoid her flight to Reno:  
Just call her your "Queen"  
1-N-PROPOXY-2-AMINO-4-NITROBENZENE.  
Even most capable swimmers should remember that good swimming may be done near the shore just as well—and much more safely—than out in the middle of the lake. Therefore, why take foolish chances?  
Scientists believe that within 50 years nations may be scrambling for rocket bases and refueling stations on the moon. The thought occurs that there also may be keen rivalry for housing sites by progeny of present trailer-camp residents.

**MASON STORES  
WILL BE CLOSED  
ALL DAY**

**MONDAY, JULY 5**

**Speed Kills—Take It Easy**

**Persons Driving  
Out Of Town For  
The Fourth Are  
Warned By Safety  
Council Officials And  
State Police To Drive  
Slowly And Carefully**

**For Stay-at-Home Folks:**

**The Ingham County Horse Show**

**Friday — Saturday — Sunday**

**At The Fairgrounds**

**Regular Programs At Mason**

**And Leslie Theaters**



### Mr. and Mrs. William Dart Greet Friends at Open House

Over 150 friends and relatives called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Dart Monday when the open house was held in observance of the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William Dart. At the door of the recreation room, guests were greeted by the Normans.

Those calling to extend congratulations were received by the honored couple in front of the fireplace.

Pictures of Bill and Ruth Dart, which were taken at the time they were married in 1923, were placed on one side of the fireplace mantel. On the other side of the mantel were pictures of Norm and Jeanette Dart, who were married on the Bill Darts' anniversary in 1933. An arrangement of roses in a silver bowl and candelabra, 150 years old, which was used at the time of the Normans' wedding 15 years ago, completed the mantel decorations. The candelabra has been in Mrs. Dart's family for many years.

Tall vases of mock orange, red roses, delphinium, lilies and peonies were placed throughout the recreation room. Candles lighted the room.

Scrapbooks showing the wedding details of the couples were placed on the table at which the guests registered. A bowl of red roses centered the table.

From the recreation room the guests proceeded to the living room, where punch and a three-tiered wedding cake topped with miniature bride and groom and wedding bells were served from a table made attractive with red roses and silver candle holders holding lighted tapers. Punch was served by Mrs. Keith Toaz, a sister of Mrs. William Dart, Mrs. L. R. White, Mrs. Leland Austin and Mrs. Lowell Robinson. The wedding cake was cut and served by Mrs. Gibbins Howlett, a sister-in-law of Mrs. Dart. A wedding party adorned the buffet.

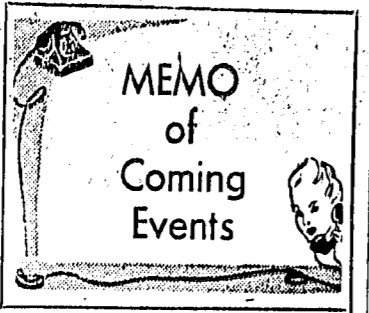
Songs for the occasion were sung by Lana, Eleanor and Kathleen Dart, daughters of the Normans; Jane and Julie Dart, daughters of the James Darts; Mary Carol Dart, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dart; and Sally and Peter Robinson, children of the Lowell Robinsons. The group was accompanied by Mrs. Norman Dart.

The occasion also marked the birthday anniversaries of Bill Dart and Lana Dart. "Happy Birthday" was sung by the children, after which Bill and Lana were presented birthday cakes. Pictures were taken by Bill Dart.

Out-of-town guests at the affair were W. E. Butler of San Diego, California, Mrs. Harriett Dart and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Dart of Battle

Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Powers and family of Newago, Mrs. Zola Dart and Jan and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walcott of East Lansing, Mrs. Josephine Howlett of Orin, Florida, mother of Mrs. Dart; Mr. and Mrs. John Dart and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Rich, Mrs. Francis Bleicher, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Sheren and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Carter of Lansing.

Mrs. Powers served as flower girl at the wedding of the William Darts 25 years ago.



**THURSDAY, JULY 1**  
Townsend Club No. 1, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson, North Rogers street, potluck dinner at 7:30 p. m.

**FRIDAY, JULY 2**  
Ingham County Horse Show opens at 7:00 p. m.

**SATURDAY, JULY 3**  
Horse Show continues, afternoon and evening.  
D. A. V. Auxiliary baked goods sale, Beckwith's Clothing store.

**SUNDAY, JULY 4**  
Horse Show, afternoon and evening, last day.  
**TUESDAY, JULY 6**  
Maccabee picnic, Rayner park, 12 o'clock.  
Blue Star Mothers, regular meeting, Legion Memorial building.

**WEDNESDAY, JULY 7**  
Mason Rebekah Lodge, regular meeting, I. O. O. F. hall, 8 p. m.

### Softball League

Wednesday night, Dansville, with only four men, forfeited its game to Paristyle. If the Dansville team would get behind its new pitcher, Ron Stover of Williamston, they would have a menacing team. It was only two weeks ago that Dansville defeated Dart & Cady 13-1.

In the nightcap, Hammann's nipped out Dart & Cady 13-11. Ketchum, with the aid of an early lead in the game, held down Dart & Cady to only four runs up until the sixth inning. In the sixth, they made another three. In the seventh, they tallied four, losing by only a two-run margin. Stolz was the losing pitcher with Lyle Ketchum taking the winning honors.

Thursday night of this week, Dansville and Schmidt's are slated for the starter. Jefferson's and Paristyle will play the nightcap. Because of the weather, the games scheduled for Tuesday night will be played off at a later date. Hammann's and Jefferson's were scheduled for the first game, Schmidt's and Dart & Cady for the second. Games scheduled for July are:

**JULY 6**  
Dansville vs. Hammann's ..... 7:30  
Schmidt's vs. Paristyle ..... 9:00

**JULY 7**  
Dart & Cady vs. Jefferson's ..... 7:30  
Hammann's vs. Schmidt's ..... 9:00

**JULY 8**  
Paristyle vs. Dart & Cady ..... 7:30  
Jefferson's vs. Dansville ..... 9:00

**JULY 13**  
Schmidt's vs. Jefferson's ..... 7:30  
Paristyle vs. Hammann's ..... 9:00

**JULY 14**  
Dart & Cady vs. Dansville ..... 7:30  
Jefferson's vs. Hammann's ..... 9:00

**JULY 15**  
Dart & Cady vs. Schmidt's ..... 7:30  
Paristyle vs. Dansville ..... 9:00

**JULY 20**  
Dart & Cady vs. Hammann's ..... 7:30  
Schmidt's vs. Dansville ..... 9:00

**JULY 21**  
Paristyle vs. Jefferson's ..... 7:30  
Hammann's vs. Dansville ..... 9:00

**JULY 22**  
Paristyle vs. Schmidt's ..... 7:30  
Jefferson's vs. Dart & Cady ..... 9:00

**JULY 27**  
Schmidt's vs. Hammann's ..... 7:30  
Dart & Cady vs. Paristyle ..... 9:00

**JULY 28**  
Dansville vs. Jefferson's ..... 7:30  
Hammann's vs. Paristyle ..... 9:00

**JULY 29**  
Jefferson's vs. Schmidt's ..... 7:30  
Dansville vs. Dart & Cady ..... 9:00

**HAVE PICNIC DINNER**  
Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Smith were the hosts at a picnic Sunday evening given in honor of Dr. and Mrs. Joel Richard of Oak Park, Illinois. Guests included Mrs. and Mr. Sam Cotton and Mr. and Mrs. James Cotton. The evening was spent in playing bridge.

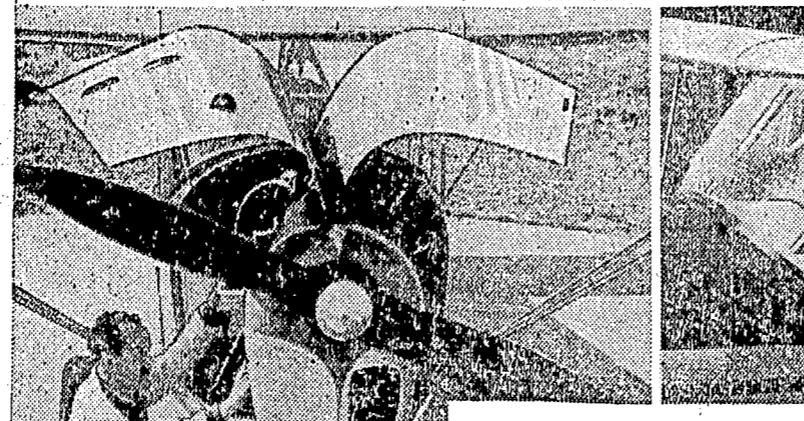
Mrs. Clark Nottingham and daughter, Sandra and Nancy of Stockbridge were Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Shinevar. Mrs. Nottingham and Mrs. Shinevar are sisters.

**TO PETE BRIDE-ELECT**  
Miss Donna Jean Davis, bride-elect of July 10, will be honored at a miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon. It is to be given by Mrs. Roger Collar of Lansing and Mrs. Richard Swaninger of Mason at the home of Mrs. Collar in Lansing on July 10 at the Mason Presbyterian church. Rev. Marshall W. Simpson will perform the ceremony.

**Introduction of Grapefruit**  
Spaniards brought the grapefruit to Florida in the 16th century.



### You Can Fly Your Family Or Freight With Car Controls



MOTORING METHODS are the inspiration of a new family-of-four airplane now in full production. Named the Chrysler Super Ace, it will not, its British manufacturers claim, spin, tilt, or stall—has plenty of interchangeable under carriage, and has plenty of luggage room. Top left: Super Ace with its full complement of four. Bottom left: The cowling lifts car-like for easy inspection. Right: The car-like controls and the pilot's all-round view. Super Ace can also be easily converted into a freighter if the need is to fly goods.

### Legion Team Wins Two More Games

Mason's Junior Legion baseball team notched two more victories this past week, taking Fowlerville, 9 to 1 and Holt, 14 to 8.

With Wayne Gabbert pitching one-hit ball in his first start, Mason beat Fowlerville between showers. Jack Davis and Denny Stolz each collected two hits to aid the cause while Merritt Snyder smacked out a timely double. Gabbert struck out 16 and gave up just one hit, a dribbling handle hit down the third base line by Kleinschmidt in the first inning.

On Tuesday in a wild game that saw Holt parade six pitchers to the mound, Mason won 14-8. The grounds were wet and the ball was wet, and there were plenty of errors. Every player on the field made some kind of a bobble.

Merritt Snyder led at the plate with two hits while Gabbert pitched out a three-bagger. Hayhoe hurried for Mason, striking out 12.

With five straight victories hung up by Mason, J. B. Dean's outfit takes on East Lansing next Tuesday afternoon at 5:30 at the Mason field. After that comes the

playoffs. Out-county teams will play it out to see which will clash with Lansing in the district elimination.

### In Justice Court

Following trial before Justice Roy Adams with a jury, William Grandy of Dansville was found guilty of disturbing the peace and quiet of a Dansville tavern. He paid a fine of \$10.00 plus costs of

\$27.20, and was placed on probation for a year.

Carl Ebbright paid a fine of \$10.00 plus costs of \$3.00 to Justice Adams Monday. He pleaded guilty to disturbing the peace in his neighborhood on Okemos street Sunday night.

### INFANT SUCCUMBS

Lillian Jean Laycock, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Laycock of Route 4, Mason, died at a Lansing hospital on Monday, July 1, aged 10 days.

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### Republicans Pick Dewey and Warren



GOVERNOR THOMAS E. DEWEY



GOVERNOR EARL WARREN

On the third ballot at Philadelphia the Republicans chose Governor Thomas E. Dewey of New York as candidate for president, and Governor Earl Warren of California as the candidate for vice-president.

Michigan's 41 delegates stuck with Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg on the first and second ballots and didn't switch to Governor Dewey until he already had a majority. Michigan delegates were in caucus deciding between Governor Warren and Harold Stassen when the vice-presidential nominee was chosen.

Democrats are now heading for Philadelphia to choose their candidates. President Harry Truman is considered almost a sure bet for the presidential nomination although the "draft Eisenhower" sentiment still persists in some sections. The race for the nomination for vice-president is wide open.

**HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY**  
LaValle Neal was honored Wednesday night at a birthday party given by his mother, Mrs. Harold Neal, to celebrate his 10th birthday anniversary. A small group of friends attended. Several games were played with prizes going to Danny Mepovski and children on Wednesday.

### Historical Facts Told

A tiny fort erected at the mouth of the St. Joseph river in 1679 played a key part in the discovery of the mouth of the Mississippi river.

Destroyed long ago, the stockade was constructed overlooking Lake Michigan on a bluff that now adjoins the business center of the city of St. Joseph.

Called Fort Miami, it was the first fort built in the Lower Peninsula. It formed the main base in Michigan for La Salle's explorations which led to the discovery of the mouth of the Mississippi, according to information in the Michigan Historical Collections at the University of Michigan.

Never one to waste time, La Salle cut the bastion from the wilderness while awaiting a rendezvous with other members of his party before making his first attempt to get to the Illinois river and then the Mississippi by way of the St. Joseph and Kankakee rivers.

Unsuccessful in his first try, the husky, intrepid explorer returned to Fort Miami, and then left Fort Frontenac, Kingston, Ont. to arrange for more supplies. He and several others trudged the 1,000 miles through the snow and slush of early spring in 65 days. In making the trip, La Salle became the first white man to cross Southern Michigan, according to the Michigan Historical Collections.

On Nov. 4, La Salle returned to his Fort Miami headquarters which he soon left on a trip to the Illinois River. Two months later he was back, but left in March to visit Illinois Indians.

After another Indian visit, he left the fort for Montreal by way of Mackinac. Back at Fort Miami in Nov. 1681, La Salle left there late in December on what turned out to be his successful effort to find the mouth of the Mississippi.

Two months later, on April 9, he achieved his goal and claimed the vast valley drained by the Mississippi and its many tributaries for France.

Fresh from his triumph, La Salle journeyed back to Fort Miami in 1682, whence he left for France to report to the king.

Affairwards, the little fort which was home to La Salle and which he used as a center for news and supplies, was used for shelter by traders and trappers until it fell into decay and disappeared.

**BIDS WANTED**  
Bids are now being received for the construction of a four class room elementary school for the North school in district No. 2 of Delhi township, J. P. Attwood, secretary of the North school board of education, has announced. All bids should be sent to Mr. Attwood, and they will be received until 7:30 p. m. on July 14, when bids will be opened.

### COUNCIL SESSION TUESDAY

Because Monday, July 5, is a legal holiday, the meeting of the Mason city council will be held Tuesday night.

House of Commons  
Britain's house of commons is being rebuilt. Hitler's luftwaffe had reduced it to ruins. Air conditioning, loud speakers and a well-equipped gymnasium will introduce modern notes. The task of restoring commons is a great one and the work is not expected to be completed before April, 1950.

**BANG-UP** FOR THE  
**VALUES 4<sup>TH</sup>**

**Men's Dress Straws**

VALUES TO \$5  
**\$1.98 \$2.98**

**Special Sale on Children's Sportswear**

Items in sizes 4 to 16  
**1/2 REGULAR PRICE**

**Men's City Club SPORT SHOES**

Crepe soles in brown and tan and brown  
Leather soles in brown or black with white

Peters fine quality and long-wearing features  
**\$4.95 to \$10.95**

**Special Rack Women's Summer Dresses And Sportswear**

**1/2 Off Regular Price**

**Women's Goodrich Play Shoes**

With the famous P. F. (posture foundation) which insures the same comfort as your dress shoe. Has soft sponge rubber cushion which serves as an arch support.

**\$3.49 and \$4.95**

**JUST ARRIVED! New Knit Midriiffs**

Ideal with shorts and slacks  
**98c**

**Children's SANDALS**

**\$2.25 - \$3.49**

**TENNIS SHOES**

All sizes for all kinds of summer sports  
**\$1.98 to \$5.25**

**SCHMIDT'S**

WE GIVE GOLD STAMPS









Green Light Given For Midget Races At County Park

Committee Also Named To Study Proposition Of Completing Grandstand
Use of the infield at the county fairgrounds for building a quarter-mile track for midget automobile and motorcycle races was approved by the board of supervisors Monday.

to Fair Board Secretary Joy O. Davis, the county will not be out any money and the fair board will receive split of 25 per cent of the gate. The split is estimated at \$250 every race night during the season. Races will be held once a week, Davis indicated.
The promoters of midget racing will build the quarter-mile track without expense to the county, Davis assured the board of supervisors.

Sum of \$250,000 Asked To Modernize Sanatorium

A quarter of a million dollars is needed to modernize the Ingham county tuberculosis sanatorium in Lansing. That's what members of the board of supervisors were told Monday. Dr. C. J. Stringer, medical superintendent, and members of the board of control joined in the plea.
Last year an appropriation of \$50,000 was made to a building county might just as well be sharing such a bonanza.

Political pressure was exerted, Davis declared, to head off the parliament horse racing program. He said the members of the fair board wanted to make sure no such pressure would be brought to head off midget auto racing.
Building of the infield track will force abandonment of the baseball diamond, Davis explained. He said the school board is building another diamond.
Grandstand Discussed
Supervisor Glen Leatherman of Lansing brought up the matter of the uncompleted grandstand at the fairgrounds.

\$6,000 LOANED BY COUNTY
Without a dissenting vote, the board of supervisors Wednesday appropriated \$6,000 for finishing the grandstand. The money is a loan, not a gift, and must be returned. The county will get 10 per cent out of every grandstand admission fee toward repayment. Grandstand admissions last year were about \$10,000.

put up \$5,850 for a roof and for completion of the south end and west side of the new stand. That motion was tabled. On Monday, Leatherman moved that the motion be taken from the table. The move was voted down 19-15.

Supervisor Ward Vicary of Bunker Hill then moved that a special committee of five be appointed to get present costs and report to the supervisors on what is actually needed. The motion was adopted and Supervisor Dakin was named chairman. The other members of the committee are Supervisors Leatherman and Vicary, J. K. Reed and Walter S. Murray of Lansing.
Davis assured the board there is no immediate danger of the unfinished grandstand even collapsing or even sagging. The danger, Davis pointed out, lies in the damage to seats by rain and sun and the cost of using canvas to keep out rain.

Better Financial Outlook
Prospects for the 1948 fair are encouraging, Davis told the supervisors. He indicated that the fair promises to return about \$10,000 more net than in 1947.
The \$10,000, Davis explained, will come from a raise of \$1,000 in the premium money provided by the county, a lift of \$1,000 in admission prices to cover federal taxes, a savings of \$1,000 on advertising and a reduction in the amount put up for racing purses.
Purses will be double those of last year, yet the cost to the county will be \$2,000 less because of state aid, Davis declared. He also said that a saving of \$2,200 will be made on the grandstand show.

County Elevator Again Discussed

Elevator service at the county building was brought up again Monday. The issue was often before the board in pre-war days and at one time reached the bid stage. The price was about \$11,000. Inflation has resulted in a present guess of about \$25,000, it was reported at the meeting.
Supervisor Earl W. Collar of Lansing asked that an elevator be installed. He pointed out that several members of the board are unable to attend sessions because of heart conditions. He said that other people with weak hearts suffer by climbing the stairs to the third floor.
The county buildings committee made up of Supervisors Guy S. Thorburn of Mason, Rina Del of Lansing and Joseph Speers of Locke, is to make a report about the elevator soon.

Court Is Recessed For Rest of Term

Circuit court at Mason was recessed Monday following the trial of a civil case. It was the final case on the trial list and the jurors for the term were told they need not return unless specially summoned.

Judge Louis E. Coash told the jurors that two cases scheduled for trial this week were disposed of outside of court.
Monday's case may prove to be a test on liability in automobile accidents. The case was an action brought by the Buffalo Scale company against Stanley R. Anderson of East Lansing. Actually it was brought by the Utica Mutual Insurance as subrogor.

During the trial it developed that Cyril G. Meng, employed by the Buffalo Scale company, was fatally injured in an automobile crash in Oakland county December 11, 1946. Anderson was the driver of the car. Mrs. Meng, administrator of her estate, and her husband, elected to take employer's compensation insurance for her husband's death. The Utica Mutual Insurance company had the insurance and paid hospital and funeral bills and \$19,000 per week. The company also paid, and agreed to pay further sums covering the full extent of the benefits. The insurance company carrying the risk then came into court to recover from Anderson. The company claimed that Anderson's negligence caused the fatal crash.
Meng was driving on a through highway. His car was struck by the car driven by Anderson, who entered the main highway from a cross road. It was brought out that Anderson failed to see the stop sign because the sun was in his eyes.
An appeal from the verdict will probably be taken to the state supreme court, attorneys declared.

Mason Baptists Redecorate Church

Mason Baptists worshipped in their newly decorated auditorium for the first time last Sunday. For some weeks repairs and remodeling have been in progress at the church, and it was necessary to hold services in the basement under crowded conditions and last Sunday morning worshippers thankfully gathered in the auditorium again.
During the war years, when materials and help were scarce many things that needed doing were left undone. Finally repairs became imperative—especially when the plaster over the auditorium loosened and became a menace. The plaster has all been removed and a new plastered ceiling put in. A new carpet has been purchased and together with new linoleum in the basement, the place of worship has again become the thing of beauty it should be. Much needed repairs have also been made to the roof of the building, and the Sunday school rooms have all been redecorated.

Total cost of the repairs to plaster, stucco, roof, etc. were upwards of \$3,500, of which \$1,750 was on hand. Therefore church members are banding together to raise the extra \$1,500 or \$1,600 needed to complete payment within the next two or three weeks and thus take advantage of the cash price for materials and labor.
The board of trustees, headed by C. L. Bickert, and the finance committee have worked long and faithfully and their members and a great many of the church members and attendants, both men and women have given many hours of labor in the work of redecorating and cleaning the church.

DERBY NEIGHBORHOOD Mrs. G. W. Springman
Many from this community attended funeral services for Benjamin Holland Saturday afternoon. The windstorm Monday night uprooted many trees. There was also scattered hail.
A son, Barry William, was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Meyer at the Row Memorial hospital. Mrs. Meyer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Moekel.
The Methodist church of Stockbridge observed its organ anniversary last week.

Holt Man Gets Lighting Contract
Barrett Vorce, chairman of the Holt recreation committee, announced Tuesday night that the lighting contract for the Holt recreation and memorial field was given to Richard Spahr of Holt. His bid was \$7,364.11. The system will be completed in the fall.
Other bids were Leslie Electric, \$8,943.62; Transformer Inspection Co. of Royal Oak, \$9,650.00 and Electric Service Co. of Ann Arbor, \$11,108.00.

FILM NEWS

One of the most exciting outdoor dramas of the year, "High Conquest," filmed partly in Switzerland and partly in Hollywood will be shown at the Fox on Saturday.
"High Conquest" is the story of three people, played by Anna Lee, Gilbert Roland and Warren Douglas, who climb the Matterhorn.
For Miss Lee the ascent of the mountain makes it possible to find happiness in marriage. The same trek solves Roland's problem of unreturned love by death, and Douglas finds himself of a lifelong obsession that the mountain is a killer.

Double Feature
"Sweet Genevieve" is the second feature on the Saturday double program. Jean Porter is cast as the star of Franklin high-school's all-girl basketball team. She is also the number one girl in the eyes of Jimmy Lyon, the school's playboy and theatrical promoter. Trouble brews when gamblers come to town and interest the students in the easy money to be made by forsaking their books for form sheets to aid in betting on the horses.

Pioneer Background
William Elliott, John Carroll and Catherine McLeod are the stars of "The Fabulous Texan," one of the features on the Sunday and July 4 program at the Fox. In the second feature Joyce Reynolds, who co-stars with Robert Hutton in "Always Together," plays the role of a \$37.50 a week stenographer, who is given a million dollars to do with as she pleases.
Amnesia Victim
"High Wall," coming to the Fox on Tuesday and Wednesday is the story of an ex-bomber pilot who barely recovered from a brain injury, returns from overseas to find that his wife has been carrying on an affair with her publisher employer. When Kenet drives a car containing her body into a river, all evidence points to him as her slayer. His total loss of memory,

however, results in his being committed to a prison hospital where, under the supervision of a woman doctor, he first undergoes an operation to remove a brain clot and subsequently submits to a treatment known as narcosis by means of which he is able to reconstruct the blank periods in his memory.
For the first time convinced that he is not the murderer, Kenet in a series of tense episodes retraces the steps which led to the strangling and in an ingenious web traps the man who has almost sent him to the electric chair.
Comedy and Drama
Al Pierce with Janet Martin and Alan Mowbray will be seen in "The Main Street Kid," on the Fox Theatre's double feature program Thursday and Friday. Lynne Roberts, Donald Barry and Don Castle are the stars of the second feature, "Madonna of the Desert."

Gold Stamps given on all purchases. Sunoco Service, corner of Columbia and Cedar, Mason.

week with his grandparents at Fitchburg and attended Bible school.
Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lano entertained their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hennigan of Chicago over the week end.
Mrs. Marlon Heeney died Monday at her home. She is survived by the husband, her parents and a host of friends and neighbors.
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cook, Lewis Morehouse and Alice Craig were callers of S. V. Lawrence Sunday. The Bible school was well attended last week. There was an average attendance of 43 each day. Douglas Wilson has been ill with the mumps.

FITCHBURG Mrs. Alice Craig
Mr. and Mrs. Morton Kendall and son, Martin, called at the home of S. V. Lawrence last week. Lloyd Gee is spending a few days at the Gee cottage at Rush lake.
Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell, Jr., and daughter, and E. W. Baczanski called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dermont Mitchell at Leslie Sunday. Lawrence Asquith spent last

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FOX THEATRE advertisement with movie posters for 'High Conquest' and 'Sweet Genevieve'.

Advertisement for 'Liquid Glaze' car polish and 'Service Shop'.

Advertisement for 'Collins Sales & Service' and 'Mason Baptists Redecorate Church'.

Advertisement for 'Kresky Floor Furnace' and 'Enjoy Oil Heat with this AUTOMATIC'.

Advertisement for 'Jewett Appliance Co.' and 'Playing the pick of the Pictures'.

Advertisement for 'Holt Man Gets Lighting Contract' and 'Derby Neighborhood'.

Large advertisement for Philgas Ranges, featuring an image of a range and text: 'They're Here! the ranges you've waited for - THE NEW Philgas RANGES'.

Advertisement for Thorburn Lumber and Coal Co., featuring text: 'We Offer You The Finest in Building Materials' and 'ORDER COAL NOW!'.

Dansville

Honored at Dinner
Mrs. Ona Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corwin, C. E. Osborne, Mrs. Ada Ridley, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Glover and son and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glover and Mrs. Olive Foster were entertained Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Osborne in honor of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Noyes of Henniker, New Hampshire, Mr. and Mrs. Noyes expect to leave for their home Tuesday.

Honored on Birthday
The members of the primary department of the Methodist Sunday school, accompanied by their teachers, Mrs. Irma Musolf, Mrs. Pat Vogt, Mrs. Janice Anderson and Mrs. Lucille Diehl visited Mrs. Roscoe Arnold during the Sunday school hour and sang "Happy Birthdays" to her. There were no children in the group. Four of the children, Ferris Williams, Jarret Merindorf, Sharon Moore and Gene Nicholson also were honored for their birthday anniversaries. Mrs. Arnold is superintendent of the primary department.

School Election
Petitions have been submitted to the secretary of the board of education by Jearl McCabe, for the placing of names on the school election ballot at the annual meeting to be held July 12. Those submitted were C. I. Richner, Donald Parks and Glen Fox. C. I. Richner and Donald Parks are present members and are running for the regular three-year term. Glen Fox was appointed during the year by the board to fill the vacancy by the resignation of P. C. Anderson. He will be running for election for the remaining two years in that term. Election will be held at the Veterans hall.

Services Held For Marion C. Baker
Funeral services were held Saturday at 2 o'clock at the Methodist church for Marion C. Baker who died Wednesday, June 23, at the Mason General hospital where he was taken the day before. Mr. Baker was born January 8, 1897, in West Virginia and came to Michigan with his parents about 30 years ago. He was a veteran of World War I and following his discharge from the army he has made his home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Baker.

Besides the parents, he is survived by nine sisters and one brother. They are Mrs. Judson Felton, Mrs. Floyd Backus and Mrs. Casper Dietz of Williamston, Mrs. Kenneth Slusser of Leslie, Mrs. Clifford Mull of Lansing, Mrs. Harold Aseltine of Flint, Mrs. Ervin Walton of Wisconsin, Mrs. Ernest Barnes of Mason, Mrs. Earl Fall of North Adams and Everett Baker of Mason. Rev. F. A. Leonard officiated at the services with burial in Fairview cemetery.

Missionary Program
Sunday, July 4, Missionary Sunday will be observed at the Methodist church. Mrs. Aethen Witt is arranging the program which will consist of scripture reading, responsive reading by the intermediate class, an exercise "Send The Light" by Phyllis Williams, Ruth Ann Anderson, Nancy Biesel, Martha Shaw and Nancy Witt, and a recitation "Just A Little Acorn" by Leroy Townsend. The entire collection will go to support a native worker in Peru.

Dr. Gertrude O'Sullivan, Mrs. Maud Loomis and Miss Ina DuBois of Mason were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Elizabeth Backus and Rosamond. Mrs. Irma Hullberger was a Sunday visitor of Mrs. Anna Squires, who is seriously ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Walter Cagney of Jackson.

Y. P. M. S.
The Young Peoples Missionary society of the Free Methodist church will have a winter roast Friday evening at the Consumers park at 8:30. Following their supper they will have their business meeting and program.

Honored at Shower
Several friends of Mrs. William Niswonger, Jr., were entertained at the home of her mother, Mrs. Nathan Lantis, Friday afternoon at a miscellaneous shower. Games were played after which refreshments were served by the hostess. The honored guest received many gifts. Mrs. Niswonger was married June 18.

W. C. T. U.
The regular meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held next Thursday, July 8, at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Briggs. Hazel Curtis will be in charge of the devotions.

Farm Bureau
The regular meeting of the Farm Bureau was held Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Singer. A short business meeting, led by Glen Fox, chairman, was followed by a discussion on "Cooperatives" of which Leo Rogers was in charge. A light lunch concluded the evening. The July meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon J. Fellows of Mason.

Honored on Birthday
Friends of Vernice Kay Sherman were entertained at her home Friday afternoon in honor of her eighth birthday anniversary. Games were played after which refreshments were served by her mother. Vernice received many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Linwood Ludlow of Jackson spent Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Corbin. They also attended the funeral of Cecil Baker.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Liska and family of Flint were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Erter. Tommy Hefty is spending the week with his father, Alton Hefty, at Sebewaing.

Mrs. Jack Yaeger of East Lansing was a Sunday guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell. Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Powell of Lansing were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Price.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt, Jr., attended a picnic Sunday at Rayner park in Mason. Douglas Vogt returned home with his parents after spending the week end with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Palmer of Mason.

Mrs. Rena Ludlow of Jackson and Mrs. Zola Miller of Santa Monica, California, were guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Lucy Aseltine, and Mr. and Mrs. John Corbin Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Erter attended the wedding and reception of Patricia Munn and Paul Geneski at the Trinity Lutheran church in Lansing Saturday afternoon and evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Devin and children of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Don Leonard. Miss Caroline Hefty is spending the week with Joan Alchin of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Siegel of Williamston and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Sanford of Mason were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobart. Jim Kent, who has been staying a few days at the Hobart home, is spending a few days at Williamston with the Siegels.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kelley and Annabelle of Jackson were Monday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks. Miss Virginia Howell of Lansing, Miss Joan Witt, Howard Burgess of Mason and Lester Ferrine of Leslie attended the Detroit-New York baseball game at Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Justin Brady and Ann and Barbara attended the Ingham County Normal class of 1938 reunion Saturday. Eight members and their children had a potluck dinner at the Rayner park in Mason.

Mrs. Lucy Aseltine and Mrs. John Corbin were Wednesday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin May of Lansing.

Mrs. A. J. Miller was a Monday visitor of her aunt, Mrs. Jennie Dakin of Mason. Mr. and Mrs. Milford Ridley and family of Leslie were Sunday guests of the former's mother, Mrs. Ada Ridley, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mr. Ridley.

Alice Niswonger of Mason is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Niswonger. Mrs. Cassie Reichle and Mrs. Sadie Behm were in Corunna Sunday. Christopher Hogan of Lansing is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Price.

Mrs. Chester Leonard and Beth Verblinden of Sallie, Mrs. Maud Vetter of Whitlaker were Thursday visitors of Mrs. Irene Braman. Mr. and Mrs. William Muench attended a shower Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Waldron of Lansing in honor of their daughter, Violet, who is to be married in August.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barclay of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Musolf. Miss Verla Glover and Fred Fulton of Lansing left Saturday for Orlando, Florida, to visit his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Freer and family were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Dillingham of Lansing. They also visited Emery Freer at the Sparrow hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Warfield of Highland Park were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Laughlin. Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Monroe and family of Webberville were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Kuch of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Haindel of Mason were Sunday evening guests at the Kuch home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Glover and Mrs. Olive Foster visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cruise of Jackson Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Merle Freer and family were Sunday visitors of her father, Charles Dillingham of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenough and family were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough. Mrs. Emma Plum of Berndale is spending the week and with her cousin, Mrs. Minnie Grimes.

Mr. and Mrs. William Mitchell of Leslie were Sunday of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dowling. Emery Freer is in the Sparrow hospital in Lansing for treatment on his hand.

Bob Hess of the Great Lakes naval training station is spending a 12-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hess, Mr. and Mrs. Hess and Bob spent Monday visiting relatives in Monroe.

Phyllis Taylor is spending a week in northern Michigan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rezell. Miss Ethel Barto of Lansing was a Tuesday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Cy Dexter of Whitlaker were Sunday guests of Mrs. Irene Braman. Mrs. Lottie Northrup and Mrs. Ruby Campbell of Mason were Tuesday visitors of Mrs. Anne Sullivan at Sunset Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Niswonger and family of Mason were Thursday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Niswonger. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clemings of Mason were Saturday evening guests at the Niswonger home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Benjamin of Lansing, Rodney Benjamin and Miss Thelma Fisher were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson. Mrs. Joidell Barr and Clyde and Laura were visitors Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Curtis of Williamston.

A girl was born June 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blanchard at the Mason General hospital. The baby has been named Joyce Marie. Mrs. Blanchard and Joyce returned home Tuesday from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Miller of Leslie were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Miller. Mr. and Mrs. Ethel Blakely and Mrs. Nellie Cline of Miller road were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Braman.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Briggs and Karen and Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson spent the week end at Crystal lake with Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Kessler. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson remained for two weeks.

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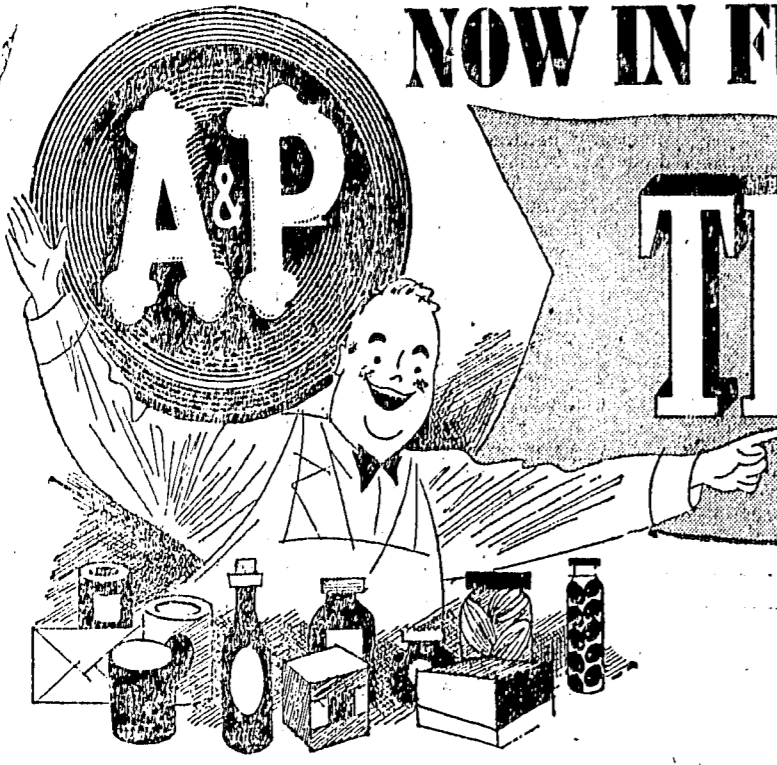
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Morgan's Apple Juice	46-oz. can	17c
Crushed Pineapple	Silver River No. 2 can	29c
Karo Blue Label Syrup	24-oz. bot.	19c
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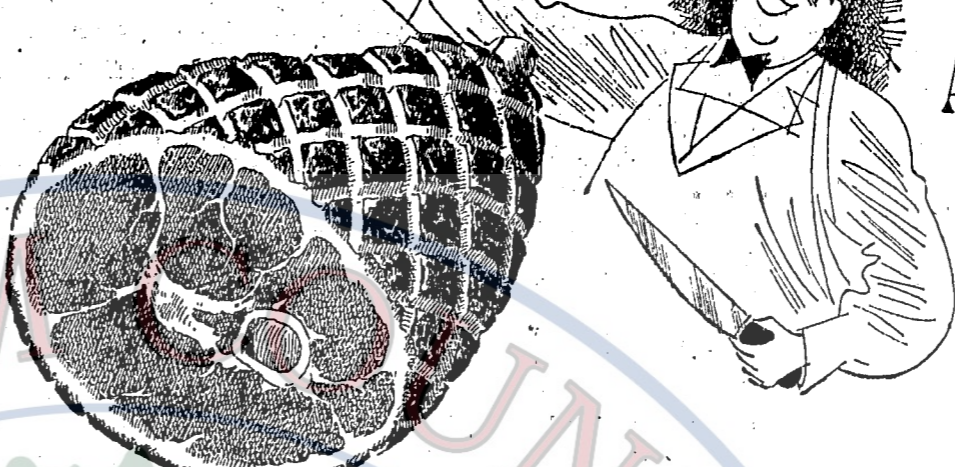
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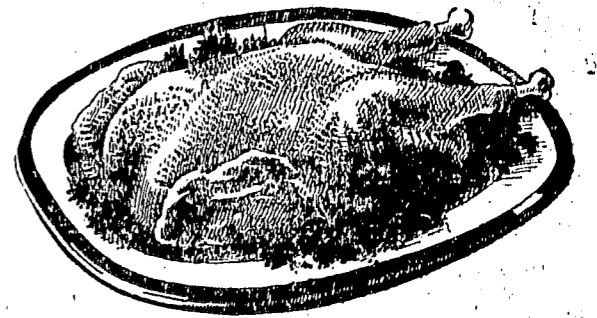
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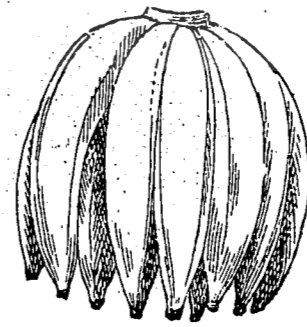
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# Social Events and Personals

## Vows Repeated By Couple At Okemos Church

Miss Jean Lenore Fogle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fogle of Route 4, Mason, became the bride of Robert L. Leonard of Okemos at a candlelight ceremony at the Okemos Community church Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Earle M. Leonard. Rev. Harold Jayne, pastor of the church, officiated.

Vocal numbers were rendered by John VanDyke, Jr., of Okemos. He was accompanied by Miss Phyllis MacAllan, pianist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a dainty white embroidery eyelet gown fashioned in the princess style. A sweetheart brim of white eyelet matching that of the dress secured the finger-length veil. She carried a crescent-shaped bouquet of roses, and lilies of the valley.

Miss Joyce Stillman of Route 4, Mason, served as maid of honor. She wore a light blue dotted swiss gown with fitted yoke, wide ruffle forming the sleeves and full skirt with a peplum. She wore a headband of flowers. Bridesmaids were Miss Phyllis Wever and Miss Dorothy Delamarter, whose gowns of pink dotted swiss were styled after

that of the maid of honor. All carried colonial bouquets of roses. The bridegroom's brother, Lloyd Leonard, was best man. The guests were seated by George Fogle of Mason, brother of the bride and Henry Schoppele of Okemos.

Dolly Jo Leonard was flower girl and Billy Leonard acted as ringbearer. They are the niece and nephew of the bridegroom. The newlyweds greeted their guests in the church parlors following the rites. Assisting were Mrs. Stanley Vickers of East Lansing, and Miss Mary Southworth, Kelly, Mrs. Ruth Stillman and Mrs. Miss Lina Tenny, Miss Patricia A. B. Whiting, all of Okemos.

Following their wedding trip to the upper peninsula, the couple will make their home at Route 4, Mason. The bride is a music student in the junior class at Michigan State college.

## ANNIVERSARIES FETED

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hazelton and daughter, Alyce, of Leslie entertained at a surprise dinner Sunday in honor of the wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Winslow of Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Huffine of Williamston. Besides the honored couple, other guests included Lee Winslow, Johnny and Doris Huffine and Mrs. Francis Hillis and son, Jim. Both couples were presented gifts. The afternoon was spent in visiting.

Billie Miers spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miers and family in Lansing.

## Rheba Bush and James E. Noxon Marry June 19

Mrs. Rheba L. Bush of Lansing was united in marriage to James E. Noxon of Mason in a double ring ceremony performed Saturday evening, June 19, in Leslie. Rev. William J. VanVleet of the Congregational church officiated at the service held in the parsonage. Attending the couple were the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Robinson. The bride was attired in a navy blue suit with white accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses and baby breath. Mrs. Robinson wore a black sheer dress, and a corsage of red roses and gardenias.

A reception for the newlyweds was given by the parents of the bride, Mr. and Mrs. John Kirby, at their home. Mr. Noxon is manager of the Leslie Elevator, and Mrs. Noxon is employed as a department manager at Mills Dry Goods Co. in Lansing.

## WEDDING PARSONAGE

Marvel Dowles of Lansing and Harry Dize of Lansing were married at the Mason Methodist parsonage by Rev. Henry Liddicoat Friday evening. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hopkins of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard and sons returned Monday morning after spending a week vacationing in Canada, Wisconsin and Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schofield and family spent the week end visiting relatives in Rosebush and Farwell. Sally Schofield remained in Rosebush where she will spend some time visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harriger.

Gary Shepard is spending the week at Big Platt lake visiting his cousin, Douglas Graham.

Dr. and Mrs. Russell R. Robbins and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Loren Willis at Howell Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rich spent the week end with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rich and family, west of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schofield of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Schofield Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schraeder were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James DeMiller of Leslie. Joan Sterle and Shirley Chapman spent a few days last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Shaffer of Detroit were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Rhodes. Janice Inghram is spending the week at Bayside, Long Island, New York, visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Loehner. The Loehners are the parents of Mrs. Robert Inghram. Mr. Janice plans to return by plane.

Mrs. Floyd Canedy and family of Eaton Rapids were Monday guests at the home of her sister, Mrs. Francis Chaffin. Her mother, Mrs. Bertha Barto, returned to Eaton Rapids to spend some time with her daughter. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clipper left Saturday to spend six weeks at their cottage at Clear Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guerrero and Judy and Jane and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Huntington and Margie left Saturday afternoon for Loon lake near Rose City. The men returned to Mason Sunday and the women and children are spending this week at the lake.

Mrs. C. B. Shaw of Lansing and Mrs. Mabel Voigt of Holt spent Thursday with Mrs. V. G. Burgess. Mr. and Mrs. Ed French of Eaton Rapids and Pama McCaslin of Lansing were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Alverman and Mrs. Fred Arbor and daughter, Sandra, of Holt are Saturday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis W. Chaffin spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Helen Chaffin of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Childs spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Perrin and Mr. and Mrs. C. Ray Beebe at Pleasant lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Clark of Saginaw arrived Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. William Clark and Jimmy and Tommy to spend several days with them. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Baldwin are spending two weeks vacationing in northern Michigan. Miss Beverly Howery and Miss Lorraine Smith spent Sunday at Saranac visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Jolly of Owatonna, Minnesota, and their daughter, Dorothy, of New York City, are spending the week end with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Henson. They will spend from Thursday until Saturday with the Hensons, when the entire party will leave for Coyne City and Grand Haven. Mr. Jolly was just returned from Philadelphia, where he was a Minnesota delegate to the Republican convention.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Barker and Carol were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Sporkia and Janice and Jimmy of Leslie. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spenny and family, Lorna Underwood and Warner Kean are spending the week at Lake George.

## TO ATTEND CONVENTION

The annual district Young People's convention of the Michigan district, Church of the Nazarene, will convene at Indian lake, district center, on Saturday, July 3, and continue over Monday, July 5, with a great youth rally on Monday. Rev. Henry Reeves of Toronto will be the convention speaker, and all the sessions will be under the direction of the district president, C. Edwin Harwood of Flint. Young people representing the Mason society are Marilyn Benham, president, and Mary Jane Smith, Margaret Baker and Tay Morford.

## Crapp-Wells Nuptial Vows Said Thursday

A lattice formation of Paul Scarlett roses decorated the altar of the Community church in Okemos Thursday afternoon, June 21, for the marriage of Ruth Wells, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wells of Route 4, Mason, and Howard Crapp, son of Mrs. C. E. Hankin of Madison, Wisconsin. Rev. Harold Jayne, pastor of the church officiated at the rites.

Proceeding the service, Miss Christine Bennett sang, "Through the Years," and "With This Ring." "The Lord's Prayer" was sung as the benediction. Miss Bennett was accompanied by Mrs. LaMoine Whitmore, who played the piano. The couple were attended by the bridegroom's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Schnurbusch.

A powder blue linen suit was worn by the bride for her marriage. She accented the costume with white accessories. Mrs. Schnurbusch was attired in a pink linen dress with white accessories.

Guests were seated by the bride's mother, Arthur Wells and Sidney Beal, brother of the bridegroom. The newlyweds received their guests in the church parlors following the ceremony. The tiered wedding cake and ice cream were served by Mrs. Barbara VanDyke.

Mrs. Rita Wistron, Mrs. Ada Lynch, Mrs. Esther Anteliff, Mrs. Fern Eberly and Mrs. Ruth Stillman, Miss Phyllis Wever presided at the guest register. Mr. and Mrs. Arch Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walworth, grandparents of the bride, were among the wedding guests. Guests were present from Grand Rapids, Detroit, Alma and Adrian.

The couple left for a trip to Madison, where on Sunday a family reunion was held at the home of Mr. Crapp's mother. Upon their return they will reside in an apartment at Route 4, Mason.

Mrs. Crapp graduated from Mason high school and Ingham county normal. She has taught school for the past three years. Her husband served in the army for five years. He participated in the Normandy invasion.

## MARKS 80TH BIRTHDAY

A birthday dinner was held on Father's Day in honor of Eugene Jones, on his 80th birthday anniversary, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Chloe Anderson and his granddaughter, Mrs. Virginia Loti. It was also held in honor of the fathers present. They were Eugene Jones, Lewis Loti, Sr., Harvey Lundy and Morris Strickland. There were 25 guests present.

Mrs. Arthur Gulham, Mrs. Emory Barr, Mrs. Roland Troxell, Mrs. Frank Rahburn, Mrs. Leola Johnson, Mrs. Herbert Colby and Mrs. Clifford Petty, all of Mason, and Mrs. Jean Chadwick of Grand Ledge went to Marshall Monday for a dinner party.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Boogly and Bill left Saturday for East Greenbush, New York, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fish and Kathy spent Saturday at Perry at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cole. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eaton of Chicago will be Fourth of July week end guests at the home of his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scofield.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Holmes entertained Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Holmes at dinner Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hummel were in Carson City Sunday to attend the wedding of Mr. Hummel's nephew, Richard Goodall, and Helen Pendell. Mr. and Mrs. Richard Swanner also attended the wedding and Mrs. Swanner sang at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Collar and Jack Hétzer of Holt and Betty Hunter spent the week end at Pontiac and Watkins lake. Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Graham and Jerry of Delta River Drive in Lansing were Sunday afternoon guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Green entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Green and David of Aurelius Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hall were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Bensch at Williamston. Mrs. Vance McIntyre, Mrs. Clifford Holmes and Mrs. Hugh Bartley were Tuesday guests of Mrs. Gail Densmore at Ann Arbor. Susie Jean Stevens spent the week end with her cousin, Patricia Bassler, at Holt. She is spending this week with her great grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ferley, also of Holt.

## Patricia Parsons Becomes Bride of John W. Swanson

In a candlelight ceremony at the Mason Methodist church Friday evening at 8 o'clock, Patricia Parsons, 839 Sheridan street, Lansing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Parsons of Mason, and John W. Swanson, 110 Robbins road, Lansing, were united in marriage. The double ring service was performed by Rev. Henry L. Liddicoat, pastor of the church.

White gladioli and palms flanked the church altar while candleabra holding white tapers lighted the church for the ceremony. Mrs. Geneva Chadwick of Grand Ledge accompanied her daughter, Patricia, who sang "I Love You Truly" and "Because." As the bridal party assembled, Mrs. Chadwick played "Lohengrin's Wedding March."

Electa Baker of Lansing was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Vivian Shaffer of Lansing and Joan Parsons of Mason, sister of the bride. Robert Swanson of Lansing attended his brother as best man. Seating the guests were William Parsons of Mason, the bride's brother, and John Fankoner of Lansing.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, chose a white satin gown fashioned with a ruffled and rhinestone neckline and a long train. Her full-length veil fell from a headpiece of orange blossoms and lace. The bridal bouquet of tallsmen roses tapered down the front of her wedding gown.

Orchid marguerites gowned the maid of honor and she wore a matching net hat. Miss Shaffer and Miss Parsons wore yellow and blue colonial style dresses with matching net hats. Colonial bouquets were carried by the attendants.

Mrs. Parsons selected a gray crepe dress with pink accessories for her daughter's wedding. The bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Swanson, was attired in a blue dress. She accented the costume with white accessories. Both mothers wore a corsage of pink rosebuds tied with silver ribbon.

At the reception which followed in the church parlors, wedding Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence J. Fink attended a Sunday school reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wilmon of White Oak Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fish and Kathy were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fish. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Palmer of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Miller and family of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn. Mrs. Miller is a daughter of the Quinns.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilson Pearsall and family spent Monday in Owosso with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Holtforth. The Holtforths are former Mason residents.

Anna Lee Troxell, cadet nurse at St. Vincent's hospital in Toledo, Ohio, spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Troxell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fletcher spent part of last week at Chelsea with Mr. and Mrs. William Davidson and Warren Spaulding and Bertha Spaulding.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fortman were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Fortman at Dexter. The Floyd Fortmans and Mrs. Emma Wilkinson spent Thursday in Owosso.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Petty and family of Wayne were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Petty. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith and family of Akron, Ohio, are spending a few days visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Lasenby.

Mr. and Mrs. George McArthur and three left Saturday for their cottage at Lake Michigan near Holland. They plan to remain until after the Fourth of July. Mrs. David DeWitt and children of Ann Arbor are spending two weeks with her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Lasenby.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McLean of East Lansing were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McLean. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Linn and son, Terry, of Lansing were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bamhill and Merritt and Mrs. Fred Collar. Dr. and Mrs. Lyle Asetline and son, Philip, of Chicago will spend the Fourth of July week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Asetline. Part of the time will be spent at the Asetline cottage at Pleasant lake. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Noble and Raymond were week end guests of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker at Gull lake. On Saturday they attended the Erbman-Walker wedding.

Guests were present from New Baltimore, Ohio, Freeman, Ontario, Canada, Detroit, Port Huron, Mt. Clemens, Grand Rapids, Lansing, Carson City and Jackson.

Mrs. Swanson chose a white and navy ribbon starburst hat for traveling. The couple are honeymooning in northern Michigan this week, after which they will make their home in Lansing.

## Office Party Held For Marjorie McAleer

Miss Marjorie McAleer was honored Friday afternoon at a surprise going away party held at the Ingham County News office, where she has been employed for the past year and a half. All members of the staff attended. Refreshments of ice cream, cup cakes and brownies were served and the honored guest was presented with a Parker pen and pencil set from the group. She plans to leave soon for Toledo, Ohio, where she will live with her sister, Mrs. Patrick O'Brien, and Mr. O'Brien.

Miss McAleer plans to work in an office in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Genco were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Casarella of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Caryl Underwood and Geraldine were in Ludington over the week end. Mrs. Montie Woodard left Sunday for Abion where she will attend the institute at the college. Mrs. Woodard is missionary personnel director for the district.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Liddicoat and daughters of Rochester visited the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Liddicoat, Sunday. Stephen assisted his father in the services at the Methodist church. Mrs. Liddicoat sang a solo.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Boogly and Bill were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Troxell. Clyde Otis of Cleveland, Ohio, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barnhill.

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## PETE SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Nester Morrison of Lansing celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at a picnic at Potter park Sunday. Their anniversary occurred on Monday, June 28. Mason guests who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Brown and Judy, Mrs. Olla Brown, Miss Helen Brown, Mrs. Nellie Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Chester Brown of Leslie also attended. Mrs. Morrison is the former Gladys Baird, who lived in the Kipp district before her marriage 25 years ago. The couple were presented with 25 silver dollars.

## HAS 76TH BIRTHDAY

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Willett and Don and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brown took a picnic supper to the Thomas Dayton farm in White Oak Friday evening as a surprise to Mr. Dayton, who was celebrating his 76th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Laura Vail of Lansing, Mrs. Phillis Jackson of Hollywood, California, and Mr. and Mrs. George Hall of Fenton were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Marshall at Eden.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Hulett were Mr. and Mrs. John Joy of Haslett and Mrs. Joy's mother, Mrs. Jennie Whyte of Lansing.

Mrs. Clyde Underwood gave a Stanley brush demonstration at the home of Mrs. Stanley Marshall in Eden Friday evening. Ice cream and wafers were served to the 20 guests.

Patricia and Roseann Every, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Every, were flower girls at the wedding of Miss Virginia Griswold and Maurice Forsythe at the Baptist church in Rives Junction Sunday.

Paul Liddicoat of Muskegon Heights called on his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Henry Liddicoat, Sunday enroute to Berea, Ohio, with eight young people who were going to attend the music clinic at Baldwin-Rice college, where Mr. Liddicoat is an instructor.

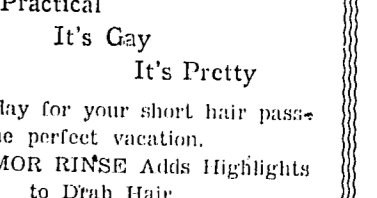
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Martin of Williamston spent Sunday with Frank Bennett, Ed Redman and Mrs. Eugenie Mickel of Lansing. In the afternoon they all called on Dell Bennett and Tom Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon C. Edmonds went to Corey lake Saturday night where their daughter, Bonnie, and Jennie Kruse had been camping for the last week at Camp Walkshma. They all returned to Mason Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Densmore entertained Mr. and Mrs. Coland Lamphere at their cottage at Narrows late Saturday and Sunday.

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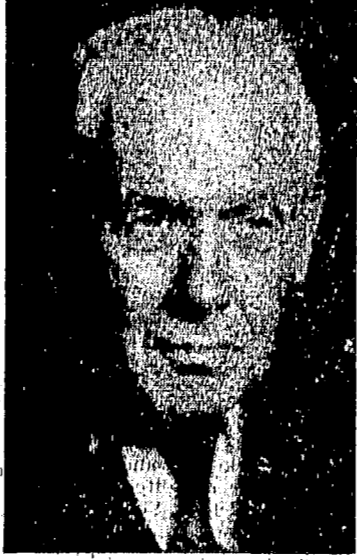
Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Denmore and Dawn attended the Lay rein-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vaughn of Santa Ana, California, Mrs. Louis

Miss Bernice White was honored Wednesday evening when the office staff of the county clerk's

DOCTOR HONORED

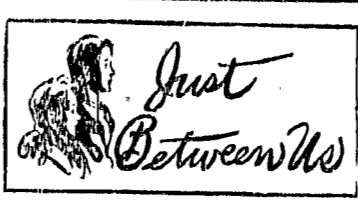


Dr. Harvey L. Curtis

A Mason youth of 50 years ago was in Detroit this week to accept honorary membership in the American Society for Testing

Bill Boegly Honored At Going-Away Party

Bill Boegly was the surprised guest of honor at a going-away party given for him last Wednesday



"I'll get even with him if it's the last thing I do!" The boy's cheeks were flaming, his mouth a

Farm Bureau

Mr. and Mrs. Max Terry were hosts to the Onondaga Community Farm Bureau group on Friday

FORMER RESIDENT DIES

Mrs. Glude Holcomb died at her home in Battle Creek on Thursday, June 24. Funeral services

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Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Spenny spent the week end at Lake George.

Church News

Williamston Center Methodist, W. A. Gregory, pastor. Worship service 9:30. Church school 10:30.

Church News

Williamston Christian Science Society and worship service 11:00. Sunday July 4, the subject will be "God."

BIRTHDAY IS HONORED

Mrs. Viola Sanderson was honored guest at a surprise party Saturday, June 26, celebrating her

NEWLYWEDS HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Church of Wheatfield entertained at a wedding reception Sunday honoring their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Church, who were

JURORS HOLD REUNION

Jurors who served at the recent January term of court at Mason held a reunion on Thursday, June 24, at the county park with a

HAS 11th BIRTHDAY

Lana Dart celebrated her 11th birthday anniversary Saturday when her mother, Mrs. Norman

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stevens

of Dowagiac were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dart Lang and family. They also visited his mother,

AIRPORT NEWS

Dawn Patrol was at Charlotte Sunday. Mason pilots that want were Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lyon, Art Jewett, Richard Alderman and two

REVENGE IS HONORED

Mrs. Viola Sanderson was honored guest at a surprise party Saturday, June 26, celebrating her

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EATON RAPIDS CONCERT

Scott Munn's band at Eaton Rapids will appear in its weekly concert Tuesday night, July 6, at Island park.

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LET'S GET TOGETHER

Miss Meredith McLean of Dearborn is spending this week with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McLean, and family. On Monday evening Mrs. McLean entertained at a bridge party in honor of her house guest.

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Mason Christian Science Society

Services will be held at the church on the corner of Oak and Park streets every Sunday at 11:30. Sunday school for pupils up to the age of 20 is held at the service.

Mason Baptist, Loyd Caraway, pastor

Morning worship service 10:00. Sunday school with classes for all ages 11:15.

Mason church, the Nazarene, Higgins L. Merford, pastor

Morning worship 11:00. Youth groups 6:30. Evangelistic service 7:30. Wednesday evening prayer meeting 7:30.

Mason Methodist, Henry Liddicoat, pastor

Sermon subject Sunday morning at 10:00, "Our Spiritual Freedom." Special music by Mrs. Russell Robbins, violinist.

Dansville Methodist, F. A. Lendrum, pastor

Church school missionary program 10:00. Worship service with a message by pastor at 11:00. M. Y. P. service at 1:00. Community prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 8:00.

Wheatfield Methodist, F. A. Lendrum, pastor

Worship service with message by pastor at 9:30. Church school 10:30. M. Y. P. service 7:00. Midweek devotional service Thursday evening at 8:00.

Dansville Free Methodist, Lloyd Eaker, pastor

Sunday school 10:00. Preaching service 11:00. Y. P. M. S. followed by a message by pastor at 7:30. Community prayer meeting Tuesday evening at 8:00.

Regular church prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00.

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**REEVES DISTRICT**  
Mrs. Gladys Dunsmore

Mrs. Wayne Ellsworth and Dick visited Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Kinsey of Plainfield Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lytle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Dunsmore and family and Mr. and Mrs.



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Ernest Hill and family met at the Mason park for a potluck dinner Sunday. In the evening they went to Jackson to the casinos.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Dunsmore attended the funeral of Ben Holland at Pileburg Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Neta Hankill of Webberville visited Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Corwin Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Tomlinson and family entertained his parents from Haslett Sunday. Marilyn Lytle spent Wednesday night with Dorothy Dunsmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dunsmore and girls, Elva Fulton and Marilyn Lytle visited Mr. and Mrs. Grant Dunsmore and boys in Coldwater Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Delrick and Kenneth called on Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tomlinson Sunday evening. Jimmie Woods, who made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Geer, has gone to live with his mother in Lansing.

Mrs. A. V. Swanson is entertaining her grandchildren while her son is north on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ellsworth and family attended the organ recital at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dunsmore and family of Mason called on Mr. and Mrs. Dick Dunsmore Monday evening.

**Value of Cows**  
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**SHORT STORY**

**That Smelly Old Pipe**  
By FRANCES DAVIDS

**W**ITH the air of a deeply wounded man, Henry Little put on his coat and hat and stalked out of the house, slamming the door. He could take slurs on his person, but there was one thing on which he drew the line. He couldn't take insults to that faithful old companion, that sympathetic friend, that trustful comforter and unflinching cheer-upper, his pipe.

Up to now Sarah's hints hadn't bothered him, but this morning she had ceased to hint. "How long," she had demanded tartly, "am I going to have to stand it?"

Henry's small, buttony brown eyes behind the pale plastic-rimmed spectacles noted the headlines with interest. "Bandit Holds Up Another Local Store." Well, well. The police still hadn't caught the fellow, and this was the third holdup he had pulled.

"... and when I saw that hole in the rug, I wanted to scream."  
"What?" he asked guiltily, conscious that he had heard only part of Sarah's remarks.

"I said," she repeated exasperatedly, "I found a hole in the rug and it was all over the sofa last night. Now, what are you going to do about it?"

"Me? Why, er—nothing, I guess," he said lamely.

"You certainly are," she cried angrily. She wagged a threatening finger. "I'm sick and tired of finding ashes all over the place. Now you get rid of that smelly old pipe, Henry Little, or I'll get rid of it for you!"

Reaching the store he unlocked the door and went in, put on his sweater and lit up his pipe. The brightly-labeled cans on the shelves, the fresh fruits and vegetables, the dairy products, the household items, all stood in their appointed places, like old friends. Today he would have to go through the stock and repurchase some of the canned goods.

**T**HE door opened and a stocky young man came in, dressed in a dark coat with the collar up about his ears. Dressed rather warmly for such a day, Henry thought. "Yes, sir, what can I do for you?" he asked pleasantly.

"Quiet in here today, isn't it?" the man said.

"Very," Henry agreed.

"Then put up your hands, bird, and open up that cash register," the man snarled, leveling a gun at Henry.

Henry almost fainted with surprise and shock. His knees rattled against each other, and he was powerless to move. "Come on, hurry up," the man said brusquely. The roof of Henry's mouth was so dry and parched he thought he would choke. What should he do? He



Sarah sniffled disapprovingly.

couldn't fight with the man, who was younger and stronger—and besides there was that ominous gun pointed at him.

With this terrible predicament facing him, he somehow noted that on the shelf a little beyond the bandit a can of pineapple juice was balanced precariously on another can and almost looked like it was going to fall. Henry watched it hopefully, and a wild, crazy idea formed in his mind.

Crash! The can fell to the floor, startling the thief so that he made an instinctive half-turn, and as he did so, Henry pulled out the pipe from his pocket and stuck it in the man's back. "Now put your hands up," he said hoarsely, and with as much menace as he could muster.

The gun fell to the ground with a thud and Henry dragged it over with his foot and picked it up. "Go out the door and into the store next door," he ordered, his hand trembling. In the barber shop next door, he told the astounded barber to call the police.

It was on the front page of the Evening Clarion:

"**LOCAL MERCHANT FOILS BANDIT. USES PIPE AS GUN.**"

All evening long people kept calling and telephoning to congratulate Henry, and late that night he sank gratefully onto the sofa and took out his pipe. Sarah, who had just come in, sniffled disapprovingly. "Henry, I—" She stopped short.

"Let me light it for you, dear," she said sweetly.

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**DIST. NO. 3 WHEATFIELD**  
Mrs. Lillian Foreman

Friday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Ella King were Dr. Mayne Curtis and Dr. W. D. Dunning of Dexter Trail, Dr. Harvey Curtis of Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Bartlett and Jean and Phoebe of Mason. Sunday Ella King was a dinner guest of Dr. Curtis of Dexter Trail. Mrs. King spent the forepart of last week with her sister, Mrs. Lewis Bartlett, and family.

Edna Fox and girls of Williamson were Wednesday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rietz Glynn and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foreman and Mr. and Mrs. John Brethauer had a picnic at Pleasant lake Sunday. Sunday night Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foreman and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnson and family of Lansing.

Florence Turner of Mason spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Church.

Several from this district attended the wedding reception of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett have returned from a trip to Canada.

Mrs. Dorothy Porter entertained several friends with a Stanley brush party Tuesday.

Sunday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Foreman were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Foreman and Eleanor and Mr. and Mrs. John Foreman and family of Webberville.

Mrs. Robert Foreman was hostess to the Southwest Wheatfield Extension group last Wednesday with a picnic at Pottor park. Mrs. Eunice Hill will serve as hostess at the next meeting.

Albert Waters is visiting relatives this week.

**STOCKBRIDGE TOWNLINE**  
Mrs. J. H. Hayner

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Howell of Fowlerville, Mrs. Emma Howell of Webberville and Mrs. Martha Maer of Sutton Bay called on Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hayner Friday afternoon.

Miss Alva Proctor entertained her cousins, Mary and Carol Compton of Birmingham, Alabama, part of last week.

Mrs. Marguerite Schubert and Mrs. Lou visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Byers Sunday afternoon. Week end guests at the Asa Proctor home were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Marsh and Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Marsh and family of Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wemple of Williamson visited Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hayner Saturday afternoon.

Saturday evening guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Proctor were her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sulkowski of Howell and her cousin, Mrs. Clayton Compton of Birmingham, Alabama.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Boyes are staying at their cottage near Atlanta.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Asquith attended the horse show at Corona, Sunday. Mr. Asquith received

**Woman Succumbs Following Illness**

Mrs. Lela M. Simmons, 71, died at the Sparrow hospital in Lansing Thursday afternoon, after an illness of three weeks. Funeral services were held at the Gorsline-Runciman funeral home in Lansing Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. Rev. Lester Boyd of the Pennsylvania Avenue Baptist church officiated. Interment was in the Duesdale cemetery in Lansing.

She was born in Olive, Clinton county, on February 22, 1877, the daughter of Charles and Alice Dills. When a young girl, she moved to Webberville with her parents. She was a graduate of the Webberville school. A brother and sister preceded her in death.

On March 12, 1910, she was united in marriage to Benjamin B. Simmons of Lansing. In August of 1920, she and her husband and two daughters by a previous marriage, moved to Lansing where she resided until her death.

Surviving are the husband, Benjamin; two daughters, Mrs. Charles Spencer of Lansing and Mrs. Roscoe Barry of Aurelius; one brother, George Dills of Edmore; five grandchildren, Darwin Spencer of Marion, Indiana, Marvin and DeLores Spencer of Lansing, Mrs. Betty Bardeen of Okemos, and Beverly Barry of Aurelius; and a nephew, Clayton White of Howell, and a cousin, Rhea Gossett of Grand Rapids, who in their youth shared the same home with her.

Several prizes which consisted of three firsts, a second and a fourth.

Orson Ramsdell of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Riggs, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Asquith and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Steffey fished at Joslin lake from Friday until Monday.

Mrs. Grace Proctor has been ill with strep throat.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bullen and daughter of Mason were Sunday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Paul.

During the hard storm Monday evening several trees and electric light poles were blown down on Brogan road.

Miss Joan Ketchum of Holt is staying at the Vernon Asquith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Proctor were hosts at the Alchin reunion, Sunday. Fifty-four were present for the potluck dinner. Guests were present from Munising, Traverse City, Lansing, Howell, Webberville, Fowlerville, Ypsilanti and Pontiac.

Mrs. Joe Miller was in Ann Arbor on business, Saturday.

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**Obituary**

**Laura Lehman**  
Laura Kassel Lehman was born in Waterloo township, Jackson county, on December 27, 1880, and passed away on June 23, 1948, at the age of 67 years, five months and 26 days. Her early life was spent as a school teacher. On November 9, 1886, she was united in marriage to Matthew Lehman, He

died on January 24, 1930, at the age of 49 years. Three sisters also preceded her in death.

The first 33 years of her married life were spent on a farm. In 1910 Mr. and Mrs. Lehman moved to Stockbridge, where she resided at the time of her death. She was confirmed into the Lutheran church at an early age, later joining the Presbyterian church in Stockbridge.

Funeral services were held at the Miller funeral home in Stockbridge on Saturday afternoon at 1:30. Dr. P. G. Balmor of the Presbyterian church officiated. Burial was in the Stockbridge cemetery.

**Desert Botanical Garden**  
An estimated 10,000 desert plants are growing on 300 acres set aside for the desert botanical garden east of Phoenix, Ariz. The garden is the only one of its kind in the world.

**Legal Notice**  
PROBATE OF WILL  
GALLERY—JULY 20, 1948  
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 30th day of June, A. D. 1948.

Present: HON. JOHN McLELLAN, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of ANNA H. GALLERY, Decedent.

It is ordered, that the 20th day of July, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Ingham County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

JOHN McLELLAN, Judge of Probate.  
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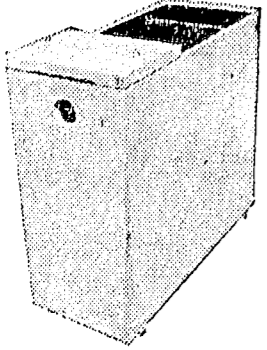
**BLACK FLAG AEROSOL** 12-oz. 97c

Ingham Scouts Camping at Kiroliex

Ingham district Boy Scouts are at Camp Kiroliex, the council summer camp on Clear lake.

Executive, as camp director, assisted by Ed Wood, cook; Carl Lindholm, waterfront; and Harold Jackson, Walter Janke and Robert Braman, acting in other capacities to help make the camping program the best possible.

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Bounties Paid On 549 Foxes

Payment of bounties on 549 foxes last week increased to \$112,040 the total paid out by the conservation department in the 36 weeks since the state bounty on foxes became effective.

Holt

Mrs. Mary Dixon Presbyterian Teams Win Softball Games

A junior softball team for boys 12 and under and an intermediate team for boys between the ages of 13 to 16 from the Presbyterian church, are entered in the leagues sponsored by the Lansing Y. M. C. A.

Miss Eva Spahr will leave Friday, July 2, for New York where she will attend the National Society of Alpha Iota, a business women's society.

parents, she is survived by a sister, Janet Ann, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Laycock of Holt and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alden of Houghton lake.

Plan Bride's Service At Brotherhood Temple A service of special interest will be held at the Brotherhood Temple Methodist church in Holt Sunday evening, July 11, at 7:30.

Miss Evva Spahr will leave Friday, July 2, for New York where she will attend the National Society of Alpha Iota, a business women's society.

Mason Merchants Defeat Ann Arbor

In a Tri-County league baseball game at West park in Ann Arbor Sunday afternoon, the Mason Merchants baseball team defeated the Ann Arbor American Legion team 10-5.

Brighton dropped Stockbridge deeper into the western division cellar by scoring a 6-3 win over the Stockbridge Merchants.

Scale Year-Marks Tell Age of Fish

A bluegill under average conditions will reach legal length of six inches during its fourth summer of life.

Table with 2 columns: Division and Score. Includes Western Division and Eastern Division results.

Scale Year-Marks Tell Age of Fish

Writing in the July issue of Michigan Conservation, the department's monthly publication, Beckman declares the age of a fish is determined by locating and counting the number of year-marks on its scales.

Advertisement for Grace Eugene Beauty Shop, featuring a woman's portrait and text about hair care.

Advertisement for House Paint and Casting Rods, featuring a cross symbol and product details.

Brass Infant Dies Elmer Leon Brass, Jr., infant son of Elmer Leon Brass, Sr., 610 1/2 Woodbury street, Lansing, died at a Lansing hospital Monday.

WONDERLAND Mrs. William J. Clarke Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hartenburg and family visited Mr. and Mrs. William Clarke Saturday evening.

Gladwin Game Refuge Closed To Hunting Considered to be "the top grouse trail grounds in America," the Gladwin game refuge in the northwest corner of Gladwin county is to remain closed to all hunting except during the deer season, November 15-30.

Advertisement for HALL'S Drive-In Dairy Bar, announcing the formal opening of their drive-in.

Large advertisement for Bailey's Refrigeration Sales & Service, listing various appliances and services.

Northwest Stockbridge Mrs. Guerdon Usher Mr. and Mrs. Earl Mulligan of Detroit were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell.

Advertisement for J. B. Dean, featuring a gas thief illustration and text about carburetor services.

Advertisement for A. B. BALL Trustworthy Furniture, showcasing various bed and mattress models.

### Holt Incorporation Being Studied

Incorporation of Holt as a city is being studied by a special committee of the board of supervisors, guided by County Clerk C. Ross Hilliard and Prosecutor Charles R. MacLean. On the committee are Supervisors Rina Dell of Lansing, C. O. Wilkins of Meridian and Raymond Wilcox of Lansing. A report is expected to be presented at the August meeting.

It will be up to the committee to check procedure and to set a date for election. The election will probably be held in September along with the primary election.

The prosecutor's office is also studying the legality of paying a 1947 claim filed by the Florence Crittendon Home of Grand Rapids. The home is maintained by the Salvation Army for unwed mothers. A claim of \$2,000 was filed to cover the care of 28 girls from Ingham county in 1947. There was an appropriation in the 1947 budget for the 1948 year, and that was paid to the home.

Supervisor Samuel Brown declared the claim is valid and should be paid. He moved that the clerk and treasurer be authorized to pay H. C. G. Card of East Lansing did not dispute the claim but he questioned the validity of payment in the form presented. Brown then withdrew his motion and the matter was referred to the prosecutor's office.

### CANAAN DISTRICT

**Mrs. Merton Mizer**  
 Miss Edna Doolittle spent two weeks recently with her grandmother, Mrs. M. Keating and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mathias at Clawson. Dennis Doolittle is now visiting at Clawson.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Claude Carpenter and daughters will spend the holiday week end at Houghton lake.  
 Mrs. Betty Beverly and baby and Mrs. Lenamae Wilbur of Lansing were callers at the Charles Mulkins home.

### Leslie

**By E. J. Cross**  
**Rev. E. J. Cross to Speak**  
 Rev. Edward J. Cross will conduct the morning service for worship at the Leslie Baptist church Sunday. This will mark the 20th anniversary of the beginning of his pastorate with this church which he served for over seven years. Rev. Cross has been retired for a number of years.

**To Attend Baptist Camp**  
 About 60 young people of the Leslie Baptist church and the Childs Corner church expect to leave Saturday morning for a week's camp at the state park, north of Muskegon. They will be in charge of Rev. Paul Tucker and Roland Teubner.

**John Barnetts Are Guests**  
 Rev. John A. Barnett with his wife, formerly Frances Viary and a graduate of the Leslie high school, and their daughter, Carol, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hampton. Rev. and Mrs. Barnett are students of the Denver Bible college. He occupied the pulpit at the Leslie Baptist church Sunday morning.

### LEGION GOVERNOR TO TEACH OR PREACH



James Leskee, 17, of Marquette, shown above being congratulated by State Commander Arthur H. Clarke on his election as governor of the American Legion's 11th annual Wolverine Boys' State at East Lansing June 17-25. Leskee, a Marquette high school senior next year, looks forward to college and says, "I plan to teach, or preach." He defeated Dayne Davis of Flint, 460 to 457 for the top Boys' State job.

Don Redman of Eden held office at Boys' State. He was Hayes city constable and deputy clerk of Jerome county.

### Stockbridge

**Helen Beeman**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Art Wilde and family are spending two weeks touring through the east and the Smoky Mountains.  
 Raymond Culver started this week at summer school at Western State college. Guy King is attending summer school at Michigan State college.  
 Mrs. Myrtle Smith is visiting in Lansing.  
 Mrs. Marie Sharp has the measles. Her sister, Mrs. C. Sharp of Jackson, is staying with her.  
 Ned Owens is at the Y. M. C. A. camp at Mill lake.  
 Jennifer Mackinder is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Eudell Berry, at Kalamazoo.

**JOINS TIRE FIRM**  
 James M. Hughes, son of Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hughes of Mason, is now assistant sales manager of the Pennsylvania Rubber company. He has been with the Grosvenor Rubber company for 12 years as truck tire representative in the Cleveland market. In his new job Hughes will make his headquarters in Jeannette, Pa., where his factory is located. His home has been in Rocky River, Ohio. James R. Hughes, the father, is general superintendent of the Oldsmobile division of General Motors in Lansing. The son is a graduate of Michigan State college.

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**Delivers First Sermon**  
 Rev. Elwin K. Lewis delivered his first sermon as pastor of the Leslie Methodist church Sunday morning. He chose as his theme, "Building Up Ourselves." Next Sunday morning his topic will be "Falling Pillars." He comes to Leslie from the Potter Park Methodist church, Lansing, and was one time the pastor of the Beatrice Isbell Methodist church, Jackson.

**Jeep Is Wrecked**  
 A jeep driven by Donald Morea, Jr., was wrecked Monday evening when it left the road near the Weeks school house on the Bellevue road. Morea suffered some slight injuries.

**Circus Date Scheduled**  
 The first tent shown to visit Leslie this season is billed for Wednesday, July 1, when the Paterson Brothers circus will have afternoon and evening performances.

**E. O. T. C. Elects Officers**  
 Among the 43 past presidents of the Leslie E. O. T. C. club, who were entertained for their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. Lynn Jewell, Tuesday afternoon, was the first president of the club, Dr. Bertha Myers of Jackson, whose period of office was 1893-1894. The election of officers resulted in the choice of Mrs. Altavene McClain as president; Mrs. A. N. Gearling, vice president; Mrs. E. T. Blackmore, secretary; and Mrs. Eldon Williams, treasurer.

**Schedule Horse Pulling Contests for Homecoming**  
 The latest attractions to be added to the program of the homecoming to be held in Leslie, Friday and Saturday, July 30 and 31, are two horse pulling contests. The contest for horses in the light class will be held Friday morning at 10 with the heavyweights pulling Saturday morning.

**There will be several games** both afternoons and an entertainment each evening at the high school auditorium to be followed by an out-of-doors show at the school athletic field, where the carnival attractions will be located. The net parade will be held on Friday afternoon, to be followed by games and races for the children. Saturday afternoon a number of addresses will be given at Russell park.

O. E. Wood is the general chairman for the celebration. This is the first homecoming to be held in Leslie since July 29 to 25, 1938, when the centennial of the founding of Leslie was observed.

**The 27th annual reunion of the** Cornwell-Coutler families was held at Russell park Sunday. The guests from the farthest distance were from Findlay, Ohio.  
 Rev. William VanVleet, minister of the Leslie Congregational church, will preach at the Sunday evening service at the Packard Memorial Free Methodist church.  
 A new cement walk, being built on the north side of East Race street, east of Church street. A new plate glass window has been installed on the front of the Leslie Implement company store on South Main street.  
 Electric power was interrupted for over two hours early Sunday morning as the result of a power-line pole being broken by a motorist near Rives Junction.

**Railway Tank Cars**  
 On November 1, 1865 about six years after the world's first oil well was opened at Titusville, Pa., the first tank car was loaded in that city. It was a flat car fitted with two wooden tanks shaped like inverted tubs.

### Pioneer Society Holds Meeting

The Ingham county Pioneer Society met at the Methodist church in Mason last Thursday with 75 members present from nearly all sections of the county.  
 Ethel and Roy Adams entertained with old time melodies on the piano and flute.  
 Mrs. Liddicot, wife of the Methodist pastor sang two solos accompanied by Mrs. Caraway, wife of the Baptist pastor.  
 Miss Virginia Thorne gave two trombone solos and Mr. and Mrs. Fred J. Aurelius sang several sacred duets.  
 Many members present told early pioneer stories, as handed down to them. Several were present that had lived in log houses and had driven ox teams. There still remain about six log houses in Ingham county that are occupied as homes. Some of these are at least 100 years old.  
 Officers re-elected for the coming year were: President, E. A. Densmore; vice president, E. A. Calkins; secretary, Blanche Hogan; and treasurer, Myrtle Taylor.

### 4-H Club News

Mrs. Paul Rowe, Dallas Hyde and Richard Cheney of the 4-Winds 4-H club are attending club week at Michigan State college.  
 The Wheatfield 4-H Livestock and Crops club held its regular meeting on Friday evening, June 25, at the home of Herbert Miller with 22 members present. Judging on freezing strawberries, on fitting and showing of dairy heifers was held. The club tour, which will be held July 30, was discussed and it was decided to hold a potluck dinner at the Willamston park. Following the playing of games, refreshments were served.

The third meeting of the German Foods and Canning club was held at the home of Donna Voss on June 22. She gave a demonstration on freezing strawberries and baking tarts. Norma Eifer gave a demonstration on setting the table correctly. The next meeting will be held at the home of Lois and Darlene Flisk on July 7.

The Aurelius Garden and Dairy club met Tuesday night at the home of Alta Jennings. Games were played and refreshments served. The next meeting will be at the home of Murettia Dobbee. The Dairy club boys will make a stock tour at their next meeting, July 20. Aurelius Diggers monthly meeting will be held at the school house July 6 at 8:00.

### Mrs. Lockwood Dies at Home

Mrs. Ruby Lockwood, 60, died at the farm home on Sherwood road, Williamston township, early Saturday evening following a short illness. The body was removed to Gorsline Bros. chapel and later to the farm home. Funeral services were held from the Methodist church with Rev. R. Rex Reid of Swartz Creek, a former pastor of the Methodist church in Williamston, officiating. He was assisted by Rev. Ray Caldwell of the Congregational church of St. Johns. She was born in Laingsburg on July 4, 1887, and had resided in Ingham county most of her life. She was a member of the Filigim Congregational church of Lansing and a member of the Order of the Eastern Star, Chapter 29, of Williamston.  
 Surviving are the husband, Floyd H. Lockwood; a son, Mulford C. Lockwood of Seneca, N. Y.; two granddaughters, two brothers, Andrew Jackson of Bancroft, Graham B. Jackson of Williamston and M. Reed Jackson of Lansing.  
 Pallbearers were Wilbur C. Wright, Paul Bowen, Larry Jackson, William Braughn, Victor Lockwood and Dr. W. O. Brinker.

### Extension Club

**Southwest Wheatfield**  
 Mrs. Lillian Foreman entertained the Southwest Wheatfield Extension group Wednesday, June 23, with a picnic at Potter park. A potluck dinner was served at one o'clock. Mrs. Florence Smith assisted the hostess. There were 14 members present. The birthday anniversary of Mrs. June Sherwood and Mrs. Oloie Glynn were celebrated. Mrs. Marion Huffine baked the birthday cake. A business meeting was held with Mrs. Rexine Glynn acting as chairman in the absence of Mrs. Bertha Everett, who was on vacation in Canada. Mrs. Lillian Foreman acted as secretary and treasurer for Mrs. Belva Church who was also absent. The next meeting will be held Wednesday, July 14, with Mrs. Eunice Hill.

**Mason**  
 The Mason Extension group met on Thursday, June 24, at the home of Mrs. Nellis Bateman. During discussion, it was decided to omit the July and August meetings, resuming club activities in September.

### HUBBARD DISTRICT Eighth Grade

Mrs. Gertrude Launstein left Saturday morning to visit relatives in Pennsylvania and New York. While there, she will attend her family reunion.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Claude Miner were Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Launstein.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Lester Snell visited friends in Owosso Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Launstein spent Sunday in Eaton Rapids visiting relatives and friends.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fairbotham attended a birthday party in honor of Hazel Ripple and Joe Fairbotham at the Fairbotham-home Sunday.

### Circuit Court Proceedings

6-23-48  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. Carl P. Eaton. Order for payment of fees.  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. James Elerson. Order for payment of fees.  
 Jack R. Clouse vs. Harold Burnett. Transmittal of judgment \$461.50.  
 In the matter of the receivership of the Capital National Bank of Lansing. Order granting authority to execute deed by receiver.  
 In the matter of the estate of Nellie G. Johnson, deceased, by George Lowery, administrator vs. Ashton Freight Lines, Inc. Consent judgment for plaintiff's satisfaction of judgment.  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. Oliver Wendell Jenkins. Sentence one year and six months to two years, fines Joseph Ross and the Hartford Fire Insurance Co. of Hartford, Conn. vs. Kathryn Burns. Order denying motion for new trial.  
 General Motors Corp. & Delaware vs. M. J. U. et al. Judgment.  
 6-25-48  
 Helen Pitts vs. P. Hoyt Taylor and Gladys Taylor. Order for continuance.  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. K. L. Pugh. Arraignment. Pledged guilty. Remanded. Motion granted for attorney for respondent.  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. DeWitt War. Change of plea, released on bond.  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. Charles Emerson Hayes. Sentenced to county jail for 6 months.  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. William C. Stenson. Sentence 2 1/2 to 10 years at Jackson prison.  
 The people of the state of Michigan vs. Roy P. Lovine. Sentence \$25.00 fine.  
 Minnie Daschner vs. Luverna N. Austin and Margaret Allen. Order for appearance.  
 6-25-48  
 Don Merchant vs. Walter Levandowski and Jack Schmale. Order to assist as to Levandowski.  
 In the matter of the petition of Robert DeLoach. Order for hearing.  
 In the matter of the petition of Herman Korschner for naturalization petition No. 8466. Order for new hearing.

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Action Is Delayed On Milk Ordinance

Ingham county's proposed milk ordinance was tabled by the board of supervisors Monday. The tabling was for further study, some supervisors said. There was also the intimation that the issue may not soon be taken from the table.

KIPP COMMUNITY

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Coppens and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Ben Burch Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Ludell Cheney and Mrs. Clark Haynes called on Mrs. Clyde Piekforth Thursday afternoon.

GETS POCKETBOOK BACK

On May 28 Jim Darrow lost his pocketbook containing \$87. The right person didn't find it and there was no response to a lost ad. But the loser wanted his pocketbook and papers back. Finally he consulted a medium. On Friday the pocketbook was found, right where the medium said it would be.

Jim Darrow Takes Medium's Advice

Every day since the visit to the medium, Darrow has kept his eye on the spot. Then last Friday he cut and raked the weeds and high grass on the lot next to him and next to the tree. The pocketbook was not there in the morning. In the afternoon it was, just 3 feet and 10 inches from the tree.

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In a hard game of ball Sunday night, the Mason All-Stars shut out the Aeroquip team of Jackson, 1-0. Mason made its only run in the second inning when H. Remer made a double. Clarence Fry followed with a single. With two men on base and one out, Foltkow was safe on an error. Remer scoring. Aeroquip was in there, too, but were unable to make the grade.

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DIES IN CALIFORNIA

Word was received this week from Mrs. Nettie Lane of LaVerne, California, of the death of her cousin, Mrs. Phoebe Fuller Somers, who died at LaVerne on June 25. Mrs. Somers was a former Mason resident. Mrs. Lane has made her home in recent years with Mrs. Somers.

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David Fancher of Leslie spent last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rusch. Mr. and Mrs. Max Hartenburg and family of St. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Hartenburg and Jean and Carl Hartenburg of Wheeler were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Hartenburg. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Truax and family of Lansing called on them in the afternoon.

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**THE IRON HORSE IS ON ITS LAST LEGS**

Take a look at the Iron Horse, and be quick. Because the Iron Horse is passing out of the picture. A steam locomotive will soon be a rarity on American railroads. One locomotive manufacturer has already announced the turning out of its final steam model. The day of the Diesel electric locomotive is here.

The revolution in transportation made by development of the motor car and truck is not stopping at the highways. Diesel-powered engines have doomed steam locomotives as inefficient, costly, wasteful in fuel, hard to handle, and dangerous to drive. Shortly the chugging, puffing Iron Horse will be just a museum piece, a curiosity along with the old-fashioned horse car and the ox cart.

People who saw the GM Train of Tomorrow at Lansing know that steam locomotives and what have been accepted as coaches and Pullmans are out of date.

The GM Train of Tomorrow is a marvel in its engineering and styling. Yet even more marvelous is the fact that it was even conceived or built. Why would General Motors put millions of dollars into an experimental project?

As explained by S. E. Skinner, general manager of Oldsmobile and a vice-president of General Motors, there are penalties assessed Big Business, but there are some great advantages, too.

We permit men who never did anything to reap abuse upon giant corporations for doing something. We indulge in nostalgia about the good old days when every man was his own boss. We talk about the lack of opportunity today. Yet the steady improvement in industry and business and the American standard of living belies all the talk. We all know that only the creative dreams of inventive minds, the skill of engineers, the know-how of production men and the vast resources of such an industrial giant as General Motors can produce a Train of Tomorrow. We all know that only under private enterprise can such revolutions as the transportation revolution take place. We all know that under government ownership we would have kept on with the ox cart, the horse and buggy, the stern wheeler and the steam locomotive. Bigness can and often does mean greatness here in the United States.

And has the impact of the Train of Tomorrow struck only the men in transportation fields? Take a look at the long lines of people which have passed through the train at its stops. Take a look at the thousands of people in every small town and village and even in the fields along the railroads traveled by the new train. They flock to the tracks just for a fleeting look. See the eagerness, the curiosity, the enthusiasm of the young people over the new developments, the new refinements, now offered travel.

General Motors engineers, railroad car builders and railroads can well be proud of their accomplishments in the Train of Tomorrow. We can all be proud of a system that permits such cooperation; that rewards such prodigious investments of time and money. We can all take courage in that we look forward to even greater industrial miracles than have yet taken place. Our greatest heritage is our belief that dreams come true if we work hard enough for them.

The GM Train of Tomorrow will revolutionize railroad transportation. It will also give new vision, new courage and new faith to all of us.

**WHAT FURTHER PROOF IS NEEDED?**

Several weeks ago there was pointed out here the peril to the city when the night police officer is ordered or permitted to chase around the countryside. His primary job is to remain at his post in the business sections to guard against fire and theft. At least that's the way we view it, and that view is shared by many business men. They rely on the night watch to try doors and to watch out for fires.

In justice court last week a trial was conducted. During the course of the trial it developed that the man hired as night watch spent several hours away from his post. By his own testimony he was chasing rural highways and at one time was seven miles away, at the corner of Barnes and Hawley roads. He also testified that at that same morning he was 12 1/2 miles away, rapping on a farm house door with two state police officers.

If Mason had three or four policemen on duty at one time, if there were at least two night officers, then it might be all right for one man to chase traffic violators over country roads. With only one man on duty nights he should give his entire time to patrolling the business sections uptown and on the west side.

The night police officer should not be condemned for chasing traffic violators. He must be following the orders given him. Yet by the officer's own testimony, carrying out that part of his instructions leaves the city unguarded for hours against fire and theft. No further proof should be necessary to bring home to the city council police committee the fact that some different instructions should be issued.

**IN ONE HOUR 50 HOURS CAN BE WASTED**

When a man or woman gets up to talk he or she should be prepared to say something, otherwise the speaker wastes not only his own time but that of his hearers. When a speaker is asked to address a gathering of 50 he should so prepare himself that the 50 in the gathering are not wasting their time. There are so many speakers who consider themselves the only persons involved. Is the gathering big enough to make my appearance worth while? Are the people important enough? Will I just be wasting my time? The main consideration of the speaker should be, "Will I be wasting their time? I have only an hour of my own at stake. But if I talk an hour without saying anything, if I make inadequate preparation for my speech, then I'll waste an hour each for 50 men, and that's 50 hours!"

**IN DEFENSE OF THE GOVERNOR**

Fair weather friends of the governor are charging him with failure at Philadelphia. They accuse him of poor leadership of the Michigan delegates at the convention. They charge him with continuing to back the wrong horse even when it became apparent the horse was not being entered in the race. Fair weather friends insist that the governor placed Michigan in a ridiculous situation by not swinging to Owosso-born Thomas E. Dewey on the second ballot, by not even having a

delegate on the floor when Governor Warren was nominated for vice-president.

That's the way with fair weather friends. They withdraw their friendship at the hour of crisis.

We want to be fair with the governor. We have always tried to help him with constructive criticism. We see it as our plain duty. And we don't intend to neglect our duty just because of our disappointment that Senator Vandenberg was not nominated.

We don't believe that Michigan's governor should be charged with failure at Philadelphia. He sat right up there on the platform with prominent and lifelong Republicans, didn't he? He made a nominating speech for a Republican candidate, and isn't that something? He entered smoke-filled rooms even though they happened to be occupied with losers instead of winners. He gave out many press interviews. He had his picture in all the papers. Just wherein can failure be charged?

**Down by the Sycamore**

I was far away from the Sycamore valley for a few hours last Friday. I rode Dream Cloud, Moon Glow, Star Dust and Sky View on the GM Train of Tomorrow. Now, papermen, radio announcers, picked students from General Motors Tech at Flint, high brass from Oldsmobile and Fisher Body and a few public officials were aboard. We left Lansing by bus to meet the Train of Tomorrow in Inonia. We floated above the Muskegon-Detroit tracks of the Grand Trunk through Pewamo, St. Johns, Ovid, Owosso and Corunna to Durand, and there switched over to the main line of the Grand Trunk for the run back to Lansing.

We took turns riding in the swanky cab on the plush seats with the engineer and fireman. We inspected the stainless steel kitchen in the dining car. Every gadget in the kitchen is operated by electricity. It's a housewife's dream. Besides the regular dining room there is a private dining room with homey wallpaper on the walls. There is so little vibration to the train that goblets and long-stemmed glasses are used on the tables and nothing is spilled.

There is as much privacy and more luxury in the roomettes and compartments than there is in many of the best hotels. Just press a button and what looked like a duveton turns and whirrs and there's a bed, a roony, comfortable bed.

Dream Cloud, Moon Glow, Star Dust and Sky View are the names of the cars. Each has an astral dome compartment, seaflap 20 built into the top. That's what gives the train the New Look, and the New Look is what the passenger gets. They can see in every direction. The only thing between them and the sky is glass—impact-resistant glass as strong as steel, glare-proof, and non-conducting as to heat and cold.

There isn't any jerk or sway to a ride on the Train of Tomorrow. The train stops and starts as a unit, not as individual cars coupled together. A new type of coach suspension, Hyatt journal boxes with lateral snubbing action, and special coil springs and shock absorbers, take away the jounce and jiggle. Insulation of the train throughout makes for quietness. The train speeds along without a rattle or roar. There is air conditioning in every nook and crevice.

Doors between coaches open by touch. Pneumatic pressure does the opening and closing. Every car is agleam with chrome and crystal fittings. There are new slick-proof floor coverings. The upholstery is beautiful. The chairs, the lounges, the divans are comfortable. There is even complete telephone service available to any and from any point, anywhere.

The speed can be stepped up to 117 miles an hour. The train is so built and operated that 100 miles an hour feels like a safe 25 in a new car on a pre-war pavement.

Yes, the Train of Tomorrow is something almost out of this world. That's what we think today. By tomorrow such trains will be common. I'm saving up my money to make a down payment on a Dream Cloud of my own, or at least a longer ride on one.

One of the best things about the trip was the opportunity to see the picked group of young men from General Motors Tech. Among them on the Train of Tomorrow were the Leaders of Tomorrow. These young men are keen, alert to the opportunities offered in industry, sharp in doing things right. They study a month at the school in Flint and then work a month in GM plants. At the end of four or five years they are ready to start up the GM ladder and the men on the rungs above had better watch out.

All it tastes the same in Lapeer if you drink city water, astern water or drink out of the creek. In the Lapeer County Press last week was an item telling about the John Hannahs (Malaria John and Typhoid Mary) remarking to city officials on the improvement in the clarity and taste of city water. The city ordered an investigation. The discovery was made that valves in the plumbing had been mixed up and for three weeks the Hannahs had been drinking water from the eastern.

Do you want to know the secret of those gorgeous roses and other flowers in the garden of Dr. and Mrs. A. V. Smith? Worms, worms, and more worms, is the answer. Mrs. Smith read about the miracles wrought by earthworms in aerating and fertilizing soil. So she sent away for a brick of worms and started raising them. Earthworms multiply by dividing. What starts out as one worm becomes two and Mrs. Smith soon had quite a ranch. She liberated her excess stock in the garden.

**Ancient History**

**One Year Ago—1947**  
After heated debate over valuations the board of supervisors has adjourned to give the equalization committee an opportunity for further deliberation.

Barbara Gilchrist has been awarded a \$200 scholarship to the University of Michigan as a result of outstanding 4-H work.

Ronald Keeping, formerly with Wyeth Incorporated, has joined the research staff of E. I. DuPont de Nemours and company at Carney Point, N. J.

By act of the legislature, the office of county school commissioner becomes appointive on July 1. The title is also being changed to county school superintendent.

**10 Years Ago—1938**  
The Farmers Mutual building has been completed. The office will be moved there July 5.

The Mason school and Michigan State college have joined under a teacher-training program.

Dr. C. J. Stringer is the new head of the Ingham tuberculosis sanatorium. He succeeds Dr. George Stickey who resigned to join the W. K. Kellogg Foundation staff.

Eleven Mason children have been enrolled in the nursery school being operated by the Mason board of education for three years. Miss Ruth Eager, home economics instructor, is the teacher. Those enrolled are Jennie Lou Kruse, Marvin Shepard, Jimmy Richards, Jerry Wilcox, Carol Burlingham, Frederick Boyne, Bobby Boyne, Carl Hoffmann, Jimmy Clark, Duane Hart and Jimmy Kelly. High school girls helping with the project are Betty McIntyre, Mary Jeanette Davis, Billy Mac Field, Ruth Wells, Betty Eifer and Kathryn Felton.

Two million was paid from the county's assessed valuation Friday. Most of the slash resulted from a new assessing system adopted by Lansing.

Washington has approved the application of Ingham county for \$636,215 under the WPA drainage program. About 2,000 unemployed men will be put to work on the county drains.

**20 Years Ago—1928**  
Twenty Mason business men have formed a credit bureau which will be operated as an adjunct to the Lansing Bureau.

Governor Green was unable to be present to formally open the Mason golf course July 4 so Mayor John Kennedy of Mason teed off the first ball. The first foursome to play the Mason course was made up of Harry J. Bond, George P. Coffin, J. E. Dean and P. K. Woodhouse. Russell Bement had the best card of any amateur on the opening day. He went around in 49.

Sheriff Hugh W. Silby, Deputy Harry Reinhart and Drain Commissioner Lloyd Doane and their families left Saturday for an outing at Steuben in the Upper Peninsula.

**50 Years Ago—1898**  
If Mason wants to be on the line of the L. D. & A. A. is the city of furnishings is of prime importance. The little poem which is frequently used, tells the theme, the unraveling of which, makes the story.

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**MILLVILLE**  
Mrs. Maggie Burden  
On July 4 Sunday school will be at 11 a. m. There will be a woman speaker in the morning with work in the evening.  
Mr. and Mrs. Burl Batterly spent Sunday in Detroit.  
Rev. and Mrs. Lauren Strait are spending a few days in Vermont with Mrs. Strait's parents. They expect to return home next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker will leave for Montana Monday to visit his sister.  
Callers at the home of Mrs. Maggie Burden this week were Mrs. Allen Dietrich, Kenneth Bentley, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Williams and son, Donald, and Mrs. Gertrude Nelhammer.  
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### Veteran Publisher, Now 98, Began With News in Mason

Frank M. Vandercook, 98 last Sunday, started his 75 years of newspaper work as an apprentice on the Ingham County News at Mason. For many years he lived in St. Louis, Michigan, and for most of those years he published newspapers in Gratiot county.

Frank M. Vandercook and the late A. D. Vandercook of Mason and Willis Vandercook were brothers. The St. Louis man is an uncle of Walter E. Ketchum of Mason, Mrs. George Kellogg and Mrs. Kittle Welsh of Mason, Col. Roy Vandercook of Lansing and Dell Vandercook of New York.

Born in Pleasant Valley, New York, Vandercook came to Mason with his parents when he was two

years old. He left school to learn the printer's trade at the Ingham County News. Later he worked for the Jackson Patriot, now the Citizen-Patriot. Soon he started his first paper, the St. Louis Leader, founding it in 1877. Three different times he was publisher of the Leader, leaving it for the launching of other papers in Gratiot county, but eventually buying his favorite back. He was editor and publisher at various times of the St. Louis Independent, Evening Press, Hiaque Times, Patron's Guide, St. Louis Republican and St. Louis Tribune besides a paper in Hemlock, Saginaw county.

Mr. Vandercook is still intensely interested in politics. He was for many years a Republican leader. Then he became a follower of Bryan, returning to the Republican fold with Hoover and leaving it four years later for Roosevelt. Right now he has declared himself for Dewey, not especially for Dewey, but against President Truman.

In good health and mentally keen despite his 98 years, Mr. Vandercook lives in St. Louis. There are two daughters, Mrs. Maude VanDenbergh of Clare and Mrs. Hattie Bowle of Ames, Iowa, and a foster-son, Harold Vandercook of Detroit.

### Swank Lounge in Train of Tomorrow



ONE OF many diversion spots aboard train of tomorrow—shown here are two of the four different levels, comprising the Observation Lounge car of the new General Motors train of tomorrow, now on nationwide exhibit tour of principal cities.

Feature of this section is the "top of the rail" refreshment bar, with seats, chairs and tables forming a cocktail and recreation lounge of striking decor. The car is resplendent in color, lighting and design of furniture.

The train of tomorrow, composed of observation lounge, diner, sleeper and coach, is powered by a standard 2000-horsepower Diesel locomotive, manufactured by the Electro-Motive Division of General Motors. Air conditioning is by Frigidaire.

### Senator Hittle Files for Eighth Term

With the filing of nominating petitions, Harry F. Hittle of East Lansing announced he would be a candidate for re-election in the Republican primary for the 14th senatorial district. The district is made up of Livingston and Ingham counties.

The senator, who acquired his education at Peria Institute, University of Chattanooga and Detroit College of Law, served as prosecuting attorney for both Manistee and Ingham counties. For several years he has maintained a law office in Lansing. He was first elected to the Senate in 1934 and has been re-elected continuously since that time, now completing his seventh successive term.

Prior to the 1947-48 legislative session, Senator Hittle was chairman of the labor committee. He drafted, introduced and guided through both houses the bill that set up the Michigan Labor Mediation board.

For the past two years he has been chairman of the Judiciary committee and president pro-tem of the senate, the latter being an honor conferred by his associates. The senator is a member of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, A. S. M., Donald, served in World War II, and is now a lieutenant colonel in the United States Marine Corps.

Even a big buck deer is rarely more than 3-2 feet tall at the shoulder and the average is nearer 3 feet. They appear taller when in motion.



Harry F. Hittle

### KINGMAN COMMUNITY Mrs. Dean Avery

William Wasper, Barbara Bunker and Gibson Strickling returned home from 4-H camp Saturday. Ardis Bunker came home Thursday.

Mrs. Barkway spent from Monday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bunker.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Avery and girls attended the Williams reunion

### U. of M. Serves Record Number

The University of Michigan served 44,685 persons during the 1947-48 school year, Registrar Ira M. Smith has reported.

This establishes a new high, replacing the mark of 40,637 established in the 1946-47 year. The count of individuals served includes 27,103 students taking degree and postgraduate professional courses on the campus with the balance taking extension or postgraduate programs for credit off campus or participated in Extension Service programs for which no credit was given. Not included were thousands who attended lectures and forums on and off the campus.

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### Holt

**Mrs. Mary Dixon**

At the morning services of Brotherhood Temple Methodist church Sunday, June 27, 32 Odd Fellows and 18 Rebekahs of Holt lodges attended in a group as a memorial for the members who have died.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wigman and family attended the Grottenberger reunion at Potter park Sunday.

William Bickett was taken to the Edward W. Sparrow hospital recently where he is seriously ill.

Miss Ruth Ann Farnsworth and her cousin, Miss Joyce Fraser of Davenport, Iowa, who is spending her vacation here, left Sunday afternoon to spend a week with their grandmother in Detroit.

Mrs. Sarah Butler had as guests the past week end Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Behler, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ullman, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bell, Mrs. Fay Tripp, Mrs. Belle Claus and Mrs. Leona Burroughs, all of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. J. McCaslin and daughters of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kluman of Kalamazoo spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Lyle Thorburn, and family.

### Circle to Meet

The Josephine Rose circle of the Presbyterian church will meet Thursday at the county park in Mason for a family picnic at 2:30. Each member is to take a dish to pass, sandwiches and table service. The committee for the day is Mrs. Melvin Smith, Mrs. Willis Rockwood and Mrs. Cassius Shaft.

**Rebekahs to Meet**

Holt Rebekah lodge 446 will meet next Monday evening, July 5, at the I. O. O. F. hall. This will be its last meeting until the last of September as they have declared a vacation for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith DeLashmatt of Vicksburg called on his parents last Thursday enroute to Carlisle, Pa. Keith has re-enlisted in the army as a private and will be stationed at Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Van DeLashmatt and sons of Detroit visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van DeLashmatt, Sr., and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mathias the past week end.

Mrs. Sarah Butler spent the first of the week in Detroit on business.

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# News of Interest to Ingham County Farmers

## Pasteurization Law Takes Effect July 1

July 1st is the date that Michigan's new milk pasteurization law takes effect, reports A. C. Baltzer, extension dairyman at Michigan State college. Beginning then, all milk entering commercial channels must be pasteurized.

Michigan is the first state in the nation to enact such a law to guard against certain communicable diseases. The law was passed by the legislature in 1947 to give those concerned a year to prepare for it.

Baltzer advises that under the new law, all milk to be bottled for retail trade or used in cream-

eries and cheese factories must be pasteurized. An exception is made for milk to be used for more than 60 days. Farmers selling milk to their own employees at the farm where it is produced are exempt from the provision.

Local health officers can give further details of the new law.

Frame-constructed walls in livestock structures can be made sufficiently warm by putting waterproof paper, sheathing and siding on the outside and waterproof paper and sheathing on the inside, report Michigan State college agricultural engineers. Walls can be improved by adding an inch of insulation or by filling the stud space with insulation.

## After 38 Years as Extension Chief, Baldwin Retires

Robert J. Baldwin, one of Michigan's best known agricultural leaders, retired Wednesday as director of the Michigan cooperative extension program.

He is the only man to head the extensive educational program which reaches every county in Michigan through its county agricultural agents, home demonstration agents and 4-H club agents.

During the 38 years he has guided this program Director Baldwin has watched it grow from the three "field agents" of Michigan Agricultural college back in 1910, to a staff of 280 specialists and agents today. These people are a part of the Michigan State college staff but they are made available through the cooperative support of the federal, state and county governments.

Born in Sanilac county, Director Baldwin was reared on a farm and in 1900 entered Michigan Agricultural college by entrance examination without a high school education. After graduation in 1904 he was stricken with infantile paralysis which prevented him from continuing with heavy farm work. This fateful turn, however, caused him to enter into a career that made it possible for him to serve three generations of Michigan farm people.

After preparing himself for a teaching career with more college training, Director Baldwin taught science for two years at Traverse City. He then returned to Michigan State college as an instructor and within two months became assistant to the dean of agriculture. One of his assistants was to supervise the "field agents."

During his long service he has visited every nook and corner of Michigan and has been active in land-use planning work. He helped lead Michigan farmers through



the emergencies of two World Wars and two farm depressions.

Under Director Baldwin's leadership, an alfalfa program increased Michigan's acreage of this soil-building crop from 70,000 acres in 1910 to 1,200,000 in 1939.

In his retirement, Director Baldwin expects to travel, write and "do things I have always wanted to do but never found time to do." This probably includes spending much time in his basement workshop renovating antiques and working with wood.

Only two other directors of state extension services have been with the program since it became cooperative between the federal, state and county units in 1914. Neither of them, however, have been directors during the entire period.

Clinton V. Ballard, a member of the Michigan cooperative extension staff since 1915, succeeds Director Baldwin. He has been assistant director in charge of field coordination and county agent leader in recent years.

## Cornish-New Hamp Cross Winner In National Contest

Vantage Hatchery of Marysville, California, won first prize of \$5,000 in the finals of the national Chick-of-Tomorrow contest.

Cornish-New Hampshire crosses entered by the east hatchery scored a total of 150.8 points to top 39 other finalists from 25 states in the concluding phase of the three-year program sponsored by A & P Food Stores to develop superior meat-type chickens.

Michigan was represented by Charles Delamarer of East Lansing and Lloyd Tice of Barryton.

Runner-up in the competition was Arbor Acres Farm of Clonton, Mich., whose White Rocks scored 151.5 points to capture \$1,000 second money. Fraction of a point behind in third place with \$500 was the joint Maine entry of H. E. Bates and E. J. Bittner, both New Hampshire.

The next five to finish were: Nichols' Poultry Farm, Kingston, N. H., with New Hampshire; John Spangenberg, West Haven, Conn., with Cornish-White Rock crosses; Shenandoah Hatchery, Maurertown, Virginia, New Hampshire; John E. Weidlich, Roanoke, West Va., New Hampshire; and Linn's Hatchery of Puyallup, Wash., with Cornish-New Hampshire crosses.

The awards were made at an afternoon ceremony highlighting two days of festivities at Georgetown, Delaware, June 24, famous as a chicken-raising center. The crowning of a festival queen, "Miss Delmarva," a parade and air show were other features witnessed by hundreds of poultry industry leaders and government officials from all parts of the country.

Delamarer's New Hampshire's won state and regional contests in past placings in the finals.

noon was spent in visiting. Another reunion is planned for next year.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sims and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Williams and Donald were in Flint and Piquette on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson of Perrine have been visiting at the Ellis Nemer home.

Church services will be held next Sunday at 11:30. Miss Betty Wheeler, a student of Asbury college, will be the speaker. Miss Wheeler is a daughter of missionary parents and was born and raised in Belgium Congo.

Cigar Consumption  
Cigar consumption in 1947 totaled 5,631 million compared with 5,014 million in 1946. The drop occurred despite the high level of personal income.

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## MSC Beef Project Starting July 1

The time is here to enroll in the 1948-49 Michigan beef calf feeding project, sponsored by the animal husbandry extension department of Michigan State college.

College Livestock Specialist W. L. Finley offers a brief of the rules governing the project and encourages those interested in beef cattle to enroll by weighing their project calves at some convenient time during the first 10 days of July.

Two calves may be enrolled per farm, Finley reports. Calves must have been sired by a registered beef bull. The calves will be divided into two groups: seniors, born between September 1 and December 31, 1947 and juniors, born between January 1 and April 1, 1948.

Calves must gain two pounds or more per day and must weigh at least 700 pounds (based upon home weight) at the close of the feeding period to be eligible for exhibit at the 1949 Farmers' Week program at Michigan State college.

Enrollment cards are being sent to cooperators of the past three years. However, others are invited to enroll by contacting their county agricultural agent or by requesting an enrollment card directly from the Michigan State college animal husbandry extension department. No enrollment fee will be charged in this 1948-49 project.

## County Holstein Show Booked Here July 30

Plans are nearing completion for the county's first Black and White show. It will be held at the fairgrounds in Mason July 30. Those backing it are hopeful that it will become an annual event.

Making up the committee for the show are Luell Cheney, Lyman and Harry Freshour and Coe Emmens of Mason, Herbert Miller of Williamston, and Hugh Oesterle of Webberville.

There will be classes for all ages of cattle. Any Ingham county breeder of purebred registered Holsteins is invited to show his animals. Entries are to be at the fairgrounds by 10:30 the morning of July 30 and will be released by 4:30 in the afternoon.

Among the activities of the day will be a judging contest for boys and girls up to the age of 20. Five prizes are being provided for the winners.

Everett Miller, manager of Hi-Up Farms, Birmingham, will be the official judge at the show.

A basket lunch is planned for noon with the Ingham County Holstein Breeders association furnishing the ice cream.

Exhibitors winning in the county show will be eligible to compete in the state Holstein show held in Detroit as part of the state fair.

"The major breed in this area is Holstein," the committee announced. "There are many superior animals as to type and production. We want them at the show July 30."

## Swine Meet To Be Held at Charlotte

A big day is planned for the Swine Type and Production conference at the Charlotte fairgrounds on Wednesday, July 21, says W. N. McMullen, swine specialist at Michigan State college.

The program will begin with a judging contest at 10 a. m., with J. S. Coffey of Ohio State University as judge. Type classes will be discussed at 1 o'clock and Harry Moxley, Michigan State college livestock specialist, will present the leading production registry sows of several breeds with their litters.

A basket lunch is planned for noon. Several breed associations are planning meetings during the conference, McMullen reports.

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**OKEMOS AND VICINITY**  
Mrs. A. B. Whiting

Miss Rennie Bamberough of Owosso and her cousin, Leslie Coston of West Palm Beach, Florida, visited their cousins, Mrs. Myrtle Southwell and Mrs. Daisy Sturges, last week.

Ernest Southworth and Joe Howness attended Boy's State at Michigan State college last week. Ernest was sponsored by the Meridian Sportsmen's club and the local PTA sponsored Joe.

Mrs. Charles Delamarer is convalescing from an operation at Sparrow hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Glass are entertaining his mother, Mrs. Nell Paul from Lake Worth, Florida.

Miss Joyce Stillman and Miss Joyce Beckley, who have just completed their junior year at Michigan State college, have gone to Waikona lake, where they will be employed for a six-week period at Hill-Top camp.

Tomene Jean Griffith, three-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Griffith of Big Rapids, was baptized at the Community church Sunday.

Mrs. Daisy Sturges and Ruth and Wendell attended the Coston reunion at the county park, Lake Lansing, Sunday. Thirty-six were in attendance from Adrian, Moroni, Wacoona, Eaton Rapids, Owosso, Lansing and West Palm Beach, Florida.

## NORTH LESLIE

Mrs. Russell Warner

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Sherman attended a birthday dinner party at the home of Gertrude Ludwick in Lansing one evening last week. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Deles were dinner guests of the Shermans.

Mr. and Mrs. George Long and children were fishing at Thirteen lakes in the Waterloo area last Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Perkins, formerly of this community, has been in the Grace hospital in Detroit where she underwent a serious operation. She returned to her home in Royal Oak Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Emerson were in Lansing Sunday afternoon to see the General Motors train of tomorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fox and daughter of Eaton Rapids were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simpson and daughter spent Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Warner. On Wednesday, the Warners were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Warner in Williamston.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Duwe entertained Mr. and Mrs. Paul Galbraith and Mrs. Walden of Lansing and Mrs. Cole of Wausaukee, Wis., at dinner Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Elsenheimer's daughter spent several days with them last week.

Five friends of Grant and Faith Sutliff spent Sunday with them. They came from Inkster for the day.

Miss Angelina Fuller, who has made her home with the Floyd Suttons for a number of years, has moved to Mason, where she is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Olds.

Word has been received of the marriage of Winnifred Smith, a former teacher here, to Harry J. Allum. They are making their home in Phoenix, Arizona, this summer. In the fall they plan to go to South America as missionaries.

**Cannot Confine Magnet**  
There is no known material that will completely confine magnetism. But a sheet of iron of sufficient thickness, placed near a magnet, will act as a magnetic shield, according to a magnet specialist in one of the larger electrical manufacturing companies. "The magnetic lines of force are diverted through the iron and do not reach beyond," he pointed out.

## CURTICE DISTRICT

Mrs. Howard Scripser

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rote and baby called Sunday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griffin.

Mrs. Arbutus Bateman and Gordon spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Bateman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hansen attended the wedding of David Klinik Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Smithandorf of Elwin, Ill., spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hansen.

Mr. and Mrs. Holgar Larson and Ernie called on Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Hansen Sunday evening. Ernie remained for three days.

Mrs. Clyde Pickworth spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Clark Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Haynes spent the week end in Holly visiting Mrs. Eva Horton and Mrs. Pearl Gordon.

Mrs. Bob Jones and Dick of Jackson spent Friday with Mrs. Lynn Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Howery called on Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Haynes Monday afternoon.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fox were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barton, Joseph Barton, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ferguson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sepanek and family, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Sepanek and family and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Murphy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gingras and Mr. and Mrs. William Stewart called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Medcoff spent the week end in Windsor, Ontario, Canada.

Patricia and Beverly Daniels were guests Thursday afternoon of Yvonne and Douglas Scripser.

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**Leases Building**  
John Reed of Williamston, who has owned and operated a dairy farm for the past 10 years has leased the building recently vacated by the Kenneth Wilson Sales, local Kaiser-Frazer dealers on East Grand River, and will carry a full line of Skyline farm implements, equipment, Freuhauf trailers, mobile house trailers and Westinghouse and Crosley electrical appliances.

**Story Hour Time Changes**

The story hour originally set for 2 p. m. at the library during the months of July will begin at 1:30 instead of the time which was originally scheduled. Miss Alla Parks, county librarian, will supervise the work. Miss Dorothy Rozek, children's librarian, will be at the library every other week. Mrs. Caroline Lightfoot, Mrs. Blanche Merrifield and Mrs. Clara Hathaway will assist during the other weeks in July.

**Baptist Women Meet**

The Ladies Baptist Union held its meeting with Mrs. Alberta Cochrane last week. Mrs. Elaine Brutt presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Margaret Tuttle led the missionary group No. 3 on the lesson, "Missions in Africa and India." Letters were read from missionaries in Africa who have

talked at the local church. Mrs. Clara Devine had charge of the social program which followed the meeting. A geography contest closed the program which was put on by Freda Watson, Ruth Tuttle, Janet Cochrane, Kathryn Dolph and Mable Pierce.

**Open Softball Season**

The local softball season opened last week with four games played. The H. and M. Restaurant defeated May's Drugs, 5 to 4 in the first game. Teams are H. and M. Restaurant, May's Drugs, George's Barber Shop and Gambie store.

**Mark 25th Anniversary**

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Gibson were honored at a family gathering in the I. O. O. F. hall last Sunday, the occasion being their 25th wedding anniversary. Guests were present from Toledo, Sylvania and Tiffin, Ohio, Grand Rapids, Saginaw, Bethel, Blissfield and Stockbridge. The honored guests received many gifts and a purse of silver.

**To Tour Michigan State College Greenhouses**

The Red Cedar Garden club met at the home of Mrs. Nora Fisher last Monday. Rose Squires, president, presided. Twenty-five members and eight visitors were present. Some of the junior 4-H club members were also present. Mrs. Geneva Youngs gave a report on the Federation of Garden Clubs convention held at Traverse City, June 2 and 3. Mrs. C. A. Triphagan and Mrs. Paul Eger of Lansing gave talks on floral arrangements, demonstrating with flowers and materials contributed by the members.

Plans were completed for the next meeting which will be a tour of the Michigan State college greenhouses and trial gardens of roses, gladioli, etc. From the college the group will go to the home of Mrs. Bell Cronkrite for a short business meeting and lunch. Following the business meeting, Mrs. Fisher, assisted by Ruth Al-

lon, Mable Fish and Rose Squires, served refreshments. The intermediate class of the Methodist church, under supervision of its teacher, C. H. Wilson, had a 6:30 breakfast in McCormick park Sunday morning.

**4-H Group Has Meeting**

The Wheatfield 4-H club met with Marjorie Smith for its meeting last week. A softball game preceded the business meeting, which was presided over by Shirley Gregg. Bulletins were distributed and a name for the club was discussed. Refreshments followed the meeting. The next meeting will be at the home of Wanda Smith.

**Mrs. Floyd Lockwood Succumbs**

Mrs. Floyd Lockwood died at her home early Sunday morning following an illness of a few months.

Ruby Lockwood, sister of Graham Jackson, local banker, lived near Williamston most of her life. She was an active worker in both religious and fraternal organizations. Funeral services were held Tuesday, June 29, at 2 p. m. from the Methodist church. Rev. W. A. Gregory officiated.

The Kellogg-Fulton family reunion was held at the home of Mrs. S. E. Fulton at Bell Oak Sunday, June 20. Fifty-two members were present for the 22nd reunion. H. Wayne Fulton, 13, of Lansing fell and injured his ankle. He was taken to the hospital. Members were present from Williamston, Flint, Owosso, Saginaw, Burton, Lansing, Holt and Stockbridge.

R. B. Marvin, who operated the Ice Cream Bar on West Grand River, has leased the entire building and is remodeling the second floor into three apartments. Mr. and Mrs. Marvin will occupy one apartment and rent the other two.

F. G. Cheney has begun a grading job which was awarded him for the extension of South Pennsylvania avenue in Lansing. The job includes the grading of the south approach to the new overpass being constructed across the Michigan Central railroad tracks.

**Extension Group Meets**

The Methodist Sunday school extension group met at the home of Warren Galvin for its regular meeting. A three-reel sound movie and a short comedy were presented. Following the movies, the hostess assisted by her daughter, Joan, served refreshments. There will be no more meetings of the group until fall.

**Schedule Last Meeting**

Myrtle Rebekah lodge will meet July 6 for its last meeting, prior to summer vacation. All those having birthday anniversaries in April, May and June will be honored at this meeting. The committee in charge will be Iva Clicker, Mildred Scholz and Mary Tetzloff. All members are asked to be present.

Sidney Cobb and his daughter, Donna Lou, attended the wedding of Florence Reid and Frank Rose at Pontiac Friday evening, June 12. Miss Reid is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. H. Reid. Rev. Reid is a former pastor of the local Free Methodist church. He was also district superintendent of the Lansing district.

**Injured in Fall**

Roger Beach, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Beach, suffered painful injuries last week when he fell from the beach car while it was moving. He suffered cuts and bruises from the road. The child was in the back of the car with his brother, Leonard, when in some way he bumped the door and it flew open. Several stitches were required to close the head wounds.

**Hawaiian Visitors**

Mr. and Mrs. George Cheney were surprised recently when he niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibson of the Hawaiian Islands arrived for a visit. The Gibsons flew in from Hawaii and brought leis for their friends who were at the airport to meet them. After visiting friends and relatives in Michigan and Indiana, the Gibsons will return to the Islands where they plan to make their home. Both young people were well known in this vicinity. The Gibson family lived in Fowler, and the Schmidt family lived at Webberville. Before her marriage, Katharine Schmidt Gibson taught school near here.

**Sweeney-Waterman United**

Lois Jean Waterman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Waterman and Edward Sweeney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Sweeney, were united in marriage June 19, by the Rev. W. A. Gregory of the Methodist church, in the Methodist parsonage. Miss Alice Ellen Conby was maid of honor and Robert McCarrick served as best man. After a short wedding trip, the young couple returned to Williamston. The bridegroom is employed in the local postoffice.

Announcement is made of the birth of a son, Michael Anthony, to Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Parcell, recently returned from the occupation forces of Germany. Mrs. Parcell is the former Marjorie Rogers.

**Couple Wed June 12**

Betty Jo Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Perkins, and Kenneth Atwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Atwell spoke their marriage vows to the Rev. W. A. Gregory on June 12 at the Williamston Center Methodist church. Mrs. Marjorie Triplehore, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Raymond Gett, cousin of the bridegroom, was best man. After a short wedding trip, the young couple will be at home to their friends at 273 Newman road.

**Fireworks Forbidden**

The local law enforcement officers have announced that the state law prohibits the selling or using of fireworks without a special license. Therefore the law will be enforced in the city. Fireworks within the city has recently become a nuisance and the officers have stated that when any minors are picked up by the officers will be required to appear in justice court with them.

**Receives Mortuary Certificate**

Fred J. Cole has received his certificate from the department of mortuary science at Detroit. Mr. Cole is a graduate of the Williamston high school. He is the son of Harvey Cole.

**Marriage Revealed**

Announcement is made of the marriage of Peter Harvey of Lansing, formerly of Williamston, and Jessie Marie Wardell of Lansing on June 19 at the Methodist parsonage, by the pastor, Rev. W. A. Gregory. Lella Sanford of Freeport and Erma Gregory of Williamston attended the couple.

**4-H Club Elects**

The Wheatfield 4-H club met with Mrs. Teller and Frost. A ball game preceded the meeting. Twelve members were present. Marjorie Smith acted as temporary president and conducted the meeting. The election of officers resulted as follows: President, Shirley Gregg; vice president, Nancy Johnson; secretary, Dawn Noble; treasurer, Beth Beach; and news reporter, Nila Smith. Following the meeting, refreshments were served.

Lt. Col. Kenneth E. Lay received his master of arts degree in journalism at Madison, Wisconsin, on Saturday, June 19. Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lay of Wheatfield township and a graduate of the Williamston high school. During his school years, he was very active in athletics. He is also a graduate of Michigan State college. Lay was commissioned in the regular army in 1939 and was wounded three times while overseas. He was decorated twice with the Silver Star. Since his return from overseas in 1945 he has served at Fort Monroe, Virginia. General Omar Bradley received an honorary degree at Madison from the University of Wisconsin on the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Estes and children, Barbara and Walter, Jr., are spending a week with Mrs. Mattie Estes of Arlington, Virginia. Ruth and Vivian Holm left last week for Denver, Colorado, where they plan to obtain work.

Lawrence Teller, who has been attending the insurance school in Lincoln, Nebraska, has returned home. Mr. and Mrs. John Warner of Williamston and Melvor accompanied their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warner, on a several days' trip through the west. The Warners expect to return in August.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Croel and daughter, Lorraine, were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Chamberlain Saturday evening. Rev. and Mrs. T. S. Bottrell assumed their pastorate in Richfield Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ingersoll have moved into the Bottrell home, which they recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Nixon and daughter spent the week end with the late parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer White. Mrs. Mary E. LeFrey and Eldora left last week to spend the summer with Mrs. LeFrey's mother in Chatham, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lightfoot and family spent the week end at the home owned by Mrs. Lightfoot's father near Fairview. Mr. and Mrs. William Anderson have returned from a three-week visit to Tennessee and Oklahoma, where they visited relatives and friends. Barry Pipph of Seminole, Oklahoma, nephew of Mrs. Anderson, accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Faustman entertained at a birthday party recently honoring Mrs. Virginia Lasher of Lansing and Robert Faustman. Twenty guests were present. Gregory Wygant, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wygant, and Myron Wirth of Owosso, both forestry students at Michigan State college, left June 16, for the west coast. The boys will spend the summer working in the Williamette Valley national forest in Oregon.

Robert Overholt spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Overholt.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cook and son, Roger, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. William Ketchum. Neil Ketchum accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

C. E. Greenawald is building a cottage at Elk Rapids. Mrs. Vina Krumbick is improving from her recent accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett C. White has returned home from Florida for the summer.

Miss Lenora Monroe, who has been visiting Ann Semans at Ovid, has returned home. Mrs. Lillian Huehn and Helen Huehn visited Mrs. Hugh Leeman at Petersburg recently.

Mrs. Thomas Booker and daughters have returned home after spending the past two weeks at Muskegon. Oliver Brown of Bell Oak has purchased the Durward Foland property. Mr. Foland plans to leave for California soon.

Mrs. Jennie Blackney has sold her home on Grand River avenue and purchased a home in St. Johns, where she will move soon. Mrs. Bertha Gulick, who underwent an operation for appendicitis recently at the Memorial hospital in Owosso, is convalescing at home. Guests at the G. W. Thompson home the past week were Herbert

**Miller Is Named Engineering Dean**

Lorin G. Miller, national authority in the field of heating and ventilation engineering has been named Dean of the School of Engineering at Michigan State college, effective July 1. Miller, who has headed the department of mechanical engineering since 1935, succeeds Dean Henry B. Dirck, retired.

Miller's appointment assumes added significance in view of the college's current expansion and modernization of engineering facilities. The recently constructed agricultural engineering building, and completion of electrical engineering, physics and mathematics buildings this summer, will constitute important steps toward making Michigan State college one of the most complete and modern engineering institutions in the nation.

Miller received his Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Science Electrical Engineering degrees from Des Moines University and took advanced graduate work at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. He came to Michigan State college as professor of mechanical engineering in 1929, after employment with Western Elec-

Thompson of Detroit. Lytle Thompson of Michigan State college and Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Klump of Lansing.

Tellene Cromley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cromley, underwent an operation at Sparrow hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller and son of San Diego, California, are spending the week with the former's sister, Mrs. William Haynes, and family.

Harry Kushner, who has been living with the Thomases' family while attending Michigan State college, spent last week at his home in Detroit.

Mrs. Sarah Smith is spending two weeks with her sister in Holyoke. While there she will celebrate her 50th birthday anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gosling, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gorsline and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cole, Richard and Barbara attended the graduation exercises Friday at Wayne university in Detroit, when Fred received his diploma for completion of the course in mortuary science. Last week he wrote the state board examination for embalmers and funeral directors.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Babbitt entertained 20 relatives at a family dinner last Sunday honoring their son, Donald, who left Monday for San Francisco, California, where he is employed by the Diamond Match company.

Mrs. Harry Cole, who has been confined to St. Lawrence hospital, is rapidly recovering and expects to return home soon.

Francis Theodore Butler of Ft. Knox, Kentucky, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Butler.

Wayne Perkins fell from a scaffold while working at the college recently. He broke his arm in several places. He was taken to the Sparrow hospital where he will have to remain for some time.

**HOUSEL**

**Mrs. Kenneth Baker**  
The local House W. M. A. will meet with Mrs. Clarence Green on Thursday, July 8, for an afternoon meeting and 4:30 supper. There will be a miscellaneous shower for Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Galloway at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Galloway on Friday evening of this week.

The House Community club will meet with the school meeting Monday evening, July 12. Mrs. Clarence Howe attended the wedding of a nephew at Battle Creek Saturday evening. She remained there until Monday for a medical examination.

Rev. Paul Olmstead is at Middleton for two weeks conducting revival services. Miss Leah Baker is at Michigan State college attending 4-H club week.

Mrs. Paul McCreery spent two days last week and two days this week with her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Howe, and family at Eaton Rapids. The Howes are moving to their new home which they recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bailey of Pleasant lake were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cause and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hunt of Detroit were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Elsworth and daughter of Lansing were Sunday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Green.

**FOUR TOWN CORNERS**

**Mrs. Edd Mullen**  
Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Wimple left Thursday to spend several days at their cottage at Houghton park. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Dean of St. Petersburg, Florida, spent the last of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mullen.

Norwood Mills and George West of Lansing were Friday visitors at the Gaylord home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Mills and sons of Lansing were Sunday guests of their parents. Mrs. R. Kramer and children left Sunday to spend two weeks at Indian lake. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mullen spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Pringle of Williamston was a Thursday caller of the John Gaylords. Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith were Sunday guests of the Greenway family in Williamston.



LOREN G. MILLER

tric company and as a professor at the University of Wisconsin.

A member of the executive committee of American Society of Heating and Ventilating Engineers, Dean Miller is a former president of the Society's Michigan chapter. Miller also served as president of the American Society for Engineering Education, and at present is governing committee member for the Boiler and Radiator Manufacturing Institute.

**GROVENBURG**

**Mrs. Howard North**

The week of vacation Bible school closed with a program Sunday evening. The total enrollment was 78 and 69 received certificates for attending three or more days. Forty-seven had perfect attendance records. Teachers and assistants were as follows: Beginners, Miss Margaret Ekins and Mrs. Mary Denning; primary, Mrs. Jean Heing and Mrs. Iva Wilson; junior, Mrs. Mildred North and Mrs. Tillie Angel; intermediate, Rev. Paul Mergener; song leader, Mrs. Dorothy Mergener; and pianist, Mrs. Alice U'Ren.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCue celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary last week. Sunday afternoon they called on Mrs. Avis Gurnell in Lansing.

Mrs. George Rusco plans to take her aunt, Mrs. Tiederman, who has been her guest for several weeks, back to her home in Toledo on Friday. Over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Rusco will visit friends in Columbus.

Bob Kaiser of Pioneer, Ohio, is visiting his father, John Kaiser, at the Rusco home this week. Mrs. Charles Leonard continues to improve. She is able to be up part of the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leonard called on Mr. and Mrs. Clair Lott Sunday.

Callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Snow and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bateman of Ausletus. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berg of Saline and Mrs. Anna Leasney and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Michtsch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavere Tooker and family attended the Whipp family reunion in Potterville Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rice and Bonnie were guests at the Dowd cottage at Houghton lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Bullen and Dale accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Verhinde and family to Houghton lake last week end. They visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Fernberg and family were Sunday supper guests at the home of his brother, George Fernberg, in Lansing. Peter Conarton of Alma spent last week at the home of his son in this vicinity.

Mrs. Josephine Parrish has sold her property to Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt of Lansing.

**ALAIEDON CENTER**

**Mrs. Elmer Brown**

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Arend and family attended the Grettenberger reunion at Potter park Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Leu and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Ethel Leu of Okemos. William Swaim visited George Kaiser Monday who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Lamer and family Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and family and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and family called

on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Brown and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miles and Marilyn of Dimondale spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Brown and daughters arrived home Friday evening after a month vacationing through the west. They visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Crain of Phoenix, Arizona, and Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Rex Knoles, and Mr. Knoles and family of Modesta, California.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lerner and Mr. and Mrs. Elton Weston spent Sunday in Flint. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Beatty, Mr. and Mrs. William Glaser and Miss Betty Glaser of Williamston, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Palen and Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Potter were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Cady. Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hatt and fam-

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Legal Notice

ORDER OF PUBLICATION ON BILL TO QUIET TITLE State of Michigan, in the Circuit Court for the county of Ingham, in Chancery.

Present: HON. MARVIN J. SALMON, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the Bill of Complaint in said cause and affidavit of Robert T. Arvidson...

Counter-signed: MARVIN J. SALMON, Circuit Judge.

By Kathleen Aitfield, Deputy Register of Probate.

ORDER OF APPEARANCE State of Michigan, in the Circuit Court for the County of Ingham, in Chancery.

On motion of Roy T. Conley, attorney for the Plaintiff...

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PROBATE OF WILL OF LEO H. SCHLACK State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Ingham.

Present: HON. JOHN MCCLELLAN, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of LAURA LEHMAN, Deceased.

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Howard L. Hatt, 21, Lansing; Marcel A. Gabor, 24, Lansing.

John G. Hudson, 28, Okemos; Barbara A. Short, 22, Grand Rapids.

Robert E. LaGuer, 22, Lansing; Donna J. VanTongeren, 22, Holland.

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Leslie By E. J. Cross

Plan Special Election Thursday, July 8, has been set by the Leslie township board...

Band Students Register Registration for those who desire to play in the Leslie bands...

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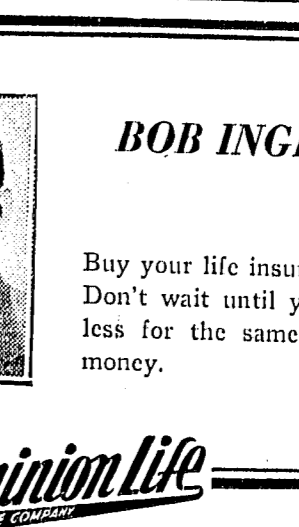
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